

Marathwada Legal & General Education Society's MANIKCHAND PAHADE LAW COLLEGE AURANGABAD

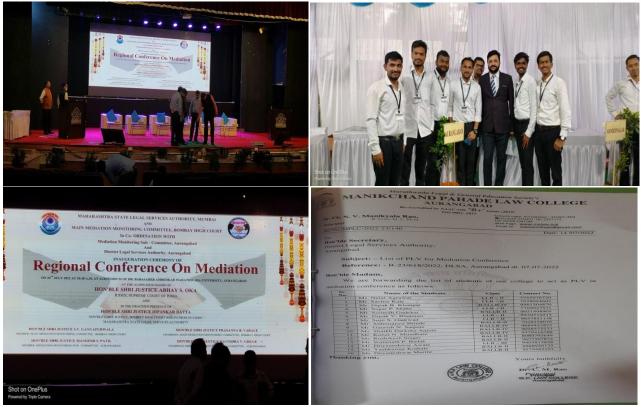
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LEGAL AID CLINIC ACTIVITIES REPORT 2022-23

Legal Aid Clinic of M.P. Law College is approved Centre by National Legal Services Authority, Delhi. Every year College conducts various legal aid activities under this clinic. Following are the details of activities conducted by the clinic during the academic year

Sr.No.	Date	Name of the Event	Resource Person	No. of Student Participants
1	24/07/2022	Participation of Para Legal Volunteers in Regional Conference on Mediation	 Hon'ble Shri Justice Abhay Oka Hon'ble Shri Justice Dipankar Datta 	16
2	31/10/2022 to 13/11/2022	Active Participation of Para Legal Volunteers by collecting data from Harsool prison in Campaign "Haq Humara bhi to hai@75" organized by District Legal Services Authority, Aurangabad		05
3	12/11/2022	Participation of Para Legal Volunteers in National Lok Adalat organized by High Court Legal Services Sub-Committee, Aurangabad		04
4	26/11/2022	Celebration of Constitution Day	Adv. Neha Kamble	300
5	05/02/2023	Legal Awareness Camp	1. Hon'ble smt. Vrushali Raojadeja 2. Hon'ble shri Dhananjay Deore	500

1. Participation of Para Legal Volunteers in Mediation Conference: On 24th July 2022 our 16 students participated as Para Legal Volunteers in Regional Conference on Mediation organized by Maharashtra legal Services Authority, Mumbai and Main Mediation monitoring Committee, Bombay High Court held at Main Auditorium of Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University, Aurangabad. This Conference was inaugurated at the auspicious hands of Hon'ble Shri Justice Abhay Oka, Judge, Supreme Court of India and in the gracious presence of Hon'ble Shri Justice Dipankar Datta, Chief Justice of Bombay High Court & Patron-in-chief of Maharashtra Legal Services Authority, Mumbai. In this



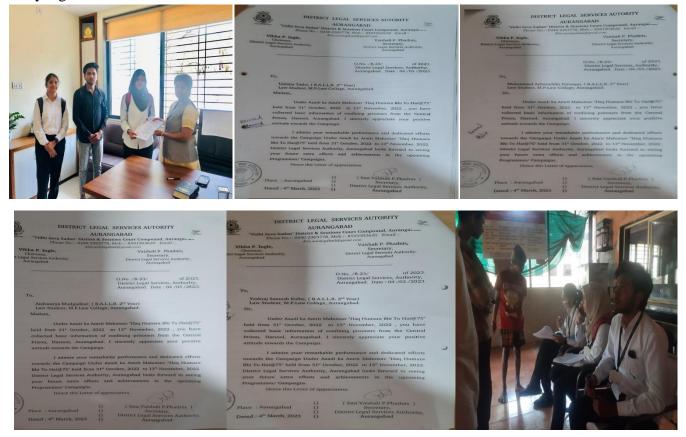
conference our students learnt mediation skills.

2. Participation of Para Legal Volunteers in Campaign under Azadi ka Amrit mahotsav "Haq Humara bhi to hai@75":

From **31st October to 13th November 2022** our **5** Students went to Harsul Central Jail, Aurangabad as Para Legal Volunteer (PLV) under the able guidance of **Smt. Vaishali Phadnis,** Secretary, District Legal Services Authority, Auranagbad (DLSA). This was a campaign organized by DLSA under the Azaadi ka Amrit Mahotsav. Following Students participated in it as PLVV

- 1. Umima Tadvi BALLB 2yr
- 2. Aishwarya Mudgadkar BALLB 2yr
- 3. Yashraj Kolhe BALLB 2yr
- 4. Mohd Ali BALLB 3yr
- 5. Azharuddin Farooqui BALLB 3yr.

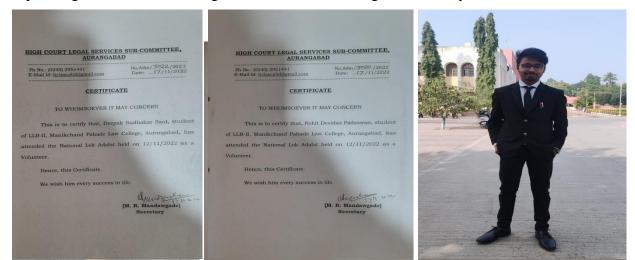
Our students had a very great experience. They undertake task to collect basic information of confining prisoners by filling the information in the forms. Our Students collected data from approximately **60** female prisoners and **1500** male prisoners including convict and under trial. During this campaign they also went to Child Juvenile centre & collected the data. They had a very great experience about prisoners and jail and get to know how a real jail works. The very purpose of this campaign was to identify persons who need any legal assistance.



3. Participation of Para Legal Volunteers in National Lok Adalat:

On 12th November 2022 National Lok Adalat was organized at High Court of Bombay bench at Aurangabad. Our 04 students participated as Para Legal Volunteers. Hon'ble Justice shri. Kishor Sant, Hon'ble Justice shri.S.G. Mehare, Shri.S.G.Shete (Former District Judge), Adv. A.R.Borulkar were panel members for the same.

Our Students were assigned with the paper work and the task of arranging the files and captioning the boards according to their districts and regions and they were divided into two



groups according to the respective court rooms of **Hon'ble Justice Shri Kishor Sant and Hon'ble Justice Shri Mehare**. They were also guided by seniors and were asked to look after them if they face any difficulty in the court room. They did important role in marking the cases disposed which helped them to learn listening skills. The skills they mainly learnt throughout the National Lok Adalat were the great team work, patience, discipline, court etiquettes and to have respectful attitude towards the senior counsel, advocates and officers of the court.

4. Celebration of Constitution Day by organizing a special lecture:

On 26th November 2022 Legal Aid Clinic and NSS Unit of our college jointly organized special lecture to celebrate Constitution Day. We invited our alumni Adv. Neha Kamble, advocate, Bombay High Court bench at Aurangabad as chief guest. She delivered her talk on Constitutional goals & guided our students through her resourceful & interactive session. She also answered the questions raised by the students. She appealed that every student of Law College should create awareness about the constitutional goals in the society. Principal Dr. C. M. Rao delivered presidentioal address, Vice Principal Mr. Shrikishan Morey delivered welcome address Dr. Dinesh kolte, NSS Coordinator introduced about the event & Mr. Abhay Jadhav delivered vote of thanks. Approximately 300 students attended the said programme.





5. Organized Legal Awareness Camp:

Before scheduling Legal Awareness camp we have visited 3-4 villages & village Khamgaon (goraksha) Tq.Phulambri, Dist.Aurangabad was finalized for the same. On 05th February 2023 we organized Legal Awareness Camp in the said village in collaboration with NSS Unit of our College. The theme of the Legal awareness camp was Child labor,



Child marriage prohibition and Child trafficking. The chairman of the program was Shri. Adv. Kailas Bagnawat Sir (Chairman, District Bar Association, Aurangabad) while Hon'ble Mrs. Vrushali Raojadeja Ma'am (Judicial Magistrate at Civil and Criminal Court at Phulambri) graced the program with her presence as chief guest. Hon'ble Shri. Dhananjay Sir Deore (Judicial

Magistrate at Civil and Criminal Court at Phulambri) was invited as a special guest. **Shri. Adv. Avinash Deshpande** Sir (DGP at Aurnagabad) inaugurated the program. The program began with Sarswati pujan and lightning a lamp by the dignitaries, followed by the NSS anthem. All the members of gram panchayat and Phulambri Bar Association were present who felicitated the dignitaries on the dais. Shri. Adv. Avinash Deshpande sir was felicitated by **Mr. Somnath Sonawane**. Hon'ble Mrs. Vrushali Raojadeja Ma'am was felicitated by **Mr. Gangadhar Sonwane**. Hon'ble Shri. Dhananjay Deore Sir was felicitated by **Adv. Sominath Gaikwad**. Adv. Kailas Bagnawat Sir was felicitated by **Adv. Ajinath Kapre**. **Prof. Abhay Jadhav**, Assistant Professor of MP Law College & Coordinator of Legal Aid Clinic introduced the event. Actions speak louder than words to show that NSS volunteers prepared posters on various legal issues. Dignitaries, by cutting ribbon inaugurated various posters on the child labor, child marriage issues.

Address by the Resource person:

Adv. Avinash Deshpande Sir is currently serving as District Government Pleader at District and Session Court, Aurangabad. He guided the volunteers and most importantly all the villagers on the topic of the legal camp. He brought attention to the fact that how mostly girl child has to suffer in villages, they lack education and consequently get victim of the child labour and has to undergo child marriage. He urged everyone sitting in the crowd, to provide equal opportunity to their daughters at par with son, and then see the results. He concluded his address by saying that a literate daughter has enough power to literate two families.

Hon'ble Shri. Dhananjay Deore Sir is serving Judicial Magistrate at the Civil and Criminal Court, Phulambri. Sir addressed the camp on the topic of rights of senior citizens and Child marriage. He explained various provisions and penalties under the law for committing such acts. He urged to all the youth of the village to stay updated and to be a law-abiding citizen. Sir concluded his address by stating importance of senior



citizens in a family.



Hon'ble Shrimati Vrushali Raojadeja ma'am addressed on the topic of Child labour and child trafficking. She focused on the need of strict laws to curb these evil practices. Ma'am explained the importance of primary and secondary education. She explained causal relationship between lack of education and child labour, and how both these things are weakening the economy of India.

The sub topics were dealt by Advocates of the Phulambri Bar Association:

Sr No.	Sub topics	Name of Speaker
1	Issues and Rights of LGBTQ Community	Adv. S. A. Sheikh
2	Rights of Senior citizens	Adv. P. T. Thorat
3	Right to Information Act	Adv. A. Kapre
4	Food Security	Prof. Dinesh Kolte

Adv. Kailas Bagnawat sir gave the presidential address and the program was concluded by reciting National anthem.

Performance of Street plays on various legal issues:

Thereafter our students performed street plays on various legal issues at various parts of village. This played very crucial role in imparting and creating legal awareness amongst villagers. Villagers voluntarily gave rewards to our students for their very emotional and informative street plays.

Mr. Abhay Jadhav Coordinator **Dr.Aparna kottapalle** IQAC Coordinator **Mr.Shrikishan Morey** Vice Principal

Dr.C.M.Rao Principal