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# NEWSLETTER



IQAC, Nalbari College, Nalbari



## Our Core Values

*Vidyayaa Vindate Amritam*

(Scholarship Offers Eternity)

Pursuit of excellence through student centric approach

Employability through development of skills

Reaching out to the unreached

“Quality Improvement and Quality Sustenance”  
is the Motto of IQAC

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## Mission of the College

- To impart quality education to the learners.
- To create a better academic environment to produce competent and industrious human resources.
- To Provide student-centered academic and personal enrichment opportunities to enhance lifelong learning.
- To make education more relevant in the global perspective.
- To expand and accommodate with the changing traits of higher education

## Vision of the College

- To provide outstanding education and training to our learners to achieve their goals.
- To reach out to the unreached.
- To forge institutional, departmental and individual linkage with society.
- To turn the college into a nodal facilitating centre for inclusive and sustainable development of the region.

## Message from the Principal



Greetings to all! Nalbari College, Nalbari entered the Platinum Jubilee year in 2019-20. Though the Inaugural Function of the Platinum Jubilee was concluded with great pomp and gaiety back in July 2019, due to the pandemic situation, we were able to complete the closing ceremony only last October. Celebrating 78 years of excellence is a momentous occasion that deserves to be highlighted. Another noteworthy event of this academic year was the hosting of the 30th Session of the Indian Art History Congress by our college on January 2023. Nearly a hundred scholars, academicians and researchers across the country thronged in this grand conclave. I thank all teaching, non-teaching and student members for making this conference a grand success with their untiring effort. Besides these few, all other activities are to be aptly highlighted through this newsletter.

The college authority resolves to ensure continuous improvement in the entire operation of the institution by time-bound, efficient and progressive performance in all spheres with suitable interventions for quality. I earnestly solicit your cooperation in this effort for the improvement and sustenance of quality.

To conclude, let me congratulate the editorial team of IQAC for bringing out this issue in our annual newsletter.



Dr. Kamal Nayan Patowary  
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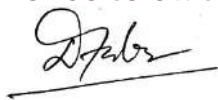


## Message from the IQAC Coordinator

A Newsletter is by no means a lifeless account on paper. It is an enlivening record of a year gone by. It is my proud privilege to present the Newsletter of the college for the session 2022-23, prepared by the Internal Quality Assurance Cell of Nalbari College, Nalbari. The newsletter of our college has now become a regular phenomenon on the campus. It reflects the multifarious activities undertaken by the institution around the year.

Friends, all of us are aware that the validity of the NAAC accreditation of our college will collapse in May 2024. So it's high time for us to work relentlessly to rekindle the spirit of our college. Let us make it a common and concerted cause and bring the apposite grade our college deserves best! Kindly take great care to keep the records of all the programmes organized by your department/cell/committee for further documentation along with the Geo-tagged photos. IQAC will be there for any and every support.

With best wishes to all the readers.



**Dr. Dhiraj Talukdar**  
Co-ordinator, IQAC  
Nalbari College, Nalbari



## Editorial

The IQAC Newsletter is a periodical chronicle of life on the Nalbari College campus. It is with a deep sense of pride and felicity that we present to you the annual IQAC newsletter for the academic year 2022-23. We sincerely thank you all for your contribution, suggestions and creative criticism to improve the appearance and contents of the newsletter.

The current issue of the IQAC newsletter highlights the activities, accomplishments, research and teaching advancements that have taken place in our college over the past year. We hope that you enjoy reading our newsletter as much as we enjoyed creating it.



**Dr. Dhanju Mani Pathak**  
Editor,  
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## Platinum Jubilee Celebration



In 2019-20, Nalbari College, Nalbari entered the Platinum Jubilee year. The Inaugural Function of the Platinum Jubilee was concluded back in July 2019. However, due to the worldwide pandemic situation, the closing ceremony could only be concluded on the 22nd and 23rd of October 2022.

The two-day long closing function of the Platinum Jubilee was marked by various programmes and activities like plantation programme, alumni meet, felicitation to retired teaching and non-teaching staff, cleanliness drive, open session, cultural programme etc. A souvenir was also published to commemorate this momentous occasion which was released in the Open Session.



The Open Session of the closing function was presided by Prof. Abani Kr. Bhagawati, President of Platinum Jubilee Celebration Committee and graced by Shri Dilip Saikia, Member of Parliament, Mangaldoi, Shri Jayanta Malla Baruah, Local MLA and Minister, PHE, Skill Development Employment & Entrepreneurship and Tourism, Government of Assam, Shri Chandra Mohan Patowary, Alumnus and Minister for Environment & Forests, Act East Policy Affairs and Welfare of Minorities Department, Govt of Assam among numbers of other dignitaries.





## 30th Annual Session of Indian Art History Congress



The 30th Annual Conference of Indian Art History Congress (IAHC) was held at Nalbari College, Assam from 7th to 9th January 2023. The event was hosted by Nalbari College, Nalbari, with the financial assistance of the Indian Council of Historical Research, (ICHR) New Delhi. The theme for the 30th Session was '**Environmental Representation in Indian Art**'.

The Inaugural Session which was scheduled on 7th January 2023 was graced by Smt. Nandita Gorlosa, Minister for Power, Cooperation, Mines, Minerals, Indigenous and Tribal Faith and Culture Department, Government of Assam as the Chief Guest and Shri V. B. Pyarelal, IAS (Rtd.) Chief Commissioner of PRANAM Mission as the Guest of Honour along with other dignitaries of the Indian Art History Congress (IAHC). Dr. Kamal Nayan Patowary, the Principal of Nalbari College delivered the Welcome Address. The release of four research volumes marked the auspicious beginning of the event.



In this grand conclave of scholars, academicians and researchers the total no of registered scholars was 85 and altogether 66 research papers were presented at the conference. The Prof. K.D. Bajpai Memorial Lecture was delivered by Dr Sreenivas Padigar,

Retired Professor & Chairman, Department of Ancient Indian History & Epigraphy, Karnataka University, Dharwad. Prof. MNP Tiwari, Retired Professor Emeritus of the Banaras Hindu University delivered the Dr. R.D. Choudhury Memorial Lecture.



# Events & Activities Celebrated by the Institution

## Foundation Day Celebration



On 4th July 2022, the fraternity of Nalbari College, Nalbari celebrated the 78th Foundation Day on the college premise. Honourable Principal Dr Kamal Nayan Patowary hoisted the College Flag to mark the auspicious beginning of the occasion. Mr Hrishikesh Goswami, Media Adviser to former Chief Minister Sarbanda Sonowal & Secretary, Children's Literary Trust, Assam was invited as the resource person of the programme. The Annual Newsletter of IQAC, Nalbari College, Nalbari was also inaugurated on that day. Dipak Sarma, an Internationally acclaimed flute player mesmerised the cultural evening.



## World Environment Day

World Environment Day was celebrated in the college campus on the 5th of June 2022. Faculty and students participated in various programmes with great fervour.



Plantation, free distribution of saplings and an awareness programme were organised to mark the occasion. Mr. Pradip Kr. Sarma, Deputy, conservator of Forest and an alumnus of the college graced the occasion.





## Flood Relief by NCTU & NCSU



The college fraternity is keenly alive towards the responsibility to its surrounding society. As a part of the institutional social responsibility, the teachers and students unit of the college in separate drives conducted flood relief programmes in flood-affected areas like Kotalkuchi, Guakuchi, Paikarkuchi, Sandha etc.

## Independence Day Celebration

On 15th August 2022, the college fraternity celebrated the 76th Independence Day in the college premise. Dr. Kamal Nayan Patowary, Principal of the college hoisted the National Flag and received the Guard of Honour from the NCC cadets.





## Death Anniversary of Dr. Bhupen Hazarika Observed



Nalbari College Teachers' Unit (NCTU) along with the Nalbari College fraternity observed the annual programme to commemorate the Death Anniversary of Bharat Ratna Dr Bhupen Hazarika on 05/11/2022.

## Republic Day Celebration



On 26th January 2023, the fraternity of Nalbari College, Nalbari celebrated the 74th Republic Day in the college premise.



On that day Principal Dr. Kamal Nayan Patowary hoisted the National Flag on the college premise and received the Guard of Honour from the NCC cadets. The cadets of NCC bagged the 1st prize in the Inter-institutional Parade Competition organized by the district authority.

## Celebration of Saraswati Puja

On 26th January 2023, the college fraternity celebrated Saraswati Puja in the college premise. Teachers, students and employees of the college worshipped the Goddess of Wisdom.





## College Week Celebration



Nalbari College Students Union organized College Week from 8th to 14th February 2023. The programme started with Flag Hoisting and Cultural Rally Competition. The students of all the departments of Nalbari College participated in the Rally. Different indoor & outdoor games, cultural and literary competitions were organized by the Students' Union.

Students from all departments participated in various programmes and competitions organized as a part of the college week. In the Open Session and Prize Distribution Ceremony, Dr. Anjan Chowdhury was invited as Guest of Honour. He enthralled the audience with his wonderful lecture.



As a part of the college week, the Trailokya Nath Goswami Library & Nalbari College Students Union organized a Book Fair and drawing competition for students from 8th to 14th February 2023.



## Kavya Divash Celebration

On 28th March 2023, the Poetry and Philosophy Centre in association with Nalbari College Students' Union organized the annual event '**Kavya Divash**' (The Day of Poetry) on the college premise. Dr. Kuladhar Saikia, retired DGP of Assam Police & Former President of Assam Sahitya Sabha, inaugurated the programme.



Mr Rupam Bhuyan, renowned singer, composer and lyricist and Aranyak Saikia, IAS, Assam Meghalaya cadre, SDO, Gossaigaon, Assam were invited to the programme as the Guests of Honour. Acclaimed poet Pranab Kr. Barman and many other well-known poets were present in the programme.

## MoU with Skillfinity



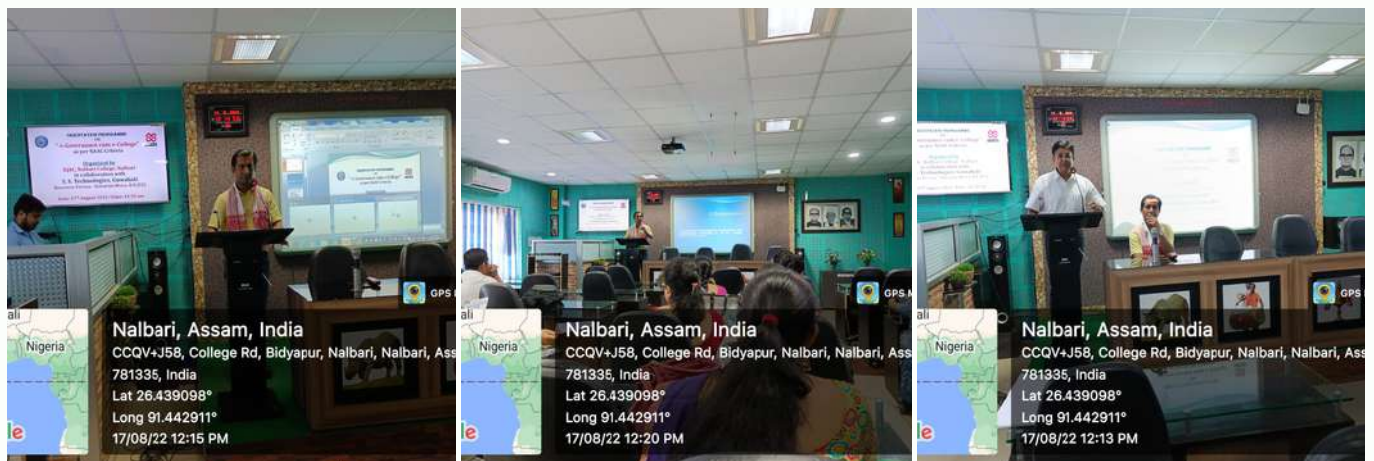
On 12th May 2023, Nalbari College, Nalbari signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with Skillfinity, Guwahati to initiate sharing of knowledge for the betterment of faculty members and students. Mr Anjan Chowdhury, Founder of Skillfinity, Guwahati was present in the programme.

Honourable Principal Dr. Kamal Nayan Patowary, IQAC Coordinator Dr. Dhiraj Talukdar along with faculty members, students and employees were present in this signing programme of MoU.



## Programme organized by IQAC

### Orientation Programme on e-Governance cum e-learning



An orientation Programme on **"e-Governance cum e-College as per NAAC Criteria"** was organized by IQAC, Nalbari College, Nalbari in collaboration with S.S. Technologies, Guwahati on 17/08/2022. Nabarun Misra was the resource person for the programme.

### Awareness Programme on Prevention and Management of Snake Bite



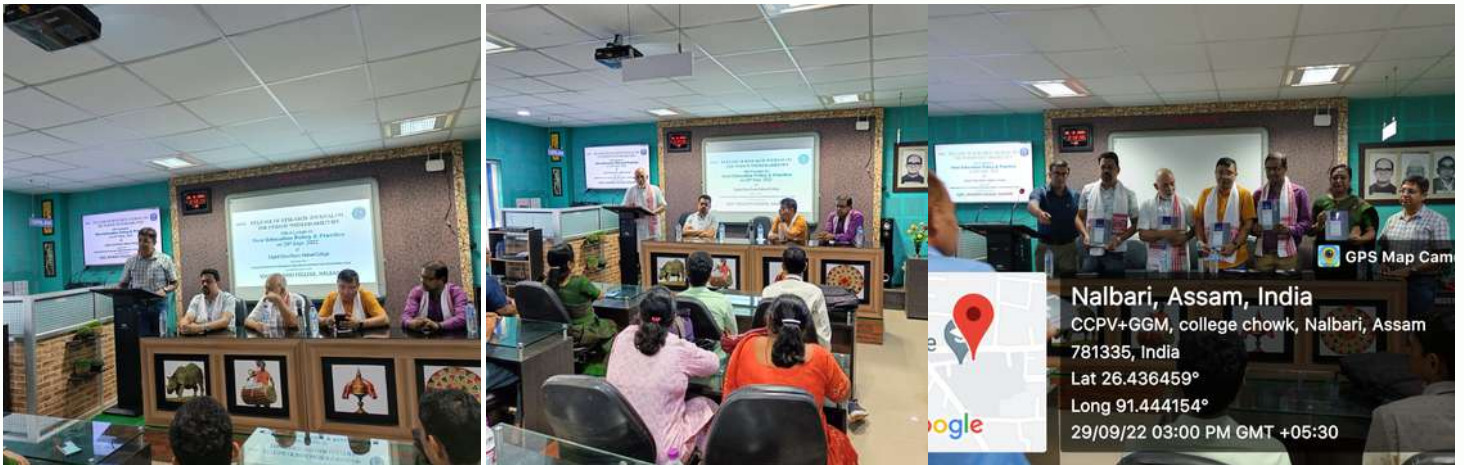
IQAC, Nalbari College, Nalbari in association with Sushrusa Hospital, Nalbari organized an **"Awareness Programme on Prevention and Management of Snake Bite"** on 22/09/2022. Dr. Santana Devi, M.D. (Anesthesiologist & Intensivist) and Dr Ariful Islam, M.D. (Medicine) were invited as the resource persons for the event.

### Celebration of World Rhino Day

IQAC, Nalbari College, Nalbari in association with WWF, Assam State Committee organized an **"Awareness Programme on Rhino Conservation"** on 22/09/2022. Tanmay Sarma, an alumnus of the college and a volunteer of WWF, delivered the lecture on the topic.



## Popular Lecture on New Education Policy & Practice for the Students with Disabilities and Release of its 6th Volume of Research Journal



Indian Institute of Research and Development for Differently Able, Nizjargaon, Naskata, Tamulpur (BTR), Assam in collaboration with IQAC, Nalbari College, Nalbari organized a popular talk on **"New Education Policy & Practice for the Students with Disabilities"** and Release of its 6th Volume of Research Journal on the Persons with Disabilities on 29/09/2022. Dr. Diganta Barman, Assistant Professor, Dept of Pediatrics, Gauhati Medical College and Dr. Susanta Kr. Kashyap, Controller of Examinations, KBVS & ASU also graced the programme.

### Workshop on Debate



A workshop on debating was organized by Nalbari College Students Union (NCSU) in association with IQAC, Nalbari College, Nalbari on 30/09/2022. Pranjit Das, an alumnus of Nalbari College and a promising Journalist, was the resource person in the workshop.

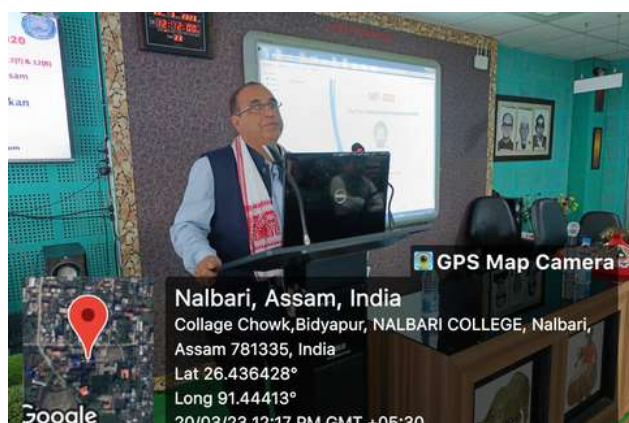
### An orientation Programme on ERP Software



An orientation programme on ERP Software was organized by IQAC, Nalbari College, Nalbari in collaboration with S.S. Technologies, Guwahati on 15/12/2022. Mr Nabarun Misra, B.E (E.E) delivered the lecture on the topic **"Academic & Administration System in College"** as per NAAC Criteria.



## Workshop on National Education Policy 2020



A workshop on "**National Education Policy 2020**" was organized by IQAC, Nalbari College on 20/03/2023. Prof. Prodeep Phukan, Director, CDC, G.U. and Professor, Department of Chemistry, Gauhati University delivered a lecture on the topic.

## Awareness Programme on National Education Policy 2020

An Awareness programme on "**National Education Policy-2020**" with the students of Nalbari College, Nalbari was organized by IQAC, Nalbari College, Nalbari in association with Royal Global University, Guwahati on 29/03/2023. Dr. Biswajit Sarma, Associate Professor, Dept of Chemistry, Royal Global University, Jugal



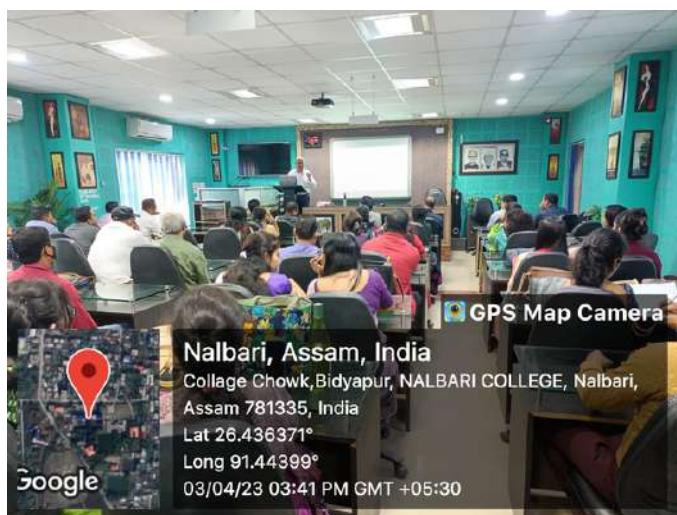
Kishor Bhattacharyya, Assistant Professor, Dept of Economics, Royal Global University and Dr Bapan Kalita, Assistant Professor, Dept of Economics, Royal Global University were the resource persons in the programme.

## Popular Talk on Mental Health for Teenagers



A popular talk & interaction session on "**Mental Health for Teenagers and College Going Students**" was organized by IQAC, Nalbari College, Nalbari in association with Indian Psychiatry Society Assam State Branch on the occasion of Chatra Divas as directed by the Govt on 31/03/2023. Dr Bijoy Pratim Choudhury, M.D (Psychiatry), Senior Consultant Psychiatrist was the resource person in the programme.

## Sensitization Programme on NAAC Preparedness



Internal Quality Assurance Cell, Nalbari College, Nalbari organized a **"Sensitization Programme on NAAC Preparedness"** on 03/04/2023.

Prof. Utpal Sarma, Department of Instrumentation and USIC, Gauhati University enlightened the programme with his wonderful lecture. Dr. Kamal Nayan Patowary, Principal of Nalbari College also graced the programme.

## Popular Talk on The Broken Planet: Promises and Possibilities of the G20

A popular talk on G20 was organized by IQAC, Nalbari College on 05/04/2023. Prof. Akhil Ranjan Dutta, Professor and Former Head, Department of Political Science, Gauhati University was invited as the resource person and delivered a lecture on the topic of Political Science, Gauhati University was invited as the resource person and delivered a lecture on the topic **"The Broken Planet: Promises and Possibilities of the G20"**.



## Training Programme for Non-Teaching Staff

A training programme on **"Office Management for Non-Teaching Staff"** was organized by IQAC, Nalbari College, Nalbari in association with Non-Teaching Staff, Nalbari College on 28/04/2023. Mr Nalini Kanta Deka, Senior Assistant, Pub Kamrup College, Dr Hemen Sarma, Tax Consultant, Shyam Pratim Deka, Junior Assistant, Pub Kamrup College, Bhubaneswar Sarma, Retd. Assistant Director of Audit, Nalbari Circle and Utpal Barman, Audit Officer, Nalbari Circle were the resource persons of the programme.





## Interactive Session

An interactive session with Prof. Pratap Jyoti Handique, Honourable Vice Chancellor, Gauhati University was organized by IQAC, Nalbari College, Nalbari on 28/04/2023. Honorable President of Governing body, Nalbari College, Nalbari also present in the programme.



## Awareness Programme For Women

An awareness programme for Women on "**Health Safety and Awareness**" was organized by the Women's Study and Development Cell in collaboration with IQAC, Nalbari College, Nalbari on 11/05/2023. Dr. Liza Goswami, Assistant Professor, Department of Microbiology, Nalbari Medical College was the resource person in the programme.



## Workshop on Handling Adolescent Behaviour



IQAC, Nalbari College, Nalbari in association with Skillfinity, Guwahati organized a one-day workshop on 12/05/2023. Mr. Anjan Chowdhury, Founder, Skillfinity, Guwahati delivered a lecture on the topic "**Handling Adolescent Behaviour - A Strategic Approach**". Participating Students enthusiastically participated in the interactive session.

## In House Symposiums



As a part of the regular In-House Symposium organized by the Internal Quality Assurance Cell, Nalbari College, Nalbari Dr. Ranjan Jyoti Sarmah, Librarian, TNG Library, Nalbari College delivered a lecture on the topic **"E-Content & E-Learning: An Overview"** on 24/09/2022.



Dr. Pradyumna Sarma, Head, Department of History enlightened the audience with his wonderful deliberation on the topic **"Oral History: An Introduction"** on 17/04/2023.



## Felicitation Programme for Academic Excellence



The NCTU in association with IQAC organized a felicitation programme for the rank-holder students of the college on 19.01.2023. Pubali Deka and Raj Das of the Geography department secured 1st class 1st and 2nd position in GU B.A and B.Sc. end semester exams respectively. Nikshit Barman of Zoology secured 1st class Second position. Niharika Mehesbin of the English department secured 1st class 2nd position. Mostak Ahmed from Physics secured 1st class 3rd position. All these students along with the toppers from various departments were felicitated by the Principal.



## Activities of Different Departments

### Academic Lecture of Department of Assamese



Department of Assamese, Nalbari College, Nalbari organized an academic lecture on 05/04/2023. Dr. Dipamoni Haloi Mahanta, Associate Professor, Department of Assamese, Gauhati University was invited as the resource person and delivered a lecture on the topic "**Proyog Bhasha-Vijnanor Ruprekha**".

### Workshop on Vermicomposting

Department of Botany, Nalbari college, Nalbari organized an workshop on 03/05/2023. Dr. Hemen Deka, Assistant Professor, Department of Botany, Gauhati University enlightened the students with his wonderful lecture in the "**Workshop on Vermicomposting**".



### 11th Chemical Society Lecture

Department of Chemistry in association with IQAC, Nalbari College, Nalbari Organized 11th Chemical Society Lecture on 21/02/2023. Prof. Manjit Kumar Bhattacharyya, Professor, Department of Chemistry, Cotton University was invited as the resource person and he enlightened



the audience with his wonderful deliberation on the topic "**Crystal Engineering of Coordination Compounds: Exploring Chemistry beyond Molecules**".

## Awareness Programme

Department of Chemistry, Nalbari College, Nalbari in association with the Department of Applied Chemistry & Basic Science, SBS University, Dehradun organized an awareness Programme on 05/04/2023. Dr Neetu Pandey, HoD, Applied Chemistry & Basic Science, SBS University, Dehradun and Mr Pradyumna Ghosal, Assistant Professor, SBS University, Dehradun were the resource persons and delivered a lecture on the topic "**Masters in Pharmaceutical Chemistry: Course Details & its Scope**".: **Course Details & its Scope**".



## Exposure Trip to Forensic Laboratory



The teachers and students of the Department of Chemistry, Nalbari College, Nalbari visited the laboratories of the Directorate of Forensic Science, Assam on 06/04/2023. The scientific officers of the Forensic Laboratory demonstrated different instruments of the laboratories.

## Academic Lecture of Department of Economics

Department of Economics in association with IQAC, Nalbari College, Nalbari Organized an Academic Lecture on 29/04/2023. Dr. Ranjan Jyoti Sarmah, Librarian, TNG Library, Nalbari College, Nalbari was the resource person and he delivered a lecture on the topic "**Awareness on e-Resources**".





## Faculty & Student Exchange Programme



A Faculty & Student Exchange Programme was organized by the Department of Economics, Nalbari College, Nalbari. Dr. Bishnu Bhattacharyya, Assistant Professor and Rintu Deka, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics & students of Barbhag College attended the Classes and interacted with the students on 02/05/2023.

On 23/05/2023 Dr. Gitanjali Goswami, HoD, Economics, Barbhag College, Kalag attended a class and interacted with the students of Economics Department of Nalbari College, Nalbari.



## Workshop on Life Skill Development



On 24/05/2023, Department of Economics in association with IQAC, Nalbari College, Nalbari organized a Workshop on **"Life Skill Development"**. Dr. Sanjib Kr. Goswami, HoD English, Kamrup College, Chamata was invited as the resource person in the programme and he interacted with the students of Economics, Nalbari College.

## Summer Drama Workshop 2022



The Seema Biswas Centre for Film and Performing Arts, Department of English, Nalbari College, in collaboration with the Centre for Theory and Praxis, Nalbari College, and Na-Purani Silpi, a Nalbari-based cultural organization, organized a seventeen-day Summer Drama Workshop from 14th to 30th July 2022 at Nalbari College premises. Eminent actors, theatre personalities, and NSD graduates like Anup Hazarika, Pakiza Begum, Papari Medhi, Mukul Haloi, Mukut Baishya, etc. acted as Resource Persons of the workshop. As a follow-up of the workshop, seven plays were enacted at Nalbari Natya Mandir by the participants on 10th August 2022.

## Pathar Naat Mela-2023



The Seema Biswas Centre for Film and Performing Arts, Department of English, Nalbari College, collaborated with the Centre for Theory and Praxis, Nalbari College, and Sunag, a theatre group of Kaithalkuchi (West Nalbari), in organizing the 8th Pathar Naat Mela on 26th and 28th February 2023, near Basanti temple, Kaithalkuchi. Eminent playwright and director Naren Patgiri inaugurated the open-air theatre festival and noted stage and cinema actor Purnima Pathak Saikiya delivered the welcome address. Noted actor and Sangeet Natak Akademi award winner Pranjal Saikia too spoke at the inaugural function. Various theatre troupes from Barpeta, Mangaldai, Marigaon, Bajali, and other regions of Assam presented their dramas on both days to the applause of a large audience.



## Workshop on Translation Studies

The Department of English organized a **"Workshop on Translation Studies"** for the students on 11/04/2023. Noted translator Prof. Nirendra Nath Thakuriya was invited as the resource person and the students were given insights on the theoretical aspects of translation along with practical skills.

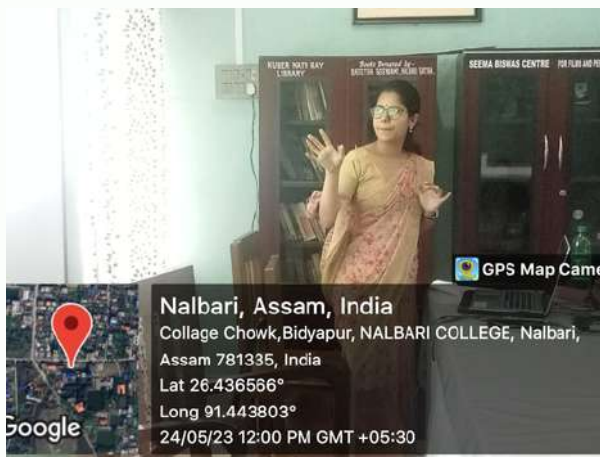


## Workshop on Use of E-Resource



On 04/05/2023 Department of English in collaboration with the T.N.G. Library, Nalbari College organized a **"Workshop on the Use of E-Resource"**. Dr Ranjanjyoti Sarmah, Librarian, T.N.G. Library threw light on the access to various e-resources available for the P.G. students.

## Workshop on Preparation for C.U.E.T



A **"Workshop on C.U.E.T Preparation"** was organized by the Department of English on 24th May 2023, to guide the outgoing students of the 6th semester to prepare themselves for C.U.E.T. Pragati Barman and Prastuti Mahanta, who have cleared N.E.T, acted as resource persons of the workshop. In the end, Nikita Rahman, an alumna of 2022, who had cracked the C.U.E.T in 2022 shared her experiences.

## Workshop on Digital Photography

The Dept. of English collaborated with U.B. Photos, Institute of Photography in organizing a **"Workshop on Digital photography"** on 28th May 2023. Arnab Jyoti Arya, an alumna of the department acted as the co-ordinator of the workshop. Utpal Barua, proprietor of U.B. Photos, Institute of Photography acted as the resource person.



## Popular Talk of the Department of Geography

On 11/04/2023 the Department of Geography, Nalbari College, Nalbari organized a Popular talk for the students of Geography. Dr Dhanjit Deka, Assistant Professor of Gauhati University delivered a valuable lecture on the topic

**"Degradation of Wetlands in Assam: Challenges and Measures for Sustainable Development".**



## The 9th Tarini Charan Talukdar Memorial Lecture



On 2nd November 2022, the Department of History, Nalbari College, Nalbari organized the 9th Tarini Charan Talukdar Lecture, 2022. Prof. Phanidhar Deka, Retired Principal(i/c) & Former HoD, History, Barbhag College delivered a lecture on the topic **"History as a Subject: Importance & Significance".**

## Invited Lecture of Department of Mathematics

A lecture on **"How to write Project Report in Mathematics"** was organized by the Department of Mathematics, Nalbari College, Nalbari on 23/06/2022. Dr. Mokshed Ali, Asst. Prof. & HoD, Mathematics, Barkhetri College was invited as the resource person for the programme. Ali discussed research ethics and the proper way to prepare Project reports which helped the students to prepare the same during their 6th semester.





## Academic Activities Performed by the Department of Mathematics

- Celebration of National Mathematics Day on December 22, 2022, to mark the birth anniversary of Srinivasa Ramanujan.
- Invited Lecture on "**Ordinary differential equations with Maple, Mathematica and Sagemaths**" on 22/03/2023 Dr. Pranab Kalita, Vice Principal, PDUAM Dalgaoon was the invited speaker.
- An intra-district quiz competition was organized in memory of the alumnus of the department late "Nilotpal Barman" on 23/03/2023.
- The annual lecture of Mathematics Study Circle was organized on 24/03/2023. Dr. Dhiren Kr. Basnet, Professor, Dept. of Mathematical Sciences, Tezpur University delivered a lecture on "**How to learn Mathematics**". The annual e-magazine of the Dept. of Mathematics, Nalbari College was released on the occasion.
- The Valedictory ceremony of the Add-on course was organized on 31/05/2023.



## Faculty Exchange Programme



The Department of Mathematics organized a faculty exchange programme on 29/04/2023. Dr. Anjana Sarma, Associate Prof. & HoD, Mathematics, B Borooh College took the class of B. Sc 2nd Semester as a part of MoU between Dept. of Mathematics, Nalbari College and Dept. of Mathematics, B Borooh College.

On 31/05/2023, Dr. Gitumoni Sarma, Associate Prof., Dept. of Mathematics, USTM, Meghalaya delivered a lecture on "**Basic Concept of Calculus and Its Real Life Application**" as a part of MoU between the University of Science & Technology, Meghalaya and Nalbari College, Nalbari.

## Academic Lecture of the Department of Philosophy



The Dept. of Philosophy organized an academic lecture for better learning of students on 03/05/2023. Dr. Tapan Talukdar from Kumar Bhaskar Varma Sanskrit & Ancient Studies University was invited as the Resource person and delivered a lecture on the topic "**Moral Status: Obligations to persons and other living things**".

## Academic Lecture of the Department of Physics

Assam Physical Society & Physics Forum, Nalbari College in association with Science Society, Nalbari Branch and IQAC, Nalbari College organized an academic lecture on 28/02/2023 on the occasion of National Science Day. Dr Biman Jyoti Medhi, Associate Professor, Gauhati University was invited as the resource person for the programme and he elaborately delivered a lecture on the topic "**James-Webb Telescope: Astrophysics in next decade**".



Assam Physical Society & Physics Forum, Nalbari College and IQAC, Nalbari College organized an academic lecture on 13/04/2023. Dr Bhim Prasad Sarma, Associate Professor, Tezpur University, was invited as the resource person for the programme and he elaborately delivered a lecture on the topic "**Gravitational Wave: A new window to study the Universe**".



## Sports Training Camp



Physical Education & Sports Department organized a Sports Awareness Lecture & one-week sports training camp for Volleyball on the occasion of Abhiruchi Sports Day from 03/09/2022 to 09/09/2023. Mrs Lanima Talukdar, D.S.O., Former Assistant Professor, at Dibrugarh University and Mr Debajit Deka P.I., National Volleyball Referee were the resource persons for the lecture. The programme was started with the Marathon Race inaugurated by the Student's Union in-charge Dr. Bishnu Bhattacharyya, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Nalbari College.

## Academic Lecture of Political Science

On 10/04/2023, Department of Political Science, Nalbari College, Nalbari organized an academic lecture on the topic "**Online free access of Books and Journals**". Dr. Ranjan Jyoti Sarmah, Librarian, TNG Library, Nalbari College, Nalbari elaborately delivered a lecture as a resource person.



## Mahamahopadhyaya Dhireswaracaryya Memorial Lecture



An academic lecture was organised by the Dept. of Sanskrit, in collaboration with IQAC, Nalbari College on 6th April 2023. The lecture was organised in the memory of Mahamahopadhyaya Dhireswaracaryya the great prosodist, who was known as 'Poet Kalidasa of Assam'.

Dr. Dilip Kumar Sharma, renowned academician and Retired Professor of Cotton College has delivered the valued lecture. Dr. Sharma delivered the lecture on- **"Ishwar Chandra Vidyasagar and Sanskrit Grammar"**. In his learned speech, he highlighted the life and works of Ishwar Chandra Vidyasagar with special reference to the British colonial period.



### Workshop on Data Analytics Using SPSS



On the 25th of May, 2023, the Department of Statistics in association with IQAC organized a workshop on **"Data Analytics Using SPSS"**. Dr Arnab Narayan Patowary, Assistant Professor, College of Fisheries, Raha, Nagaon under Assam Agricultural University, was invited as the resource person for the workshop.

### Awareness Programme on Pollution and Life



The Department of Zoology, in collaboration with The Green Globe, Nalbari, organized an awareness programme at the adopted village Mugkuchi on 21/04/2023 as pre-Earth Day programme. Kumud Chandra Rabha, HoD, Zoology, Nalbari College and Rajesh Dutta Baruah, Secretary, The Green Globe were the resource persons and delivered

speeches on **"Problems of Ever-increasing Air, Water and Soil Pollution"** and also discussed how pollution can be reduced by following 5 "R"s (Refuse, Reduce, Re-use, Re-cycle and Renew). On the occasion of Earth Day, 13 "Kanchan" tree saplings were planted to make Nalbari Town green and beautiful on 22/04/2023.



## Awareness Programme on Snake Bite Mitigation

An Awareness Programme on **Snake Bite Mitigation** was organized by department of Zoology in association with IQAC, Nalbari College, Nalbari on 10/05/2023. The programme was organized at Adopted village Mugkuchi and adopted school-Kamrup Bidyapith Highschool. Mr. Prasanna Kalita, Bonyabandhu was invited as resource person interacts with the audience and discussed on the superstitions of the people on snake bite. He also delivered speech on venomous and non venomous snake identifying keys.



## Activities of Women's Study and Development Cell, ACTA, Nalbari College Teachers' Unit

### Lecture Demonstration and Music Therapy Session



Women's Study and Development Cell, ACTA, Nalbari College Teachers' Unit organized a programme on 01/11/2022. Mrs Anubhutee Kakoty, music therapist and Mr Emon Seuj Goswami, music composer, delivered a lecture and music therapy session to both students and teachers. The resource persons laid stress on how different musical ragas that acts

different body illnesses e.g. Raag Bhupali helps in healing migraine. Listening to different music and at appropriate frequencies promotes different kinds of happiness hormones in our bodies.

## International Women's Day Celebration

Women's Study and Development Cell, ACTA, Nalabri College Teachers' Unit organized International Women's Day on 10/03/2023. Mrs Chetana Das, a renowned film actress, and Mrs Khadeja Begum, a socially known figure and alumna of Nalbari College were invited as resource persons. Mrs Chetana Das shared her life experiences, showed her acting talent, and made the audience laugh and enjoy the session. Mrs Khadeja Begum showed her singing talent and made the audience tap their feet to the music.



## Activities of NSS

**Swachhata Abhiyan** was carried by the students of the NSS Unit, Nalbari College, Nalbari on the occasion of Lachit Barphukan's 400th Birth Anniversary on 20/11/2022. In this programme, the students from our College clean the garbage on the NT road (littered in 13 days Ras Mela of 2022). ADC Mrs Sayanika Thakuria inaugurated the cleanliness drive.



16 days campaign on violence against women and Girls, 2022: **"Engaging with youth for gender equality"** District-level programme with boys and Girls was organized by the NSS Unit, Nalbari College, Nalbari on 09-12-2022. Dr Kamal Nayan Patowary, Principal, Nalbari College, Nalbari flagged off the awareness rally. More than 100 students participated in the rally.





## Activities of Career Counselling & Guidance Cell



A one-day workshop on “ **Counselling for Career Planning and Decision Making**” was organized by Career Counselling and Guidance Cell in association with Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) on 25 /08/ 2022 for honours 1st Semester students. The main objective of the workshop was to motivate the new students for their career and make them aware of the vast opportunities they can explore in future. Dr. Manas Das, Assistant Professor, Department of Zoology, Gauhati University was invited as the resource person for the workshop.

## Students' Enrichment Programme



Vice President's (NCSU) special programme 2023: Students' Enrichment Programme was organized by Career Counselling & Guidance Cell in association with IQAC, Nalbari College, Nalbari on 11/04/2023 and 12/04/2023. Himangshu Barman, Dr. Suresh Chakraborty, Arindam Talukdar and Anjan Chowdhury were invited as resource persons who enriched the students with their wonderful deliberation on the topics like **Probable Avenues of Entrepreneurship, Mental Health and Wellness, Motivational Lectures on Soft Skills** etc.





## Activities of NCC



NCC unit, Nalbari College, Nalbari organized different activities during the session 2022-23. Some of them which are highlighted in the newsletter are Independence Day Celebration, Punit Sagar Abhiyan, Drill Competition, Republic Day parade, firing camp and Annual Training Camp etc.



## Activities of Nalbari College Students Union



Nalbari College Students Union organized different activities during the session 2022-23. Some of them are highlighted in the Newsletter such as P.N.C Debate Competition on 08/04/2023 & Inter District Quiz Competition on 16/03/2023





## Activity of Centre for Cultivation of Science



“Centre for Cultivation of Science (CCS)” Nalbari College, Nalbari has organized a students' enrichment program to encourage the nearby school's students (specially class IX and X) of Nalbari District on 13th April, on 13th April, 2023. 2023.

Dr. Bhim Prashad Sarmah, Associate professor, Mathematical Sciences, Tezpur University, Tezpur was the resource person and gave a delightful lecture and live demonstration on the topic **“Learning Science and Mathematics with fun”**.



Around 200 students participated in the interaction session from different schools. The students have enjoyed and encourage a lot by the live demonstration of physics and mathematics by the resource person.

## Achievements of Faculty & Students



Dr. Dibashree Tamuly, Assistant Professor, Department of Zoology, Nalbari College, Nalbari received **Dr. B.K. Anand Award in APPICON 2022**.



Dhanistha Deka, a student of the Physics Department, Nalbari College, Nalbari won **1st Prize on Solo Folk Song in the National Integration Camp, Nagpur, Maharashtra**. She participated at the National Integration Camp (NIC) of National Service Scheme (NSS) under the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Government of India held at Rashtrasant Tukadoji Maharaj Nagpur University, Maharashtra from 26th February to 4th March, 2023.



Jesika Raj, a student of Nalbari College, won 2nd prize in **Folk Song competition** and 3rd in **Light Vocal** in All India Postal Cultural Meet 2023 held in Goa.



The team of Chinmoy Sarma a student of Nalbari College along with Aswini Kr Sarma and Arunabh Sarma from Gauhati University won the 3rd prize in Quiz Competition in **36th International Youth Festival 2023**.



A group of students participated in the **7th North East Graduate Congress** organized by University of Science & Technology (USTM), Meghalaya from 7th to 9th April, 2023 and adjusted 4 Gold Medals in Group Songs, Quiz, Cartooning & Power Lifting and a Silver Medal in Spot photography. The names of the award winning students were Chinmoy Sarma and Madhurjya Sarma in quiz, Dimpri Deka in powerlifting, Bhargab Kamal Baishya in cartooning, Yubraj Bhattacharyya in photography and Urnisha Deka, Himashree Kalita, Bagmita Deka, Abhilasha Sarma, Githartha Talukdar and Anurag Baishya in group song competition.



Our Students bagged altogether 14 prizes in the **Inter College Youth Festival** held in Gauhati University from 27th to 31st October 2022.