MIRANDA HOUSE NCC COMPANY ANNUAL REPORT 2022-2023

The National Cadet Corps has cemented its identity in the educational system as a useful extension to the curriculum. The Corps works to provide assistance to student community by developing character, discipline, the spirit of adventure and ideals of selfless service amongst youth. Carrying forward the rich legacy of ATEHNAS, the cadets of MH NCC COY have lived up to their name this year as well.

This session witnessed an array of additions to the long list of the company's achievements.

The Cadets of Miranda House secured 1st position in Kho-Kho and Squad Drill competition and 2nd position in Quarter Guard Competition. They also participated in Volleyball and cultural competitions organized during the Combined Annual Training Camp conducted from 7th June to 16th June 2022 at NCC Bhawan, Rohini.

CDT Vaishali Vishnoi participated in 50m Peep Sight Prone Event and qualified for AIGVMSC'22, where Inter Directorate Sports Shooting Championship was held from 4th July 2022 to 15th July 2022 in Chandigarh.

JUO Amara Thejaswini, CDT Priyanshi Kataria and L/CPL Amil Mariya Joy represented the MH NCC COY in the EBSB Independence Day Camp 2022 hosted from 31st July 2022 to 16th August 2022 at DG NCC, Delhi Cantt and SGT Manasvini and CDT Supriya volunteered as pilots.

CPL Tanu Chaudhary, L/CPL Swara Kothari and L/CPL Khushali Gour were selected via the topic of 'health and hygiene' in all the cadres, which took place in AITSC 2022,held from 14th September 2022 to 25th September 2022 where Delhi Directorate secured 2nd rank.

CPL Sneha Mahindran, L/CPL Sneha and CDT Harshita Reddy successfully completed the Scuba Diving Camp organized by Delhi Unit NCC for SW and SD Cadets at Naval Swimming Pool, Nausena Bagh from 28th September 2022 to 30th September 2022.

JUO Urvi Meena was the battalion senior and participated in the Cultural Event organized in EBSB Delhi Camp, hosted from 3rd October 2022 to 12th October 2022 at NCC Bhawan, Rohini. CDT Lovleen represented Delhi Directorate in EBSB Camp, Nagrota organized from 11th October 2022 to 20th October 2022 and won 1st prize in NIAP Presentation, cultural dance competition and 2nd prize in kho - kho.

The "Combined Annual Training Camp" for C and B certificate was conducted by 1DGBn at NCC Bhawan,Rohini from 17th November 2022 to 24th November 2022 with the participation of 56 cadets of MH NCC COY. MH NCC COY secured 1st position in Kho-Kho, Tug of War, Firing and High Jump. CDT Vaishali secured the award for the best shooter and CDT Himani for the best high jump.

JUO Nitesh Kumari and SGT Manasvini from MH NCC COY paid homage to our brave soldiers at the National War Memorial on 27th November 2022 for the 74th NCC Raising Day Commemoration. JUO Nitesh Kumari made it to the NWM Camp and was felicitated with gifts from Honourable Defence Secretary Shri Giridhar Aramane. SGT Manasvini had the honor of laying the ALL INDIA TRI SERVICE WREATH and VIP WREATH for Honourable Defence Secretary at the Amar Jawan Jyoti.

L/CPL Vaishnavi Verma, L/CPL Amil Mariya Joy and CDT Beaulah K Binoy participated in the prestigious Prime Minister's Rally, which was organized from 14th January 2023 to 19th January 2023 and represented MH NCC COY in culturals.

Two of our cadets, SGT Manasvini and L/CPL Amil Mariya Joy were felicitated with the ADG Award of Excellence for their tremendous performance and consistent hard work.

MH NCC COY signed the session of 2022-2023 taking pride in its socially beneficent undertakings.

In April 2022, CSM Sakshi, CQMS Nidhi Chaudhary, CPL Neha Bharti, CPL Sheetal, L/CPL Sneha, CDT Vidyanshi, CDT Megha, CDT Urvashi, CDT Usha and CDT Shalini Meena along with 250 cadets of the Delhi Directorate under the 'Puneet Sagar Abhiyan' cleaned the banks of Yamuna River wherein 150 kgs of garbage was collected.

MH NCC COY in collaboration with NSS and Department of Physical Science organized a webinar on World Ocean Day on 8th June 2022 with guest speaker Dr. Yasha Yadav.

On the occasion of 23rd Kargil Vijay Diwas on 26th July 2022, Handmade Rakhis were airdropped to the soldiers serving in BUCHWARA DALGATE SRINAGAR KASHMIR UT.

MH NCC COY along with 5000 participants took part in the Har Ghar Tiranga Campaign Rally on 10th August 2022.

On the occasion of 76th Independence Day, under the ambit of "Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav" the MH NCC COY organized various events. The "VRIKSHAROPAN" programme was conducted on 13th August 2022 with the theme of "Plantation of Panchawati". On 14th August, the movie "Shaheed" was screened to the cadets which showed the struggle for Independence. On 15th August, a meeting was conducted to discuss the undergoing project "OPERATION VIJAY".

On 25th September 2022, a yoga session in collaboration with NCWEB was conducted by guest speakers Ms. Sanchi Vajini and Ms. Aarti Verma aimed to improve mental and physical health.

Miranda House College organized a 5-day orientation program from 3rd November to 7th November 2022 which was assisted by MH NCC COY with NSS and NSO. This included 'Yoga Session & Know Your Institution Webinar', 'Online Session with DCP North Delhi', 'Webinar On Skills In The World of Work', 'Webinar On Internship Opportunities' and 'UBA (Dhirpur Village Visit).

Along with the cadets of MH NCC COY, thousands of students participated in "Centenary Run" on 18th November 2022 on the completion of 100 years of University of Delhi. Olympic Gold Medalist Neeraj Chopra was the Chief Guest of this event.

On the occasion of NCC Day, L/CPL Amil Mariya Joy, CDT Dhanlakshmi and CDT Merin participated in Blood Donation Drive conducted by Guru Nanak Dev Charitable Blood Centre on 26th November 2022 at 1DGBn Unit, Kashmere Gate, New Delhi.

On 27th November 2022, the cadets of MH NCC COY organized a Donation Drive on the occasion of 74th Raising Day of NCC in the Timarpur slum. The donations collected were distributed amongst the underprivileged children by the cadets.

Along with NSS, MH NCC COY observed the Armed Forces Flag Day by organizing a Donation Collection Drive from 8th December 2022 to 10th December 2022 in college premises.

A Self Defence Workshop was conducted by Miranda House NCC and Miranda House NSS from 16th January 2023 - 28th January 2023 in collaboration with the Delhi Police. There was enthusiastic participation from more than 200 individuals including MH NCC cadets, NSS and other departments who found it very helpful in their overall development.

A Concluding event was organized for the same on 14th February 2023 where the participants gave a demonstration of their learnings. The guest of honor was Additional DCP North Delhi Dr. Rashmi Sharma Yadav who was thoroughly impressed by the display.

On 21st February 2023, MH NCC and NSS collaborated with Cyber Team from Maurice Nagar Police Station to conduct an Awareness Programme on Cyber Security to guide students about cyberspace and cybersafety. The session began with a Workshop on 23th March and 24th March 2022 by Maj. Gen. Anil Kumar Shukla, VSM(Retd.) as the eminent speaker. He made the cadets aware about Skill Formation for Defence Entries. More than 100 cadets from MH NCC COY and other colleges actively participated.

One of the events most looked forward to, Annual NCC Fest of MH NCC COY, NISCHAY'22 was organized on 24th March and 25th March 2022. It witnessed enthusiastic participation from more than 40 NCC Companies in various events such as Squad Drill, Best Cadet, Culturals, Quarter Guard Competition and so on. The chief guests of the event were Ms. Santosh Yadav, Padma Shri and Brig. Anupam Sharma.

The journey of DL19's concluded on a bitter-sweet note on 25th April 2022 when KARWAAN'22 was organized to bid adieu to the seniors, who put in their best to make ATHENAS stand in every way possible.

From 6th June 2022 to 8th June 2022, an Educational Trip to Indian Military Academy, Dehradun was organized. The cadets participated in practical sessions of GTO, yoga and informative seminars conducted by Col Amardeep Singh, Col Anupam Suden and Mr. Prabhdeep Singh . They had the golden opportunity to witness the prestigious Passing Out Parade and Multi Activity Display by the gentlemen cadets of IMA.

International Yoga Day was celebrated from 16th June to 21st June 2022 with NSS and the Department of Physical Education and Sports. Yogacharya Sh. Manish Kapoor, Wellness and Lifestyle Management Coach, led the sessions. A poster making competition for all the Miranda House students was conducted as part of the events. On 28th July 2022,10 cadets of MH NCC COY visited the National War Memorial on the occasion of 23rd Kargil Vijay Diwas under the research project on Operation Vijay. The project emphasized on sub sector Haneef as per the guidelines of Government of India and this informative visit added to the knowledge of cadets about Captain Haneef Uddin, a Kargil War hero. The cadets met with several veterans and visited monuments including the National War Memorial under this project. They also met Commodore HN Maini (Retd.) Officer from the Indian Navy who reminiscenced the Kargil War heroes.

6 Cadets along with CTO Ms Sonali Chitalkar and Staff Advisor Dr. Archana Kushwaha paid a visit to the residence of Col. VN Thapar and Mrs. Tripta Thapar, parents of Captain Vijayant Thapar (VC) Kargil War hero, on 1st August 2022. The cadets were inspired by the legendary life of the martyr.

The 76th Independence Day was celebrated on 15th August 2022 with Flag Hoisting by the Principal Dr. Bijayalaxmi Nanda and Guard of honor, alongwith Rank Ceremony wherein new Rank Panel was introduced for the session 2022-23.

On 31st August 2022, 27 cadets from MH NCC COY visited the Rajputana Rifles Regimental Centre accompanied by CTO Ms. Sonali Chitalkar. Lt. Col. S. Bijon gave a tour of the museum and highlighted the key role of the Regiment in Kargil War. The cadets also toured parade grounds and felt proud of the martyred soldiers.

ATHENAS enthusiastically displayed their artistic talents in a Poster Making Competition on the occasion of World Habitat Day held on 2nd October 2022. CDT Poonam was the winner followed by CDT Pranjali and L/CPL Bhavika subsequently.

On 3rd October 2022, 9 cadets from MH NCC COY visited the Orphanage near Hakikat Nagar, Mukherjee Nagar. The cadets spent quality time with the children, interacting and distributing food packets. Some ardent cadets also donated their preloved clothes and left with a feeling of contentment.

MHNCC COY conducted Unity Day Run on 31st October 2022 on the occasion of National Integration Day. The cadets along with CTO Ms. Sonali Chitalkar completed the 3 km run around University of Delhi campus with Prof. Dr. Bijayalaxmi Nanda, Principal of Miranda House as the patron of the event.

The enrollment for 1st year cadets of MH NCC COY was conducted in 3 phases: 14th November and 15th November, 30th November and 29th December. Over 400 candidates appeared for on ground selections and went through physical trials along with interview procedures. The shortlisted candidates were interviewed by the Commanding Officer of 1DGBn and GCI Ms. Geetanjali. With all the hardwork and efforts, 69 regular and 5 NCWEB candidates were enrolled.

On the 9th of January 2023, an Orientation programme was organized for the new DL'22s in presence of honorary dignitaries SI Bhawana Chaudhary (BSF), family of Late Capt. Ishwar Singh and Ms. Simran Kapoor (alumni of MH NCC). The principal of Miranda House Dr. Bijayalaxmi Nanda along with the NCC Committe and Staff Advisors Dr. Archana Kushwana and Dr. Durvesh Kumar Verma—graced the occasion with their presence.

On the occasion of Indian Army Day, MH NCC COY organized an Inter-platoon competition on 17th January 2023. Bravo Contingent with 18 + 1 cadets commanded by JUO Nitesh Kumari secured 1st Position and Charlie Contingent bagged the 2nd Position.

MH NCC COY organized an in-house Quiz Competition on the occasion of "PARAKRAM DIWAS" on 23rd January 2023 wherein cadets participated with zeal. JUO Nitesh Kumari and CQMS Nidhi Chaudhary secured 1st position and CDT Aarju Mann and CDT Shreya secured 2nd position.

Miranda House NCC Company celebrated the 74th Republic Day on 25th January 2023 with Flag Hoisting by the Principal, Prof. Dr. Bijayalaxmi Nanda. The event also consisted of Guard Ceremony by the cadets.

On 3rd February 2023, MH NCC COY had the utmost privilege and pleasure of hosting Former DG NCC Lt. Gen V Vashisht, AVSM, VSM, BAR(Retd.) as guest speaker for the annual speaker session, AHWAAN'23. CO Col. Pankaj Sati, 1DGBn and special guest Prof. (Capt) Ritu Ahlawat also graced the occasion with their presence, where cadets from NCC Companies of different colleges were part of the audience.

There was an encouraging number of turnout by the cadets on ground for the long-kept practice of institutional training on Thursdays and Fridays which subsequently shifted to Mondays and Tuesdays .

The Athenas also welcomed the new Care Taker Officer Ms. Meena Kumari and thankful to Dr. Sonali Chitalkar for her guidance.

The 2022-2023 session thrived under the able guidance and continuous support of Commanding Officer Col. Pankaj Sati, GCIs, Former Care Taker Officer Sonali Chitalkar and CTO Meena Kumari , Staff Advisor Dr. Archana Kushwaha and Dr. Durvesh Verma and principal Dr.

Bijayalaxmi Nanda. MH NCC COY witnessed a vibrant session with enthusiastic involvement and zealous participation from all the cadets of the COY, coming to a worthwhile end.

