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Report

Best Teacher Award in Environmental Studies

(College Teachers Affiliated to
Rashtrantant Tukadoji Maharaj Nagpur University, Nagpur)



Academic Session

2010-11 to 2015-16

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INTRODUCTION

Mission of Science Association :

The mission of Science Association of the college is to foster the scientific culture among the students and to spread awareness regarding the protection of mother nature and preservation of precious flora and fauna. These goals are to be fulfilled through the participation of our students and teachers in conservation activities at international and national level.

During the last five years, Science Association has organized many activities to inspire students such as seminars, conferences, workshop, guest lectures, study tours, model making competition for school children, poster and photography competition /exhibition, slogan competition, wild life week celebration, Water conservation, celebration of international year of Chemistry, light, etc.

Objectives of Science Association :

- To promote interest and knowledge about forests ecosystem and environment.
- It provides opportunities to acquire attitude, values, skills needed to protect and improve the natural environment.
- To foster concern for protection of flora, fauna and forests.

Role of a Teacher in Environment Awareness/Protection :

1. A teacher can promote environment awareness among all sections of the society.
2. To spread environmental education, especially in the form of non-formal education among different sections of the society.
3. To facilitate development of education / training materials and aids in the formal education sector.
4. To promote environment education through existing educational /research institute.
5. To ensure training and manpower development for environment education, awareness and training.
6. To mobilize people's participation for preservation and conservation of environment.

Why Best Teacher Award?

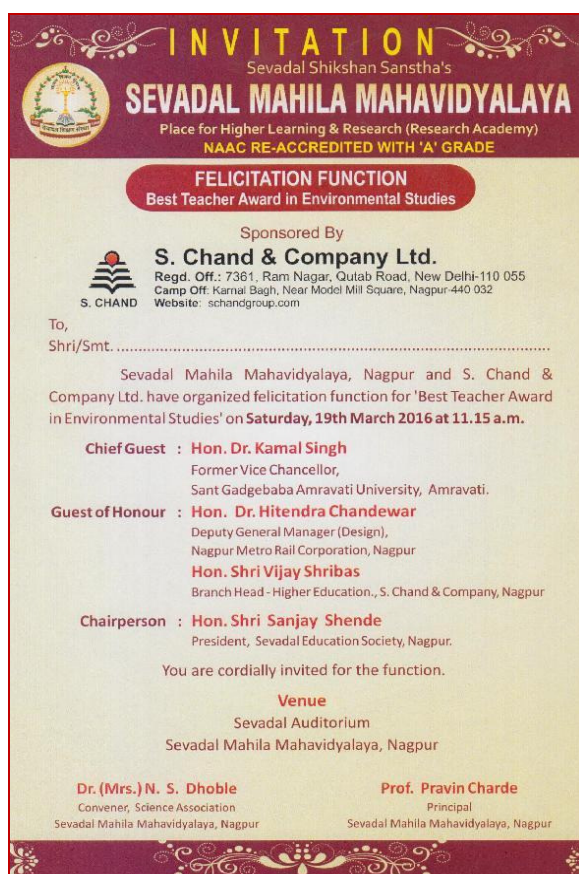
To acknowledge and appreciate the efforts made by a teacher in different environmental aspects/studies, Science Association of the college in association with S. Chand and Company Pvt. Ltd., Nagpur initiated the Best Teacher Award in Environmental studies since year 2010.

Selection Procedure:

For this the nominations of teachers from the colleges affiliated to Rashtrasant Tukadoji Maharaj Nagpur University, Nagpur are invited. Selection of the best teacher from the received nominations is done by a Selection Committee which includes experts in the respective fields.

Felicitation Function :

The Felicitation Programme for Best Teacher Awardee since 2010-2016 was organized every year. Mr. Bhagirath Kaushik, General Manager, S. Chand & Company took special efforts to sponsor the award every year. Invitation cards of the programme are printed and distributed to the dignitaries working in the field of Environment related activities.



Best Teacher Award Felicitation Function : Session: 2010-11

The efforts made by a teacher in Environmental activities have also to be rightly acknowledged and appreciated. Therefore, nominations of a teacher of the colleges affiliated to Rashtrasant Tukadoji Maharaj Nagpur University, Nagpur were invited. Having scrutinized the biodata through selection committee, Prof. Vinayak Tarale of Anand Niketan College, Warora, District Chandrapur was nominated for Best Teacher Award in Environmental Studies. Mr. Bhagirath Kaushik, General Manager, S. Chand Company sponsored the award and was given to Prof. Tarale on the occasion of Teachers Day Function on 5th September 2010 by the chief guest Dr. C. B. Powar, Retired Principal, Sindhu Mahavidyalaya, Nagpur.



Prof. Vinayak Tarale being given Best Teacher Award
in Environmental Studies

Best Teacher Award Felicitation Function : Session: 2011-12

Science Association like last year invited the nomination of a teacher for Best Teacher Award in Environmental Studies-2011 from different degree colleges affiliated to Rashtrasant Tukadoji Maharaj Nagpur University. The college received nomination forms from teachers of various institutions. The selection of the candidate from the received nominations was done by a three member committee constituted for the selection purpose which includes the eminent experts in the academic field.

The Felicitation function for Best Teacher Award was organized in the college Auditorium on 12th September 2011.

Prof. Dr. Kamal Singh Ex. Vice Chancellor of Sant Gadgebaba Amravati University, Amravati, was invited as a Chief Guest while Dr. K. C. Deshmukh, Dean of Science Faculty, Rashtrasant Tukadoji Maharaj Nagpur University and Shri Bhagirath Kaushik, Manager, S. Chand & Company were the Guest of Honour. Shri Sanjayji Shende chaired the session on the occasion. The programme started with Vidyapeeth Geet and welcome song. Dr. Pravin Charde, Principal of the college gave an introductory remark. Dr. Rahul J. Bhagat of J. M. Patel College, Bhandara was selected for Best Teacher Award and was felicitated at the hands of Chief Guest and other dignitaries with a memento and bouquet. The award was sponsored by S. Chand and Company.



Students reciting R.T.M.N.U. Vidyapeeth Geet



Dr. K. C. Deshmukh, Dean, Science Faculty, being felicitated by Shri Sanjayji Shende, President, Sevadal Education Society.



Dr. Pravin Charde, Principal of the college giving an introductory remark.



'Best Teacher Award' being given by the dignitaries.

Chief guest Dr. Kamal Singh appreciated the theme of the programme, congratulated Science Association for the progress made and for the various activities organized in the past. Shri Bhagirath Kaushik guided the students for their future, for the preparation of various competitive examinations. Shri Shende, President of the function and Sevadal Education Society on this occasion insisted the every individual to conserve nature and nurture biodiversity.



Dr. Kamal Singh, Ex.V.C., S.G.B. Amravati University, Amravati expressing her views.



Dr. K C. Deshmukh, Dean, Science Faculty speaking on the occasion.



Shri Bhagirath Kaushik, Manager, S. Chand & Co-guiding the students.



Shri Sanjayji Shende, President, Sevadal Education Society addressing the gathering.

Prof. Dr. S. B. Zade was also felicitated for his contribution to Research Academy of the college. On this occasion, Dr. P. M. Telkhade, a first Ph.D. student of the Research Academy, was also felicitated.



Shri Sanjayji Shende, President, Sevadal Education Society, felicitating Prof. Dr. S. B. Zade. Dr. P. M. Telkhade being felicitated with a memento.

Various nominees, teaching staff and students of the college were present on the occasion. Dr. (Mrs.) N. S. Dhoble compered the programme and Dr. S. L. Pal proposed the vote of thanks.

Best Teacher Award Felicitation Function : Session: 2012-13

As super fast degradation of Environment is a threatening factor to human being, it is very much essential to promote interest and knowledge about wildlife, forests, biodiversity to increase awareness for protection and improvement of natural environment. Though environmental education has now become a part of school and college curriculum, it is only a teacher who can create awareness and positive attitude amongst students through co curricular activities to provide factual knowledge and importance to nurturing nature. The whole survival of all mortals depends on nature and it is prime duty of a teacher, called pillar stone of the nature, to save nature.

The fruitful efforts made by a teacher must be appreciated and acknowledged by all. In view of this initiative was taken by S. Chand and company Ltd. to sponsor Best Teacher Award in environmental studies since last two years. For selection of the Best Teacher, nominations of teachers affiliated to Rashtrasant Tukadoji Maharaj Nagpur University, Nagpur were invited along with the summary of the work carried by them. These are scrutinized by the selection committee members and the teacher is selected to confer the award in a felicitation function.

Sevadal Mahila Mahavidyalaya organized felicitation function for Best Teacher Award in environmental studies-2012 sponsored by S. Chand & company Ltd. on 5th January 2013.

Hon'ble Ar. Vilas Ramteke, Controller of Examination, RTM Nagpur University, Nagpur was Chief Guest of the function. Shri Bhagirath Kaushik, Vice president, S. Chand & company Ltd was the guest of honour of the function. Shri Sanjay Shende, president of Sevadal Education Society chaired the function. Dr. Pravin Charde, Principal Sevadal Mahila Mahavidyalaya graced the occasion.



Felicitation Function Best Teacher Award – 2012



Dr. Tirpude welcoming Prof. Pravin Charde,
Principal, Sevadal Mahila Mahavidyalaya, Nagpur



Dr. Pal welcoming Shri Sanjay Shende
President, Sevadal Education Society.



Prof. Charde welcoming Ar. Vilas Ramteke,
Controller of Examination, R.T.M. Nagpur
University, Nagpur



Prof. Charde welcoming Mr. Kaushik
Vice President, S. Chand & Co., Nagpur

Prof. Pravin Charde, Principal, in his introductory remark, said that awards in environmental studies will motivate the teachers to work for the protection and conservation of biodiversity and environment. He also emphasized that hard work is the only solution for the success.



Prof. Pravin Charde in his introductory remark



Chief Guest Ar. Vilas Ramteke addressing
the gathering

Chief Guest, Ar. Vilas Ramteke, on this occasion, explained the role of environmentalist in the protection of environment, He focused on sustainable development. He also suggested that the implementation of stringent laws is the only solution for the betterment of environment. He further said that practical knowledge is very important rather than theoretical knowledge to understand the environment properly. Lastly he said that environment awareness among students and people play a vital role in the conservation of environment. He praised S. Chand & Company Ltd for their efforts in sponsoring ‘Best Teacher Award in environmental studies.

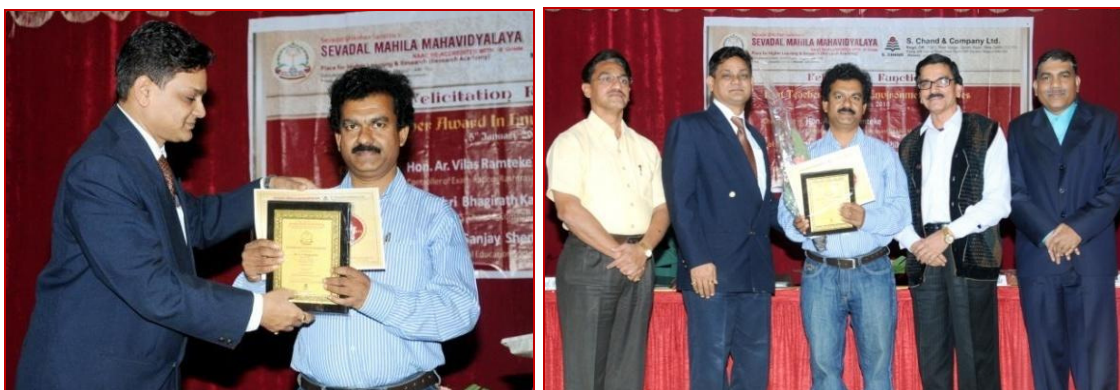
Shri Bhagirath Kaushik gave an information about S. Chand & Company Ltd. and its working for the upliftment of this society. He has also given information that till now company has published more than 10,000 books in every field.

Shri Sanjay Shende chaired the function. He assured to provide all necessary facilities in organizing felicitation function in future also.



Mr. Bhagirath Kaushik expressing his views Shri Sanjay Shende delivering Presidential Address

On this occasion, Best Teacher Award in environmental studies was conferred to Dr. L. P. Nagpurkar, Associate Professor in Chemistry, M. B. Patel College, Sakoli, for his outstanding work in the field of environment. Dr. Nagpurkar shared his views and ideas regarding environment protection and conservation with the students and teachers.



Dr. Nagpurkar being bestowed with 'Best Teacher Award' Trophy

Dr (Mrs.) N. S. Dhoble conducted the proceedings of the function while Dr. S. L. Pal proposed the vote of thanks.



Best Teacher Award Felicitation Function : Session: 2013-14

Every year Science Association of Sevadal Mahila Mahavidyalaya, Nagpur organizes Felicitation function for Best Teacher Award in Environmental Studies. In order to propagate the necessity of environmental awareness and its enforcement, Science Association of the college has started to acknowledge and appreciate efforts made by a teacher in Environmental Studies. For this nominations for lecturers from degree collages associated with R.T.M. Nagpur University, working in the field of Environmental Science are invited. After the receipt and scrutiny of these nominations Best Teacher candidate is selected by the committee.



This year Best Teacher Award in Environmental Studies”, sponsored by S. Chand & Co. Ltd., was conferred to Dr. S. R. Sitre, Assistant Professor, N. S. Science & Arts College, Bhadrawati, in felicitation function organized at Sevadal Mahila Mahavidyalaya, Nagpur on 15th January, 2014. Dr. Kamal Singh, Ex. Vice Chancellor, Sant Gadgebaba Amravati University, Amravati was the Chief Guest of the function, Shri Sanjay Shende, President, Sevadal Education Society, presided over the function, Guest of Honour Shri Bhagirath Kaushik, Vice President, S. Chand & Co. Ltd. and Prof. Pravin Charde, Principal, Sevadal Mahila Mahavidyalaya, Nagpur were present on the dais.

Prof. Pravin Charde in his introductory remark, while stating the importance of awards in Environmental Studies emphasized on the importance of contribution towards environmental activities from every citizen.



Chief Guest Dr. Kamal Singh congratulated the college for elevating the standard of environmental studies through organization of various promotional activities in a disciplined manner. Not only individual but also collective efforts at all levels are required to minimize the degradation of environment, she said.



Chairman of the function Hon'ble Shri Sanjay Shende said that such award function boosts the moral and confidence of an individual. He further insisted every student to plant and take care of at least one tree which will be useful for future generation and help to prevent environmental degradation. He said that, this inculcates environmental ethics in young minds.

Hon'ble Bhagirath Kaushik, Vice President, S. Chand & Co. Ltd., who sponsored "Best Teacher Award" further declared to sponsor "Best Student Award" for the student working in the field of Environmental Studies. He said, according to a study made earlier, usefulness of each tree in its lifetime amounts nearly 25 Lakhs. Thus tree plantation drive should be implemented strictly for conservation of plants.

Recipient of "Best Teacher Award", Dr. Sitre said that one can work according to need and liking on the different aspects of the environment, in the region of one's locality. He affirmed to work with more enthusiasm in this field, being recipient of the prestigious award.

Dr. (Mrs.) N. S. Dhoble compered the programme and Dr. (Mrs.) J. B. Tirpude proposed the vote of thanks.

Best Teacher Award Felicitation Function : Session: 2014-15

Science Association of Sevadal Mahila Mahavidyalaya, Nagpur and S. Chand & Co. Ltd., Nagpur collaboratively organized for the fifth consecutive year, Best Teacher Award in Environmental studies on dated 27th September, 2014 for proliferation of ethical values and development of positive attitude towards Environmental studies.



Chief of the felicitation function was Dr. Kamal Singh, former Vice Chancellor, Sant Gadgebaba Amravati University, Amravati. Guest of honour for the function was Shri Bhagirathji Kaushik, Vice President, S. Chand & Company. The chairperson of the function was Shri Sanjayji Shende, President Sevadal education Society, Nagpur. Prof. Dr. Pravin Charde, Principal, Sevadal Mahila Mahavidyalaya, Nagpur was graciously present for the function. On this occasion Best teacher Award was conferred to Dr. A. M. Lonkar, Associate Professor, Nutan Adarsh Mahavidyalaya, Umrer.



Prof. Pravin Charde, Principal of the college, in his introductory remark, highlighted on the directives of state government on the need of the framework of syllabus of second year of every faculty where the subject Environmental studies and biodiversity is made compulsory. He encouraged the students to excel in their studies and bag award like Best Student Award of the college.



Dr. Kamal Singh, Former Vice Chancellor, SGAU Amravati, in her guest speech, said that the atmosphere of the college, should be student centric and said that the environment should be discussed in an institution, in a classroom, outside the class, in the college, on the road. She further stressed the need of optimistic attitude towards life and said that girls are the best promoter in saving environment. She initiated a stand that environment should be in our actions.



The Guest of Honour for the function Shri Bhagirath Kaushik, obliged the gathering that Sevadale Mahila Mahavidyalaya, Nagpur is the only institution in India to initiate Best Teacher Award in Environmental studies. He urged the students to plant tree saplings in front of their houses and generate the environmental consciousness.



Shri Sanjayji Shende, President Sevalal education Society, Nagpur expressed the importance of Best Teacher Award in Environmental studies. He further stated that our work place should boost prosperity in environment and education.



The teaching and non-teaching staff members and large number of students of the college were present for this felicitation function.



Best Teacher Award Felicitation Function : Session: 2015-16

Sevalal Education Society's Sevalal Mahila Mahavidyalaya, Nagpur in association with S. Chand and Company Ltd., Nagpur organized Felicitation Function for Best Teacher Award in Environmental Studies on 19th March, 2016.

On this occasion Chief Guest for the function was Hon'ble Dr. Kamal Singh, Former Vice Chancellor, Sant Gadgebaba Amravati University, Amravati. Guest of Honour were Dr. Hitendra Chandewar, Deputy General Manager, Nagpur Metro Rail Corporation, Nagpur and Shri Vijay Shribas, Branch Head – Higher Education, S. Chand & Company, Nagpur. Chairman for the felicitation function was Prof. Pravin Charde, Principal, Sevalal Mahila Mahavidyalaya, Nagpur.



Best Teacher Award in Environmental Studies sponsored by S. Chand & Company Ltd., Nagpur was given to Dr. (Mrs.) Arti Shanware, Assistant Professor, Rajiv Gandhi Biotechnology Centre, Rashtrasant Tukadoji Maharaj Nagpur University, Nagpur. On this occasion an Appreciation Award was also given to Dr. Vijay Wadhai, Head, Department of Microbiology, Sardar Patel Mahavidyalaya, Chandrapur for his outstanding contribution in the subject Microbiology.

In his Guest of Honour Speech Dr. Hitendra Chandewar congratulated the college for its holistic initiatives to promote clean and green environment. He provided an insight of Nagpur Metro Rail Project, the greenest project in India. He further said that the project is based on minimum land acquisition and no forest area has been covered for the project. He embarked upon the urgent need of water conservation and application of rain water harvesting system. He further stressed upon the fact that appropriate uses of land and water resources, the projects like Waste Water Management, Sewage Water Treatment can protect the globe from environmental degradation.



In her Chief Guest address Dr. Kamal Singh congratulated the college and S. Chand Company Ltd., Nagpur for their initiatives in promoting the cause to save the flora and fauna in nature. She emphasized upon the maximum utilization of Solar Energy as it saves the environment. She enlightened and guided the gathering for the uses of solar powered utensils, solar lights, eco-friendly furnitures and the optimum utilization of biogas, bio-fuels in order to provide electricity to the villages in India. She further said that we can save the environment by applying the noble schemes like rain water harvesting system, treatment of wet and dry garbage as manure and the use of eco-friendly LED bulbs.

In his Presidential address Prof. Pravin Charde, Principal, Sevadal Mahila Mahavidyalaya, Nagpur provided valuable information about the contribution of college in various eco-friendly projects like Gorewada Wildlife Sanctuary, Raj Bhavan project and the projects like artificial nests for birds. He encouraged students to follow knowledge and possess extra expertise along with degree. He congratulated Nagpur Metro Rail Project and stressed upon the concepts of green building initiated by Nagpur Metro Rail Corporation, Nagpur. He guided the students to follow the principle of originality and devotion to work adopting innovative ideas to protect the environment around us.

The recipient of Best Teacher Award in Environmental Studies, Dr. Arti Shanware expressed her gratitude towards the college and S. Chand & Company Ltd., Nagpur for conferring upon her this award. She owed her success to her family, colleagues, Rashtrasant Tukadoji Maharaj Nagpur University, Nagpur as well for constant and kind support.



On this occasion, Ms. Gayatri Chopkar (B.Sc.-I) was awarded with Best Student Award and books worth more than Rs.1,100/- as a mark to promote the importance of education in one's life.



Moreover, Ms. Diksha Shinde, Ms. Mayuri Pahune, Ms. Pragati Thakur, Ms. Bhagyashri Patle and many other students were also awarded with certificate for their participation in various activities to promote environmental awareness.

The teaching, non-teaching staff members and large number of students were present for this felicitation function. The programme was compered by Dr. (Mrs.) Jayashri Tirpude and Dr. Sanjay Pal proposed the vote of thanks.

