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## Principal's Note



**Prof. Sanjay Kumar Sinha**  
Principal

You need hot weather to make the corn grow . Latest PC Vibes is here to update you with the important milestones that the college achieved in this sweltering hot month of May. Participation of faculty members in seminars , workshops and publications is indicative of their intellectual competence. Deliberations on Ecology and Voter Awareness particularly, provided a platform of holistic learning to the young generation of learners. Our students , once again ,did us proud by excelling in various programmes. College Library got a facelift and eco friendly solar lights have been installed at ten different places on the campus. However, not all efforts are guaranteed to be rewarded in the way we expect or desire. Scheduled release of our research journal, Current Studies, was deferred. The much awaited Alumni Meet could not be held. But I'm positive that in the coming months we will continue this journey with elevated enthusiasm. For the editors I must say that it isn't where you come from; it's you're going that counts ... and you're ,for sure , going great guns ! Cheers !

## Editors' Note



**Dr. Richa**



**Dr. Naqui Ahmad John**



**Mr. Avinash Kumar**



**Dr. Surya Nath Singh**

The month of May has been hot, humid and yet quite eventful. The Campus was thoroughly active. IQAC was constantly working regarding AQAR submissions of previous years and visionary planning of coming years. Exams were taking place peacefully but it had to face a sudden closure on account of a gruesome murder of a student of B.N. College. As editors, the most difficult part was to keep a track of all the activities. Exams and election duty, seminars and interactive sessions, academic paper presentations and creative open mic, advise from the governor and visits to the libraries, reconstitution of committees and endless events, Patna College never stopped. And here we are with the fifth issue of PC Vibes in all its dignity.



## Timeline

- 04.05.24: B.Ed. examination begins.
- 06.05.24: BA Semester IV admission begins.
- 07.05.24: Patna College Almuni Cell meeting.
- 07.05.24: Patna College Alumni Cell was reconstituted and a meeting was held.
- 08.05.24: Gender Sensitization Cell and Library Committee were reconstituted.
- 09.05.24: Patna College and Prabhat Khabar organised a Voter Awareness programme.
- 09.05.24: Patna College Principal, Professor Sanjay Kumar Sinha was summoned by the Governor regarding ill-functioning of the library.
- 10.05.24: Patna College IQAC General Body Meeting was held regarding the submission of AQAR.
- 11.05.24: Winners of different competitions held during a year in the Department of Sanskrit, Patna College were felicitated.
- 11.05.24: Patna College Development committee and Building committee meeting.
- 13.05.24: PC Vibes April 2024 was released.
- 13.05.24: Patna College Alumni Association and Patna College Alumni Cell meeting was held in the principal's office.
- 13.05.24: AQAR 2022-23 was submitted.
- 14.05.24: Dr Prem Shankar Jha and Dr Md Salim Akhtar visited NIT library to aid the reformation of Patna College library.
- 15.05.24: Patna College Principal Prof. Sanjay Kumar Sinha was interviewed at DD Bihar.
- 16.05.24: Patna College Cultural Committee organised an interactive session with the students by Ms. Devopriya Dutta, Programme Co-ordinator of Tarumitra.
- 18.05.24 : Patna College National Service Scheme (NSS) organised a webinar on ‘Stop Child Sexual Abuse POCSO Act, 2012’.
- 22.05.24: BA Semester II examinations begin.
- 25.05.24: Department of Philosophy organised a webinar on “Adhunik Yug me Baudhdh Nithi Shashtraki Prasangigta” with a renowned speaker Prof. A.K.Rai.
- 28.05.24 The college closed by the order of the University on account of gruesome murder of a B.N. College student, Harsh Raj on Law College Campus.

## Well Done



- Rishu Ranjan, Satyam Pandey, Nishant Priyadarshi & Sakshi Kumari, BA English (session 2021-24) for getting admission in M.A. Programme through CUET.
- Naitik, alumnus, Department of English for securing admission in Ph.D Programme at IIT Roorkee.



## Congratulations

- Zabir Ansari, student of Urdu BA Part III, Patna College for winning the gold medal in 10<sup>th</sup> International Karate Championship held at Nepal.
- Dr Naqui Ahmad John for the publication of an article “Re-Critiquing Amitav Ghosh's The Shadow Lines: Underscoring Nationalism, Identity and Globalization” in Journal of Oriental Institute Vol 72, Issue 02, June 2024, UGC Care Approved, Group I.
- Dr Vikas Kumar Verma for selection as Assistant Professor of Psychology, at Patna University, by the Bihar State University Service Commission, Patna.
- Dr Anupam Priya for her selection as Assistant Professor of Psychology at Lalit Narayan Mithila University through Bihar State University Service Commission, Patna.



## Off-Campus

09.05.24: Patna College Principal, Professor Sanjay Kumar Sinha was called at Raj Bhawan to discuss the ways and means to improve the college library. His Excellency granted 15 days to do the needful and promised full support.



11.05.24: Dr Md. Salim Akhtar delivered a lecture on “The Arabic Language: Between translation and Media” in PG department of Arabic. The lecture was well received by the audience.



11.05.24: Dr Naqui Ahmed John was invited as a resource person for a guest lecture on “Work Ethics and Soft Skills” at St, Xavier's College of Management and Technology, Patna



14.05.24: The Library Committee comprising Dr Prem Shankar Jha and Dr Md Salim Akhtar visited NIT library and PU Library for seeking guidance for effective management and upkeep of Patna College Library.



15.05.24: Patna College Principal Prof. Sanjay Kumar Sinha featured on a popular DD Bihar programme, Bihar on the role of education in empowering individual and nurturing social harmony.



17.05.24: Dr Naqui Ahmed John chaired a session in an International Conference held at NIT Patna in collaboration with University of California, Davis.



25.05.24: Dr Richa performed a story, “Peela Purana Kagaz” in an Open Mic organised by *Awaken Words* in collaboration with Vasa Café. The story was to liked by the audience.



Thank you Md. Jamal, UDC for successfully completing his service at Patna College. Wishing you a happy Post-retirement life.

# Events and Activities

09.05.24: Patna College and Prabhat Khabar jointly organised second Voter Awareness programme for the first-time voters with chief guest, D.N. Gautam, former DGP, Bihar. Speakers included Lokesh Kumar Jha, DPRO, Patna and Ajay Kumar, Head, Prabhat Khabar, Patna. The event was attended by a large number of students and teachers.



11.05.24: Prize distribution to the winners of different competitions held during a year in the Department of Sanskrit, Patna College. The prizes were given by the Principal, Patna College.



13.05.24: PC Vibes, April 2024 was released by Prof. K.N.Paswan, President, Alumni Association, Patna College, Dr Vibhas Ranjan and Dr Rakesh Ranjan, Secretary and Treasurer respectively of Alumni Association were also present. On the occasion Principal, Patna College, Editors, PC Vibes and members of Alumni Cell of the College were also present.



16.05.24: Patna College Cultural Committee organised an interactive session with the students by Ms. Devopriya Dutta, Programme Co-ordinator of Tarumitra. The session was attended by almost 70 students followed by a long question answer round.



18.05.24 : Patna College National Service Scheme (NSS) organised a webinar on ‘Stop Child Sexual Abuse’ POCSO Act, 2012. The event was moderated by Dr. Sneha Lata Kusum of Department of Philosophy.



25.05.24: Department of Philosophy organised a webinar on “Adhunik Yug me Baudhdh Nithi Shashtraki Prasangigta” with Prof. A.K.Rai, Retired Professor of Philosophy and Religion, BHU. The webinar was followed by a long question and answer session.

