Entrepreneurial Value and Motivational Talk

Mr. Dhan Kumar Shyangden

Value and integrity club initiated an Entrepreneurial Value and Motivational Talk with the guest speaker Mr. Dhan Kumar Shyangden. He was awarded first prize for the Business Idea Competition of Bhutan for his Eco Waste Solution in 2016, and he is also the first cohort of Angle Investment Platform (Jabchor).

The talk was held on the 17th of April 2020. Mr. Kumar spoke about his entrepreneurial experience and shared some methods for generating ideas that we can use at the college along with introduction to some of the reliable sources for funding any start-ups. This is the first time for the club to collaborate values with entrepreneurial methods whereby the participants were motivated and encouraged to pursue entrepreneurship as a profession. With positive feedback from the participants of the program, the club opted to continue the practice by inviting guest speakers every year with the motive to promote value-infused entrepreneurial adventures among students in future.

The College owns a Bakery

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The Dean of Student Affairs (DSA) and Ms. Chimi Yangdon, Student Support Officer (SSO) and in-charge of the college’s mess facilities, organized a 10-day bakery training from April 26 to May 5 at Gedu College of Business Studies. Green Kitchen and Bakery Equipment store offered all of the required training equipment.
The two SSOs along with three cooks participated in the training session. The trainees learnt how to make variety of breads including brown bread, croissant, butter cookies and many others during the class. Mr. Chungku, a trainee and SSO, said that the key goal of initiating such a program was to offer further bakery training to interested students and staffs. Furthermore, the individuals concerned met and agreed that, after learning from this initiative, they would offer bakery services to students and staffs twice a week on an order basis. It will be offered at a price that is cheaper than the market rate.

Celebration of the 41st Birth Anniversary of His Majesty the King.

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The nation celebrates and rejoices every 21st February as the birth anniversary of the People’s King. It is a testament to people’s wellbeing and country’s happiness and prosperity.

His Majesty the King Jigme Khesar Namgyal Wangchuck’s 41st Birthday was celebrated in the little ways due to the tensed situation of the pandemic at Gedu College of Business Studies. The President and Deans, academics, staff and students offered prayers and lit butter lamps for His Majesty’s long life and good health. The celebration took place in the prayer hall.

All attendees offered prayers, sang our national anthem and Galpoi Zhabten after the cake cutting session.

Further, besides some cultural events, the Global Skills Enhancement Centre (GSEC) also organized an open video competition themed “Dedication to His Majesty and Front-liners”.

Its main objective was to pay tribute to His Majesty the King and the front-liners for their unwavering service to the country and people during pandemic.

In the afternoon, approximately 100 distinct saplings were planted in and around the college campus to commemorate His Majesty’s Birthday. It is also believed that they are the King’s symbolic plants that they bring luck and offer protection to the people around.
College Award Day
Karna Bahadur Gurung (VI HRM A)

The annual award day of Gedu College of Business Studies was held on 6th June, 2021. The Dean of Academic Affairs, Dean of Student Affairs, Dean of Research and Industrial Linkages along with other academics were also present during the celebration. Lopen Sungkop was the Chief Guest of the day. The program started at Semkeyed Tshokhang with the lighting of butter lamps followed by the chanting of prayer and Zhabten. Although the venue for the award day was not decorated, the minds of the audience filled with pride, gratification and hopes.

“People who run away from the challenges are cowards and no cowards deserve the reward”-Israelmore Ayivor. The program proceeded with awarding of khadar to the student leaders who were newly elected by the Chief Guest.

Next, award ceremony for the high academic achievers began with much pomp and ecstasy. All recipients were awarded congratulatory certificates, medals and prizes followed by certificates to outgoing student-leaders and club coordinators.

At the end, the Dean of Student Affairs congratulated every academic topper with the word of wisdom. In fact, Dean of Student Affairs congratulated the entire award recipient and urged them to be responsible citizens of the country. All in all, the entire program was a nice display of discipline by all the students and program ended with the vote of thanks followed by photo session.

Fintech-Lit Programme for Final Year Students.

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(Academic Representative)

Gedu College of Business Studies is piloting the financial literacy program to final year students in collaboration with the Royal Monetary Authority. The certificate program was launched.
on 24th March 2021 coinciding with the Global Money Week by Dasho Penjor, the Governor of the Royal Monetary Authority and Nidup Dorji, the Vice Chancellor of the Royal University of Bhutan.

The module aims to acquaint students with the knowledge of financial literacy and financial capability and impart knowledge on the importance of financial inclusion for economic development of the country.

Classes happen twice a week consisting of 2 hours each. There are a total of 5 facilitators for the module. The students would be awarded with certificates after fulfilling 90% attendance requirement and minimum grade requirement of grade A or B.

Photography workshop by Professor Khandaker Tanvir Maurd

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(Media Coordinator)

The Media Club organized a photography workshop, and it was hosted by Professor Khandaker Tanvir Maurd. Professor is from Dhaka, Bangladesh, and he currently heads Pathshala South Asian Media Institute. The workshop was attended by club members and other students along with Mr. Tshering Gyeltshen, the Prime Minister’s photographer.

The objectives of the workshop were to:

- enhance photography skills;
- create a platform to learn photography from a professional photographer;
- reinvigorate student’s passion for photography; and
- meet people in the photography file within the college.
During the first session on 10th April, 2021, The Bookshop Café encouraged students to develop strong reading habits, which is extremely beneficial to them as students. It also lends out space for students to read and have healthy group conversations.

GCBS Hair Saloon is another student-led entrepreneurial venture within the campus. It is located in the boys' hostel and serves the needs of all male students and the faculty in the college campus. It actively operates on weekends and weekday evenings.

Such student-led ventures at college can instill an entrepreneurial attitude in students, prepare them to be great entrepreneurial opportunities in the future that could possibly contribute to our economy. The Entrepreneurship Development Center at the College encourages and supports student entrepreneurship with innovative business concepts that address basic issues.

**College Bookstore Café**

Ragu Nath Adhakri (VI MKT C)

The College Bookstore Café, which was inaugurated in 2018, was handed over to the Innopreneur club on 3rd March 2021. It's one of a few student-led business endeavors in the college.

**Global Money Week**

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Global Money week is celebrated every year from 22nd March to 28th March. It is initiated by the Child and Youth Finance International, for the purpose of spreading global money awareness on Economic Citizenship. The seven days celebration, which consists of activities such as video competition, poster competition and hanging of banners,
was initiated by Gedu College of Business Studies this Year. The theme was “Take care of yourself, take care of your money and Learn”.

All interested students participated in the video competition. The poster was an inter-class competition. On 24th March, all the winners of these competitions were awarded prizes and certificate by the Royal Monetary Authority. This year’s one-week celebration of Global Money Week was dedicated to educate young people about knowledge, skills and behaviors which are necessary to teach them about financial well-being.

**Pep Talk Season 2**

Rinchen Lhamo (VI Accounting B)

Pep talk was observed in Gedu College of Business Studies for the second time on the 17th of April, 2021. The event was initiated by the English Enhancement Centre with the objective of creating a platform for the students to communicate inspiring speeches and talk on various important issues in order to enhance participants’ public speaking skills and to inspire and entertain the viewers.

The purpose of the event was to expose the skills and hone the confidence of the participants while encouraging, inspiring and inculcating ideas into the audience. The students were engaged in a meaningful activity of improving public speaking skills.

The program took place in the evening at 5:30 pm in SemkyedTshokhang, and it was judged by selected lecturers of the college.

The show was opened with a welcome dance prepared by the Culture Club. There were a total of 10 participants. Each of them had a maximum of 10 minutes to talk on a theme of their choice with presentation and background music if they preferred. After the last participant had finished the talk, scores were immediately collected from the judges in order to finalize the best speaker.
The program ended with the announcement of the winner and the top 5 speakers. They were all awarded certificates. The event ended after 3 hours with a vote of thanks at 8:30 pm.
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