

## **Editorial**

The month of August where frequent rain showers, muddy puddles are evident everywhere. The meaning of August comes from ancient Rome: Augustus is Latin and means "the venerable one" or "the great one." It was the title given to the first Roman emperor, Gaius Caesar. The Roman senate decided in 8 BCE to name a month in honor of the emperor. They chose the old Roman month of Sextilius and renamed it Augustus. August is a special month as India's 76<sup>th</sup> Independence day was celebrated with full grandeur. Successful touchdown of Chandrayaan -3 took place on moon's surface which made India to be the first Nation to successfully land at moon's south pole. Also rare astronomical event "Blue Moon" was also observed in this month. SBS University bid adieu to PG students and welcomed new students and welcomed them with its arms wideopen. Wishing all the passouts and newcomers good luck.

We wish you a happy reading ..! Team Editorial.

#### PHOTOGRAPH OF THE MONTH

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# Campus News

### SBS CELEBRATED "MILLET FESTIVAL"



Sardar Bhagwan Singh University Dehradun Celebrated 'Millet Fest' in association with DHAD (Social & Non-Profit Organization) on 8<sup>th</sup> August,2023.

The celebration was graced by the presence of Shri. Tanmay Mamgain (Central Secretary DHAD.), Dr.

Madhuri Barthwal (Awarded by Nari Shakti Puraskar by President of India on IWD 2019 and Padmashri 2022.) as a Chief Guest accompanied by Ms. Manju Kala (Member), Shri.Sushil Purohit (Member)and Shri.Ganesh Uniyal (Member). Prof. Veerma Ram (Officiating Vice-Chancellor) and Prof. Maneesh Arora (Dean Student Welfare) Ms. Urmi Chaurasia (Controller of Examination) accorded a floral welcome to the Chief Guest. The program was inaugurated by Chief Guest with lightening of the lamp. The program commenced with an insightful introduction about International Year of Millets 2023and indigenous crops like Jhangora, Koodu and other local pulses, shedding light on their significance and relevance. A knowledgeable speaker likely discussed the importance of preserving these crops due to their adaptation to local environments, their resilience to changing conditions, and their cultural significance.

Following the informative talk, a soulful and vibrant folk song was performed, setting the cultural and emotional tone of the event. Folk songs often carry stories and traditions that are deeply intertwined with indigenous crops, celebrating their role in local customs and heritage.

The inclusion of a folk dance further enriched the cultural experience of the event and enhanced the engagement of the audience. Folk dances are integral to representing the traditions, values, and heritage associated with indigenous crops and local communities.

By incorporating a folk dance, the event organizers not only provided entertainment but also deepened the participants' understanding and emotional connection to the indigenous crops.

This Program helped the audience to emotionally connect with their cultural roots and the crops' significance. Further the program was concluded by presenting a plant as a token of thanks to Dr. Madhuri Barthwal.

The program was coordinated by Dept. of Agriculture, Capt.Mrs Nalini Mehrishi, Dr. Anil Panwar (HOD, Agriculture), and Dr. Nidhi Belwal (Anchor). During the program all the faculty, Non Teaching Staff and students were present.





# Achievements



## **GUEST LECTURE**

School of Pharmaceutical Sciences and Technology organized a guest lecture on "An Overview on Pharmacovigilance and Career Opportunities" on 19th August 2023. The Resource person, Mr. Sameer Gangal, Alumni SBSPGI, B. Pharm (Batch 2007-2011) working as Assistant Manager (Operations) in Wipro, Gurgaon.





## **MOU**

Sardar Bhagwan Singh University entered into a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with Rapture Biotech International Private Limited, Dehradun, Uttarakhand on 22nd August 2023. This MoU aims to enhance the connection between the corporate world and academic institutions. The partnership will encourage joint research and foster technological advancements in the realm of Biotechnology. Additionally, there will be provisions for student and faculty exchanges, as well as shared research and training opportunities.



### **STUDENT COLUMN**

DEATH: A new journey of Soul..

Death is the reality of life separating us from family and friends, though it's never possible to consider it. Living is an excruciating exercise. It is a never ending struggle to find off all the pervasive sources of suffering, misery and distress, fears and tears, torment and grief, happiness and love. Everyday is a bag of fresh opportunities, joy and a brand new shot at learning new things But what is the use of it? when there is only one final step awaiting us all regardless of our success or our happiness i.e death. How could death possibly give life any meaning? Well, Life after death explains the real meaning of living as there is no interdependency on one another, no rush for money, no chaos in life, no disparity between religions, it seems to be very calm and peaceful. Bhagavad Gita says, "When death comes all our subtle desires dissolve in our mind and that mind carries us to a new body just like the air carries the aroma of a flower from one place to another". People have all sorts of ideas about life after death - heaven or hell. Most beliefs are based on the idea that we possess an immortal soul that lives on after we die. But is that true? Is their any life after death? Are heaven and hell real? Our creator God reveals clearly what happens when you die. Heaven and hell are real and are based on the karma of each human being. "Belief in life after death is a sign of personal security, optimism and spiritual betterment".

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# थोड़ी सी कोशिश थोड़ी सी कामयाबी

थोडी सी कोशिश, थोडी सी कामयाबी ऐ बारिश की बूंदे कर दे मेहरबानी। बहने मत दे ये मेरे उम्मीद के आशुओ को थोड़ा चलने भी दे मुझे खुद को रोक कर, और इतनी करवट तुम लेती क्यों हो नींद आती है या तुम उसे भी रोक लेती हो, तुम्हारा बस चलता है तो सूरज भी ढक जाता है गर्मी भी होती तो ठंड रूक जाती है। और सर्दी में जो आयी तो बर्फ बन जाती है, में करू अब खुद की बात इन सब में मेरा तो वासता है पुराना, ये जिस्म रहता है लत पत तुम्हारे साथ मैं और तुम्हारा इस कदर घर में आना। सब तरफ तुम्हारा फैलना,और मेरा डाट खाना ये अट्रक रिश्ता हमे इसे ही है बचाना। बहने मत दे इनमे उम्मीद है बहाना. फिर थोड़ी सी कोशिश, थोड़ी सी कामयाबी ऐ बारिश की बूंदे तू करती रह मेहरबानी।

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