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RV Dental College**



“Celebrating Three Decades of  
Academic Excellence”

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# FROM THE PRINCIPAL'S DESK

At the outset, I would like to heartily congratulate the editorial team for bringing out this special edition of "Pendent," commemorating the three decades of establishment of our institution.

The last thirty years have been momentous and have witnessed tremendous progress of our institution. The institution, under the able guidance and astute leadership of Rashtreeya Sikshana Samithi Trust (RSST), has always set a benchmark in the fields of dental health and education systems. The institute thrives on the motto of always providing the best possible care to its students and patients.

The academic achievements of our institution are reflected in the increasing numbers of university ranks secured by our students and also in the number of successful and proud alumni. The signing of a landmark collaborative Memorandum of Understanding with Merck Life Sciences, RV College of Engineering and NMKRV College for Women has resulted in the establishment of the RV-Merck Certification Programme. This programme will certainly encourage students to improve their research activities.

The RSST's constant endeavour to serve the poor and needy has always urged and supported our institution to be a leading example for conducting socially relevant health initiatives not just in our state but throughout the south of India. The institution has tried its best to uplift the oral health of tribal, rural and urban poor by collaborating with many NGO and corporate giants to provide free state-of-the art dental care to the neediest sections of society.



## **Dr. Prashanth C S**

Principal and Professor,  
Department of Orthodontics and  
Dentofacial Orthopaedics

Basking in the past glory has never been an attribute of our institution, and hence we shall thrive and continue to progress in all aspects of dental health and education. The institution recognises the need to constantly increase its patient base. An increased thrust on credible and scientifically relevant research activities will be made in the forthcoming years. Efforts will be made to collaborate with the best in the world to achieve our research goals and to provide the best learning experience for the students admitted to our institution. We shall strive hard to continue training our students beyond the syllabus, making them the most confident practitioners of our noble profession.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Prashanth C S'.

## **Dr. Prashanth C S**

Principal and Professor,  
Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics

# FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK



## **Dr. Sapna N**

Reader, Department of Periodontics  
Editor-in-chief  
Pendent College Newsletter

*"Success is no accident. It is hard work, perseverance, learning, studying, sacrifice and most of all, love of what you are doing or learning to do." – Pele*

With great pride, I would like to acknowledge that our institution has successfully achieved the milestone of completing 30 years in the field of dental education and patient management. What an achievement! An achievement to be proud of and an opportunity to look back and see how far we have come. On this occasion, I would like to thank all our stakeholders: management, past and current principals, teaching and non-teaching staff, students, and patients, for their contribution to this success story. Without your support and encouragement, this feat would not have been possible.

Success should not be the end of the journey. It should only lead us to achieve bigger goals, which require greater confidence, stronger motivation, and more work. So, as we embark on this journey of achieving bigger goals, I request all the stakeholders to lend their unwavering support in this continued journey.

*"Success is not final; failure is not fatal: It is the courage to continue that counts."  
– Winston S. Churchill*

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## **Dr. Sapna N**

Reader, Department of Periodontics  
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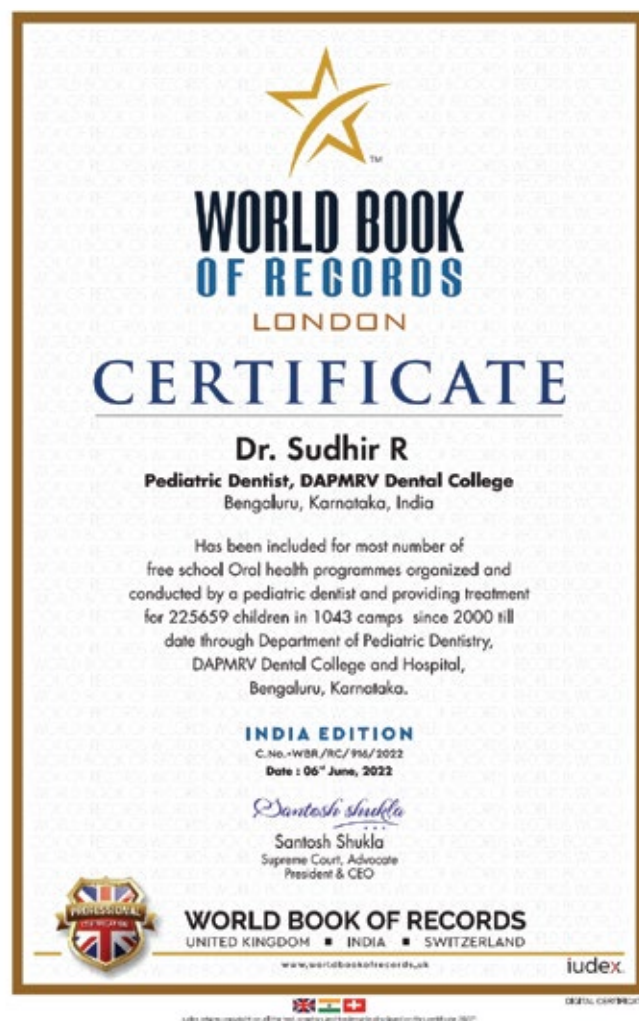
# AMAZING ACHIEVEMENTS

# Dr. Sudhir R,

MDS, Lecturer,  
Department of Paediatric and  
Preventive Dentistry



In a rare feat that propelled our institution's name to the pages of the Three Books of Records, namely the India Book of Records, the Asia Book of Records and the World Book of Records, Dr. Sudhir R, Sr. Lecturer in the Department of Paediatric and Preventive Dentistry, brought home laurels of unparalleled achievement, thanks in large part to his selfless service in school outreach programmes conducted through the Department. Totalling 10,000+ man hours over 1043 camps in various places across Karnataka, Tamil Nadu and Andhra Pradesh, Dr. Sudhir R has worked tirelessly to provide treatment to over 2.25 lakh children from the underprivileged sections of society, including specially abled kids in Avvai Ashram, Sivasailam, Tirunelveli District, Tamil Nadu.



What beckoned Dr. Sudhir to work in these settings with limited resources is, in his own words, "Service to children is service to God!" In times where most people would refrain from taking extended breaks from their practices, Dr. Sudhir has done it not once or twice but multiple times from the year 2000 till date. What also makes this achievement unique is that these camps have trained and moulded our students not only in dentistry but also to be conscientious towards the needs of those who are less fortunate.

This is indeed something the entire college, all its staff, and countless alumni and students are proud of, as so many of them have played their bit in these camps. Kudos to Dr. Sudhir for having efficiently and tirelessly worked to pull off this achievement. Hearty congratulations to the entire Department of Paediatric and Preventive Dentistry, under Dr. A. Anantharaj's able leadership and guidance, which has relentlessly provided unstinted support in order to be able to run these camps.



# THE GRADUATION CEREMONY



# Graduation Ceremony, Batch of 2022

A graduation ceremony is not only the commemoration of one's academic excellence but also a testament to the perseverance and determination that has led one to this juncture. This occasion marks a significant milestone in one's educational journey and D.A. Pandu Memorial RV Dental College (RVDC) acknowledges and celebrates this landmark event for the students with utmost enthusiasm.



The 26th Graduation Ceremony for the batch of 2022 was held on 11th January, 2023 at the main auditorium of RVDC. The event was graced by the Honorable Vice Chancellor of Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Shri. Dr. M. K. Ramesh, the Chief Guest, along with Dr. A.C. Chandrashekar Raju, Chairman, Governing Council, RVDC who was the guest of honor of the ceremony. Honorary Secretary, Dr.(h.c.) A.V.S. Murthy and Honorary Joint Secretary, D.P. Nagaraj of RSST and parents of the undergraduate and postgraduate batches were also present to witness this memorable day.

The ceremony began with a melodious invocation song by Dr. Priyanka B.M (Postgraduate, Dept. of Oral Medicine and Radiology) followed by all the dignitaries proceeding to light the lamp in order to begin the event on an auspicious note. Principal Dr. Asha Iyengar addressed the gathering, inspiring the new graduates towards their bright future. The dignitaries, Dr. M. K. Ramesh and Dr. A.C. Chandrashekar Raju also shared their motivating thoughts.

A total of 55 undergraduate and 22 postgraduate students and 1 certificate course students were awarded their well deserved certificates.

Dr. Tanmay Rao who obtained 7 academic awards was deemed the best outgoing student of the institution and was awarded a Gold medal for the same. A total of 29 academic awards were presented to the exemplary undergraduate and postgraduate students. Dr. Tanmay's parents were also invited to the dias and felicitated and they expressed their happiness for their son's achievements and gratitude towards the institution.

Following the distribution of the certificates, Dr. Pooja Yadav and Dr. Neha Choudhary, on behalf of the batch, spoke fondly about their unforgettable time in their beloved institution. Dr. Krishnasameera also delivered a beautiful speech which reminded the undergraduate batch of their consistent hard work, their cherished memories over the past 5 years and of the unbreakable and everlasting bond they share with their batchmates.

“Staff Children Awards” were given to the children of the RVDC faculty members, for their excellence in academic and extracurricular activities. The highest library usage award was announced. Dr. Madhura M.G (Reader, Dept. of Oral Pathology and Microbiology) was awarded under staff category while Dr. Manjima Sen (Postgraduate, Dept. of public Health Dentistry) and Vijayalakshmi. D (III BDS student) were awarded under the student category for the same.

The 26th Annual Graduation Ceremony was surreal to say the least for the graduating students and guests alike. Memories from this day will forever be etched in their hearts for years to come.







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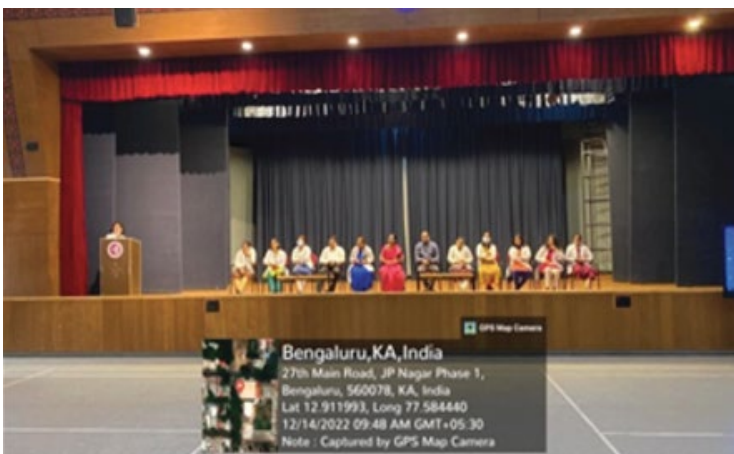
# NEWS AND EVENTS

January 2022 to December 2022



# Orientation Programme 1st BDS

An orientation programme for first BDS (2022-23 Batch) students was organised from 14.12.2022 to 22.12.2022 by RVDC, co-ordinated by Dr. Archana K Sanketh, I BDS coordinator, Reader, Department of Prosthodontics. The programme started with a brief overview and introduction by Dr Archana K Sanketh, faculty member at Department of Prosthodontics and I BDS coordinator. The Principal, Dr. Asha R Iyengar, Heads of various departments and faculty were present for the introduction. Dr. Asha R Iyengar addressed the students. The students were then asked to introduce themselves. The respective subject teachers introduced themselves and gave a brief overview of the subjects in I BDS. A series of orientation sessions was carried out for the benefit of the students in order to orient them towards the course & the college.



# Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology

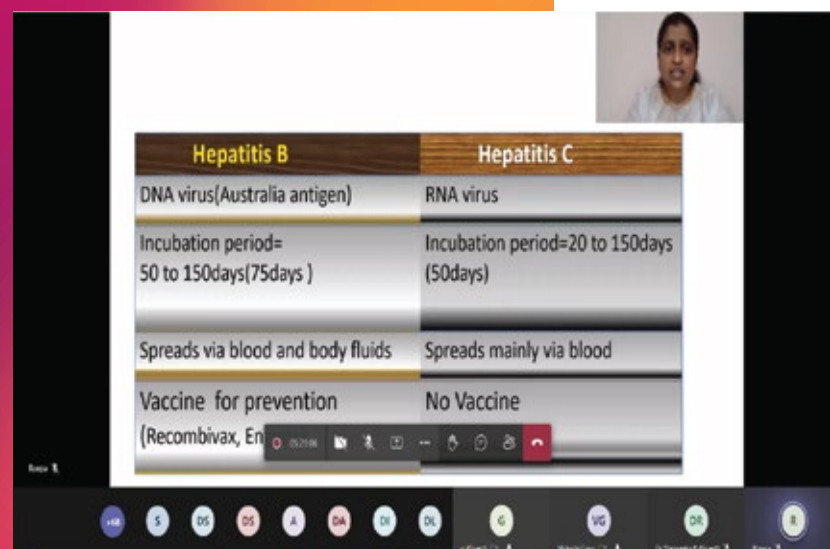
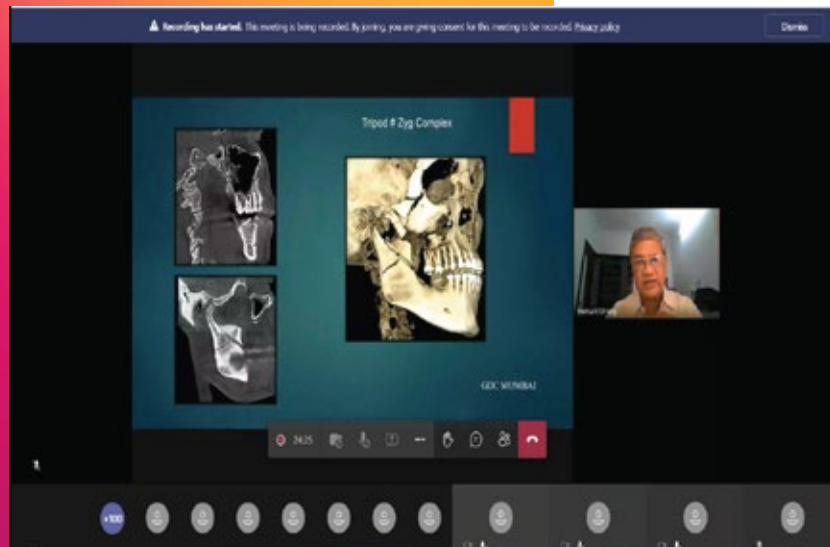
The Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology conducted an awareness programme on "Well-Being of Working Women" for all the women non-teaching employees of the institution on February 25, 2022. The speaker for the session was Dr. Archana Harsha, clinical dietician and diabetes educator at Infilife Health Care Private Limited.

A cultural programme was conducted to celebrate "International Women's Day" on March 8th. The programme began with a welcome note by the principal followed by a 'Flash mob' conducted by interns on "Women Empowerment". This was followed by a Rangoli competition based on the theme "Gender Equality Today for a Sustainable Tomorrow".

On the occasion of "International Women's Day" and "World Cancer Day" in association with Green Trends, a Hair Donation Campaign was organised on 9th March 2022. All the donors were acknowledged with a Certificate of Appreciation by the "SHAIR" team. A total of 138 donors participated in the campaign.

The Women's welfare committee of the institution in association with the Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology celebrated "International Women's Day" on 22nd March, 2022. The speaker for the session was Smt. Roopa D Moudgil I.P.S. (Managing Director, Karnataka State Handicraft Development Corporation, Bangalore). She addressed the gathering and spoke on "Gender Equality Today for a Sustainable Tomorrow" and College magazine Pendent, for the year 2020 was released .





Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, RVDC in collaboration with Indian Academy of Oral Medicine and Radiology, Karnataka Branch organised “Master Class in Oral Medicine and Radiology 2022”. A total of 42 eminent speakers from various parts of Karnataka and southern part of India delivered lectures. More than 120 Post graduate students participated from various parts of the country making the programme a huge success.





As a countdown programme for International Day for Yoga 2022, NSS TEAM along with Student's Support Committee and Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, RVDC, had organised an "Orientation Workshop on Yoga" on Saturday, 14th May, 2022. A team of renowned Yoga Instructors from Shri Pathanjali Yoga Shikshana Samithi conducted the event. Mr Hanumanth (Retd. Principal) briefed the participants about the various aspects of Yoga and its benefits. Mr Mahadev Rao (Mining engineer and National Yoga Camp Coordinator) conducted demo sessions to all the participants.

# World No Tobacco Day

On the occasion of "World No Tobacco Day" the Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology in association with Student Welfare Committee, RVDC had organised a Flash Mob in the college premises on 31st May, 2022. WHO had released the theme for this year's World No Tobacco Day as "Tobacco: A threat to environment" and the flash mob was based on the same. Dr. Subash B.V, Reader, Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology delivered a talk about the hazards and ill effects of Tobacco on general health and environment. This was followed by the Address of the Principal Dr. Asha R Iyengar to the students and faculty. The team also conducted the Flash Mob on the same theme at SSMRV College, Bangalore. This flash mob aimed to sensitize and create awareness among the most vulnerable group in the population for tobacco addiction.



Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, RVDC had organised an “International Yoga Day” on 21st June, 2022 (Tuesday). The International Yoga Day was observed in the early morning hours on 21st June, 2022. The participants included few of the local residents, parents, faculty and students. The participants participated with full enthusiasm.

On the occasion of “Doctor’s Day 2022” the Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, RVDC had organised a Doctor’s day celebration on 1st July, 2022. Dr Shyamrao Bhombare Mohan, one of the esteemed senior faculty of the institution was felicitated. Sir was one of the first faculty members of the Institution and his contribution towards the nurturing of the institution is commendable



Department of Oral Medicine along with Student's Support Committee, RVDC, organised an event "Meet a Venture Capitalist" on Thursday, 28th July, 2022. The Guest Speaker Shri Suresh, CEO of Co Create Ventures addressed the gathering by giving them a birds eye view perspective of how to ideate, convert the ideas to workable thoughts and then transform them into actions yielding desirable results. He elaborated the process by giving anecdotal experiential examples making the audience imbibe the process of how Start Up Companies originate and function.

Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, DAPMRV Dental College had organised an Inter institutional meet on 2nd August, 2022. The programme began with a formal introduction of the team from RV College of Engineering, Bangalore. An interactive discussion regarding application of artificial intelligence and machine learning in dentistry was discussed between the two fraternities.

Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, RVDC, in association with the Student Welfare Committee had organised a Student Welfare Programme titled "Youth Predicaments –An Insight "on 4th August, 2022. Smt C P Usha Rani ,Associate Prof. and Head, Department of English, Sri Jagadguru Renukacharya College, Bangalore and also lay counsellor at Aphasalahakendra, Bangalore addressed the I year BDS students and faculty on the importance of psychological counseling for the adolescents. This session was followed by interaction of Smt C P Usha rani and Mr Uday Shankar (Trustee and Secretary at Aphasalaha Kendra, Bangalore) for setting up of the "Peer counseling Unit" at our institution.







The Karnataka State Branch of the Indian Academy of Oral Medicine and Radiology conducted its First State Conference “ Indian Academy of Oral Medicine & Radiology Karnataka State Conference 2022” based on the theme “Oral Medicine and Radiology - Pioneering the Interdisciplinary Approach” at Dayananda Sagar Institutions, Bangalore on 30th September and 1st October, 2022. Department of Oral medicine and Radiology, RVDC, Bangalore were given the opportunity to conduct the scientific sessions for the 2 days. There were keynote lectures on both days and a panel discussion on relevance of OMR and future prospects as an interdisciplinary area.



The Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology organised a quiz competition for the students (post-graduates and interns of RVDC) on the occasion of "World Radiology Day," which was conducted on November 9, 2022. The motto of the programme was to make students aware of the latest information in radiology. The teams were categorised into alpha, beta, gamma, and X-ray teams. The quiz was organised in two rounds, and the winners were the X-ray team Dr. Akshay, Dr. Aditya (Post Graduate Students) Gautam, Deepak, and Shashidhar (IV BDS Students).



Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, RVDC, Bangalore organised "World Radiology Day" for the faculty which was conducted on 24th November 2022. All the teaching, non teaching ,undergraduate, Interns and Postgraduate were requested to dress in Shades of white/black and grey. Dr Freny Karjodkar (Ex Professor and HOD, Dept. of Oral Medicine and Radiology, Nair Hospital Dental College, Mumbai ) spoke on, " Brief overview of Prescription, Precautions and Interpretation in Radiology " to all the faculty. This was followed by a quiz competition on Radiology for the entire faculty. At the end of the programme fun activities and ramp walk were conducted.







Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, RVDC, Bangalore in association with Indian Dental Association, Bengaluru organised a training programme on “Counselling for Tobacco cessation” on 2nd December 2022. The speakers of the session were Dr Srinivas Pachava, Prof and HOD, Department of Public Health Dentistry, Sibar Dental College and Hospital, Guntur who spoke on the topic titled “Tobacco – Role of Dentist” & Dr R Suresh, Assistant Professor, Dept of Public Health Dentistry, Sibar Dental College and Hospital, Guntur on the topic titled “Tobacco Addiction and Cessation Methods”. A role play skit on how to stop Tobacco was conducted by Amaya Bhavya and Aishwarya (Interns ) and Dr. Aditi(Post Graduate Dept of OMDR). Anusha S (Intern) had compiled interesting questions regarding Tobacco and its ill effects from the students of RVDC and were put forth in front of the speakers and the speakers diligently answered their queries.



The Women’s Welfare Committee in association with Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, RVDC, Bangalore organised a yoga training programme for the women faculty (non-teaching and Group D faculty) on 9th December, 2022. The training programme was conducted by Yoga Instructor: Dr Usha Rani A N BDS, Yoga teacher at Ashtanga Yoga Sadhana, Bangalore and First Batch alumna of RVDC. She explained to everyone about the benefits of practicing yoga followed by training the employees with simple yoga exercises.

# Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

The Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, DAPMRV Dental College had organised a webinar on the topic “LASER – AN ESSENTIAL ARMAMENTARIUM IN EVERY DAY DENTISTRY” on 30th May 2022. Dr Nandini Balasubramanyam, a successful dental practitioner and an International Fellow of LASER Dentistry (UNIGE), Bangalore was the speaker and she delivered a very Informative and knowledge packed lecture. The programme was concentrated on the Faculty, Postgraduate Trainees and Interns to enlighten them on the various aspects of LASER Usage in performing several procedures in the field of dentistry.

The Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery conducted BASIC AND INTERMEDIATE IMPLANT WORKSHOP on 1st December, 2022 and 13th December, 2022. The programme was flagged off by the Principal, Dr. Asha Iyengar and Dr. Sunil Vasudev, Organising Chairman, Head of the Department, Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, which was then open to the speakers. The various speakers included Dr. Deepak S, Dr. Sahana M S, Dr. Balavikhram K, Dr. Revan Kumar Joshi, Dr. Mitha Shetty, Dr. P Roshan Kumar, Dr. Sapna N, Dr. Darshan B Mundinamane who spoke on numerous aspects of Implantology. A presentation was arranged for the demonstration of Dentium implants and the hands-on workshop started with 74 registrations receiving the complete training on the use of Dentium Implants with proper protocols in place, which was sponsored by Dentium - Implantium, India, Pvt, Ltd.



# Department of Prosthodontics

The Indian Prosthodontic Society on its Golden Jubilee Celebration attempts to promote its speciality among the general public. As part of this initiative "THE SMILE WALK" with the golden jubilee torch was organised in various locations throughout the length and breadth of our country including members from RVDC.

Department of Prosthodontics, RVDC was a part of the denture camp organised by the Govt of Karnataka health and family welfare Department and Medical education Department under the Danthabhagya scheme which was held from 9th July, 2022 to 16th July, 2022 at Chamrajanagar Institute of Medical Sciences, Chamarajanagar. A total of 56 patients from 5 taluks were treated with complete denture prosthesis.

A denture camp was held in the Department of Prosthodontics, RVDC from 27th October 2022 to 14th November 2022. 17 patients from Chikkaballapur were treated with removable prosthesis of which 13 patients were complete denture patients and 4 patients were partially edentulous patients.



Department of Prosthodontics, RVDC in association with Inner Wheel Club Bangalore, conducted the screening camp which was held on 21st December 2022 at Omashram Trust. A total of 47 patients were screened. The staff Dr. P Roshan Kumar, Reader, Dr. Netra Patil, Lecturer, Interns Dr. Naren Parashar and Dr. Nag Nachiket Patil and technician Mr. Vinay BN were part of this camp.

Department of Prosthodontics, RVDC was a part of the denture camp organised by the Govt. of Karnataka Health and Family Welfare Department and Medical Education Department under the Danthabhadra scheme that was held from 4th July, 2022 to 8th July, 2022. A total of 3 patients referred from Jayanagar General Hospital were treated with complete denture prosthesis at our college.

The Department of Prosthodontics, RVDC, Bangalore in association with Indian Prosthodontic Society, Bangalore Branch conducted master class programme "BASICS REVISITED 2022" on 21st & 22nd November 2022, at RVDC, Bangalore. Total number of Guest Speakers were 17 among which our college faculty Dr. Kalavathy N, Dr. P. Roshan Kumar were the guest speakers. 16 Moderators moderated all the sessions among which Dr. N. Kalavathy H.O.D Dept of Prosthodontics, Dr. Mitha Shetty, Reader Dept of Prosthodontics and Dr. Archana. K. Sanketh, Reader Dept of Prosthodontics, Dr. Anuradha V, were the moderators.



Department of Prosthodontics, RVDC, Bangalore conducted a workshop and demonstration on T scan on 12-8-2022 for all the faculty and postgraduate students. Dr. Sri Vidhya, prosthodontist and private practitioner gave the demonstration.

Department of Prosthodontics conducted a demonstration and hands-on workshop of the intra oral scanner (Primescan) on 30.03.2022 for the department faculty and postgraduate students. Dr. Hari from Dentsply Sirona was invited for the demonstration. A patient was part of the demonstration and the intra oral scanner was used to scan the patients' prepared teeth.



Department of Prosthodontics conducted a demonstration and hands-on workshop. A lecture cum demonstration on Exocad was arranged on 29.04.2022 for all the faculty and postgraduate students from Dept. of Oral Medicine & Radiology and Dept. of Prosthodontics.

Department of Prosthodontics had organised an international webinar on 08.10.2022. The speaker was Dr Vinaya Kundapur, MDS (Prosthodontics) from Nitte University and Graduate Certificate fellowship in Geriatrics and special Needs, University of Iowa, USA. The title of the webinar was "Geriatric Dentistry: Knowledge, Attitude and Practice". The programme had about 130 registrations that included a diverse group of clinicians, academicians and students from India and abroad.



# Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics

Maxillary Lateral Incisor Agenesis:

A webinar was conducted on 9th July 2022 on the topic “Maxillary Lateral Incisor Agenesis: Orthodontic Consideration”.

The speaker was Dr. Sharmila Arjunan, Orthodontic Resident, Faculty of Dentistry, University of British Columbia, a former faculty of the Department of Orthodontics, DAPM RV Dental College. A total of 232 participants attended this program.

## Case selection

Angle class II malocclusion with no/mild crowding in the mandibular arch



Missing U2s

No lower exo

Angle class I malocclusion with mod/ severe crowding in the mandibular arch



Missing U2s

Extract L4s/ L5s

KoKich VO Jr, Kinzer GA. Managing congenitally missing lateral incisors. Part I: Canine substitution. *J Esthet Restor Dent.* 2005;17(1):5-10.

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### TADS OR NOT

A webinar was conducted on 4TH JUNE 2022 on the topic TADS or NOT – Clinical Perspective.

The speaker was Dr. Sunny Gupta, Current consultant- Muscat Oman, an alumnus of the Department of Orthodontics DAPM RV Dental College. A total of 96 participants attended the program.

# Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics

Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics conducted a Demonstration and Hands On workshop on “Magnifying Loupes ” which was held on 8th February, 2022. The speaker for the day was Dr.Mithun from Carl Zeiss.The demonstration and workshop was attended by 24 participants.

Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics organised “Rapid Recap- Sculpting the Future” from 7th to 9th April 2022 at Saraswathi Auditorium, RV Institute of Legal Studies & Main Auditorium - RVDC. Dr. Keshava Prasad BS, HOD, Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics, RVDC, Bangalore was one of the speakers among the multiple speakers.

Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics conducted A lecture and demo programme on 18th June, 2022 on the topic “Inject and Impress” by Dr. Chandramouli from GC in the main auditorium. The programme was attended by 165 participants.



The Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics celebrated “National Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics Day” on the 5th of March 2022. The event was attended by 37 participants including staff and students. Free Consultations & 50% off on simple fillings was followed by a working lunch. Saplings were planted as part of the “Green Drive” initiative.





The Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics celebrated "International Women's Day" on 8th March, 2022. Postgraduate students took part in the Rangoli Competition on the theme "Gender Equality Today for a Sustainable Tomorrow".



Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics celebrated "Ganesha Festival" on the 3rd September, 2022, as a part of cultural activity of the department. Having students from across states and different cultures; it was fun to bond over the festival which was followed by lunch.

# Department of Periodontics

Department of Periodontics, RVDC conducted a CDE programme on "To Broaden Dentists Horizon- A Canadian Experience" by Dr. Rajeshwari H. R, Ph.D. Scholar, Faculty of Dentistry, University of Toronto, Canada on Friday, 15th July, 2022. All the faculty members, postgraduate students, Interns attended the programme.



Department of Periodontics, DAPMRV DENTAL COLLEGE conducted a CDE programme on the occasion of the birth anniversary of Dr.G.B.Shankwalkar, on 1st August which is observed as Oral Hygiene Day. Oral Hygiene Programme was conducted and a lecture was given by Dr. Apoorva SM, Reader, Department of Periodontics, RVDC on 16-8-2022. All the faculty members, I BDS students, interns and postgraduate students attended the programme.

Department of Periodontics have conducted a CDE programme and hands-on workshop on 'Diode Laser: A Magic Wand to Dentist' by Dr. Anand M, professional Product Specialist, Dentsply Sirona India on 7th December, 2022. All faculties, postgraduates and interns attended the programme.





Department  
of Oral and  
Maxillofacial  
Pathology  
and  
Microbiology

Celebrating National Oral Pathologist's Day 2022, the Department of Oral Pathology and Microbiology of RVDC, Bengaluru, Karnataka hosted a National Webinar (Continuing Dental Education Programme) in association with Indian Dental Association (IDA) Bengaluru Branch under the aegis of Indian Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathologists (IAOMP) on the Topic: 'Scope of Bioinformatics in Dentistry' on 9th February 2022.

Dr. Vidya Niranjana, Professor and Head, Department of Biotechnology, RV College of Engineering, Bengaluru, Karnataka was the resource person.



Season's Greetings to all

**Celebrating National Oral Pathologists Day 2022**

The Department of Oral Pathology and Microbiology of DAPM R V Dental College,  
Bengaluru, Karnataka  
In association with  
Indian Dental Association (IDA) Bengaluru Branch  
Under the aegis of  
Indian Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathologists (IAOMP)  
Cordially invite you to **National Webinar** (Continuing Dental Education Programme)

**Topic: Scope of Bioinformatics in Dentistry**  
**9<sup>th</sup> February 2022 10.00 am – 12.00 noon**

*Resource Person:*  
*Dr Vidya Niranjana*  
*Professor and Head*  
*Department of Biotechnology*  
*R V College of Engineering*  
*Bengaluru, Karnataka*



**ORGANIZING TEAM**  
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Organizing Secretary: Dr Madhura MG  
Coordinators : Dr Suma S, Dr Sarita Y and Dr Revan Kumar Joshi

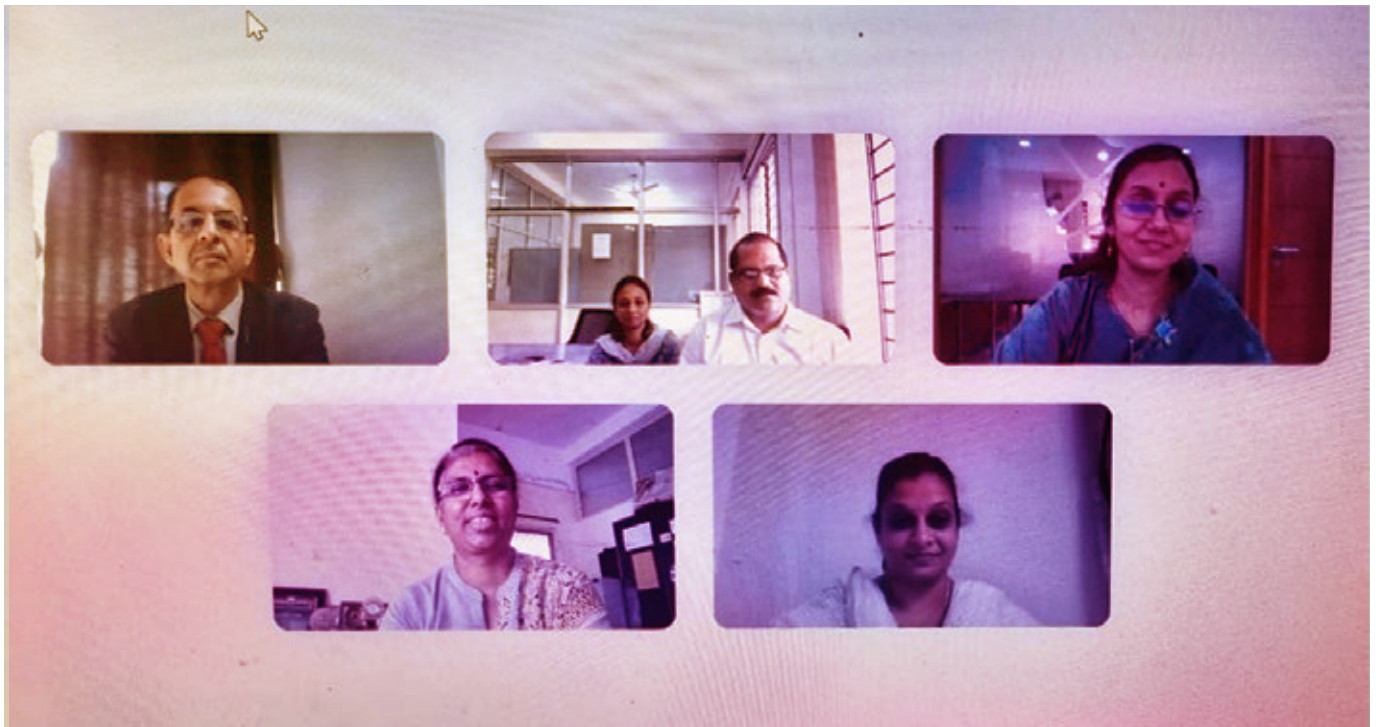
**Moderator: Dr Asha R Iyengar – Principal, DAPM R V Dental College, Bengaluru, Karnataka**

**Collaborator**  
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Department of Oral Pathology and Microbiology of RVDC, Bengaluru, Karnataka hosted a National Webinar (Continuing Dental Education Programme) on the Topic: "Verruco-Papillary lesions – Deliberations for general dentists and specialists" on 28th September 2022 through online mode. Dr Radhika M Bavle, Professor and Head, Department of Oral Pathology and Microbiology, Krishnadevaraya College of Dental Sciences, Bengaluru, Karnataka was the resource person.





# Department of Public Health Dentistry

Department of Public Health Dentistry of RVDC, JP nagar, Bangalore, organised an International consultative meeting on “Karnataka State Oral Health Policy Directions” on 15-12-2022 for improving people’s oral health in Karnataka. Followed by inauguration by Dr. Asha Iyengar, Principal, RVDC, Keynote Address was given by Dr Jayant Kumar, State Dental Director, California. Dr Harikiran AG, Head of the Department, Public Health Dentistry, RVDC discussed about the Karnataka State Oral Health policy initiatives & also about oral health component of Vision Group documents. The chairperson Dr KS Nagesh, Convener Dr Revan Joshi, members of the Oral health Vision Group, Dr Ranganath, President, Karnataka State Dental Council, Dr Jaikrishna, Syndicate member, Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Dr Girish Giraddi, Dean & Director, Government Dental College, Bangalore, Dr Lokesh, State nodal officer for oral health, MoH&FW, Dr Sharath Chandra, Chief Dental Health officer, NOHP, Bangalore, Dr Girish Rao, Maxillofacial surgeon, Dr Rajeev BR, health consultant and Ms Suma Rao, CSR Head, Merck India participated in panel discussion on how to proceed in the direction of policy initiatives. 150 participants from the field of dentistry along with the dignitaries signed Bangalore Declaration for an Oral Health Task Force & Nodal Centre, comprising of trisector stakeholders i.e, State government, Corporate sector & the civil society, to take oral health agenda of Karnataka state Vision group forward.



Lighting of the lamp

Bangalore Declaration





The Research Sustenance and IRB Committee of the institution along with the NSS unit of RGUHS and the Department of Public Health Dentistry organised the UG Research Exposition 2022 on 25th June, 2022. The programme began with an overview of the undergraduate research programme of the institution followed by the rules and regulations of the presentation in the exposition. Dr Deepti Vadavi was the Master of ceremony for the programme. This was followed by research presentations by students followed by question-and-answer session. The judges for the research exposition were Dr. Avinash B, Professor & Head, Dept. of Public Health Dentistry, Dayanand Sagar College of Dental Sciences, Bangalore and Dr. Harikiran A.G, Professor & Head, Dept. of Public Health, RVDC, Bangalore.



Department of Public Health Dentistry organised 2nd Dr Pandurangi Memorial Research Grant Award event on 25th June, 2022. Dr Pandurangi Memorial Public Health Research Award is an initiative by the Department of Public Health dentistry to promote public health research by providing research grants to eligible young researchers. Dr Chandrashekhar Shetty Exec. Advisor, Adi Chunchunagiri University was the chief guest for the ceremony. Dr BL Sujatha Rathod, DME was the guest of Honour. Mrs Pandurangi, Mrs Aruna Pandurangi also graced the occasion. Dr Subhash BV was the Master of Ceremony for this programme. During the ceremony, Grant Letters and cheques were awarded to two recipients of Dr Pandurangi Memorial Public Health Research Awards.





Dignitaries on the dias

Awarding Dr Pandurangi memorial Public Health Research Awards



Details of Camps conducted by the Department of Public Health Dentistry for the year 2022.

Number of camps  
Conducted

94

Number of  
beneficiaries

5393



# Department of Paediatric and Preventive Dentistry

Department of Pediatric and preventive dentistry conducted a CDE Programme on the topic "Sectional Orthodontics" which was held on Feb 2nd, 2022 and Feb 3rd, 2022 at RVDC. The guest speakers were Dr. Joby Peter and Dr. Binu Abraham.

Department of Pediatric and Preventive Dentistry conducted an online masterclass programme "Pedo-Read" which consisted of a series of lectures held from March 14th, 2022 to March 30th 2022 at RVDC on topics like 'Crowns in Pediatric Dentistry', 'Application of Psychology in Behaviour management', 'Interceptive orthodontics' and many more were covered by notable guest speakers including Dr Jeevaratan, Dr Sivakumar Nuvvula, Dr. Joby Peter and others.

Department of Pediatric and preventive dentistry conducted an online CDE Programme on the topic "Intellectual property rights (IPR): A pathway of transforming ideas into reality" which was held on June 30th, 2022 at RVDC. The guest speaker was Dr. Shivayogi Hugar.



# Department of General Pathology and Microbiology

## Hospital Infection Control Committee

Department of General Pathology & Microbiology conducted the Infection control practices workshop as part of 'Jagrati' by HPEU on 23.2.2022. All the 3rd BDS students attended the workshop.





Department of General Pathology & Microbiology conducted the Annual Hepatitis B vaccination programme,

1st dose was given from  
19.5.2022 - 20.5.2022.

2nd dose was given from  
20.6.2022 - 22.6.2022.

Booster dose was given from  
24.11.2022 - 25.11.2022.

All the staff and students participated enthusiastically.





Department of General pathology & Microbiology conducted the Annual Training Programme on hospital infection control practices for HCW on 31.5.2022. All the health care workers attended the programme.



Department of General Pathology & Microbiology conducted the Infection Control practices workshop conducted as part of 'Jagrati' by HPEU on 30.11.2022. All the 3rd BDS students attended the workshop.



Department of General Pathology and Microbiology conducted the Introductory talk / lecture from HICC on 22.12.2022. All the 1st year BDS students attended the programme.



# White Coat Ceremony

The programme “Jagriti - Foundational Course for clinical care” was conducted from 5th December, 2022 to 7th December, 2022 followed by the White Coat Ceremony on 7th December, 2022. A total of 65 undergraduate students and 20 PG students benefited from the workshops. The “Jagriti - Foundational Course for clinical care” programme aims towards capacity building of our undergraduate students as they enter the clinics. This year, the Jagriti programme trained the students in various important skills through Workshops on Ethics and Professionalism, Sterilization & Infection Control Practices, Prescription Writing and Communication Skills. The Workshops were designed using the Kern’s 6 steps of curriculum development, spread over 15 hours for 2.5 days from 5th December to 7th December, 2022. The 2.5 day programme concluded with the White Coat Ceremony where students expressed their feedback on the training received and took the hippocratic oath.



# Rotaract Club of DAPM RV Dental College

On the occasion of World Environment Day, 20 students of 1<sup>st</sup> BDS along with 2 interns (Dr. Simrin Zeba and Dr. Sushma Rani N) gathered on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June, 2022 at 11:00 am at Agara village. A Walkathon was conducted on Environment awareness and tree saplings were planted at the Rotary Lalithamma CDSIMER Hospital compound at Agara Village, Kanakapura Road.

RVDC received a donation of ₹50,000/- for dental treatment of the less fortunate as a part of AAROHAN 21-22, a fundraiser programme conducted by Rotary Bangalore, JP Nagar and Rotaract club of RVDC. A major part of the same was utilized for the Dental Screening camp held on 23/06/22 in collaboration with Rotary Bangalore, JP Nagar and the treatment of referrals from the camp were sent to the college. A dental screening camp was organised by the club where 8 Interns and 3 postgraduates from the Department of Pedodontics under the supervision of Dr. Shraddha, Department of Orthodontics conducted a screening camp in Government School, Agara. Health Education Talk was given following which 179 Students were screened and were provided with Toothpaste (Sponsored by Group Pharma) and Toothbrush free of cost.

## Career Guidance Programme

A career guidance programme was conducted on 11/08/2022 by Dr. H Murali Rao Professor, Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics, Career Guidance Committee-Head. The speaker for the programme was Dr Deepak, leading Periodontist, Dallas. Faculty, undergraduate and postgraduate students attended the programme. The speaker discussed a few of the interesting Implant and other surgical cases performed by him and also interacted with the students about various career options, the procedures and the formalities that are required to pursue their career abroad.

A career guidance program was conducted on 04/07/2022. The speaker for the programme was Dr Aadarsh, Chairing Division of General Dentistry, UCONN Health, School of Dental Medicine. Faculty, undergraduate and postgraduate students attended the programme. The speaker interacted with the students about various career options, the procedures and the formalities that are required to pursue their career abroad.

# Swami Vivekananda Jayanthi

To mark the 159th birth anniversary of Swami Vivekananda, RVDC in association with Samarth Bharath had organised an online lecture by a renowned Academician and a well-known Cardiologist Dr. Vijayalakshmi Balekundri. This was a part of Samarth Bharath's "Be Good Do Good" lecture series. The online programme was well attended & appreciated by our students and faculty

# Dental screening camp

A Dental screening camp was organised at Padmashree Institute of Management Sciences by the Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopedics in association with the Department of Oral medicine and Radiology, RVDC on 6th August, 2022. A health talk on oral cancer was delivered. It was followed by screening performed by interns under the supervision of Dr Revan Joshi from Department Of Oral Medicine, and Dr Navya. S, from the Department Of Orthodontics. A total of 56 patients were screened. Counselling was done regarding ill effects of tobacco usage in different forms. Patients who required further dental treatment were referred to RVDC, the treatment for which was done at subsidized rate.

# Visit by Sri Vivekananda Youth Movement, Sargur

Students and staff representatives from Sri Vivekananda Youth Movement from Sargur, Mysore district visited our institution on 21st November, 2022. There were 58 students, 6 faculty members and 2 parent representatives in the group. The tour started at around 9.45 am. The visitors were welcomed by our Principal Dr. Asha R lyengar and a teaser about our institution was screened for the visitors in the ground floor auditorium. After the screening, the visitors were divided into batches of 10 students each and were sent on the tour of college. Interns from our institution were roped into showing the visitors around the college.





# CULTURAL EVENTS

# Ganesh Chaturthi

RVDC celebrated Ganesh Chaturthi on September 8, 2022, in a grand and poised manner and it was organised by the interns and student welfare committee. The Ganesha Idol was adorned and placed in the main auditorium for darshan. All the teaching, non-teaching staff, and students were invited to attend the pooja which was conducted in a traditional manner.

Food was served in the pantry for all the teachers, non-teachers, and students, which was followed by a cultural programme consisting of group dances by interns. The day ended with Visarjan of the Ganesha Idol.

# International Dance Day

Every year, April 29th, is marked as International Dance Day. The Dance Committee of the International Theatre Institute, UNESCO's primary partner for the performing arts, created this day as a global celebration of dance. The event takes place every year on April 29, which is the anniversary of the birth of Jean-Georges Noverre, the creator of modern ballet. The event was conducted by the intern batch 2021-2022 and was hosted by Dr. Rithika Rao and Dr. Prakruthi N. The event began with a welcoming and inspiring speech by Dr. Asha Iyengar, Principal, RVDC. Each batch performed various dance forms: semi-classical, regional, such as Garba, Dandiya, Ghoomar, and Bollywood. Also, many international dance forms such as hip-hop, belly dancing, K-pop, jazz, and salsa were also presented. The event kept the audience very mesmerised, and the event concluded with a vote of thanks.

# Independence Day

The 75th Independence Day was celebrated in college on August 15, 2022, with great enthusiasm. On this day, the college was adorned with tricolour balloons. The principal raised the national flag, and then the national anthem played.

A cultural programme was held on August 24 in the main auditorium. Students of the college participated in various activities like solo singing, group dancing, a fashion show, and a group song. The event was wrapped up with the distribution of refreshments.

# Onam

Onam, a unique festival of Kerala was celebrated by the interns batch of 2021-2022 on 18th October 2022. Our Principal Dr. Asha Iyengar inaugurated the Onam celebration by lighting the lamp, welcomed the gathering, and wished everyone a Happy Onam. The students made a beautiful Pookalam in the main auditorium. One student was dressed as Maveli who was the centre of attraction. After the inauguration, the students distributed Payasam followed by games like Tug of War.

# Teacher's Day

On the occasion of Teacher's Day, the interns at RVDC, organised a heart-touching programme for their teachers, which was celebrated on September 12, 2022. The events for the day included a group dance by the intern batch and a solo song. Teachers were made to play some fun games. The day concluded with the distribution of small gifts to all the staff.

# Dandiya Night

Garba is a form of dance as well as a religious and social event that originates in Gujarat, India. Garba is performed during Navratri, the longest and largest dance festival in the world. On October 20, Dandiya Night was celebrated at RVDC. Dr. Nirbhi Tandon and Dr. D. Gibekhaa served as the event's hosts, and the intern batch of 2021-2022 organised it. The event began with a welcoming and inspiring speech by Dr. Asha Iyengar, Principal RVDC, followed by a ramp walk for staff and students and a performance by the outgoing interns. The event further went on by doing garba and dandiya on various songs by the staff and the students in the main auditorium.





# Fun Fair and Cosplay

RVDC had organised a fun fair on October 22, 2022. The fair was inaugurated by our Principal, Dr. Asha Iyengar by cutting the ribbon. Students had put up Stall with various innovative ideas and items, which included homemade jewellery, games, a photo booth, drinks, and snacks. On the same day, there was a cosplay dress code where all students dressed up as their favourite characters from movies or TV shows. The overall reaction of the fair attendees was great. The event closed with great pomp.

# Kannada Rajyotsava

RVDC celebrated Kannada Rajyotsava on November 23, 2022, in a grand and poised manner. It was organised by the Student Support and Welfare Committee and the Intern Batch of 2017–2022. The Chief Guest for the programme was renowned Kannada cinema and television actress, Mrs. Sudha Belawadi. A green awareness campaign was also conducted on this occasion. The cultural programme comprised folk dance of Karnataka, historical drama, a ramp walk depicting different districts of Karnataka by staff, and a dance tribute to Dr. Puneeth Rajkumar. The programme was conducted under the banner of IDA and NSS. Lunch was arranged for teaching staff, non-teaching staff, and students.





# POEMS

By Staff

# Dr. Bharathi M B

(HOD, Department of Pathology and Microbiology)

## ಕಣಿವೆಯ ಹಾಡು

ಕೇಳೇ ಗೆಳತಿ,

ಹೇಳಿದವರಾರು ನಿನಗೆ,..ಭೂಮ್ಯುಕಾಶಕ ಬಲು-ಬಲು ಅಂತರ...

ನೀ ಬಂದು ನೋಡಬಾರದೆ ಇಲ್ಲಿಗೆ,..ಅವು ಹೇಳಿವೆ ನಾವಿಲ್ಲಿ ಏನಿತ್ತು ಹತ್ತಿರ-ಹತ್ತಿರ.

ನಡುವೆ ಇದೆಯಷ್ಟೇ, ಒಂದಿಷ್ಟು ಗಿರಿ-ಕಂದರಗಳ ಹಂದರ.

ಗುಡ್ಡ ಏರಿದರೆ ಕಂಡೀತು ಕೆಂಪು ಮಣ್ಣು-ಕಲ್ಲಿನ ಮೇಲಿನ ಹಸಿರ ಹಾಸಿಗೆ,

ನಿಂತು ಕಣ್ ಚಾಚಿದರೆ ಮರೆವುದೆಲ್ಲಾ ಮನದ ಬೇಗೆ.

ಅದು ಸುವಿಶಾಲ ನೀಲಿ ಆಗಸದ ಅಂಗಳ,

ನಿರುಕಿಸಿ ಅಚ್ಚರಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ನೋಡುತ್ತಿವೆ ನೋಡು, ಗಿರಿ - ಗುಡ್ಡಗಳ ತೋರಣ.

ತವಕದಿ ಬಿಡಲಾರೇನಂದು ಬೆಟ್ಟಗಳನ್ನಷ್ಟಿದ ಹಸಿರು ಗಿಡ ಮರ ಲತೆಗಳು,

ಉಸಿರಿವೆ ನೀವಿಲ್ಲ ನಿಲ್ಲಿ ಎಂದು.

ಕಣ್ಣಿಂದ ಅದೆಂತಹ ಚೆಲುವಿನ ಮೆರವಣಿಗೆ,

ನೋಡಿದಷ್ಟೂ, ಪ್ರಕೃತಿಯ ಸೊಬಗಿನ ಸಾಲು-ಸಾಲು ಅಟ್ಟಣೆಗೆ.

ಕೇಳಿತೇನು ನಿನಗೆ, ತಂಗಾಳಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಹಾಯ್ದು ಬಂದ ಹಕ್ಕಿಗಳಿಂಚರ,

ಇಳಿಸಂಜೆಯಲಿ ಸೋಕಿತಲ್ಲ, ಸೊಂಪಿನ ಹೊಂಗಿರಣ.

ಮೈ ಮರತ ನಮಗೆ, ಹಸಿರೇನೋ ಉಸುರಿತು, ಕೇಳಿತೇನು,

ಕಾಣಿಸದೆ, ನಿಮಗೆ ತೇಲಿ ಬಂದ ಮೋಡಗಳ ಸಾಲು-ಸಾಲು,

ಜೊತೆ-ಜೊತೆಯಾಗಿ ಬಂದ ಆ ಬೆಳ್ಳಿಯ ಮಂಜಿನ ತೆರೆ,

ಮುಸುಕಿತಲ್ಲ, ಮರೆಯಾದುವೆಲ್ಲಾ, ನೀನೇಕೆ ನಿಂದಿರುವೆ ಇಲ್ಲೆ,

ಸಾಕು-ಸಾಕು ಇಂದಿಗೆ, ದಿಟ್ಯಾದೀತು ನನಗೆ..

ಬಂದಿಹಳೆನ್ನ ಇರುಳ-ಸವಿ, ತಂಪೆರೆಯಲು,

ಮಲಗಬೇಕಿದೆ ನಾನೀಗ, ಮಂಜಿನ ಹೊದಿಕೆಯೊಳಗೆ,

ಕಾವಲಿರುವರಲ್ಲ, ಚಂದ್ರ-ತಾರೆಗಳು.

ಮರೆಯದೆ ಬಾರೆ -ಬಾರೆ ನೀ ಮುಂಜಾನೆಗೆ,

ನಾ ಮಿಂದೆದ್ದು, ಮತ್ತದೇ ಸಂಭ್ರಮದಲ್ಲಿ ಕಾಯುತ್ತಿರುವೆ ನಿನಗಾಗಿ,

ಹೊಚ್ಚ ಹೊಸ ಹೊಂಗಿರಣದ ಆ ದಿನದ ಸಂತಸಕೆ..

ಬಾ, ಮತ್ತೊಮ್ಮೆ, ಮಗದೊಮ್ಮೆ, ಇನ್ನೊಮ್ಮೆ!! .

-ಭಾರತಿ, ಮಿರ್ಲೆ





# POEMS

by Students

# Geetanjali D

(IV BDS)

## a. ಕೇವಲ ಮನುಷ್ಯರು

ಸಂಜೆ ಬಳಲಿದ ಅಪ್ಪನನ್ನು ನೋಡಿ ಕೇಳಿತು ಈ ಮನವು,  
ಎಲ್ಲಿ ಕಾಣೆಯಾಯಿತು ಆ ಭೂಕಂಪನಕ್ಕೂ ನಲುಗದ ಪರ್ವತ?  
ಬೆಳಗ್ಗೆ ಅಮ್ಮನ ಅಳಲನ್ನು ಕೇಳಿ ಆಲೋಚಿಸಿತು ಈ ಮನವು,  
ಎಲ್ಲಿ ಹೋಯಿತು ಆ ಎಂದಿಗೂ ದೃತಿಗೆಡದೆ ಹರಿಯುವ ನದಿ?  
ಹೀಗೆ ಮನವು ಆಲೋಚಿಸುತ್ತಾ ಆಲೋಚಿಸುತ್ತಾ ಬೋಧಿವೃಕ್ಷ ರಹಿತವಾದ ಜ್ಞಾನೋದಯವೊಂದ  
ಅನುಭವಿಸಿತು ಅದೇನೆಂದರೆ.....  
ಈ ಮಾನವ ಕುಲದ ದೇವರೆಂದು ಘೋಷಿತರಾದ ಅಪ್ಪ ಅಮ್ಮನು ಸಹ ಕೇವಲ ಮನುಷ್ಯರಲ್ಲವೇ!!

## b. ಮಹಾಭಾರತ 101

ಪ್ರತಿಜ್ಞೆಯಿಂದ ಭೀಷ್ಮನಾದ ದೇವವ್ರತನು.  
ವನದಲ್ಲಿ ಹುಟ್ಟಿದರು ಕುಂತಿಯ ಪಾಂಡವರು,  
ಹಸ್ತಿನಾಪುರದಲ್ಲಿ ಜನಿಸಿದ ಶತಕೌರವರು.  
ಅರ್ಜುನ ಪ್ರಿಯ ಶಿಷ್ಯನೆಂದ ದ್ರೋಣನು  
ಆದರೆ ಆದರ್ಶ ಶಿಷ್ಯನಾದ ಏಕಲವ್ಯನು.  
ಉರಿಯಿತು ಪಾಂಡವರ ಅರಗಿನಮನೆ,  
ದ್ರೌಪದಿಯು ಕೈಹಿಡಿದಳು ಈ ಕುಮಾರರನೆ.  
ಯುಧಿಷ್ಠಿರನಾಳಿದ ಇಂದ್ರಪ್ರಸ್ಥವ,  
ಜೂಜಿನಿಂದ ಅನುಭವಿಸಿದ ವನವಾಸವ.  
ಹದಿಮೂರು ವರ್ಷಗಳ ಬಳಿಕ ಕೇಳಿದ ರಾಜ್ಯವಾ,  
ಆದರೆ ದುರ್ಯೋಧನನೆಂದ ಮಾಡು ಯುದ್ಧವಾ.

ಕೃಷ್ಣನ ಪಾಂಚಜನ್ಯವು ಮೊಳಗಿತು,  
ಪಾರ್ಥನಿಗೆ ಭಾಗವತದ ದರ್ಶನವೂ ಆಯಿತು.  
ಭೀಷ್ಮನು ಶಿಖಂಡಿಗೆ ಸೋತನು,  
ಮಿಥ್ಯ ಪುತ್ರಶೋಕದಿಂದ ಸತ್ತ ದ್ರೋಣನು.  
ಅಭಿಮನ್ಯು ಭೇದಿಸಿದ ಚಕ್ರವ್ಯೂಹ,  
ಮುರಾರಿಯು ತೀರಿಸಿದ ಧನಂಜಯನ ದಾಹ.  
ದುಶ್ಯಾಸನನ ರಕ್ತದಿಂದ ಪಾಂಚಾಲಿಯ ಕೇಶ ಸ್ನಾನ,  
ಕೊನೆಗೂ ಸಿಕ್ಕಿತು ಕರ್ಣನಿಗೆ ಅಣ್ಣನೆಂಬ ಸ್ಥಾನ.  
ದ್ವೈಪಾಯನದಲಿ ಅಡಗಿದ ದುರ್ಯೋಧನನ  
ತೊಡೆ ಮುರಿದು ಭೀಮ ತೀರಿಸಿದ ತನ್ನ ಪ್ರಜ್ಞೆಯನ.  
ಮುಗಿಯಿತು ವ್ಯಾಸರ ಮಹಾಭಾರತ,  
ಹೇಳಿತು ಇಲ್ಲಿ ಧರ್ಮವೇ ಅಧಿರತ.

-ಅಂಜು

# Sahana Hebbani

(3rd BDS)

## HOPE, A SILVER LINING

Teary eyes, soaked pillows, running nose,  
Sleep was far to come,  
I had many sleepless nights.  
"Stay strong" says the society.  
For, I am a soldiers wife.  
It was 4 in the morning,  
There was a soft knock on the door.  
"What's up my love?" His voice sang,  
Looking straight into his eyes,  
Emotions gushed within me.  
The intoxicating scent, robust shoulders  
Reviving the every memory of us.  
"Tell me about your day" and he brightened the room.  
Ahh! that reverberating voice if his,  
enough to bring back the dead.  
The tingling sensation of touch,  
Our hearts beating in synchrony.  
We stand there, in warm embrace.  
Melting like a burning candle.  
For how long this wife has longed to be held,  
To be loved.  
While he looks look at me ,  
Small tears escapes my eyes.  
He whisper whispers in my ears,  
"I love you",  
He is the Naloxone for my heroin.



# Shreya V Kashyap

(2nd BDS)

## **O. Path and what lies underneath that**

Hematoxylin and Eosin

Which is purple? Which is pink?

Even today, it makes me think

Microscopic slides, Tooth specimens and Dental casts

You have to identify them all, quick and fast

Oral pathology is not just diagrams and art

But, you've got to be real smart

Adenomatoid Odontogenic tumor

The 2/3rd tumor or the most handsome

If only you could be 2/3rd as handsome

From starry sky and owl's eye

To dilapidated brick wall

For theory or viva, you have to know them all

Oral Hairy Leukoplakia

Is it black or is it white?

If you don't know, then you might not be so bright

Odontogenic Keratocyst

Always wants to be recurrent

If only I was half as persistent

Forensic odontology has lip prints and bite marks

But the only thing I need in O.Path is more marks

Oral pathology has so many entities

By the time you finish, you'll probably reach your nineties

To conclude, here are what my final words are going to be

Dear Oral Pathology,

You've not been very easy on me

But because of you, I'm sure, tomorrow a better dentist I will be



# AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS OF STAFF MEMBERS

January 2022 to December 2022



# Dr. Asha R Iyengar

Principal and Professor, Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology

- Delivered a lecture on “Oral Manifestations and Dental Management of a patient with Endocrine disorders” at “Online Master Class 2022” organised by RVDC held between 20th - 22nd April, 2022.
- Was awarded the “Best Principal of the Year 2022” by National Press council of India on 29th September, 2022.
- Was the President elect of the Karnataka Branch of Indian Academy of Oral Medicine and Radiology.
- Scientific Committee Chairperson at Karnataka State IAOMR Conference held on 30th Sept and 1st October, 2022.



# Dr. Dinesh M. R.

Professor, Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics

- Invited Speaker and Chairman of National Educational Policy, VVN Trust, on May 1, 2022.
- Appointed as the Member of Staff Appraisal Committee, Ramaiah University, on January 21, 2022, and January 22, 2022.
- Invited speaker for the "Topic: Accreditation for Quality Education" organised by Ambedkar Dental College on June 3, 2022.
- Invited speaker for the "Topic: Best Practices in Dental Education" organised by Ambedkar Dental College on June 3, 2022.
- Invited speaker for the "Topic: Quality in Higher Education" organised by VVN Degree College on June 13, 2022.



- Runner-up at the IDA Badminton Tournament organised on July 29-30, 2022
- Member Coordinator NAAC Assessor organised at Meerut, Uttar Pradesh, between 2/2/2022 and 5/2/2022.
- Member of the Ph.D. Committee, Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences.
- Member Coordinator NAAC Assessor organised at Trivandrum between 12/08/2022 and 14/08/2022.
- Member of Panel Discussion organised by Dayanand Sagar Dental College on December 29, 2022.
- Invited speaker for the self-study report presentation organised by Dayanand Sagar Dental College on December 29, 2022.



## Dr. Bharathi M. B.

Professor and Head, Department of General Pathology and Microbiology

- Organising chairman for the annual Hepatitis B vaccination programme for all the staff and students of RVDC for the year 2022.
- Organising chairman for the annual training programme on "Hospital Infection Control Practices for Health Care Workers (HCW) on 31.5.2022.
- Delivered the introductory talk and lecture from HICC for the 1st year BDS students on December 22, 2022.



## Dr. N. Kalavathy

Professor and Head, Department of Prosthodontics

- Organising chairman and speaker for the master class programme 'BASICS REVISITED 2022' on November 21st and 22nd, 2022, at RVDC.



# Dr. A. Anantharaj

Professor and Head, Department of  
Paediatric and Preventive Dentistry

- Appointed as the Member Institutional Review Board, Dayananda Sagar College of Dental Sciences.



# Dr. Veerendra Kumar B.

Professor and Head, Department of Oral Pathology and Microbiology

- Organising Chairman, IDA Karnataka State Students Conference, 2022.
- Central Council Member, Indian Dental Association, Karnataka State Branch, 2021-2022.
- Member, IDA State Level Award Committee, Indian Dental Association, Head Office (2022-2023).
- Moderator, National Webinar on "Verruco Papillary Lesions: Deliberations for General Dentists and Specialists," organised by the Department of Oral Pathology and Microbiology, RVDC, Bengaluru, September 28, 2022.
- Chairman of the Scientific Session, National Conference of IAOMP, at Dehradun, Uttarakhand, from November 11–13, 2022.
- Chairman of the Scientific Session, IDA Karnataka State Student Dental Conference, held on November 19, 2022, at RVDC, Bengaluru.
- Invited Speaker at the "Dentists Convention 2022" at Kuvempu Kalakshetra, V S Dental College, Bangalore, on September 3, 2022; Topic: 'Practice Management'.



# Dr. Suchetha A

Professor and Head, Department of  
Periodontology

- Member of the Research Advisory Committee for SDM College of Dental Sciences and Hospital.
- Member of the Research Advisory Committee for the Government Dental College and Research Institute, Bangalore.
- She chaired the scientific session at the IDA Karnataka State Student Dental Conference held on November 19, 2022, at RVDC, Bangalore.



# Dr. Sunil Vasudev

Professor and Head, Department of Oral  
and Maxillofacial Surgery

- Keynote speaker on the topic "Challenges and Decision Making in Mandible Fractures" in the 9th AOMSI Karnataka State Chapter held at Mysore between October 13th and 15th, 2022.
- Organising chairman for the "Basic and Intermediate Workshop on Implantology" conducted at RVDC on December 1 and 13, 2022.
- Chairperson for Postgraduate Paper Presentations in the 9th AOMSI Karnataka State Chapter held in Mysore between October 13 and 15, 2022.
- Chairperson for Undergraduate Paper Presentations in the IDA Karnataka State Student Convention 2022 held at RVDC on November 19, 2022.





# Dr. Keshava Prasad. B.S.

Professor and Head, Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics

- Reviewer for “RGUHS Journal of Dental Sciences”, “World Journal of Dentistry”, “International Journal of Research”, “The Journal of Conservative Dentistry”.
- Delivered a Guest lecture at “Rapid Recap- Sculpting the Future -2022” at RVDC, Bangalore on 9th April 2022, presented a paper on “How to answer a theory paper during university exams”.
- Organising chairman for “Rapid Recap- Sculpting the Future” from 7th to 9th April 2022 at Shaswathi Auditorium R V College of Legal Studies & Main Auditorium - RVDC & was Chairperson - Scientific session, “Rapid Recap Sculpting the Future- 2022”, at RVDC, Bangalore from 7th to 9th April, 2022.
- Organising chairman for a lecture and demo programme on “Inject & Impress” by Dr Chandramouli at Sivananda Sarma Auditorium, D A Pandu Memorial R V Dental College, on 18th June, 2022, organised by the Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics, in association with GC India.
- Reviewer and Editorial Board member for Journal of Restorative Dentistry and Endodontics, ACE Karnataka.
- Recognised as Ph.D. guide by Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bangalore.



# Dr. Harikiran A G

Professor and Head, Department of Public Health Dentistry

- Organising Chairman for the International Consultative Meeting on Karnataka State Oral Health Policy Directions organised on Dec 15th, 2022.
- Organising Chairman for the Undergraduate Research Exposition on 25th June 2022.
- Organising Chairman for the 2nd Dr. Pandurangi Memorial Research Grant Award on 25th June 2022.
- Was invited as a Committee member [Domain Expert] for “Karnataka health Vision Group: Sub Committee On Oral Health” Constituted by the Ministry of health and family Welfare and the Ministry of medical Education: Government of Karnataka.
- Was invited as Guest Speaker for Pathfinder IX on March 9th & 10th, 2022 at KLE Institute of Dental Sciences.
- Has contributed to Karnataka State Health Vision Group Report.



# Dr. Praveen P

Professor, Department of Paediatric and Preventive Dentistry

- Was the Chairperson for the South Asian Association of Pediatric Dentistry Conference, 2022.



# Dr. Seema Patil

Professor and Head, Department of Oral  
Medicine and Radiology

- Delivered a talk on "Hand Hygiene and Post Exposure Prophylaxis" at Jagriti-Foundational Course for Clinical Care for 3rd BDS students conducted at RVDC between 21st - 24th February, 2022.
- Delivered a lecture on "Antibiotics in Dentistry" at "Online Master Class 2022" organised by RVDC held between 20th - 22nd April 2022.
- Delivered a talk on "Dos and don'ts of Needle stick injury and importance of hand hygiene" for Group D employees at RVDC held on 31st May, 2022.
- Chairperson at Undergraduate IAOMR convention held on June 4th, 2022.
- Scientific Committee Chairperson at Karnataka State IAOMR Conference held on 30th September and 1st October, 2022.
- Moderator for Puzzle based learning session held at Karnataka State IAOMR Conference held on 30th September and 1st October, 2022.



# Dr. H. Murali Rao

Professor, Department of Conservative Dentistry  
& Endodontics

- Presented a paper on " Indirect restorations" at the 20 years anniversary ceremony of Can Tho University of Medicine and Pharmacy, Vietnam- Emerging Dental Technologies during June 2022.
- Was Chairperson - Scientific session, "Rapid Recap Sculpting the Future- 2022", at RVDC, Bangalore from 7th to 9th April 2022.
- Member, review board, JCD
- Member , editorial board, SRM university.



- Member, dental materials group of international association of dental research.
- Member of International Association of Dental Traumatology.
- Member, Board of Studies, Kerala university.
- Inspector, Dental Council of India.
- Executive member, FODI.
- Organizing committee member for a lecture and demo programme on “Inject & Impress” by Dr. Chandramouli at Sivananda Sarma Auditorium, RVDC, on 18th June, 2022, organised by the Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics, in association with GC India.
- Organising committee member for “Rapid Recap- Sculpting the Future ” from 7th to 9th April, 2022 at Shaswathi Auditorium, RV Institute of Legal Studies & Main Auditorium - RVDC.
- Was a Chairperson for the Scientific session at the 30th National Conference of Indian Endodontic Society, The Grand, New Delhi from 14th to 16th October, 2022.
- Was a Judge in the Scientific Session – Table clinic at the 37th IACDE National Conference 2022, held from 17th to 20th November, 2022 at Bhopal (MP).
- Was a Chairperson at the 37th IACDE National Conference 2022, held from 17th to 20th November 2022 at Bhopal (MP).
- As a valuable visiting professor at Can Tho University of Medicine and Pharmacy- Emerging Dental Technologies, Can Tho, Vietnam.



## Dr. Akshai Shetty K R

Professor, Department of Orthodontics and  
Dentofacial Orthopaedics

- Guest Speaker at the 25th IOS National PG Students convention, Mangalore On the Topic “Surgical orthodontics - Complex Surgical Cases involving all three dimensions held between 28th April and 1st May 2022.
- Guest Speaker at the 56th Indian orthodontic conference, Pune on the Topic “Surgery First Approach” held on 16th – 18th September 2022.
- Guest speaker for 3M MBT 5.0 TREATMENT MECHANICS, Mangalore.



# Dr. Mitha Shetty

Reader, Department of Prosthodontics

- Resource person for the Basic and intermediate workshop on implantology on 1/12/2022 at RVDC.



# Dr. P Roshan Kumar

Reader, Department of Prosthodontics

- Speaker for the Master class Programme 'BASICS REVISITED 2022' on 21st & 22nd November, 2022 at RVDC.
- Resource person for the Basic and intermediate workshop on implantology on 1/12/2022 at RVDC.
- Secretary of IPS Bangalore Branch and EC Member of Indian Prosthodontic Society.



# Dr. Suma S

Reader, Department of Oral Pathology and Microbiology

- Reviewer, Journal of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology, a PUBMED indexed journal; official publication of Indian Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathologists.
- Reviewer, RGUHS Journal of Dental Sciences, State Government University Journal.

- Invited as Guest of Honour on OOAL Award Night, organised by Odont Academy of Learning, on 12th March, 2022.
- Invited as a judge for “The Creative Doctors – a virtual cultural fest”, organised by Odont Academy of Learning, 6th November, 2022.
- Invited as guest speaker on the occasion of National Oral Pathologists’ Day, at Krishnadevaraya College of Dental Sciences, Bangalore, on 25th February, 2022. The topic was “Conflux of Oral Pathology and Clinical Dentistry” (offline).



# Dr. Sapna N

Reader, Department of Periodontology

- Has been one of the resource persons for the workshop on ‘Empathy’ held from 21st - 24th February, 2022.
- Has delivered a guest lecture on ‘Periodontal Medicine’ at Perio Panorama-2022 held at RVDC on 12th April, 2022.
- Secured 7th rank in All India Sudoku Championship held on 19/6/2022, 10th rank in All India Kakuo Championship on 12/11/2022, 4th position in Pan India Sudoku Tournament held on 18/12/2022, participated in All India Sudoku Championship Winter -2022 held on 18/12/2022.
- Has been one of the resource persons for ANKUR-I BDS Orientation Programme conducted by RVDC, Bangalore on the topic “Pen is mightier than the sword.” on 14-12-22.
- Has been one of the resource persons in the ‘Basic and Intermediate Implant workshop on the topic ‘Maintenance of Implants’ on 1-12-2022.
- Has been one of the resource persons for the workshop ‘Ethics and Professionalism’ held as a part of Jagriti-foundation course for clinical cases held from 5th - 7th December, 2022.





# Dr. Deepak S

Reader, Department of Oral and  
Maxillofacial Surgery

- Keynote Speaker on the “Topic – Sinus lift Bone Grafting” in the 9th AOMSI Karnataka State Chapter held at Mysore between 13th and 15th October, 2022.
- Resource person for the “Basic and Intermediate Workshop on Implantology” conducted at DAPMRV Dental College on the 1st and 13th Dec 2022.
- Underwent International Training in the NEW concept of “MINIMALIZATION OF SINUS LIFT SURGERY” at DENTIUM Headquarters Seoul between 20th and 23rd September 2022.
- Chairperson for Postgraduate paper presentations in the 9th AOMSI Karnataka State Chapter held at Mysore between 13th and 15th October, 2022.
- Resource Person for Hands on Training for Sinus lift Bone grafting at Hotel Chancery Pavilion, Bengaluru held on 12th Nov 2022.
- Resource person for One day Workshop on “Basic and Intermediate Implant Course” held at SJM Dental College and Hospital on 25th May, 2022.
- Reviewer for the RGUHS Journal of Dental Sciences and the Journal “Annals of Maxillofacial Surgery”.
- Academic Council Member – Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences.



# Dr. Madhura M G

Reader, Department of Oral Pathology and  
Microbiology

- Invited Speaker for National Online Programme, Oral Pathology organised by Oral Pathology 360 India. Title of the Presentation - ‘Researcher experience: The challenges of OSCC Molecular Biomarker studies’ on 19th April, 2022.

- Internal evaluation of the faculty research proposals for financial grants in the specialty of Oral Pathology and Microbiology under Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Karnataka for the year 2021- 2022.
- Invited to be Jury member for the student poster session at 3-day National Seminar on 'Biotechnology for Better Life' organised by the Department of Biotechnology, Sir M Visvesvaraya Institute of Technology at Sir MVIT Campus Bengaluru for day 1 on 15th December, 2022.
- Assistant editor, Journal of Advanced Clinical and Research Insights, JCRI, an international peer reviewed indexed journal and Journal of Medicine, Radiology, Pathology and Surgery, JMRPS, an international peer reviewed indexed journal.
- Reviewer for Journal of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology, a PUBMED indexed journal; official publication of Indian Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathologists, RGUHS Journal of Dental Sciences, Journal of Cancer Research and Therapeutics, Journal of Clinical and Diagnostic Research, Archives of Medicine and Health Sciences and Indian Journal of Surgical Oncology.



# Dr. Darshan B M

Reader, Department of Periodontology

- Has delivered a guest lecture on 'Periodontal Plastic Surgeries' at Perio Panorama-2022 held at RVDC on 12th April, 2022.
- Has been one of the resource persons in the 'Basic and Intermediate Implant workshop on the topic 'Implant Complications' on 1-12-2022.
- Was awarded commendation prize for paper presentation in ISPCON 2022- 46th ISP conference held at Bhubaneshwar from 11-13th November, 2022.



# Dr. Apoorva S M

Reader, Department of Periodontology

- Has delivered a guest lecture on 'Cementum in Health and Disease' at Perio Panorama - 2022 held at RVDC on 12th April, 2022.
- Has been the speaker for CDE conducted by Department of Periodontics, RV Dental College on the occasion of the birth anniversary of Dr.G.B. Shankwalkar, on 1st August which is observed as oral hygiene day. Programme was conducted on 16.8.2022.



# Dr. Subash B V

Reader, Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology

- Resource person for a workshop titled "Developing a module for Empathy " for undergraduate students held as a part of Jagriti-Foundational Course for Clinical Care for 3rd BDS students conducted at RVDC between 21st - 24th February, 2022.  
Delivered a lecture on "Corticosteroids in Dentistry" at "Online Master Class 2022" organised by RVDC held between 20th and 22nd April, 2022.
- Delivered a talk on "The hazards and ill effects of Tobacco on general health and environment" at RVDC, Bangalore and SSSMRV College, Bangalore on 31st May, 2022.
- Chairperson at Undergraduate IAOMR convention held on June 4th 2022 at Oxford Dental College, Bangalore.
- Scientific Committee Member at Karnataka State IAOMR Conference held on 30th September and 1st October, 2022.



- Moderator for Puzzle based learning session held at Karnataka State IAOMR Conference held on 30th September and 1st October, 2022.
- Judge for the debate competition at the IDA Karnataka state student dental conference held on 19th November, 2022.



# Dr. Roopak Mathew David

Reader, Department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial Orthopaedics

- Appointed as NODAL OFFICER to monitor tele triaging of Covid 19 Patients to assist Karnataka state government in association with Project Step One. (January, 2022).
- Coordinator for Government of India Programme titled "Spreading Smiles- in intellectually disabled sports enthusiasts for Special Olympics" (7 April, 2022).

## Fashion Shows and Brand shoots

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- Walked the ramp as SHOWSTOPPER for International Fashion Week Mumbai and for Celebrity Fashion Designer Pankaj Soni – March, 2022.
- Invited for a photoshoot as a professional model for Bollywood and celebrity photographer Amit Khanna styled by celebrity stylist Mohit Kapoor of Big Boss fame.
- Brand shoot for Samyak clothing, July 2022 and Zara India, August 2022 – Mumbai, for Samyak Grooms, September, 2022 and Pidilite, October, 2022 – Bangalore and for Luxe Lamp Resorts October, 2022 – Kodaikanal.
- Featured in Body positivity Fashion Magazine September, 2022 edition.



# Dr. Jyotsna S

Reader, Department of Public Health Dentistry

- Was invited as an Expert for Curriculum Module for National One year Certificate Course for Health Professions Education organised by Indian Association of Prosthodontics for the year 2021-2022.



# Dr. Deepti Vadavi

Reader, Department of Public Health Dentistry

- Organising Secretary for the International Consultative Meeting on Karnataka State Oral Health Policy Directions organised on December 15th, 2022.
- Organising Secretary for the Undergraduate Research Exposition on 25th June, 2022.
- Organising Secretary for the 2nd Dr Pandurangi Memorial Research Grant Award on 25th June , 2022.
- Was invited as Guest Speaker for Pathfinder IX on March 9th & 10th, 2022 at KLE Institute of Dental Sciences.
- Was invited as an Expert for Curriculum Module for National One year Certificate Course for Health Professions Education organised by Indian Association of Prosthodontics for the year 2021-2022.



## Dr. Vanamala N

Reader, Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics

- Was a Chairperson - Scientific session, "Rapid Recap Sculpting the Future- 2022", at RVDC, Bangalore from 7th to 9th April, 2022.
- Reviewer for RGUHS Journal of Dental Sciences.
- Organising Secretary for Rapid-Recap 2022 – Master class conducted on 7th, 8th and 9th April 2022 at DAPMRV Dental College in association with ACE-K and IACDE.
- Organising committee member for a lecture and demo programme on "Inject & Impress" by Dr Chandramouli at Sivananda Sarma Auditorium, RVDC, on 18th June, 2022, organised by the Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics, in association with GC India.
- Panelist for scientific poster presentation on 24th April 2022 at Indo-Aesthetic CDE Programme conducted by Government Dental College, Bangalore.
- NIRF Co-ordinator and NAAC – Steering committee member during 2022.



## Dr. Sheela N V

Reader, Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics

- Was Chairperson - Scientific session, "Rapid Recap Sculpting the Future- 2022", at RVDC, Bangalore from 7th to 9th April 2022.
- Organising committee member for "Rapid Recap- Sculpting the Future " from 7th to 9th April, 2022 at Shaswathi Auditorium RV Institute of Legal Studies & Main Auditorium - RVDC.



- Organising committee member for a lecture and demo Programme on “Inject & Impress” by Dr Chandramouli at Sivananda Sarma Auditorium, RVDC, on 18th June, 2022, organised by the Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics, in association with GC India.
- Reviewer for Dental Essence Journal and RGUHS Journal of Dental Sciences.
- Internal Resource person and member of the Organising Committee, HPEU for “Jagriti – Foundation course for Clinical Care, held on 5th, 6th and 7th December, 2022.



## Dr. Bala Vikhram K

Reader, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

- Resource person for the “Basic and Intermediate Workshop on Implantology” conducted at RVDC on the 1st and 13th December, 2022.
- Chairperson for Undergraduate paper presentations at the IDA Karnataka State Student Dental Conference at RVDC on 19th November, 2022.
- Chairperson for Postgraduate paper presentations in the 9th AOMSI Karnataka State Chapter held at Mysore between 13th and 15th October, 2022.
- Awarded the Fellow of Oral Implantology by the Branemark Osseointegration Center India (BOCI) in August, 2022.



## Dr. Sindhu H

Reader, Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics

- Was Chairperson - Scientific session, “Rapid Recap Sculpting the Future- 2022”, at RVDC, Bangalore from 7th to 9th April, 2022.

- Organising committee member for “Rapid Recap-Sculpting the Future ” from 7th to 9th April, 2022 at Shaswathi Auditorium RV Institute of Legal Studies & Main Auditorium - RVDC.
- Organizing committee member for a lecture and demo programme on “Inject & Impress” by Dr Chandramouli at Sivananda Sarma Auditorium, RVDC, on 18th June, 2022, organised by the Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics, in association with GC India.



## Dr. Tarun G S

Reader, Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics

- Was Chairperson - Scientific session, “Rapid Recap Sculpting the Future- 2022”, at RVDC, Bangalore from 7th to 9th April, 2022.
- Organising committee member for “Rapid Recap-Sculpting the Future” from 7th to 9th April, 2022 at Shaswathi Auditorium RV Institute of Legal Studies & Main Auditorium - RVDC
- Organising member for a lecture and demo programme on “Inject & Impress” by Dr. Chandramouli at Sivananda Sarma Auditorium, RVDC, on 18th June, 2022, organised by the Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics, in association with GC India.



## Dr. Vinodhini K

Lecturer, Department of Periodontology

- Has been one of the resource persons for ANKUR-I BDS Orientation Programme conducted by RVDC, Bangalore on the topic “Oral Hygiene.” on 21-12-22.

- Has chaired the scientific session at IDA Karnataka State Student Dental Conference held on 19th November, 2022 at RVDC, Bangalore.



## Dr. Sudhir R

Lecturer, Department of Pedodontics and Preventive Dentistry

- Has been included in the World Book of Records, London on 6th June, 2022 for the most number of free school oral health programmes organised and conducted by a Pediatric Dentist and providing treatment for 225659 children in 1043 camps since the year 2000 till date.



## Dr. Revan Kumar Joshi

Lecturer, Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology

- Guest lecture to Indian Oil corporation south zone employees in a hybrid mode on “Oral hygiene and its importance” at 9th July, 2022, Indian Oil Bhavan Bangalore.
- Delivered a talk on “The importance of oral health for a healthy living” at RV Girls High School, Jayanagar, Bangalore on 1st July, 2022.
- Delivered a lecture and conducted a workshop on “How to use CBCT in Practice” at Oxford Dental College and Hospital, Bangalore in September, 2022.
- Chairperson at Undergraduate IAOMR convention held on June 4th, 2022 at Oxford Dental College, Bangalore.
- Scientific coordinator at Karnataka State IAOMR Conference held on 30th September and 1st October, 2022.
- Scientific Chairman for IDA Karnataka state student dental conference held on 19th November, 2022.





# Dr. Supreetha Naik

Lecturer, Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics

- Organising committee member for “Rapid Recap-Sculpting the Future ” from 7th to 9th April, 2022 at Shaswathi Auditorium, RV Institute of Legal Studies & Main Auditorium - RVDC.
- Organising member for a lecture and demo programme on “Inject & Impress” by Dr. Chandramouli at Sivananda Sarma Auditorium, RVDC, on 18th June, 2022, organised by the Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics, in association with GC India.
- Completed Yoga Instructor’s Course – YIC 6 months through Swami Vivekananda Yoga Anusandhana Samsthana (S-VYASA), Bengaluru in the month of May, 2022 - online.
- Completed Yoga Teacher Training through Udemy on 23rd June, 2022 - online.
- Completed and was awarded as the Best Challenger of HFEN’s CP-31 (21st March to 3rd July, 2022).



# Dr. Sahana M S

Lecturer, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

- Awarded the title of Fellow of International Congress of Oral Implantology (FICOI) in the Asian Congress of ICOI held at Kochi, Bolgatty between 1st and 3rd September, 2022.
- Chairperson for Postgraduate paper presentations in the 9th AOMSI Karnataka State Chapter held at Mysore between 13th and 15th October, 2022.
- Resource person for the “Basic and Intermediate Workshop on Implantology” conducted at DAPMRV Dental College on the 1st and 13th December, 2022.
- Has been one of the resource persons for the workshop on ‘Infection Control and Patient Safety’ held as a part of Jagriti-foundation course for clinical cases held from 5th - 7th December 2022.



# Dr. Karanam Apoorva Prakash

Lecturer, Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics

- Organising member for “Rapid Recap- Sculpting the Future ” from 7th to 9th April 2022 at Shaswathi Auditorium RV Institute of Legal Studies & Main Auditorium - RVDC.
- Organising member for a lecture and demo programme on “Inject & Impress” by Dr. Chandramouli at Sivananda Sarma Auditorium, RVDC, on 18th June, 2022, organised by the Department of Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics, in association with GC India.



# Dr. Anuradha V

Lecturer, Department of Prosthodontics

- Has won the Best faculty paper presentation titled “AI-DRIVEN TRANSFORMATION OF PROSTHODONTICS” at the 49th IPS national conference, 3-5th December, 2021 at Chennai.



# Dr. Sarayu Gopal

Lecturer, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

- Resource person for the “Basic and Intermediate Workshop on Implantology” conducted at RVDC on the 1st and 13th December, 2022.



# Dr. Shriyanka R

Lecturer, Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology

- Chairperson at Undergraduate IAOMR convention held on June 4th, 2022 at Oxford Dental College, Bangalore.
- Scientific coordinator at Karnataka State IAOMR Conference held on 30th September and 1st October, 2022.
- Moderator for Puzzle based learning session held at Karnataka State IAOMR Conference held on 30th September and 1st October, 2022.
- Chairperson at IDA Karnataka state student dental conference held on 19th November, 2022.





# BRUSH STROKES AND BEYOND

The Artists of RVDC

by Staff Members



# Dr. Mitha Shetty

(Reader, Department of Prosthodontics)



Acrylic painting  
(title "Calm  
Countenance")



Mithila painting  
of Lord Ganesha

# Dr. Suma S

(Reader, Department of Oral Pathology and Microbiology)



# Dr. Sahana M S

(Lecturer, Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery)



# Kavyashree

(Lecturer, Department of Microbiology)





# DRAWINGS AND PAINTINGS

by Students



Dr. Dileep Kumar C N  
(3rd MDS, Department of Conservative  
Dentistry and Endodontics)

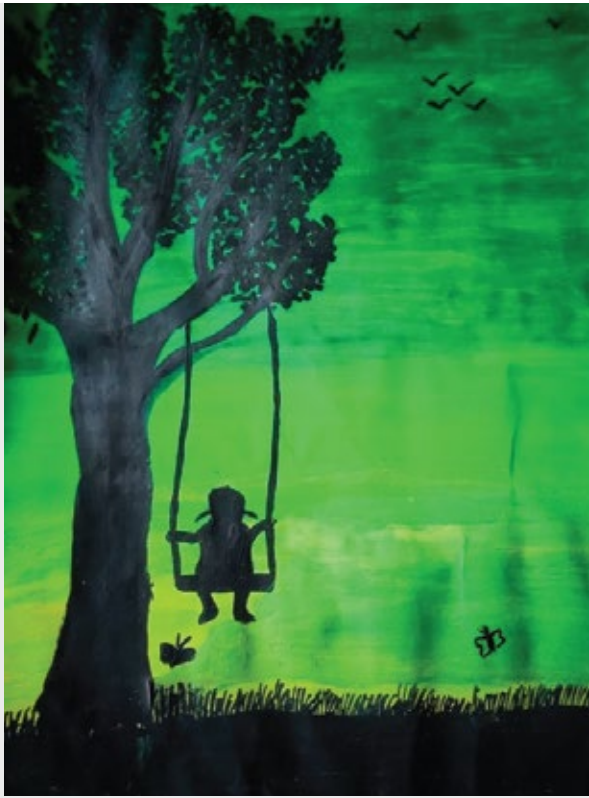


Dr. G Neelayathakshi  
(1st MDS, Department of Paediatric  
and Preventive Dentistry)



Dr. Aiswarya Parambath Sreedharan  
(1st MDS, Dept. of Paediatric and Preventive dentistry)





Dr. Vaishnavi K S  
(Intern)



Reshma Varma  
(4th BDS)



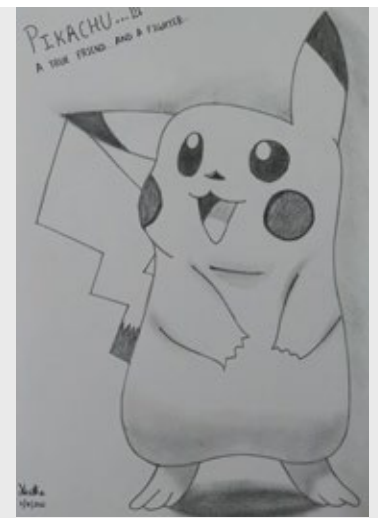
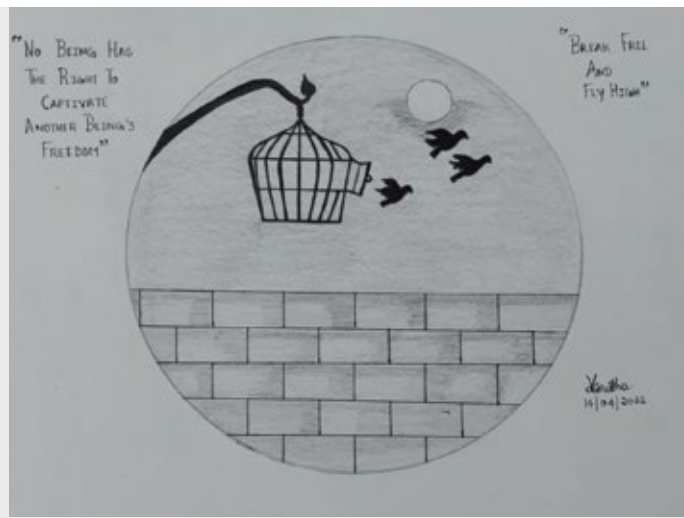


Monisha Gopal  
(4th BDS)



# Sandhya Harichandana

(4th BDS)

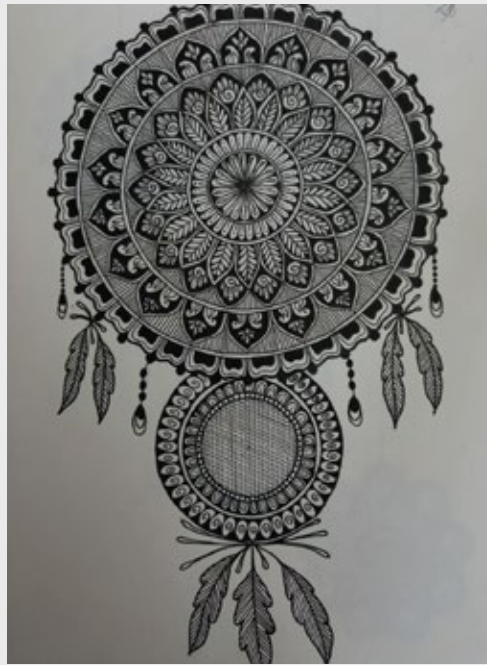


# Vinutha

(4th BDS)







# Pereddy Preethi

(3rd BDS)



# Prajna Aithal

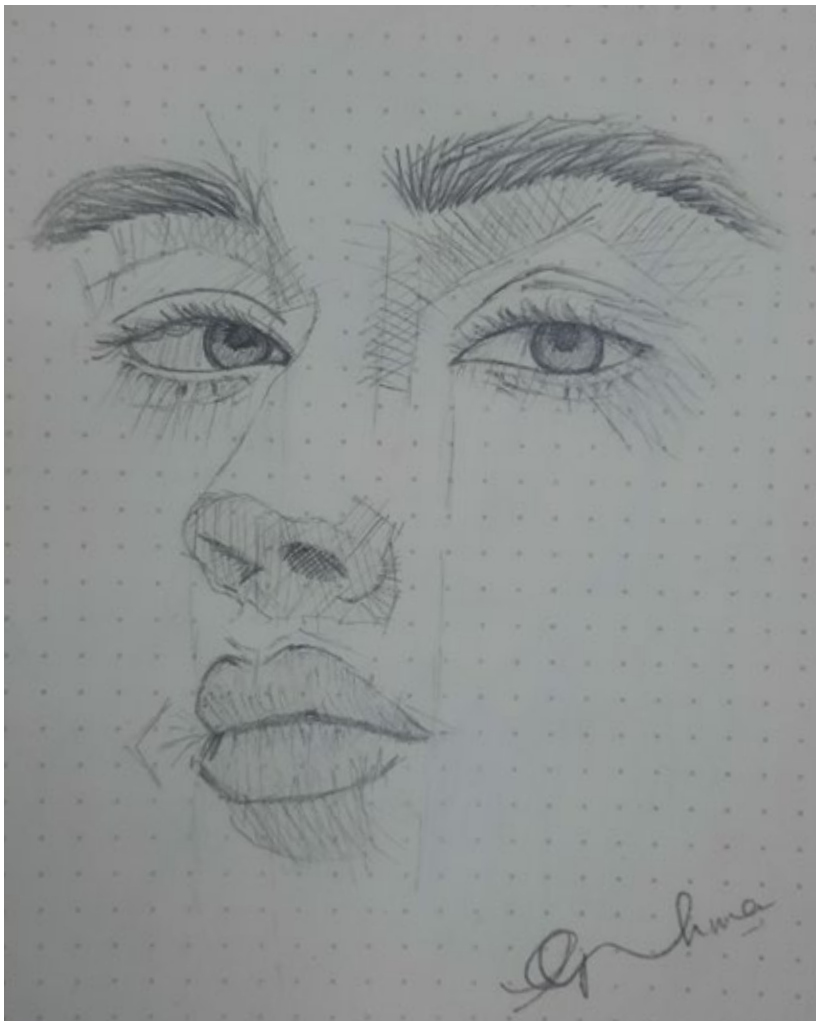
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# Sarayu M. Bharadwaj

(3rd BDS)



# Greeshma

(2nd BDS)



# Dr. Dileep Kumar C N

(post graduate, Dept. of Conservative  
Dentistry and Endodontics)



# STUDENTS' ACHIEVEMENTS





## Dr. Alba Dinesh

(3rd MDS, Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology)

Secured 1st Prize at Dissertation Competition held by KIAOMR in association with BIDS held on 22nd April, 2022.



## Dr. Lathashree

(3rd MDS, Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology)

Secured 2nd Prize at Dissertation Competition held by KIAOMR in association with BIDS held on 22nd April, 2022.



## Dr. Aditi

(3rd MDS, Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology)

Secured Second Prize for scientific paper presentation titled "Assessment of Tobacco Exposure by Salivary Cotinine levels and evaluation of Oral health in a subset of pregnant women in Karnataka " held at 33rd National IAOMR conference held at Kalinga Institute of dental Sciences, Bhubaneswar on 8th December, 2022.



## Dr. Srija R

(3rd MDS, Department of Oral medicine and Radiology)

Secured First Prize for scientific paper presentation titled "Assessment of Salivary cotinine levels in a subset of non-smoking tobacco selling vendors in Bangalore city" held at 33rd National IAOMR conference held at Kalinga Institute of Dental Sciences, Bhubaneswar on 8th December, 2022.



Dr. Priyanka B M  
and



Dr. Divyashree

(1st MDS, Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology)

Secured First Prize for poster competition held at Karnataka State IAOMR Conference on 30th September and 1st October, 2022 for the poster title "Artificial Intelligence – A confluence of Technology and Dentistry".



Dr. Bhuvana

(3rd MDS, Department of Prosthodontics and Crown & Bridge)



and

Dr. Rakshan K G (2nd MDS)

Secured 3rd Prize for prostho fun quiz held from 4th-6th March, 2022 at 24th IPS Post Graduate Convention held at Dharwad.



Dr. Bhuvana

(3rd MDS, Department of Prosthodontics and crown & bridge)

Secured Best Scientific Paper Award at 24th IPS PG convention from 4th-6th March, 2022 held at Dharwad.



## Dr. Rohini

(3rd MDS, Department of Paediatric and Preventive Dentistry)

Secured THIRD BEST SCIENTIFIC PAPER AWARD titled “ Evolutionary implant – a new hope for transitional dentition” held at Kalinga Institute of Dental Sciences, Odisha (28th - 30th July, 2022).



## Dr. Dimple Atodaria

(3rd MDS, Department of Public Health Dentistry)

3rd Rank in RGUHS Postgraduate Examination



## Dr. Huma Nawaz

(3rd MDS, Department of Public Health Dentistry)

8th Rank in RGUHS Postgraduate Examination



## Dr. Poojitha Kommanna

(3rd MDS, Department of Periodontics)

Has secured 9th Rank in 1st MDS basic sciences examination at the RGUHS University Exam 2022.



## Dr. Aditi Gupta

(2nd MDS, Department of Periodontics)

Has won 1 Silver Medal in weight lifting at “I Compete Natural Championship” held at Grand Gigi’s Cavelossum between 10th and 11th December, 2022.





## Dr. Dhrittisha Parag

(2nd MDS, Department of Periodontics)

Has won 1st prize in solo singing competition in PERIO-SAMVIDA-2022 held at Government Dental College and Research Institute, Bengaluru on 30th July, 2022.



## Dr. Dishamani Sarma

(2nd MDS, Department of Public Health Dentistry)

Awarded with Dr. Pandurangi Memorial public Health Research Award – Amount Rs 7500/- for Research Project Titled: Implications of COVID-19, Pandemic on dental institutions: A perception of dental academicians of Bangalore.



## Dr. Kanaka K M

(2nd MDS, Department of Public Health Dentistry)

Awarded with Dr Pandurangi Memorial public Health Research Award–Amount Rs 7500/- for Research Project Titled: Communication Competency Training in Local Language for Dental Health Professional students - A Pilot Initiative in a Dental Institution of Bangalore City.



## Dr. G Neelayathakshi

(1st MDS, Department of Paediatric and Preventive Dentistry)

Secured BEST SCIENTIFIC PAPER AWARD titled “Teeth Cracking Vitamin deficiency” held at Kalinga Institute of Dental Sciences, Odisha (28th - 30th July, 2022).



## Dr. V Krishna Sameera Intern

Best paper Award for “Conceptualization of tooth Jungle Mania – A game based Oral Health Education for School Going Kids Aged 6-11 years” at IDA Karnataka State Student Dental Conference held on 19 th November, 2022 at RVDC, Bangalore.



## Sagarika B A (4th BDS)

Secured First Place in the Rangoli competition organised on the occasion of World No Tobacco day by Karnataka Cancer Society on 31st May, 2022 in Dayanand Sagar Dental College of Dental Sciences.



## Safiyyah Maryam (4th BDS)

Secured First Place in the subject of Periodontology at the college level, for the exams conducted during 2022.



## Sandhya Harichandana (4th BDS)

The Bank of Baroda, Oxford School branch implemented achievers award for students of elite institutions. In this regard, an award ceremony was hosted at mini auditorium of RVDC on 12th October, 2022. Mr Umakanth Padhi distributed the award to her as the Best all rounder award of cash prize - ₹31,000/-.



# RESEARCH PROJECTS



	PG Research Projects Completed	PG Research Projects Ongoing	Department Research Projects Completed	Department Research Projects ongoing
DEPARTMENT OF ORAL MEDICINE & RADIOLOGY	2	2	4	1
DEPARTMENT OF PROSTHODONTICS & CROWN & BRIDGE	3	4	-	-
DEPARTMENT OF ORAL & MAXILLOFACIAL SURGERY	2	3	-	3
DEPARTMENT OF ORTHODONTICS AND DENTOFACIAL ORTHOPAEDICS	5	5	-	-
DEPARTMENT OF PERIODONTOLOGY	6	12	-	-
DEPARTMENT OF ORAL & MAXILLOFACIAL PATHOLOGY & ORAL MICROBIOLOGY	1	1	-	-
DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATIVE DENTISTRY AND ENDODONTICS	5	12	-	-
DEPARTMENT OF PEDODONTICS AND PREVENTIVE DENTISTRY	6	12	1	5
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH DENTISTRY	4	1	6	1



# RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS

	Publications	Scopus	Web of Science	Q1	Q2
DEPARTMENT OF ORAL MEDICINE & RADIOLOGY	5	3	2	-	-
DEPARTMENT OF PROSTHODONTICS & CROWN & BRIDGE	2	-	-	-	-
DEPARTMENT OF ORAL & MAXILLOFACIAL SURGERY	6	-	3	-	-
DEPARTMENT OF ORTHODONTICS AND DENTOFACIAL ORTHOPAEDICS	6	4	2	-	-
DEPARTMENT OF PERIODONTOLOGY	14	4	-	1	1
DEPARTMENT OF ORAL & MAXILLOFACIAL PATHOLOGY & ORAL MICROBIOLOGY	1	-	-	-	-
DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATIVE DENTISTRY AND ENDODONTICS	35	-	-	-	-
DEPARTMENT OF PEDODONTICS AND PREVENTIVE DENTISTRY	7	5	2	-	-
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH DENTISTRY	1	-	-	-	-



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# RESEARCH COLLABORATIONS

## Group Pharmaceuticals

2. Invisalign University Programme
3. Damon University Programme
4. MOU with Satya Sai Medical Institute  
Muddenahalli
5. Research Collaboration and MOU with  
Ambuja Healthcare Foundation.
6. MOU with Bingi's Cardiological Society

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# PHOTOGRAPHY



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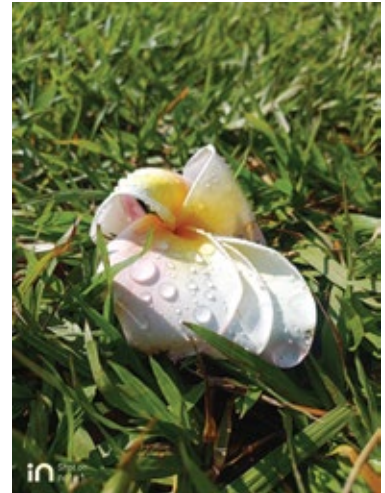
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# Geetanjali D (4th BDS)



# Sandhya (4th BDS)





# Reshma Varma (4th BDS)



# Aakriti Ranjan (3rd BDS)





# Shreya V Kashyap (2nd BDS)



Sambar deer at Nagarahole Tiger Reserve

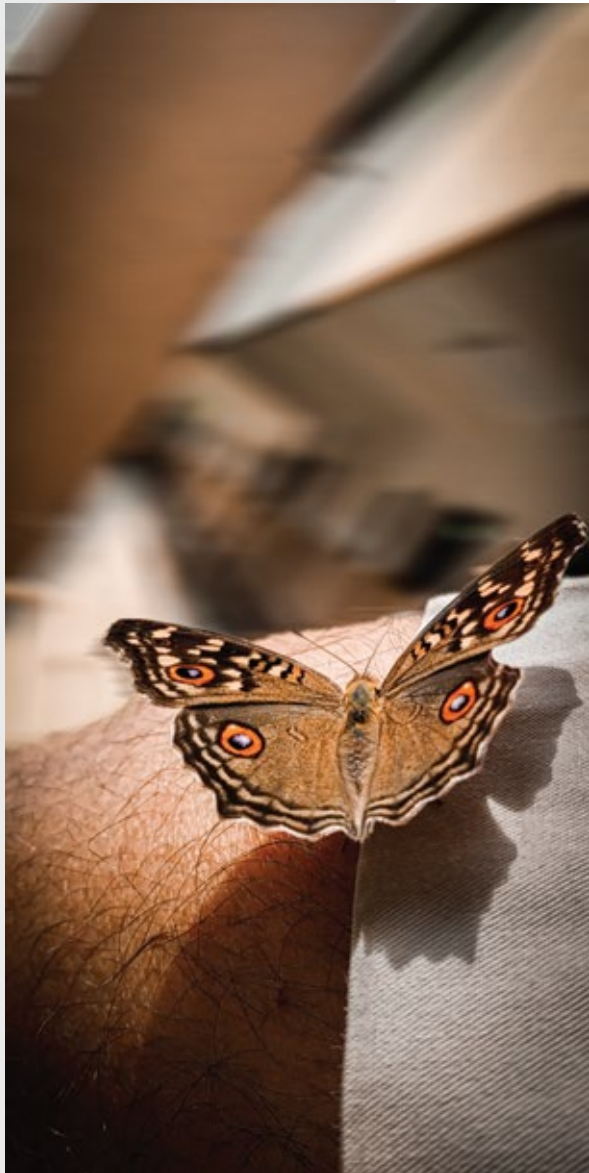
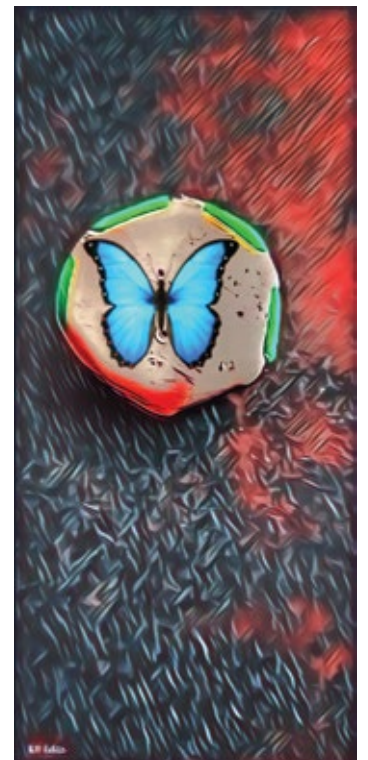


Spotted Owlet at RV dental college



# Raghavendra Naik

(Group D, Dept. of Public Health Dentistry)



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