



KUVEMPU UNIVERSITY

PATHWAYS

TRAINING AND PLACEMENT CELL

With you, every step of your way...

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REPORT

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About Pathways.....

The main goal of Pathways is to provide a global outlook with regional focus, commitment to equality and social justice, and to develop the holistic view to students from the marginalized sections of society. The financial support from Ford stopped in the year 2009. But realizing benefits of programme, Kuvempu University took decisions to continue the activity with its own budgetary provision. In order to provide life skills and empower the students to become self-dependent role models of the country.

Selection of students to the Pathways is done on basis of class 12th marks and performance in entrance test conducted at the first year of the degree level. Forty five students are selected every year from arts, commerce, and science streams and trained continuously for 3 year till they complete their degrees. The training goes alongside the regular course. This includes Afternoon daily club activities, Saturdays Expert's session, Ten days winter and summer workshops, IAS/KAS and Competitive Exams Workshop, Field Visits, Mini-workshops, Celebration of National Days,.. etc.

The primary aim to understand the interconnections exist between professionalism and knowledge systems. In order to achieve these objectives, various theme-based talks by experts, academics and professional experts and students' projects and programs are conducted during the workshops. Moreover, the core focus of this workshops are intended to trigger multiple aptitudes among students towards multidisciplinary approaches. Further, student assignments, field visits and community outreach activities, documentary making are conducted during these workshops to instil a sense of social commitment and social responsibility in them.

Each student is provided an opportunity to demonstrate her/his talent in numerous ways at one hand. On the other hand, student participants are expected to inculcate qualities like; focus, leadership, and action to implement the objectives of pathways in general and the workshop in particular. However, the volunteers of pathways are from different streams of bachelor degrees (i.e. B.A, BSc and B.com) of

Sahyadri Science, Arts and Commerce colleges. This particular composition of students always possesses challenges in conducting programs on a single theme or topic. Therefore we in pathways conduct activities related to various disciplines to accomplish the aspirations of our students.

Pathways handpicks the resource persons from different walks of life like academics, Science and technology, spiritualism, art and culture etc. They share their vision and experience with the young students.

The unit also arranges campus interviews to help job aspirants. The alumni of Pathways are serving in different fields and occupied some coveted positions.

The present academic calendar in the higher educational institutions hardly provides time for non-academic learning, which is also equally important in the shaping of the personality of the children. Pathways is doing its best by transforming young minds of the campus in plugging to the future.

The gain is invaluable in terms of exposure, enlightenment and experience....

Objectives of the Training and Placement Cell

1. To train the students to meet global competition.
2. To organise both Professional Skill and Life Skill Development programmes
3. To establish networking with various employment agencies.
4. To undertake socio-economic innovative projects.
5. To undertake consultancy services on no profit no loss basis.
6. The cell shall also generate its own resources for maintenance.
7. To take up such other programmes to bridge the gap between Academic Skills and Professional Skills

Activities in Pathways

- **Regular Activities**-Week days and Saturdays.
- **Vacation Workshop**-10 days' workshop during winter and summer Vacation.
- **Special Activities**-National Festivals Celebration.
-Special Workshops.
- **Foundation Course**-For UPSC and other competitive exams.

Daily Club Activities:

Monday	Aptitude and Reasoning
Tuesday	Science and Technology
Wednesday	Language, Book review and Information Technology Skill
Thursday	Current affairs and GK
Friday	History, Polity, Economics and Geography

Saturday Activities: Session by Resource Persons

- HR Activities
- Computer Activities
- Communication Skill
- Right to Information Act
- Social Responsibilities
- Presentation Skills
- Preparing for Competitive Exams
- Group Discussion
- Film Appreciation
- Team Building
- Personality Styles

- Self- Assertiveness
- Self and Conflict Management
- Social Etiquette
- Book Presentation
- Leadership and Management Skills

National Festival Celebration:

- Independence Day
- Gandhi Jayanthi
- Republic day

10 days' Workshop during winter and summer vacation

- Session by Resource Persons
- Students Presentation: Two Book Review

Two Film Appreciations

Two Documentaries

Two Power Point Presentations

HR Skills through Activities

- Field Visit
- Alumni Meet

Additional for
Summer Workshop

Special Workshops or Courses

- Content Writing
- Film Studies

Other necessary Training Programmes

Daily Club activities conducted by Students

SL NO	DATE	SUBJECT	TOPIC	FACILITATORS	OBJECTIVES
01	01.01.2024 Monday	Aptitude and Reasoning	Time and Work	Ms. Shashikala M Ms. Shashank K T	To give information about chain rule efficiently & wages concept.
02	02.01.2024 Tuesday	Science and Technology	Hyperloop	Mr. Ravi M D Ms. Sharadhi H Patwal	To knowledge volunteers about hyperloop project & its developments
03	03.01.2024 Wednesday	Language	Kannada grammer	Ms. Chaitra Gubbi Ms. Mamatha N J	KPSC Group-C kannada question question paper solving
04	04.01.2024 Thursday	Current Affairs	Current Affairs	Mr. Lakshman H U Ms. Bhagyashree	To give information about current news
05	05.01.2024 Friday	Legal Advisory	Jurispredenti al chronicle	Ms. Samruddhi J K Rao Mr. Ganesh H C	To knowledge volounteers about legal entities & judicial aspects
06	08.01.2024 Monday	Aptitude and Reasoning	HCF & LCM Seating Arrangments	Ms. Shushmitha P Ms. Chandana A K	To enhance knowledge about HCF & LCM and logical reasoning
07	09.01.2024	Science and Technology	Marine System	Ms. Megha H Mr. Bhujanga Rao K	To knowledge about different fishes in sea and awareness about marine pollution
08	10.01.2024 Monday	Computer Skills	Components of computer Brain	Ms. Rakshitha O Mr. Manoj S P	To knowledge about CPU & other components with practical
09	11.01.2024	Current Affairs	Current Affairs	Ms. Vidhyashree B Ms. Deepika B	To share the news wisely
10	16.01.2024	Science and Technology	Pervasive computing & 5-pen PC Technology	Mr. Thimmesh Y H Ms. Samruddhi J K Rao	To knowledge the volunteers about computational advancements
11	17.01,2024	Book Review	Chandragiri ya Teeradalli	Ms. Pooja N B Ms, Shambavi L S	To knowledge the volunteers about the book
12	18.01,2024	Current Affairs	Current Affairs	Ms. Meghana S Ms. Chandana G	To give information about current news
13	19.01.2024	History	Impacts of British rule in India	Mr. Bhujanga Rao Ms. Prathibha J D	To give information about how the british impact
14	20.01.2024 Saturday	Learn to Learn	Heal with Water	Ms. Vishalakshi MJ	To give information about various health benefits by explaining water-based home remedies.

15	22/01/2024 Monday	Aptitude	Ratio and Proportion	Ms. Nikitha H N	To sloved the problems on this topic which were appeared in competitive exams
16	23/01/2024 Tuesday	Science and Technology	Agro Forestry	Ms. Padma D H Ms. Mamatha S Naik.	Explained scope and importance of agroforestry by discussing its classification
17	24/01/2024 Wednesday	Film Appreciation	the movie The Quite Place	Ms. Keerthi H M Ms. Radhika M.	Reviewed the movie by highlighting the turning points.
18	29/01/2024 Monday	Aptitude	Age difference and Blood relation	Ms. Mandara M Ms. Samruddhi J K Rao.	Facilitators solved various problems related to age difference by highlighting the easy methods
19	30/01/2024 Tuesday	Science and Technology	Nanotechnology	Ms. Shashikala M and Ms. Aishwarya K Y.	Gave insights on Nano technology and expounded the nano scale with it's manufacturing process
20	31/01/024 Wednesday	English Grammar	Active voice and Passive voice	Mr. Vikas M and Ms. Aishwarya T R .	Explained the definition of voices and rules for transforming sentences from active to passive voice
21	01/02/2024 Thursday	General knowledge	Practice Test	Ms. Sumati Patil and Ms. Snehakumar.	Facilitators conducted a test on identifying frequently asked questions in diverse competitive exams
22	02/02/2024 Friday	History	Modern History of India	Ms. Chandana J N and Mr. Shashank K T.	Facilitators delved into freedom movements by elucidating the roles of moderates
23	22/04/2024 Monday	Aptitude and Reasoning	Trains and Directions	Ms. Shambhavi L S and Ms. Sneha S H	Facilitators unriddled the problems on trains. They briefed about its types of conversations based on formula
24	23/04/2024 Tuesday	Science and Technology	Glands	Ms. Shushmitha P and Ms. Megha H	To Know functions of four distinct gland
25	24/04/2024 Wednesday	Book review	Aavarana	Mr. Bhujanga Rao	The facilitator expounded the story and demonstrated the different facet of characters
26	25/04/2024 Thursday	Current Affairs	Current Affairs	Ms. Deepika B Mr. Thimmesh Yadav.	To know extensive current news.

27	26/04/2024 Friday	Economics	National Income and Indian Tax System	Ms. Mamatha N J Ms. Raksha G T	Gave a brief explanation about National Income by covering its definition
28	27/04/2024 Saturday	Learn to Learn	Exploring the Extraordinary	Ms. Radhika M.	To demonstrate a comprehensive overview of Guinness World Records
29	29/04/2024 Monday	Aptitude and Reasoning	Mixtures, Alligations Number Sequence	Ms. Aishwarya K Y Ms. Aishwarya T R	To know Alligations and Mixtures exerting shortcut methods
30	30/04/2024 Tuesday	Science and Technology	Electric Vehicles	Mr. Suhas H Ms. Raksha G T	To know electric vehicles and explained the various types of EVs used
31	01/05/2024 Wednesday	MINI-WORKSHOP Sharpen Your Excellence			
32	02/05/2024 Thursday	Current Affairs	Current Affairs	Ms. S Meghana and Mr. Lakshman H U	To know about news including important reports, technology
33	03/05/2024 Friday	Polity	Panchayat Raj System	Ms. Chaitra Gubbi Ms. Deepa S H	To convey the Balwant Rai Mehta Committee
34	04/05/2024 Saturday	Learn to Learn	Election Awareness	Ms. Rashmi B M	To know EVMs (Electronic Voting Machines) concept of SVEEP
35	08/05/2024 Wednesday	English language	Deciphering the Spectrum of Idioma	Ms. Samruddhi J K Rao Ms. Radhika M.	To know about question paper of CDS
36	09/05/2024 Thursday	Current Affairs	Current Affairs	Ms. Rakshitha O Ms. Shambhavi L S	To know international, national and regional news.
37	11/05/2024 Saturday	Learn to Learn	Eiderdown	Ms. Muskan B R	Gave a brief introduction of the bird Eiderdown
38	13/05/2024 Monday	Aptitude and Reasoning	Permutations Combinations	Ms. Sumati Patil Ms. Sneha kumar.	Explained the topic Permutations and Combinations with its formulas
39	14/05/2024 Tuesday	Humanities	Journalism	Ms. Chandana J N Ms. Sumayya.	Explicated about Journalism, covering it's definitions and the first newspaper
40	15/05/2024 Wednesday	Self Defence	Self Defence	Ms. Mamatha S Naik	Expounded the definition, types, benefits and some Indian laws related to self defence.
41	16/05/2024 Thursday	Current Affairs	Current Affairs	Ms. Meghana Hegde Ms. Padma D H	Explained the actions to be undertaken to cease the misdeeds related to food products.

42	17/05/2024 Friday	Science and Technology	Unraveling Computational Frontiers	Mr. Shashank K T Mr. Vikasa M	Gave a brief explanation supercomputers, covering it's definition, characteristics
43	18/05/2024 Saturday	Learn to Learn	Lightning, Thunder and Thunderbolts	Ms. Aishwariya K Y	Elucidated various aspects of lightening phenomenon.
44	21/05/2024 Tuesday	Science and Technology	Cryptocurrency Blockchain Technology	Ms. Vijetha K T Ms. Sharadhi H Patwal	Provided a basic definition of Cryptocurrency and Cryptography
45	22/05/2024 Wednesday	Computer Skill	Technology club	Ms. Keerthi H M Mr. Kirankumar N B	Explicated the history and types of networks information about network topology.
46	23/05/2024 Thursday	International Relation	Organisation	Ms. Sahana S R and Mr. Manoj S P	Gave a brief explanation League of Nations United Nations Organization
47	24/05/2024 Friday	Current Affairs	Current Affairs	Ms. Niharika J Ms. Muskan B R.	Information about current events across various domains, including International Affairs, National News.
48	25/05/2024 Saturday	Learn to Learn	VIP security	Ms. Aishwarya T R	Provides security for different sectors based on the type of VIP
49	27/05/2024 Monday	Aptitude and Reasoning	BPS RRB PO 2023	Ms. Ramya D Ms. Aishwarya K Y	Elucidated the question paper pattern and expounded the problems on BODMAS, direction.
50	28/05/2024 Tuesday	Science and Technology	Metaverse	Mr. Manoj P Ms. Radhika M	Explained Web technologies, Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Internet of Things (IoT)
51	29/05/2024 Wednesday	Geography	Movements of Ocean Water	Mr. Darshan R Ms. Chandana K	Gave a brief introduction about movement of ocean water with its classification.
52	30/05/2024 Thursday	Current Affairs	Current Affairs	Mr. Harsha C Y Mr. Shashank K T	.National and Bussiness news as well as updates on awards and appointments.
53	31/05/2024 Friday	Language	Idioms and Phrases	Ms. Pooja N B Ms. Bhagyashree S M	Explained the meanings of various idioms and phrases
54	01/06/2024 Saturday	Learn to Learn	Exoplanets	Ms. Navyashree H V	Covering its history, properties and the technological advancements and their exploration
55	05/06/2024 Wednesday	Film Appreciation	Train to Busan	Ms. Sindhu B M Ms. Navyashree H V	Gave introduction about the movie and briefed about the director.

56	06/06/2024 Thursday	Current Affairs	Current Affairs	Mr. Bharath Naik R Ms. Bhagyashree S M	Highlighting the major issues like All Eyes on Rafah, Rudra M - Missile, Agnikul cosmos many more.
57	07/06/2024 Friday	Geography	Ocean Currents	Mr. Darshan R Ms. Muskan B R.	Expounded the factors that impact ocean currents. They elucidated Atlantic, Pacific and Indian Ocean currents.
58	08/06/2024 Saturday	Learn to Learn	Spider silk	Ms Samruddhi J K Rao	Explained the process of silk production in spiders, including the various types of silk they produce.
59	10/06/2024 Monday	Aptitude and Reasoning	Ratio Proportion and Clock	Ms. Priyanka N Ms. Shashikala M	Explicated the meaning of Ratio and Proportions. They solved the problems using simple tricks
60	11/06/2024 Tuesday	Science and technology	Discrete analog or array type accumulated	Mr. Rakesh N and Ms. Vidyashree B	Explained the concept of data, its types ASCII and binary numbers
61	12/06/2024 Wednesday	Current Affairs	Citizenship Amendment Act	Mr. Ravi M D	Explained the Citizenship Amendment Act, 2019 (CAA) by providing an overview.
62	14/06/2024 16/06/2024	Three days workshop on Village Accountant Exam			
63	18/06/2024 Tuesday	Language	Linguistics	Ms. Mamatha N J and Ms. Geetha L.	Introduced phonetics, explaining its fundamental concepts.
64	19/06/2024 Wednesday	Science and Technology	Immunity and Vaccination	Ms. Ramya G Shetty	Explained the concepts of Immunity and Vaccination
65	20/06/2024 Thursday	Current affairs	Current affairs	Ms. Suma M and Ms. Nikitha H N	Explained the current issues by categorize.
66	21/06/2024 22/06/2024	Two-Day Workshop on Psychometric Analysis			

67	24/06/2024 Monday	History	Human Evolution	Ms. Priyanka G Mr. Thimmesh Y H	Human evolution and explained seven stage.
68	25/06/2024 Tuesday	Science and Technology	Scientific Experiments and warfare activities	Ms. Deepika B Ms. Samruddhi J K Rao	Delineated about scientific experiment it's definition, history, methods and types of experiments.
69	26/06/2024 Wednesday	Current Affairs	Current Affairs	Mr. Bharath Naik R and Ms. Navyashree H V	Gave introduction about current news by order wise such as International News, National News
70	27/06/2024 Thursday	Language Book Review	50 Years of Silence	Ms. Shambhavi L S	Introduced the book and explained all its characters. The book portrayed the dire realities of World War II.
71	28/06/2024 Friday	Film Appreciation	Shutter Island	Ms. Kavana S Ms. Tejaswini C P	Gave introduction about the characters involved in the movie.
72	29/06/2024 Saturday	Learn to Learn	Table Manners	Mr. Lakshman H U	Gave introduction about basic table manner by demonstrating it practically
73	01/07/2024 Monday	Aptitude and Reasoning	Boats and Alphabets Series	Mr. Shashank K T Ms. Radhika M.	Elucidated the meaning of upstreams, downstream and data sufficiency.
74	04/07/2024 Thursday	Current affairs	Current affairs	Ms. Chaithra Gubbi Ms. Vidhyashree B	Delved into various significant topics including updates on SAARC and NATO
75	06/07/2024 Wednesday	University Level Inter-College Quiz Competition			
76	08/07/2024 Monday	Aptitude and Reasoning	Simple Interest, Compound Interest and Calendar Problems	Ms. Sneha S H Ms. Vidhyashree B	Illuminated the method of calculation on simple interest and compound interest using suitable formula
77	09/07/2024 Tuesday	Science and Technology	MicroChip	Mr. Vinay Kumar S K Ms. Sumati Patil	Introduced Neuralink technology, starting with a microchip essential for electronic devices
78	10/07/2024 Wednesday	Current affairs	Current affairs	Mr. Pruthvi Raj V Ms. Vishalakshi M J	Explained the highlighted major news of UNESCO
79	11/07/2024 Thursday	Information Technology	Pathways Tech World	Ms. Nidhishree M S Mr. Ganesh H C	Explained fundamental computer concepts, including hardware,

					software, input/output devices.
80	12/07/2024 Friday	Polity	National Provisions	Ms. Sushmitha P Ms. Chandana J N	Gave a thorough explanation of Emergency provisions by discussing their definitions
81	13/07/2024 Saturday	Learn to learn	Gallantry Awards	Ms. Snehakumar	Illuminated the types of gallantry awards namely War-time gallantry awards
82	15/07/2024 Monday	Aptitude and Reasoning	Fractions and Decimals, Order and Ranking	Ms. Deepa S H Ms. Mamatha N J	Explained fractions and decimal conversions, suggesting some quick shortcut methods to solve problems accurately
83	16/07/2024 Tuesday	Science and Technology	Hologram	Mr. Kiran P Mr. Bhujanga Rao K	Introduced the new technology concept of holograms, covering its definition and it's history
84	18/07/2024 Thursday	Current affairs	Current affairs	Ms. Aparna M S Ms. Tejaswini C P	Facilitators covered a range of current issues, including international, national, state, and sports issue
85	19/07/2024 Friday	Political club	Demonetization	Ms. Divyashree A C Ms. Ramya D	Explained by overview of how it can help a country control black money
86	20/07/2024 Saturday	Learn to Learn	The Boy Who Saved The India Gate	Ms. Sharadhi H Patwal	Recounted the story of a boy who uncovered a coded message and prevented a terror attack on India Gate
87	22/07/2024 Monday	Aptitude and Reasoning	Average and codes on words, symbols, and puzzles tests	Ms. Manasa N Megha H	Solved the problems on Averages and Codes on words, Symbols, Puzzle
88	23/07/2024 Tuesday	Science and Technology	Curious Cosmos	Ms. Rakshitha R Ms. Meghana M Hegde	Illuminated general scientific facts which are present in universe
89	24/07/2024 Wednesday	Book review	Seven Steps Around the Fire	Mr. Harsha C Y Ms. S Meghana	Information about the LGBTQ+ community
90	25/07/2024 Thursday	Current Affairs	Current Affairs	Ms. Ashwini M S Ms. Chandana G	Gave a comprehensive insights on current news
91	26/07/2024 Friday	Business	Business Law	Mr. Ganesh H C Ms. Bhagyashree S M	Explained the meaning and elements of The Indian Contract Act, 1872
92	27/07/2024 Saturday	Learn to Learn	Olympics	Ms. Keerthi H M	Elucidated the history and development of the Olympic Games
93	29/07/2024 Monday	Aptitude and Reasoning	Boats and Streams	Ms. Supritha C H Ms. Vishalakshi M	Explicated tackled various formulas related to boats and streams

94	30/07/2024 Tuesday	Film Appreciation	PADMAAVAT	Ms. Sneha Kumar	Gave a brief introduction about the story of Padmaavat movie
95	31/07/2024 Wednesday	Science and Technology	Spaceborne Sparks	Ms. Deepika B Ms. Samruddhi J K Rao	Provided a comprehensive overview of satellites
96	01/08/2024 Thursday	English Grammar	Parts of Speech	Ms. Mandara M Ms. Padma D H.	Elaborated on various English grammar topics frequently asked in competitive exams
97	03/08/2024 Saturday	Learn to Learn	Amazing Facts	Ms. Rashmi B M	Gave a brief general scientific facts which are related to the Mathematics
98	5/08/2024 Monday	Aptitude and Reasoning	True Discount and Banker's Discount, Statement and Assumptions and Syllogism	Ms. Anusha Medur Ms. Prathibha J D	Solved several problems related to Bankers Interest and True Interest
99	06/08/2024 Tuesday	Science and Technology	Astrophysics	Ms. Radhika M and Mr. Shashank K T	Focusing on the topic Unveiling the Birth of Stars
100	09/08/2024 Friday	Current affairs	Current affairs	Ms. Sahana S R Ms. Aishwarya K Y	Provided a comprehensive update on important news

PROGRAMS CONDUCTED

Date: 1.07.2023

Program: Session on "Conquering Mobile Addiction"

A Saturday session was conducted on Conquering Mobile Addiction by **Dr. Archana Bhat K**, Associate Professor and Psychologist, Kateel Ashok Pai Memorial College Shivamogga. The resource person deciphered mobile addiction and how it is responsible for the change of human behaviour. She also conferred about the physiological and psychological dependency and how it influence our mental health. She gave some examples for the unsafe usage of smartphone. The resource person shared her experience from her Profession, where she gave various examples of the behavioural changes and deviation of healthy mental state of an individual, through their mental pressure or frustration.



Date: 20.07.2023

Program: Session on "Blood cancer and Blood disorders"

A Special program was organized to spread knowledge about Blood cancer and Blood disorders by **Mr. Mahamitra**, Senior Associative in Donar Recruitment, DKMS BMST foundation in India, facilitated the session. He informed about blood cancer and blood disorders. Further he explained about the process of stem cell transplantation and function of blood cells. In addition to that he created an awareness regarding blood cancer and the function of DKMS BMST organization.



Date: 22.07.2023

Program: Session on "ಕಲಾಭಿಮಾನಿ ಉಪನ್ಯಾಸ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮ"

ಪಾಥ್‌ವೇಸ್ ಘಟಕದ ವತಿಯಿಂದ ಕಲೆಗಳನ್ನು ಕುರಿತು ಕಲಾಭಿಮಾನಿ ಎಂಬ ಉಪನ್ಯಾಸ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮವನ್ನು ಆಯೋಜಿಸಲಾಗಿತ್ತು. ರಾಜ್ಯ ಮತ್ತು ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರ ಪ್ರಶಸ್ತಿ ಪುರಸ್ಕೃತರಾದ **ಅಪೇಕ್ಷಾ ಮಂಜುನಾಥ** ಇವರು ಸಂಪನ್ಮೂಲ ವ್ಯಕ್ತಿಯಾಗಿ ಆಗಮಿಸಿದ್ದರು. ಮನಸಿದ್ಧರೆ ಮಾರ್ಗ ಎಂಬ ಧೈಯ ವಾಕ್ಯವನ್ನು ಇರಿಸಿಕೊಂಡು ತಾವು ರಂಗಭೂಮಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ನಡೆದು ಬಂದ ಹಾದಿಯನ್ನು ಸ್ಮರಿಸಿಕೊಂಡರು, ತನ್ಮೂಲಕ ಕಲಾರಂಗಕ್ಕೆ ಬರುವತ್ತ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಸ್ಪೂರ್ತಿ ನೀಡಿದರು. ನಂತರ ಸಾಧಕರಿಗೆ ಸನ್ಮಾನ ಸಮಾರಂಭವನ್ನು ಹಮ್ಮಿಕೊಳ್ಳುವ ಮೂಲಕ ತಮ್ಮ ಜೀವನವನ್ನು ಕಂಡುಕೊಂಡ ಹಾದಿಯನ್ನು ವ್ಯಾಖ್ಯಾನಿಸಿದರು. ಬೆಳೆಯುವ ಸಿರಿ ಮೊಳಕೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಎಂಬಂತೆ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಕಲಾಸಕ್ತಿಯನ್ನು ಅಳಡಿಸಿಕೊಳ್ಳುವ



Date: 28.07.2023

Program: "Gratitude Ceremony"

A Special program was organized to recollect remarkable contributions of **Prof. B P Veerabhadrappe**, Vice-Chancellor, Kuvempu University, Shankarghatta shared his incredible journey as a Vice-Chancellor and motivated the students to achieve greatness in their lives. In a moment of gratitude, he fondly remembered all the faculties, colleagues, and students of Sahyadri College for their contributions to the institution's growth and success. He praised the exceptional volunteers of Pathways and applauded the Training and Placement Cell for grooming young minds. He expressed gratitude to each and everyone through out his career. His speech left a profound impact on Volunteers, and encouraged the faculties.



Date: 05.08.2023

Program: Session on "Health and Fitness "

A Saturday session was conducted on the topic Health and Fitness by **Dr. Shivamurthy A.** Physical education director, Sahyadri Commerce and Management College Shivamogga. The health and fitness session was conducted to promote overall well-being, physical activity, and healthy lifestyle choices among volunteers. He gave valuable information on nutrition, exercise and lifestyle habits which contribute to improved health and fitness levels.



Date: 07.08.2023

Program: "Interaction Session"

An interaction session was conducted by Pathways alumni **Dr. Rachitha Halehalli**, Alumnus of Pathways graduated in the year 2002-05 and Shri. Madhu, Data security expert, NEOM, UAE a alumnus of Sahyadri Science College in the year 2002-05. They also interacted with students asking everything from practical career advice. Alumni emphasized the importance of following one's passion, even if the path isn't always clear. She also shared Valuable insights about soft skills, and the importance of networking. And they also detailed about the cognitive city project NEOM where Mr. Madhu working as a Data Security specialist, Dubai.



Date: 10.08.2023

Program: "The Foundation Course For UPSC "

Pathways Training and Placement Cell organised the Foundation Course for UPSC and other Competitive Exams in association with INDIA4IAS and Neza academy, Bangalore. Chief Guest of the program **Sri. Abhishek Jogannavar**, INDIA4IAS academy, Bangalore assured the students about the aim of the INDIA4IAS academy and also insisted to build a strong determination for serving nation by cracking the civil service exams.



Date: 15.08.2023

Program: "Independence Day"

Pathways Training and Placement Cell organised **77th Independence Day** with palpable sense of exuberance and patriotism. The program began with the melodious rendition of national anthem. Model of "New Parliament" titled 'The new icon of Indian Democracy' made by volunteers was inaugurated by the dignitaries. Volunteers gave power point presentation about the model, elucidated the intricate details of the new Parliament model with meticulous explanations. And delivered their speech about the occasion with patriotism, Their speeches left an indelible impact on the volunteers.



Date: 26.09.2023

Program: Two days Summer workshop - "Techpreneur Toolkit "

Two days Summer workshop on Entrepreneurial skills titled "**Techpreneur Toolkit**". Esteemed Chief Guest Sri Snehal Sudhakar Lokhande, IAS, CEO, Zilla Panchayat, Registrar, Kuvempu University, Shankaraghatta, Shivamogga and other dignitaries, Esteemed guest emphasized the workshop's significance in the technological era and encouraged the volunteers to aspire to be the job creators and not just to be the job seekers. Sri Gopinath N, President, Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Shivamogga, highlighted the vital role of youth in propelling the country to become a leading economy in the world.





Date: 30.09.2023

Program: "The Fruition Day and Scholarship Awards."

An event "**The Fruition Day and Scholarship Awards.**" organized to honor outgoing volunteers for their learning journey in Pathways by presenting completion certificate and scholarship awards. the certificates and a souvenir to all the volunteers who have dedicated their three years parallel learning in Pathways. Including all the honoured guests awarded the scholarship to outgoing volunteers.





Date: 02.10.2023

Program: "Gandhi Jayanthi"

154th Gandhi Jayanthi celebrated great enthusiasm and reverence. The Program began by showering the flowers to the portrait of Mahatma as a mark of respect. Then all the volunteers paid their respects by singing the state anthem. Few volunteers and alumni shared their thoughts on the occasion by elaborating on the timeless principles of Gandhiji. Dr. Prahalladappa Professor and Estate Director Sahyadri College college campus, Shivamogga, discussed the principles of Mahatma Gandhiji and Lal Bahadur Shastri by emphasizing the seven key ideals from Gandhi's autobiography.



Date: 05.10.2023

Program: "Field tour"

A "**Field tour**" program was arranged to explore the significant places in Karnataka. The tour commenced with a visit to Humcha Padmavathi Temple a renowned shrine in Karnataka.

Umamaheshwara Temple in Hosagunda. Ikkeri Aghoreshwara Temple, which is notable for its Dravidian architectural style and remarkable stone carvings. These carvings depicted them a range of mythological stories, deities and intricate patterns. And also highlighted the cultural and architectural heritage of Karnataka.





Date: 26.10.2023

Program: " Mera Maathi Mera Desh "

On 75th year of our nation's independence, "Mera Maathi Mera Desh" event in New Delhi from 26/10/2023 to 3/11/2023. Under leadership of Neharu yuva kendra, Shivamogga. Four Pathways Volunteers Participated the event as a Champions in Delhi. "Amrit kalash" campaign journey started to New Delhi by carrying Amrit kalash which consisted of sacred soil from each taluk of Shivamogga. Before their departure, some volunteers shared their joy and pride in being a part of this campaign with the media.



Date: 20.11.2023

Program: " Interview "

On 20th November 2023, conducted an interview for shortlisted candidates from the common entrance test on 10th November 2023. The selected students from the three consecutive colleges arduously participated in the interview. The above were the esteemed interview panel members. A total of 109 shortlisted students from the entrance test were Interviewed to select 45 students as per the government rules.



Date: 26.11.2023

Program: "Directorial Tribute Ceremony"

On 26th November 2023, Pathways Training and Placement Cell organized a meticulously curated "Directorial Tribute Ceremony" to honour the esteemed **Prof. Ramesh C K**, Former Director, Pathways Training and Placement Cell for his appointment as Registrar (Evaluation), Davangere University, Karnataka. Event commenced with a solemn and reverential prayer dedicated to Guru by Pathways volunteers. A gracious warm welcome followed, few volunteers and alumni shared their words of gratitude towards him. All the dignitaries felicitated the guest of honour.



Date: 29.11.2023

Program: "ಕನ್ನಡ ರಾಜ್ಯೋತ್ಸವ "

ದಿನಾಂಕ 29 ನವೆಂಬರ್ 2023 ರಂದು ಪಾಥ್‌ವೇಸ್ ಘಟಕದ ವತಿಯಿಂದ 68ನೇ ಕನ್ನಡ ರಾಜ್ಯೋತ್ಸವ ವನ್ನು ಹಮ್ಮಿಕೊಳ್ಳಲಾಗಿತ್ತು. ನಾಡಗೀತೆಯೊಂದಿಗೆ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮವನ್ನು ಆರಂಭಿಸಲಾಯಿತು. **ಡಾ. ಮೋಹನ್ ಚಂದ್ರಗುತ್ತಿ**, ಸಹಪ್ರಾಧ್ಯಾಪಕರು, ಕನ್ನಡ ವಿಭಾಗ, ಸಹ್ಯಾದ್ರಿ ಕಲಾ ಕಾಲೇಜು, ಶಿವಮೊಗ್ಗ. ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮದ ಮುಖ್ಯ ಅಧಿತಿಗಳಾಗಿ ಆಗಮಿಸಿದ ಇವರು ಎರಡೂವರೆಸಾವಿರ ವರ್ಷದ ಇತಿಹಾಸವನ್ನು ಹೊಂದಿದ ನಮ್ಮ ಕನ್ನಡನಾಡು ಕನ್ನಡಿಗರಿಗೆ ಜೀವನವಿಧಾನ, ಆಲೋಚನ ಕ್ರಮ, ಸುಸಂಸ್ಕೃತಿಯನ್ನು ತಿಳಿಸಿಕೊಟ್ಟಿದೆ. ಇದರ ಅನನ್ಯತೆಯನ್ನು ಕಳೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳಲು ಬಿಡಬಾರದು ಎಂದು ತಿಳಿಹೇಳಿದರು. ಮತ್ತು ಕನ್ನಡದ ಮಹತ್ವ, ಇತಿಹಾಸ ಮೌಲ್ಯವನ್ನು ಪೌರಾಣಿಕ ಕಥೆ ಹೇಳುವ ಮೂಲಕ ವಿವರಿಸಿದರು. ಜೊತೆಗೆ ಕನ್ನಡದ ಕಾವ್ಯಪರಂಪರೆಯನ್ನು ಶ್ಲಾಘಿಸಿದರು. ಆದಷ್ಟು ಕನ್ನಡಭಾಷೆಯನ್ನು ಯಾವುದೇ ಸಂಕೋಚವಿಲ್ಲದೆ ಹೆಮ್ಮೆಯಿಂದ ಬಳಸುವಂತೆ ತಿಳಿಹೇಳಿದರು.



Date: 02.12.2023

Program: " Mental Health "

On 02nd December 2023, Pathways Training and Placement Cell organized an insightful session on "Mental Health" engaged by **Sri. Shreedhar**, Psychiatric, Social Worker, District Mental Health Programme, Shivamogga. Resource person delved into profound meaning of health by highlighting various factors influencing mental well-being. This interactive session encouraged the volunteers in reinforcing the importance of mental health awareness.



Date: 09.12.2023

Program: "General English in Competitive exams"

On 9th December 2023, Pathways Training and Placement Cell organised a alumni session on General English in Competitive exams facilitated by **Ms Keerthana N**, First Division Assistant, Govt. First Grade college, Honnali.

Resource person explained various aspects of General English concepts, including framing of passage questions, nature of explicit and implicit lines and figures of speech such as simile, metaphor and personification with suitable examples. She also shared insights from her three-year experience and lessons she learnt from Pathways. This session made the volunteers confident in facing various competitive exams.



Date: 16.12.2023

Program: " Strategies for General Studies "

On 16th December 2023, Pathways Training and Placement Cell organized a Saturday session on " Strategies for General Studies" facilitated by **Sri. Mohan kumar M**, Spardha Karnataka Academy, Shivamogga. Resource person expounded the realism of facing the competitive exams by illustrating few quotes of famous personalities and ensured the volunteers to get motivated themselves. He also delved into diverse competitive exams. He discussed about General Studies, General Knowledge and General Awareness papers on current syllabus. Further he knowledge about static components and current affairs topics including various International and national organizations, abbreviations, humanity subjects, awards, honors and significant dates.



Date: 23.12.2023

Program: " An insight into Geography "

On 23rd December 2023, Pathways Training and Placement Cell organized the session on "An insight into Geography" facilitated by **Sri. Nanja Naik D,Chairman,Spardha Karnataka Academy, Shivamogga**. Resource person commenced the session by outlining the study of geography topics, emphasizing the basic content covered in NCERT geography textbooks focused on world, based on diverse time zones. Through globe mapping he explained about India and Karnataka. He also gave practical meth



Date: 29.12.2023

Program: "Birth Anniversary of our late Dr. Basavaraj C Patil"

On 29th December 2023, Pathways Training and Placement Cell celebrated 68th Birth Anniversary of our late Dr. Basavaraj C Patil, Founding Director, Pathways Training and Placement Cell. At the commemorative event, entire atmosphere was filled with reverence as alumni and volunteers paid their homage to late Dr. Basavaraj C Patil by Lighting candles and delicately showering flowers. Then alumni took the stage to honor Dr. B C Patil's profound contributions to Pathways and his pivotal role in shaping the identity and success of Pathways. This made the volunteers to remind the founder's unwavering dedication and contributions which he persists Birth Anniversary of our late Dr. Basavaraj C Patil d untibreath.



Date: 30.12.2023

Program: " Induction Program "

On 30th December 2023, Pathways Training and Placement Cell meticulously organized an "Induction Program" for first year volunteers. Program commenced with the devotional prayer song invocatedbyPathwaysvolunteers.

Succeedingly, first and third year volunteers shared their valuable experience in Pathways. Prof. Avinash T, Department of English, Sahyadri Arts College, shared his insightful connection with Pathways and emboldened the first year volunteers to have a delightful learning years in Pathways.



Program: "Communication Skills"

A man with a mustache, wearing a blue button-down shirt and black trousers, is seated in a wooden chair. He is positioned in front of a large projection screen. The screen displays a presentation slide with the Kuvempu University logo at the top, followed by the text "Kuvempu University", "Pathways Training and Placement Cell", and "Kuvempu University". Below this, there is a section titled "Kuvempu University" with a small logo and some text. To the left of the screen is a whiteboard with handwritten text in Kannada: "150000000" and "10 Crd". To the right of the screen is another whiteboard with handwritten text in Kannada: "Kuvempu University" and "Kuvempu University". The background wall is light-colored with a wooden panel at the bottom. There are red curtains on either side of the screen. A small potted plant and a water bottle are on a table in front of the man.



Date: 13.01.2024

Program: "Crafting SMART Goals "

On 13th January 2024, Pathways Training and Placement Cell organized a Saturday session on Crafting SMART Goals engaged by **Ms. Sowmya Aralappa**, Professional Motivational Trainer. Subsequently, **Ms. Mamatha Shivanna**, Provisional Zone Trainer, engaged a session on Communication skills. Resource persons guided the volunteers about importance of goal setting and achievement. They gave some measures to overcome the obstacles by encouraging volunteers to envision ambitious goals while focusing on solutions. and enlightened the volunteers about pivotal role of communication skills in today's modern world.



Date: 20.01.2024

Program: "Enlightening activity"

On 20th January 2024, Pathways Training and Placement Cell conducted an enlightening activity facilitated by Alumni of 2022-2023 output batch. Volunteers were organized into teams and tasked with solving puzzles related to surrounding areas of Pathways. Subsequently, each team located a hidden envelope within their location. After completion of these tasks by all teams, they concluded the activity by assembling Pathways Unit logo puzzle, emphasizing the importance of unity and trust among Pathways volunteers. Later, alumni interacted with volunteers by sharing insights and encouraged them to prioritize career development and academics while effectively managing their roles in Pathways.



Date: 26.01.2024

Program: "75th Republic Day"

On 26th January 2024, Pathways Training and Placement Cell celebrated "**75th Republic Day**" with immense pleasure and enthusiasm. followed by chief guest inaugurated the model of Chandrayana -3 named "Southern Gateway to Lunar Exploration" Advocate K P Sripal, People's Lawyer's Guild, Shivamogga, delineated about the celebration of Law day which destines to bring awareness regarding fundamental rights and acts that should be known for all the citizens. He also brought awareness about diversity in our nation.



Date: 27.04.2024

Program: "Goals Towards Life"

On 27th April 2024, Pathways Training and Placement Cell organized the session on Goals Towards Life by Sri. B. Mukunda Chandra, DCF, Executive Director, Tiger and Lion Safari, Shivamogga. Resource person emphasized the significance of framing goals effectively by ensuring they adhere to the SMART technique (Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Relevant and Time-bound). He covered various strategies for effective goal preparation and task division. Before starting the session, he conducted a brief examination to assess the volunteers understanding and perspectives on goal setting. He also shared personal life experiences to inspire and motivate the volunteers by highlighting the importance of knowledge. Finally, he answered doubts and queries from the volunteers comprehensively.



Date: 01.05.2024

Program: "Sharpen Your Excellence"

On 1st May 2024, Pathways Training and Placement Cell conducted a one day Workshop on Interview skills titled Sharpen Your Excellence engaged by Prof. **M S Vignesh** Counsellor and Therapist, Krithvi Ayurveda, Shivamogga.

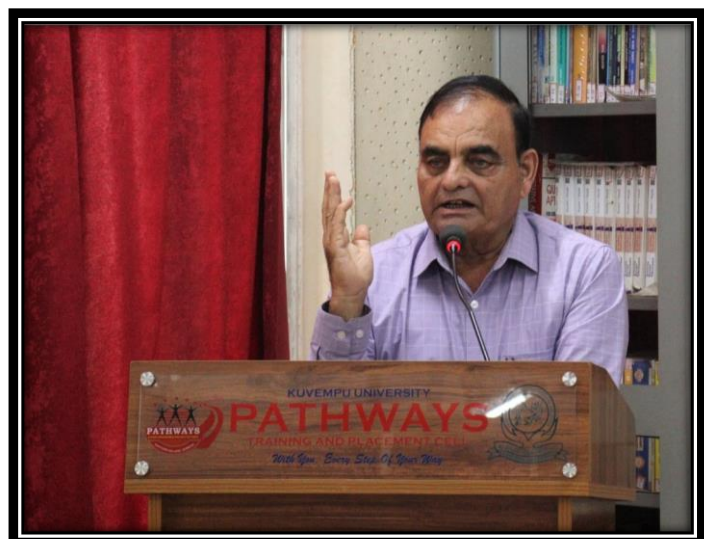
The inauguration program gained its sanctified start with a prayer song along with the warm welcoming. Prof. Mohana Chandragutthi, Director, Pathways Training and Placement Cell shared his words on the commitment and dedication of the chief guest Prof. M S Vignesh throughout his career and he also insisted the volunteers to make the best use of the workshop.

In morning session, resource person gave a comprehensive overview of the essential aspects of interview by highlighting their significance in assessing candidates. He stressed the notion that having abundant common sense is akin to possessing wisdom. He knowledgeable the various facets of interviews by emphasizing that they serve as tests of personality and character. Later, he explained different forms of interviews by including telephonic interviews, group discussions and oral interviews. Then, he mentioned some elements which are essential in shaping a candidate's impression on the interviewer. He gave few functional tips to help candidates in preparing for interviews effectively. These included the importance of punctuality, adhering to appropriate dress codes, organizing relevant documentation and maintaining professionalism throughout the interview process. Later, he highlighted the significance of making a positive impression upon entry and exit from the interview environment.

In the afternoon session, resource person instructed the volunteers to answer the common preliminary interview questions. Subsequently, he elaborated some effective strategies and tips to face the interview. Additionally, he addressed the issue of mobile addiction. Later, he

gave practical advice and techniques to mitigate its effects.

Overall, the sessions provided valuable insights and practical guidance to volunteers for seeking success in the interview process.



Date: 04.05.2024

Program: "Election Awareness"

On 4th May 2024, Pathways Training and Placement Cell conducted a session on Election Awareness facilitated by **Smt. Supriya K R and Sri. Pradeep R.**

Smt. Supriya K R, Assistant Director of the Metropolitan Municipality in Shivamogga, quoted the words of Swami Vivekananda and elucidated the notion of a sound mind and a sound body. She further expressed her concern about the decreasing voting percentage in urban areas and warned the volunteers about electoral bribery by urging everyone to cast a fair vote to make India a better nation.

Sri. Pradeep R, Election Tahsildar of Shivamogga, gave a brief history and evolution of elections. He expressed his dissatisfaction with how youth show slackness in voting despite it being our responsibility. He narrated a story to convey how observation and intelligence play a role in a person's life. Then, he explained the working of EVMs.

Dr. Mohana Chandragutti, Director, Pathways Training and Placement Cell addressed the volunteers by emphasizing the significance of election awareness and the importance of democracy. He acknowledged the pivotal role of Pathways and expressed gratitude to the dignitaries for their efforts in highlighting the importance of elections to the volunteers.

Additionally, a troop from Nesara Academy, Shivamogga, in association with Metropolitan Municipality, Shimoga, presented a street play to raise awareness about the upcoming election and also urged all youngsters to vote and elect a suitable representative.

Competitions were organized for Pathways volunteers featuring diverse competitions such as essays, speeches and poetry aimed at raising awareness about elections and showcasing the perspectives of young minds. All volunteers actively participated in their respective competitions by emphasizing the importance of voting and the role of youth in shaping a better Bharat.



Date: 11.05.2024

Program: "Cyber Security"

On 11th May 2024, Pathways Training and Placement Cell organized a Saturday session on the topic "Cyber Security" facilitated by **Sri. K T Gururaj**, Police Inspector, PTS Kaduru. Expert engaged a session to teach volunteers about cybercrime. He talked about the basics of cybercrime, like what it is and how it happens. He also explained some technical aspects, such as how optical fiber technology relates to cybercrime. He gave practical advice on what to do if you lose your phone by suggesting using platforms like the CEIR portal for reporting lost phones and the KSP website for getting assistance. He emphasized the importance of helpline numbers for getting help quickly and efficiently. The session was interactive and informative, motivating volunteers to take an active role in combating cybercrime and promoting online safety.



Date: 18.05.2024

Program: "Rumination and Flow"

On 18th May 2024, Pathways Training and Placement Cell organised a Saturday session on the topic "Rumination and Flow" facilitated by **Sri. Sanketh Ramkrishnamurthy**, Head HR at Autorabit, Seasoned HR and Motivational speaker.

Resource person commenced a session by explaining the concept of rumination its impacts and types—brooding and reflection. He detailed the key characteristics, causes and triggers of rumination, including physiological, external and cognitive factors. He also covered the concepts like consequences of rumination on mental health, well-being and behavior. The resource person elaborated on the concept of flow by outlining the conditions for achieving it, such as clear goals, immediate feedback and balance. He also shared his opinion on strategies to reduce rumination and achieve flow. Additionally, the resource person shared their personal journey, discussing how he had overcame all the obstacles to achieve their goals motivating students to maintain a positive attitude and respect everyone.

Prof. N Rajeshwari, Principal, Sahyadri Science College, Shivamogga praised our resource person on his achievements and his tribute to CDI and Pathways of Sahyadri Science College, Shivamogga. She also recollected all the evocation from the past years with him.

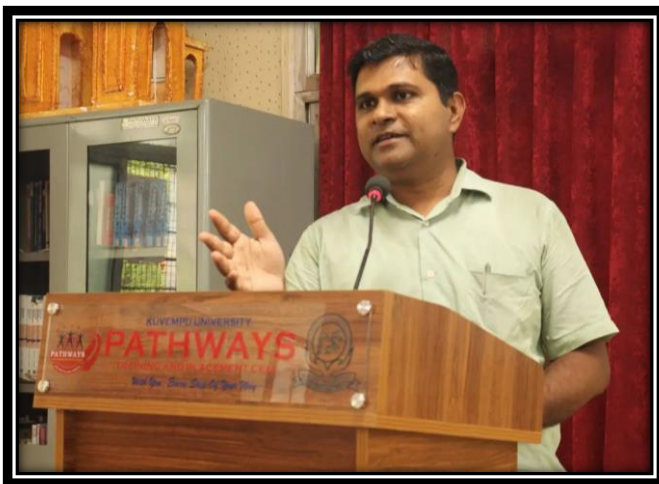
Dr. Mohana Chandragutthi, Director, Pathways Training and Placement Cell cheered the Alumni association of Pathways for their contribution and encouraged us to be the same in the upcoming years. He also insisted the volunteers to improve ourself and to be successful in life.



Date: 25.05.2024

Program: "Application of AI"

On 25th May 2024, Pathways Training and Placement Cell organized a Saturday session on the topic Application of AI for better Healthcare engaged by **Dr. Likewin Thomas**, Associate Professor, HOD of Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning PES Institute of Technology and Management, Shivamogga. Resource Person began session by discussing the early days of Artificial Intelligence (AI) in the 1960s, explaining why it has taken so long to make a significant impact in modern times. He highlighted the importance of Nanotechnology in the software field by illustrating how it has transformed hardware components into smart devices. Moving on to AI, he provided a basic definition of Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning (ML), outlining the differences between those things. He cited various applications of AI and ML in everyday life, The main focus was on AI applications in Healthcare, including image scanning sensors, cancer detection tools and other advancements. He also mentioned AI applications in the Automobile industries and Smart cities.



Date: 01.06.2024

Program: "Sustainable Organic Farming For Livelihood"

On 1st June 2024, Pathways Training and Placement Cell organized a Saturday session on the topic Sustainable Organic Farming For Livelihood facilitated by **Dr. N S MAVARKAR DEAN** College of Horticulture Mudigere, Chikmagalur. Session commenced with a discussion on the percentage of agricultural land and its impacts on Indian agriculture, including insights on the Green Revolution, conservation efforts and challenges in modern farming. He explained the essential nutrients for crops by dividing them into Macro nutrients (calcium, magnesium, sulfur, beryllium) and Micro nutrients (copper, manganese, zinc). Following that, he elaborated on Sustainable Development in agriculture, particularly focusing on organic farming and natural crop yield methods. Despite a growing population, there's a decreasing agricultural land in India.



Date: 08.06.2024

Program: "Graduation to Greatness"

On 8th June 2024, Pathways Training and Placement Cell organized a Saturday session on the topic "Graduation to Greatness" facilitated by **Sri. Keshava Murthy** Chief Mentor Malnad Coaching Academy Bengaluru. Resource person emphasized the importance of early career path decision-making, whether it's pursuing higher studies or preparing for competitive exams. They advised that for those interested in research, higher studies are essential, whereas for those focusing on state and central competitive exams, higher studies may not be necessary. However, they noted that a graduation degree is a prerequisite for all competitive exams, so preparation should begin during undergraduate studies. Regarding competitive exams, he provided statistics indicating that they typically consist of 50% Humanities (HEGP), 30% Science (PCB) and 20% Current Affairs.



Date: 14.06.2024

Program: "workshop on Village Accountant Exam"

On 14th June 2024, Pathways Training and Placement Cell organized first day of workshop on Village Accountant Exam. Inaugural function of the VA exam Workshop began with an invocation led by volunteers from Pathways, one of whom welcomed the gathering.

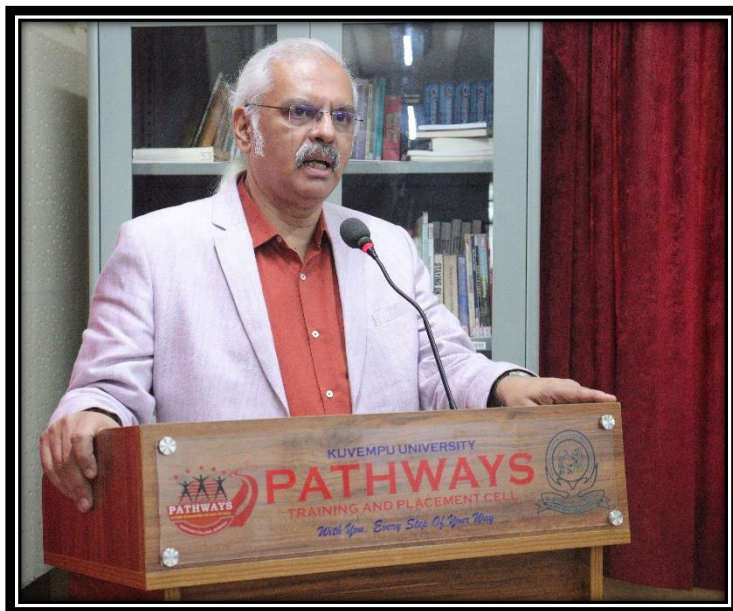
Dr. Mohana Chandragutti, Director, Pathways Training and Placement Cell introduced Pathways by presenting a documentary. He showcased Pathways' mission and objectives by giving an overview of its various activities and emphasizing its impact and importance. Additionally, he highlighted tasks that needed to be addressed.

Subsequently, Dr. Sharath Ananthamurthy, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Kuvempu University, Shankaragatta, praised the Pathways platform by acknowledging its significance in fostering growth and development. He encouraged students to actively engage with Pathways and posed challenging questions to enhance their learning and critical thinking skills.

Prof. Avinash T, Principal, Sahyadri Commerce and Management College, addressed the gathering on the significance of communication skills for achieving success in life. He emphasized the critical role of effective communication in academic pursuits and skill development. He also highlighted the importance of linguistic skills in effectively showcasing one's talents and capabilities to the world. He advised students to prioritize their academic endeavors seriously. He concluded by extending his best wishes to all the students.

Prof. N Rajeshwari, Sahyadri Science College, delivered her presidential address focusing on goals and their strategic planning. She encouraged in developing in-depth subject knowledge by providing practical rules of thumb. She advised studmeta to engage in solving previous years' exam question papers to enhance preparation

and understanding of exam patterns. She told the students to aspire towards ambitious goals in their academic and personal pursuits.



Date: 21.06.2024

Program: "workshop on Psychometric Analysis "

On 21st June 2024: Pathways Training and Placement Cell organized Two-Day Workshop on Psychometric Analysis.

The inaugural program of the workshop commenced with an evocative invocation led by Pathways volunteers. One of the volunteers warmly welcomed the gathering.

Dr. Mohana Chandragutti, Director, Pathways Training and Placement Cell, delivered illuminating talks centered around psychology. His insights laid the groundwork for understanding the importance of self-awareness. And also motivated all volunteers to actively engage in the upcoming sessions.

Ms. Shreedevi, Assistant Professor, Department of Clinical Psychology, Kateel Ashok Pai Memorial College, Shivamogga, began speech by sharing her perspectives on Pathways, by highlighting its role in holistic personal development and career enhancement. She eloquently explained the concept of Psychometric Analysis through a poignant anecdote, making it accessible and relatable to all students.

Ms. Ananya S M, Assistant Professor, Department of Clinical Psychology, captivated the students with her dynamic speech. She delved into various psychological factors by illustrating them with compelling examples. She shed light on the historical significance of Yoga by invoking the teachings of 'Patanjali' to know its enduring relevance in mental and physical well-being.

Prof. N Rajeshwari, Principal, Sahyadri Science College, gave the presidential address by emphasizing the critical role of problem-solving in personal growth. She emphasized the value of conducting SWOT analysis as a strategic approach to enhancing individual

capabilities.16 students team from Kateel Ashok Pai Memorial College was present.



Date: 29.06.2024

Program: "Choir Singing"

On 29th June 2024, Pathways Training and Placement Cell organized a Saturday session on the topic "Choir Singing" facilitated by **Sri. Harsha C M**, Director, Physical Education, Sahyadri Commerce and Management College, Shivamogga. Resource person started the session by assessing the volunteers' listening skills and memory power through engaging brain exercises. Following this, he introduced the concept of choir singing. He taught folk songs that carry deep meanings about culture, environment and society. He sang and all the volunteers joined in. This helped the volunteers to connect with their heritage and enjoy singing together. Additionally, he provided tips for singing well.



Date: 02.07.2024

Program: "Financial Wellness"

On 2nd July 2024, Pathways Training and Placement Cell organized an online session on "Financial Wellness" facilitated by **Ms. Namrata Arora**, Finance Educator Director, Business Development, Knowise. Resource Person, emphasized the importance of investments for future financial security. She mentioned some Key strategies for making informed investment decisions by focusing on long-term investments and the necessity of emergency funds. She elaborated on the functioning of mutual funds within the capital market, distinguishing between low-risk and high-risk equities. She also covered essential information about SEBI (Securities and Exchange Board of India) and highlighted the benefits of SIP (Systematic Investment Planning) for disciplined and regular investments.



Date: 02.07.2024

Program: "Cultural Leader Basavanna."

On 2nd July 2024, Pathways Training and Placement Cell organised a session on "Cultural Leader Basavanna." At the beginning of the session, **Barandur Prakash M**, Assistant Executive Engineer, PWD, Shivamogga, presented the photo frame of Basavanna to Pathways, it marked a significant gesture of respect and admiration towards Basavanna's teachings and contributions. Later, he commended the Platform of Pathways by highlighting its contributions. Then, he shared the thoughts and principles espoused by Basavanna. And advised the students to inculcate it. He also Mentioned his profound thoughts on social equality, rejection of caste distinctions, and emphasis on devotion through practical work. Shri. Maharudra, District President, Sharana Sahitya Parishath shared his insights into the enlightening thoughts of Basavanna. He recounted several of Basavanna's Vachanas, which are poetic verses known for their deep philosophical and spiritual content.



Date: 06.07.2024

Program: University Level Inter - College Quiz Competition
"Medha-2K24"

On 6th July 2024, Pathways Training and Placement Cell organized the University Level Inter - College Quiz Competition named "Medha-2K24" in memory of Pathways' Founding Director, Dr. B C Patil. The inaugural ceremony commenced with a soulful song performed by Pathways volunteers. Dr. S V Krishnamurthy, chief guest, inaugurated the event by lighting the lamp. Dr. Mohana Chandragutti, Director, Pathways Training and Placement Cell, introduced Pathways and inspired participants with his encouraging works.

Dr. S V Krishnamurthy, incharge Vice Chancellor, Kuvempu University, highlighted the significance of knowledge and underscored the importance of learning. Prof. N Rajeshwari, Principal, Sahyadri Science College, delivered a presidential address by engaging students with insightful questions related to current topics and extended her best wishes to all participants.

A total of 31 teams from colleges under Kuvempu University participated enthusiastically in the quiz competition. The event featured five challenging rounds: "Ink Insights," where teams chose correct answers; "Gaze Amaze," a visual round; "Crack the Code," a round to solve riddles and answer questions on chosen topics; "Quickfire Quizzes," a rapid-fire round testing quick thinking; and "Climax Chronicle," a buzzer round with clues provided. Teams were eliminated after each round, by adding intensity and excitement to the competition.



Date: 13.07.2024

Program: "Art and Craft"

On 13th July 2024, Pathways Training and Placement Cell organized a Saturday session on the topic Art and Craft facilitated by **Smt. Radhika Jagadish**, Assistant Teacher, GHPS Kashipura, Shivamogga. The resource person showcased various crafting methods. Volunteers were divided into four teams to make a creation of intricately designed handicrafts such as roses and butterflies. Volunteers gained practical skills in crafting. Her daughter Ms. Sinchana J also helped the volunteers in making creative crafts. The session encouraged creativity among volunteer by fostering a deeper appreciation for handmade crafts.



Date: 20.07.2024

Program: "Living in the Light of Love"

On 20th July 2024, Pathways Training and Placement Cell organised a session on the topic Living in the Light of Love facilitated by **Dr. Nagesh Bidaragodu**, Principal, PU College Shettihalli. The speaker focused on the vital role of love and human relationships in our lives by emphasizing that these elements are crucial in today's world. They mentioned that personal experiences and meaningful connections with others are more important than merely acquiring book knowledge. He suggested that instead of trying to change others, one should focus on personal self-improvement. He reinforced this idea by quoting lines from "Mankku timmana Kagga".



Date: 27.07.2024

Program: "Critical Thinking v/s Creative Thinking"

On 27th July 2024, Pathways Training and Placement Cell organised a Saturday session on the topic Critical Thinking v/s Creative Thinking facilitated by **Dr. Giridhar K V**, Associate Professor, Sahyadri Commerce and Management College, Shivamogga. Resource person commenced the session by emphasizing the importance of practical knowledge over theoretical understanding. He illustrated this by showing related videos to depict the scenarios. Following this, he engaged the volunteers in interactive discussions by posing various situational problems and made them to answer through critical analysis. In addition, he shared his personal experiences to underline the points being discussed.



Date: 03.08.2024

Program: "Footage Editing and Database"

On 3rd August 2024, Pathways Training and Placement Cell organized a Saturday session on the topic "Footage Editing and Database" facilitated by **Dr. Shoieb Ahamed**, Assistant Professor and HOD, Department of Computer Application , Govt. First Grade College, Soraba. The session led by the resource person provided a comprehensive overview of essential computer concepts. It began with an explanation of basic software systems, differentiating between open-source and commercial software while highlighting their respective features. Then he discussed about the operating systems through relatable daily examples. He then, provided insights about the application software, showcasing Microsoft Power Point's creative tools such as audio and screen recording and it's practical uses for freelancing and virtual presentations. He also provided some open-source alternatives to commercial software like Audacity, Openshot for audio and video editing.



Date: 11.08.2024

Program: "Field Visit"

On 11th August 2024, Pathways Training and Placement Cell organised Field Visit to "Kavaledurga, Savehaklu Dam ,Chakra Dam and Nagara Fort". The field visit began by visiting Kavaledurga by means of trucking. All the volunteers reached the peak of Kavaledurga and enjoyed the enchanted morning view. This visit extended inner beauty into the hearts of the volunteers. Before visiting the Chakra dam and Savehaklu dams, a Headmaster of locality govt. school provided us an insight about the history of the sites. The journey then continued to Savehaklu Dam and Chakra Dam, located in Hosanagara Taluk. All volunteers explored the dams thoroughly by looking structure of the dam's embankments and examined every detail. Following to that volunteers also visited Nagara Fort, which was built by Shivappa Nayaka in the offset of sunset which gave a fascinating history about the history and architecture. This place gave comprehensive view on karnataka dynasties. Then a native researcher gave brief history of Nagara Fort. Overall, the field visit was highly informative, offered valuable insights and memorable experiences.

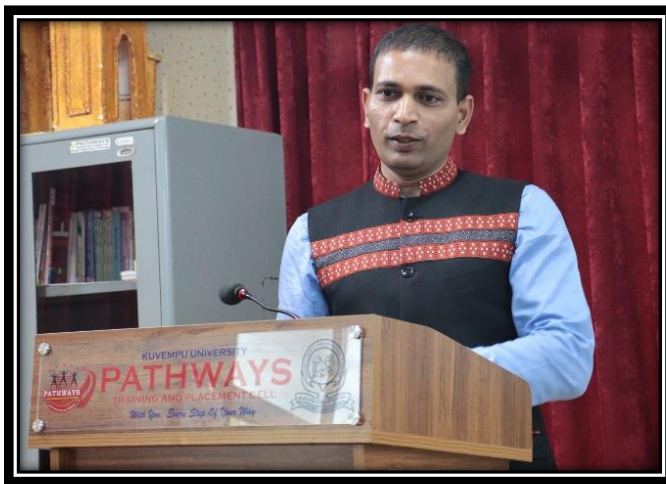




Date: 12.08.2024

Program: "Interacting Session"

On 12th August 2024, Pathways Training and Placement Cell organised a session on the topic "Interacting Session" facilitated By **Dr. Damodhar A T** (IFS) Indian Forest Service - 2010 Batch Chief Conservator of Forests (Wildlife) Arunachal Pradesh. He started the session by engaging volunteers and sharing his journey and hard work. Later, he gave a comprehensive insights into the biodiversity of India's Lakshadweep Islands by showcasing aerial pictures. He gave an overview of the Lakshadweep Islands, including the management system during his tenure. Additionally, he highlighted major initiatives to transform Lakshadweep into a tourist destination, such as recycling, removing hard materials, and eco-friendly projects, along with massive awareness campaigns. He concluded the session by answering questions from the volunteers about preparing for and cracking the UPSC exam.



Date: 15.08.2024

Program: "78th Independence Day "

On 15th August 2024, Pathways Training and Placement Cell celebrated the 78th Independence Day with great enthusiasm and pride. The event began with a heartfelt rendition of the national anthem. The highlight of the program was the inauguration of a model of the Anjanapura Dam which created by first year volunteers. Ms. Aparna M. S. gave insights into the model through a PowerPoint presentation.

Following this, dignitaries awarded prizes to the winners of essay competition, which centred on the topic of Independence Day. Following this, Ms. Niharika J. and Mr. Ravi M. D. delivered excellent patriotic speeches which reflecting on the significance of the day. Dr. Mohana Chandragutti, Director, Pathways Training and Placement Cell, expressed gratitude for the sacrifices made by freedom fighters by highlighting that freedom is both a celebration and a responsibility.

Chief guest, Sri Kishor Kumar N D, Accountant Officer, Women and Child Development Management, Sagara, shared his personal journey and experiences in the Army. He emphasized the importance of knowledge and self-correction over merely discussing societal issues by leaving a lasting impact on the volunteers. Subsequently, a cultural program was held after the formal program.

The event featured with group songs, drama and mime. Each performance showcased a heartfelt tribute to patriotism, reflecting the volunteers' dedication and enthusiasm for celebrating the nation's heritage.



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