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World Literacy Day - Power of the Pen

To quote W. Clinton -

Literacy is not a luxury, it is a right and a responsibility. If our world is to meet the challenges of the twenty-first century we must harness the energy and creativity of all our citizens.

The world literacy day reminds us that literacy is still a right which is unknown to many across the world. Literacy and education enables us to be aware of our rights as a human and open doors for a life with dignity. So let us help people around us as teaching what we know, no matter how small it may seem to us, is significant enough to touch someone else's life. Let us look at our literacy as a right as well as a responsibility.

This issue also includes the events conducted by the College Working Committee of the college, write-up from our staff in charge, a word from parents, as well as the achievements by our students.

Therefore, dive in to know more!

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SUB EDITOR'S SAY: WORLD LITERACY DAY - POWER OF THE PEN

Lacking introductory reading and writing skills is a tremendous disadvantage. knowledge not only enriches an individual's life, but it creates openings for people to develop skills that will help them deliver for themselves and their family. The positive knock- on effect of educating girls can be seen in the wider social and profitable benefits yielded for their communities. adding the emphasis towards women's education favorably impacts on each generation through raised prospects and increased self- regard. Perfecting knowledge facilitates employment whereby both males and females can contribute, helping the wider frugality and community to thrive. child mortality rates drop significantly for women who have had primary education, and indeed more for those who complete secondary academy. It's estimated that child mortality decreases 9% for every time education is attained. This is because girls and women are suitable to educate themselves on health issues, which can help reduce the cycle of poverty and mortality rates in the long term. Breaking the cycle of ignorance and perfecting self- esteem is pivotal for women and girls in the developing world. By enabling them to become economically productive and independent, they become empowered and can take control of their lives.

The significance of education in fostering individualized autonomy, and creative and critical thinking skills is central to helping girls contribute to their societies. The impact of perfecting knowledge in girls not only has a positive economic impact at an original and community position, but the productivity of the workforce flourishes at country position too by enhancing a country's profitable strength.

Dr Sarika Shetty
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FACULTY SPEAKS : WORLD LITERACY DAY - POWER OF THE PEN

"International Literacy Day is celebrated every year on 8 September to create awareness among people about the importance of education and literacy. One of the primary goals of International Literacy Day is to convey the importance of literacy and its necessity to individuals and societies, and create literate and well-educated communities across all languages, globally.

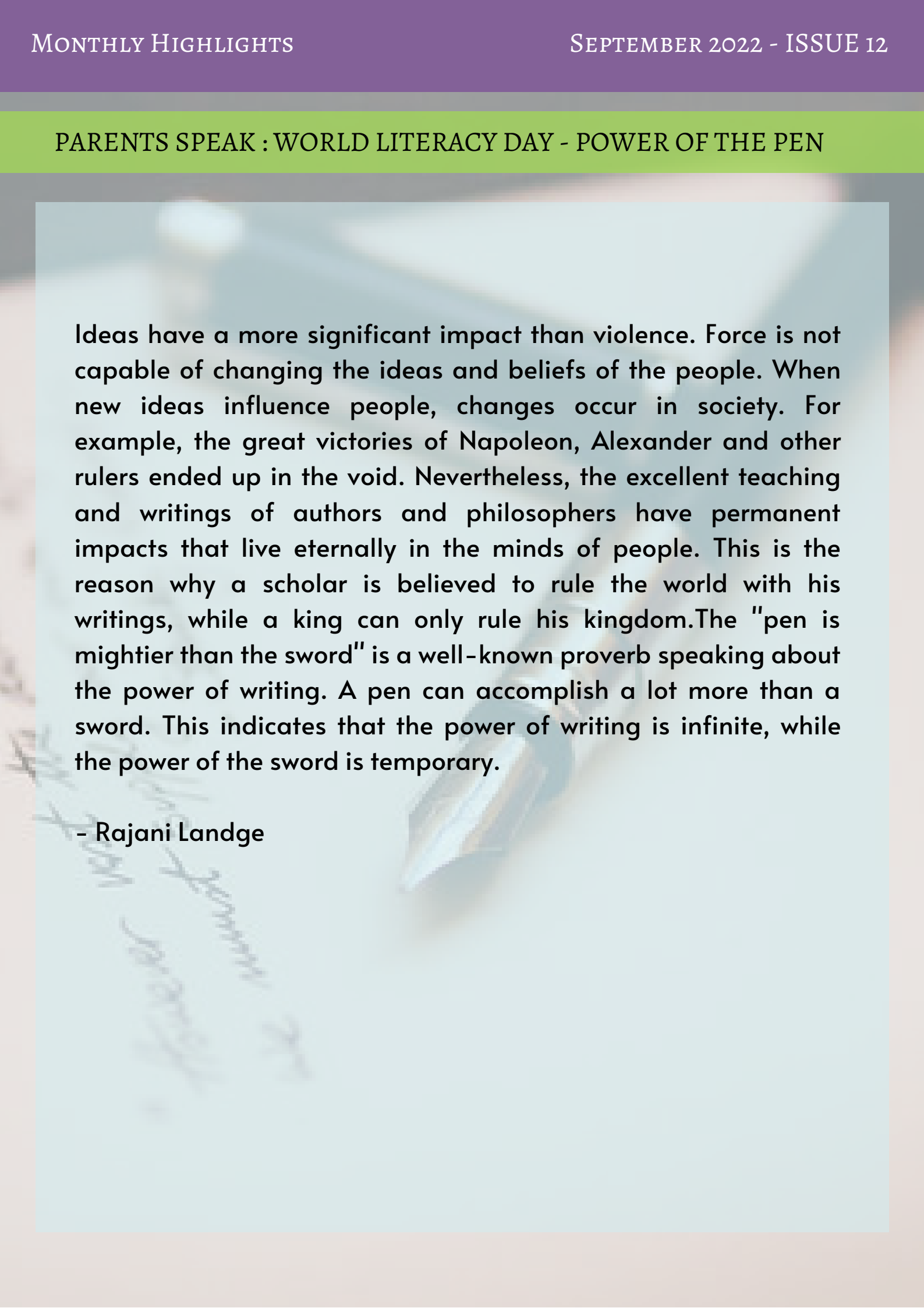
The main idea behind celebrating this day is to educate and motivate people to pursue education so that they will be able to differentiate between right and wrong. Education is the fundamental right of every individual and people must know it. Effective literacy skills provide numerous educational and employment opportunities to people that help them become independent and get rid of poverty and unemployment. India is a diverse country with some states having very high literacy rates while some have very low. This disparity amongst the states is something that can be tried to be reduced.

To quote Kofi Annan - "Literacy is a bridge from misery to hope. It is a tool for daily life in modern society. It is a bulwark against poverty, and a building block of development, an essential complement to investments in roads, dams, clinics, and factories. Literacy is a platform for democratization, and a vehicle for the promotion of cultural and national identity. Especially for girls and women, it is an agent of family health and nutrition. For everyone, everywhere, literacy is, along with education in general, a basic human right. Literacy is, finally, the road to human progress and the means through which every man, woman, and child can realize his or her full potential."

Dr Vineet Kini

Head of the Department of Periodontics

PARENTS SPEAK : WORLD LITERACY DAY - POWER OF THE PEN



Ideas have a more significant impact than violence. Force is not capable of changing the ideas and beliefs of the people. When new ideas influence people, changes occur in society. For example, the great victories of Napoleon, Alexander and other rulers ended up in the void. Nevertheless, the excellent teaching and writings of authors and philosophers have permanent impacts that live eternally in the minds of people. This is the reason why a scholar is believed to rule the world with his writings, while a king can only rule his kingdom. The "pen is mightier than the sword" is a well-known proverb speaking about the power of writing. A pen can accomplish a lot more than a sword. This indicates that the power of writing is infinite, while the power of the sword is temporary.

- Rajani Landge

NSS FOUNDATION DAY

26th September 2022

The event began with the lamp lighting ceremony at the hands of Dr Piyush Saxena, senior vice president, Reliance industries which was followed by singing of the NSS song. Dr Madhavi Mankar, NSS Coordinator MGMIHS oriented everyone about the NSS activities. A mime act was performed by the volunteers showing the achievements of our nation and the sacrifices made by it's people. It was followed by the guest lecture of Dr Piyush Saxena about "Gender Sensitivity and Problems Faced by the Transgender".



The lecture was followed by dance performances by volunteers reflecting cultural diversity of India. The event was concluded by the vote of thanks by Mrs Anamika Chalwadi, NSS programme officer of MGM School of Biomedical Sciences.

CBCT - BASICS AND CLINICAL APPLICATION

21 September 2022



The Department of Oral medicine and Radiology is conducting a Value Added Course titled 'Cone Beam Computed Tomography - Basics and Clinical Applications'. The new CBCT was inaugurated on 10th of August during "Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav" celebration and this course will be a great addition to our knowledge of the workings and the applications of the machinery. The course is divided into a series of lectures scheduled till the month of December.

ORIENTATION FOR SEVANKUR BHARAT ORGANISATION

29th September 2022



An orientation lecture for the Sevankur Bharat Organisation was conducted on 29th September 2022 for interns and students of our institution.



Sevankur Bharat is a non profit organization which connects the students and interns of the medical health profession. The speaker for the lecture was Dr Rohit Gupta and the lecture served as a new opportunity for the students of the institute to serve for a greater good.

NAVRATRI GARBA CELEBRATION

30th September 2022



The cultural committee of MGM Dental College and Hospital, in association with the College Working Committee organised a fun filled navaratri garba celebration on 30th September 2022.

The garba dance celebration was organised for everyone in the college and teaching and non teaching staff, as well as students participated with enthusiasm for the event. The staff incharges for the event were Dr Jigna Pathak, Dr Vaibhav Thakkar and Dr Bharat Gupta.



Participants were also awarded prizes for the costume and their dance performance. Best costume male was won by Aryan Mishra (Final BDS) while best costume female was won by Dhruvi Panchal (Intern) and We had two winners for the dance performances, Jaini Gada and Kavita Jain, both being Final BDS students.

DECODING THE LAW - MEDICOLEGAL JURISPRUDENCE

22nd - 23rd September

The Department of Oral and Maxillofacial surgery in association with the College Working Committee of MGMDCH organised a two day workshop on Medicolegal Jurisprudence on 22nd and 23rd September 2022.



The workshop was organised with many eminent personalities in the Medicolegal field, such as Mr Vinod Menon, the editor - Special investigation at Mid day Indomedia, Dr Archana Dhusia, the HOD Dentistry and Maxillofacial surgery, HBT Municipal medical College, Dr Hemant Dhusia, Professor emeritus of Dentistry and Former Dean at LTM Medical College, Dr Sunali Khanna, Associate Professor, Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, Nair Dental College, Dr Rajesh Dere HOD FMT, Sion Hospital Mumbai, Dr Sharif Firoz, past president of IDA (Mumbai Branch) and Dr Sharad Kokate, Former Dean YMT Dental College and Hospital, Navi Mumbai. It was a dream come true to be able to attend lectures by the highly accomplished guest speakers.

Apart from the guest speakers, our own Dr Suraj Ahuja, Associate Professor, OSMF and Dr Vaibhav Thakkar, Associate Professor Public Health Dentistry also delivered lectures on topics, "Regulation of Dental Practics and Ethics" and "Confidentiality" respectively.



As a part of the two day workshop the interns of MGDCH under the guidance of Dr Sneha Kadam prepared a skit to highlight the Medicolegal issues faced by medical health professionals.



MAHARASHTRA ORAL CANCER CONTROL CAMP

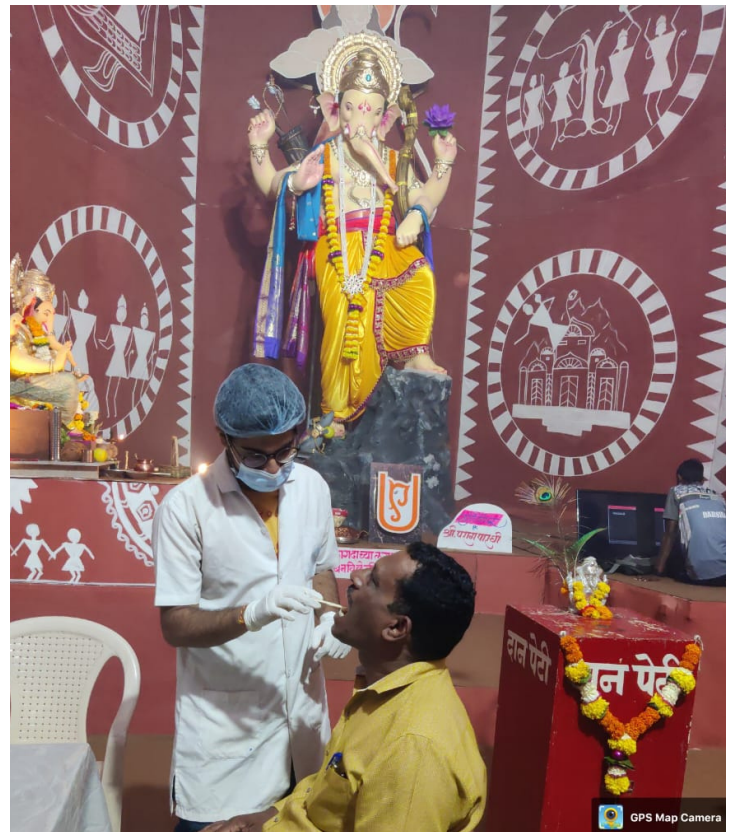
3rd - 7th September



Mahatma Gandhi Mission's Dental College and Hospital joined hands with the Indian dental association in organising the MOCC camps in the month of September.



The camps were conducted from 3rd to 7th September across various locations in Mumbai, namely Lower Parel, Chinchpokli and Byculla. Many of the screening camps were conducted with close association with the Ganpati pandals during the auspicious festival of Ganesh Chaturthi.



CREATIVE MINDS

इंसानियत

क्या है इंसान कर रहा, क्यों है औरत डर रही
इंसान की हरकतों को देख, इंसानियत है मर रही ।

देश के एक कोने में है एक लड़की जल रही
दूसरी तरफ लोगों के मुँह से, आह तक न निकल रही
इस हालात में भी कोई बेईमानी न भांपता
इंसान की हरकतों को देख इन्साफ भी है कांपता ।

पाक लड़की राख होकर भी समाज से जूझती
वही समाज नापाक लड़के को पाक कहके पूजती
कैसा यह अन्याय है को न्याय से भी है खरा
इंसान की हरकतों को देख साहसी भी है डरा ।

एक ओर खलती है लोगों को यह पानी की कमी
एक ओर नहीं इन लोगों को आँखों में बिलकुल भी नमी
हैवानियत को ही जाकर क्यों है इंसान लिपट रहा
इंसान की हरकतों को देख समुद्र तक है सिमट रहा ।

एक ओर है एक लड़की बाहर जाने से डर रही
एक ओर है एक लड़की जो गर्भ में ही मर रही
लोग कहते है यह सारी लड़कियों की ही खता
इंसान की हरकतों को देख इंसानियत है लापता ।

क्या यह पाबंदी हमेशा रोकेगी हर औरत को
क्या बन्दगी में ही रहना होगा जिन्दगीभर लड़की को ?
या एक दिन आएगा ऐसा जब बेड़ियाँ खुल जाएंगी
और आज़ाद पंछी के तरह लडकियां उड़ जाएंगी ?

न हो ऐसा अगर तो एक दिन ऐसा भी तो आएगा
न हो ऐसा अगर तो एक दिन ऐसा भी तो आएगा
इंसान के बीच इंसान तो होगा लेकिन इंसानियत मर जाएगी ।

इस कदर हालात न हो दे रही मैं यह गुहार
इंसानियत ही तो हूँ मैं इंसान सुन ले यह पुकार ।

CREATIVE MINDS

Mirrored

I stood,
gazing at the reflection
staring, into my own eyes,
seeking deliverance,
my hardened eyes
wandering,
through each feature,
myself, now splotched,
with hues of black,
in places where the mirror,
had renounced it's magic.

It's returning gaze,
never cordial,
had this harrowing nature,
of vicious reminiscence,
displaying alternative realities,
of what I could've been.
drowning me,
in uncertainties,
replaying broken cassettes,
of my melancholic nights,
flaunting images,
of what I should've been.

Swindling my peace,
making me speculate,
upon my own decisions,
it sometimes lingers,
disputing gently,
ransacking my brains,
dragging me back down
the memory lane,
forcing me,
through those days again.

- Neeraj Giri

CREATIVE MINDS

Waning

you've been bruised,
improperly loved,
left hanging in oblivion,
starving your needs,
as the ghost of your past,
born from these wounds,
etches on to your spine,
gouging into your skin,
peeling away,
the delicate membranes,
as you writhe away
in a suppressed turmoil,
yearning for a leeway,
cooped up in the horrors,
caged away into timelines
now unknown,
wiped out of existence.

slivers of you,
with feeble pulsations
still breathing,
placidly gripping onto
the cascading slopes
of an hourglass
trying to evade
the throes of time,
lest you slip away,
into the pit of death.

- Neeraj Giri

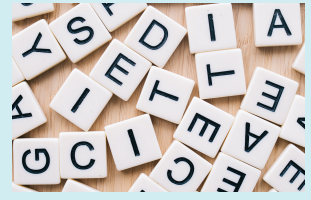


ARTISTS OF MGM



Geetika Tirodkar (Intern)





PUN - TASTIC WORDPLAY AND QUOTES



Usko kya janamdeen mubarak karu,
Jisne khud hume janam diya hai.
Kabhi kabhi bhool jaate hai hum,
Ki ye zindagi ko humne unhi se karz
liya hai

O'Musafir meri baat sunn toh lo,
Khud pe bhi thoda yakeen kar toh lo,
Yun hi nahi milti manzil aasani se,
Pehle uski chaahat me jal toh lo.



Chaandni ke thandak me,
Suraj dusri taraf jalta hai,
Tu yu kabhi bhi muskan mat de,
Ye dil badi mushkil se sambhalta hai.



SHARDOOL JAGTAP
FINAL BDS