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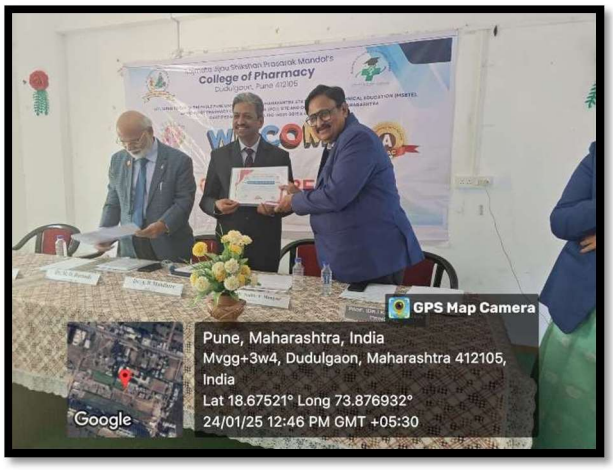
WELCOME FUNCTION AND OATH CEREMONY



A Welcome Function and Oath Ceremony was organized at RJSPM College of Pharmacy on 24th January 2025 at 10:30 a.m. in the Seminar Hall, for the newly admitted students of B. Pharm, M. Pharm, D. Pharm, and D.S.Y**.** courses. The event was graced by eminent personalities Dr. Mahesh Burande and Dr. Mandhare as chief guests. The ceremony began with a warm welcome followed by the traditional lighting of the lamp. The dignitaries delivered motivational speeches highlighting the importance of ethics, discipline, and dedication in the pharmacy profession. A special highlight of the event was the inauguration of the Alumni Calendar by the chief guests. The program also included prize distribution to last year's academic toppers, acknowledging their hard work and success. The oath ceremony marked a formal induction of the students into the noble field of pharmacy. The event concluded with a vote of thanks.

STUDENTS SECURED 1ST POSITION AT MODEL MAKING COMPETITION

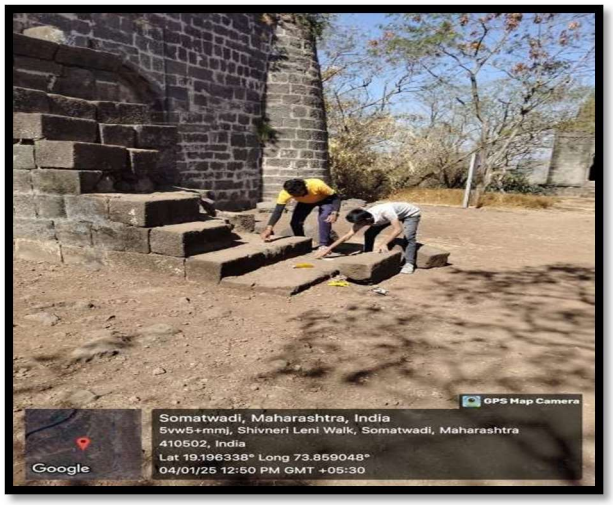
Final year students Vaishnavi Sandbhor and Shrutika Khose from RJSPM's College of Pharmacy, Dudulgaon, Pune, secured **1st Prize** at the **State-Level Model-Making Competition** held at Dyanshastri College of Pharmacy on **National Science Day 2025**. Their innovative project, titled *"Automated Formaldehyde Gas Fumigation System (AFGFS),"* was appreciated for its creativity and technological impact. The award reflects the mentorship of **Suhas Ghodekar Sir**, whose guidance inspired their success. The management, principal, and staff members proudly congratulated the winners for bringing laurels to the institute.

NSS Camp At Markal

RJSPM's College of Pharmacy successfully organized a **7-day NSS Special Camp** at Markal village from 18th to 24th January 2025. The camp was inaugurated in the presence of NSS Chief Co-ordinator **Dr. Jeevan Dhumal** along with staff members and village representatives. The camp aimed at promoting social responsibility, community service, and overall personality development of students. During the seven days, various activities were carried out under the guidance of faculty and with the support of staff member **Mr. Rushikesh Nikalje**. Students actively participated in cleanliness drives, tree plantation, health awareness rallies, and door-to-door visits to spread knowledge about hygiene and preventive healthcare. Special sessions on environmental conservation, waste management, and digital awareness were also conducted for villagers. In addition to community work, students organized cultural programs, street plays, and interactive sessions to create awareness on issues such as women empowerment, drug abuse prevention, and importance of education. Free health check-ups and blood pressure monitoring were also arranged with the help of volunteers, benefitting many villagers. The camp provided students with an opportunity to experience rural life, understand the challenges faced by the community, and work towards practical solutions. It not only strengthened the bond between the college and society but also enriched the values of discipline, teamwork, and leadership among NSS volunteers. The 7-day camp concluded on 24th January 2025 with a valedictory function, where Dr. Jeevan Dhumal appreciated the sincere efforts of students and staff, and encouraged them to continue serving society with dedication.

FORT RECONSEVATION WORKSHOP UNDER NSS SCHEME

RJSPM College of Pharmacy organized a one-day district-level workshop on fort conservation at Shivneri Fort on 4th January 2025. The event aimed to spread awareness about heritage preservation among youth. As a part of the initiative, enthusiastic students actively participated in cleaning the fort premises, showcasing their commitment to protecting historical sites. The activity was a hands-on effort to instill values of responsibility and pride in local heritage. The workshop concluded with a pledge to continue such conservation efforts, leaving a strong message of preserving the legacy of Maharashtra's glorious past.



INDUSTRIAL VISIT AT NULIFE PHARMA

On 22nd March 2025, RJSPM College of Pharmacy organized an industrial visit to NuLife Pharma, Pune for B. Pharm and D. Pharm students. The visit offered valuable exposure to pharmaceutical manufacturing processes in a real-time industrial environment. Students observed various departments including production, quality control, and packaging. Experts from NuLife Pharma guided the students through GMP practices, safety protocols, and regulatory standards. The interactive experience helped students understand the practical aspects of their curriculum and the functioning of a pharma plant. The visit was informative, inspiring, and helped bridge the gap between classroom learning and industrial practices.

INDUSTRIAL VISIT AT ELECTROLAB, NAVIMUMBAI

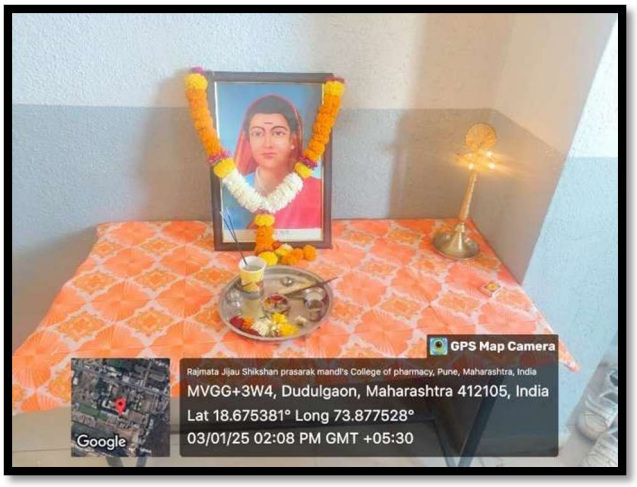
On 22nd February 2025, M. Pharm students from RJSPM College of Pharmacy visited Electrolab India Pvt. Ltd., Navi Mumbai, for an industrial and R&D tour focused on advancements in dissolution testing. The visit offered a detailed understanding of sophisticated dissolution apparatus, including USP Apparatus I–IV, biphasic systems, and automated sampling units. Experts explained key concepts such as method validation, IVIVC, and regulatory expectations in dissolution testing. Students observed how advanced equipment supports formulation development and quality control. The interactive sessions and live demonstrations helped students relate theoretical knowledge to practical applications in pharmaceutical research and development.

CELEBRATION OF RAJMATA JIJAU AND SWAMI VIVEKANAND JAYANTI

Rajmata College of Pharmacy celebrated Rajmata Jijau and Swami Vivekananda Jayanti with great enthusiasm and respect. The event commenced with the lighting of the ceremonial lamp by the faculty members, symbolizing knowledge and enlightenment. Homage was paid to Rajmata Jijau, the mother of Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj, for her role in shaping a visionary leader, and to Swami Vivekananda, whose thoughts continue to inspire youth across the nation. Faculty members spoke about the life, teachings, and values of these two great personalities, emphasizing their relevance in today's world. The celebration aimed to inspire students to follow their ideals of courage, leadership, and dedication to society.

SAVATRIBAI PHULE JAYANTI

Savitribai Phule Jayanti was celebrated with great respect and enthusiasm at RJSPM College of Pharmacy. The program began with the lighting of the ceremonial lamp by Principal Dr. K.S. Jain, along with faculty and staff members. Floral tributes were offered at the portrait of Savitribai Phule, honoring her immense contribution to women's education and social reform. On this occasion, Principal Dr. K.S. Jain addressed the gathering with a few inspiring words, highlighting Savitribai Phule's pioneering role in shaping modern Indian society and encouraging students to follow her path of courage, education, and empowerment.



SOFT SKILL TRAINING PROGRAM

RJSPM College of Pharmacy organized a Soft Skill Training Program from 10th February 2025 to 15th February 2025 for third- and final-year students. The program was conducted in collaboration with a joint initiative of Nirman and Edubridge, supported by Infosys Foundation. The training was organized by the Training and Placement Cell (TPO) and IQAC of the college. The sessions focused on enhancing communication skills, teamwork, leadership qualities, problem-solving abilities, and interview preparation. Experienced trainers engaged students through interactive activities, role-plays, and group discussions, ensuring active participation. The program aimed to prepare students for professional challenges and boost their confidence for campus placements. The event concluded with positive feedback from students and a vote of thanks by the organizers.

SPORTS WEEK CELEBRATION

RJSPM College of Pharmacy organized its Annual Sports Week from 3rd to 8th March 2025 with great enthusiasm at the college campus. The event was inaugurated by Dr. Amol Kumbhar, Principal, in the presence of Dr. Jeevan Dhumal, Mr. Suhas Ghodekar, and Mr. Rushikesh Nikalje (Sports Incharge). Their presence motivated the students and marked the beginning of an exciting week filled with sportsmanship and energy. A wide range of indoor and outdoor sports were conducted to ensure maximum participation of students from Degree, Diploma, and M. Pharm programs. Indoor games such as Carrom and Chess for both boys and girls were conducted on 3rd March. Outdoor events included Cricket league matches and finals for boys and girls, Tug of War, Kabaddi, and Athletics/Shot Put competitions. One of the major highlights was the Badminton Singles and Doubles tournaments, which were organized at Spartan Badminton Academy, giving students an opportunity to experience professional-level facilities. The entire week reflected the spirit of teamwork, discipline, and healthy competition. The winners were felicitated in the concluding ceremony, and the Principal encouraged students to actively participate in such events for their overall growth and fitness.

CULTURAL FEST

The annual Cultural Fest of RJSPM was celebrated with immense enthusiasm and participation from students across all streams. The fest was inaugurated by the Principal, Dr. Kishor Jain, who inspired students to engage actively in cultural activities to complement their academic journey.

The celebration featured a variety of theme-based days that added excitement to the campus. On Bollywood Day, students dressed up as popular film characters, showcasing style and entertainment. Mismatch Day brought out fun and creativity, as students experimented with quirky and unusual attire combinations that spread laughter and joy. Traditional Day highlighted the rich cultural diversity of India, with students wearing colorful ethnic outfits representing different states and traditions.

In addition to the themed celebrations, the fest also featured dance and drama performances by talented students. The energetic dances electrified the atmosphere, while the drama acts engaged the audience with a mix of humor and thoughtful messages.

The entire event was successfully coordinated by Ms. Sonali Sonawane, Cultural Coordinator of the college, who ensured smooth organization and enthusiastic participation. The cultural fest proved to be a memorable occasion, providing students a vibrant platform to display their creativity, talent, and team spirit.

“Service to Society through Excellence in Education”

As we all know Rajmata Jijau was in real sense a true Guru who inspired Shivaji Maharaj and made him aware of the divinity within him. She transformed his vision into a powerful Immortal and spiritual approach. Her touching words and dialogue had bonded Shivaji Maharaj’s heart with unbounded love and affection for each other and the country. Her teachings helped him throughout his life to succeed in all difficult situations with courage and determination. With the same spirit and dedication in mind, Rajmata Jijau Shikshan Prasarak Mandal was established in 2000.