

LADAKH EDUCATION FAIR 2023



GOVERNMENT DEGREE COLLEGE KARGIL LADAKH



Theme: Empowering Minds Enriching Futures

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The 'Second Edition, Ladakh Education Fair 2023,' must bloom as a pitching ground for awareness, deliberation and interaction, broadening the horizons of excellence and achievements amongst youth, especially in career and skilled based avenues.

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In the Second Edition, Ladakh Education Fair 2023, Government Degree College Kargil, aims to bring different stake holders of the community together to educate, inspire and liberate the youth by providing them the platform for discussion and skill training.

Principal
Government Degree College Kargil



Government Degree College Kargil, hosted its 2nd Edition Ladakh Education Fair 2023, on the theme, ‘Empowering Minds Enriching Futures,’ on 24th and 25th of August, 2023, in collaboration with Ladakh Skill Development Mission, Higher Education Department UT Ladakh, University of Ladakh, supported by Department of Information and Public Relations UT Ladakh, for the students and youth of Kargil District. The fair targeted to empower and enrich the minds of the youth, through workshops, expert talk, career counselling, multiple skilled based career opportunities, scholarship schemes education loans and registration for various apprenticeship programmes.

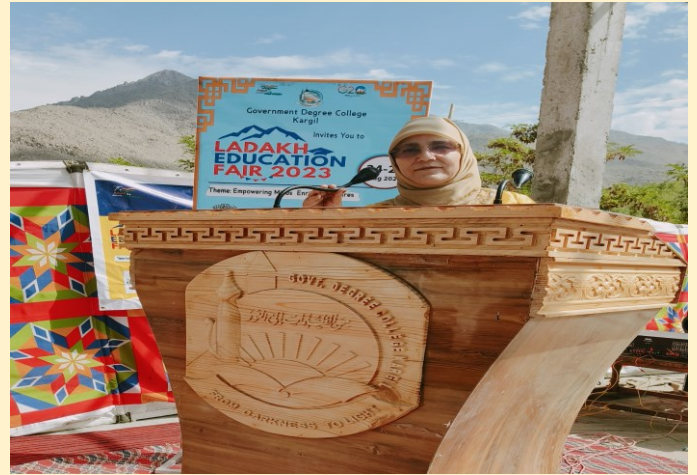


The Education Fair, instilled in the participants, educational zeal and cultural fervour that enabled them to venture into diverse academic and non-academic boulevards. Further, it equipped them with prerequisite skill-oriented devices in attaining educational and career goals. The major stakeholders of the event comprised of students from various schools, college students, resource persons, parents, and other Skill and Educational Institutions.

EVENT HIGHLIGHTS

1	Interactive Sessions and Workshops	4	Stalls and Exhibition
2	Skill Training and Demonstrations	5	Talent Show and Fun Games
3	Career Counselling, Entrepreneurship and Apprenticeship Facilitation Camp		

INAUGURAL SESSION



Prof. S.K. Mehta, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor University of Ladakh, graced the occasion as the Guest of Honour and addressed the gathering at Government Degree College, Kargil. Principal, Government Degree College Kargil, Dr. Amina Qari officially welcomed the guests and participants at GDC Kargil and presented an overview of the two days event. Sh. Shrikant Balasaheb Suse (IAS) Deputy Commissioner Kargil, the Guest of Honour and Sh. S.D. Sudarshan Executive Director C DAC, the Special Guest, also graced the occasion and addressed the crowd. The inaugural session was conducted by Touheed and Farzana, students of GDC Kargil. The session was concluded with vote of thanks by Prof. Taira Bano, Assistant Professor Department of English. The guests were felicitated with mementoes by worthy Principal GDC Kargil as a token of appreciation. The session was attended by 450 students from various schools, faculty members, students of GDC Kargil and others

A panel discussion themed, "**Literature and Society**" was conducted after the inaugural session. Mr. Lhundup Gyalpo (Author/English) and Mr. Sadiq Ali Hardassi (Author/Urdu) were the resource persons for the session, who highlighted the scope of literature and literary works accomplished in Ladakhi Society. The discussion was moderated by Dr. Mohammad Shareif, Assistant Professor Department of Urdu and Dr. Azra Khatoon, Assistant Professor Department of English. The session was followed by Q/A and the panellists were felicitated by the Principal, Dr. Amina Qari and Prof. Nasir Shabani Sr. Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce, GDC Kargil. 120 students attended the session.





Ms. Kaneez Fatima, Instructor Department of Handloom, presented an interactive session on various schemes and services in Handloom. The session was followed by discussion with the students. The second speaker of the session was Mr. Mudassir Rahowf, Industrial Promotion Officer, who spoke about *'Entrepreneurship and Start-up,' supported by DIC*.

Prof. Haider Ali Askary, Assistant Professor, GDC Kargil, moderated the session and felicitated the resource persons. The session was attended by 120 college students studying in the field of Entrepreneurship Skill, TTM and Ladakhi Craft and Designs attended the session. This session ended with Q&A.



AGNIVEER SCHEME- Mr. Manoj Kumar 31

PUNJAB BN highlighted key points on *'Agniveer Scheme'*. The second speaker of the session was Shipra Gupta, HR Corp, who presented an interactive talk on *'Career Counseling'*, and talked about various career prospects and tools required to accomplish the same.

Prof. Mohd. Hassan, Assistant Professor, GDC Kargil, moderated the session and felicitated the resource persons. Around 90 students from

different schools and college. The session was ended with Q&A.

AVENUES IN HERITAGE AND ECOTOURISM-

In one of the last sessions of Interactive Programmes, Mr. Muzammil Hussain, Founder Roots Ladakh Kargil, conducted a session on *"Avenues in Heritage and Ecotourism"*. The program focussed on multiple scopes in sustainable tourism and encouraging traditional heritage through touristy avenues. Around 80 students registered for this event.



Prof. Taira Bano, Assistant Professor, GDC Kargil moderated the program and felicitated the resource person.



LAW IN CONTEMPORARY TIMES- Advocate Mustafa Haji, interacted with the students on a crucial topic highlighting multiple laws helpful in the modern time. Prof. Rinchen Angmo, Assistant Professor, GDC Kargil moderated the program and felicitated the resource person. Around 70 students participated in the programme.

WORKSHOP ON PAINTING AND PAINTING

COMPETITION- Ms. Zahara, a skilled local artist conducted a workshop on painting skills. The session also included a painting competition, that was moderated by Prof. Tsewang Gyalsen, Assistant Professor, GDC Kargil moderated the program and felicitated the resource person. Around 120 students of college and different schools registered for the workshop and competition.



SKILL TRAININGS AND DEMONSTRATIONS:



DISPLAY AND DEMONSTRATION OF BASIC TISSUE CULTURE - Skill training and demonstration on '*Basic Tissue Culture*' was conducted by the Department of Botany. Prof. Razia Parveen and Prof. Rinchen Angmo, Assistant Professor, Botany Department, GDC Kargil, demonstrated the techniques used in identifying basic tissue culture. A total of 80 students registered for this skill program.

Technical session on Cytology and Animal Diversity

MONITORING- Department of Zoology, GDC Kargil conducted a Technical session on Cytology and Animal Diversity by Prof. Padma Wangchok, Dr. Akbar Khan, Dr. Zakir Hussain to the participants from different schools.



FUN GAMES- The Department of Sports, GDC Kargil, conducted a set of fun games in the playground of the campus. The students of the college and different schools participated in the program.

CAREER COUNSELLING, ENTREPRENEURSHIP, APPRENTICESHIP AND SCHOLARSHIP FACILITATION CAMP

CAREER COUNSELLING DESK: Faculty members from different departments of the college had one to one counselling with students regarding various subjects offered in the college and how they can choose subjects based on their own interests.





APPRENTICESHIP DESK: The desk was setup for on-the-spot registration and application for different Apprenticeship/Scholarship opportunities. It also conducted orientation sessions for the students.



ENTREPRENEURSHIP DESK: Entrepreneurs showcased their products and conducted sessions on their enterprises.

SCHOLARSHIP DESK: Students were guided and aided with various scholarship schemes by the faculty members of the Government Degree College Kargil.

Day 2 (25th August 2022)

INTERACTIVE SESSIONS AND WORKSHOPS

PRESENTATION ON ZOJILA TUNNEL PROJECT- NHIDCL presented a presentation followed by an interactive session on Zojila Tunnel Project. The programme was attended by 90 students. Prof. Rinchen Tundup, Assistant Professor, GDC Kargil moderated the program and felicitated the resource person.





NEW EDUCATION POLICY IN HIGHER EDUCATION- Prof. Razia Parveen, Assistant Professor, Department of Botany, GDC Kargil highlighted some imperative points on NEP 2020 implemented in Higher Education Department. The team of Rzamba Trust conducted an interactive program on the topic, 'Facilitation of NEP Implementation in Schools,' in the second part of the session. The session

was attended by 80 students. Prof. Konchok Dolma, Assistant Professor, GDC Kargil moderated the program and felicitated the resource person.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES IN COMMERCE

STREAM- The resource person of the session, Prof. M.N.M. Shabani, Sr. Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce, GDC Kargil, highlighted diverse career scopes in the field of commerce. The second speaker of the session was, Dr. Gulzar Hussain, Assistant Professor, Department of Geology, GDC Kargil, gave on talk on 'Career Opportunities in Science Stream.' The session was registered by 120 students of the college and different schools. Samana Banoo, student of GDC Kargil, moderated the program and felicitated the resource persons



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ORKSHOP ON STRESS MANAGEMENT- The resource person of the programme was Tajammul Akhtar, Clinical Psychologist, who highlighted ways to cope with stress and anxiety in the contemporary times. The second speaker of the session was Prof. Archo Fatima Nissa, Assistant Professor, Department of English, GDC Kargil, who conducted a workshop on 'Life Skills' and threw some light

on various imperative life skills that are helping in all vital walks of life. This session was conducted by Dr. Syed Suhana Burhan, Assistant Professor, GDC Kargil.

IMPCACT OF SPORTS ON LIFESTYLE- Resource Person, Mr. Sadiq Ali, Ski Coach, gave a detailed presentation on the positive impact of sports on lifestyle. The second speaker of the session, Ms. Shehnaz Parveen, National level Taekwondo player, spoke on the topic, 'Overseas Experience in Sports'. The session was moderated by Fatima Kaneez and the vote of thanks given by Najuma Banoo, students of GDC Kargil.



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FILM MAKING: A CREATIVE APPROACH- The resource person of the session was Mr. Abbas Dardistani, Film Editor, who spoke about different techniques and challenges of film making. The second speaker of the session was Mr. Sadiq Ali, a skilled local artist, who highlighted some crucial points on the topic, 'Acting as a Career Option'. Prof. Parveen Fatima, Assistant Professor, GDC Kargil

SKILL TRAININGS AND DEMONSTRATIONS:

TESTING OF PH OF SHAMPOES AND SOAPS-

The Department of Chemistry, GDC Kargil, conducted a skill training program on 'Testing of PH of Sampoos and Soaps'. Dr. Lobzang Tashi, Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry, GDC Kargil conducted the demonstration. A total of 80 students registered for the program.





VOLUNTARY TALENT SHOW- The Cultural Committee, Ladakh Education Fair 2023, conducted a voluntary talent show, that provided a platform for students to showcase mosaic of skills and talents. The event saw an active participation of a total number of 250 students.

DISPLAY OF BASIC EQUIPMENT IN LAB- The Department of Physics, GDC Kargil, organized a skill training program on 'Display of Basic Equipment in Lab.' Prof. Rizwan Ali, Assistant Professor, Department of Physics, GDC Kargil conducted the demonstration. A total number of 80 students participated in the program.



STALLS AND EXHIBITIONS:



During the two-day fair different institutions, Govt. Departments and private enterprises displayed scheme literature and products in stalls. These include: Tropical Trust Kargil, PHE Department, SKUAST Kargil, Horticulture Department Kargil, Dept. of Commerce and Industries Kargil, AL-Reza Health Crae Kargil ICICI Bank, J&K Bank, Axis Bank, Skill Centre GDC Kargil, Book Stall and Food Stalls.

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V ALEDICTORY SESSION

The valedictory session of the 2nd Edition Ladakh Education Fair, 2023, was graced by the presence of Chief Guest, Shri. Iftikhar Hussain, Finance Officer, and Guest of Honour Shri. Syed Shamim senior DGM Power Grid Corporation of India. The Principal GDC Kargil, other dignitaries, resource persons, guests, faculty GDC Kargil and students, were present in the program. Coordinator Ladakh Education Fair GDC Kargil, Prof. Gulzar Hussain, Assistant Professor, Department of History, GDC Kargil, presented the overview and the outcome of the event followed by the Release of Education Fair Newsletter. Principal GDC Kargil, Dr. Amina Qari, presented the closing remarks. The Guest of Honor addressed the gathering with his enlightening views. The Chief Guest graciously addressed the session with their valuable words. Dr. Amina Qari presented the mementoes to the revered guests and the sponsors. The Student Council was also presented a memento as a token of appreciation for their active participation and exceptional voluntary work. Ms. Khatija and Mehboob Ali, students of GDC Kargil, moderated the program. Prof. Tsetan Dolkar, Department of Geography, GDC Kargil, delivered the vote of thanks to conclude the whole session.



"Coming together is a beginning, staying together is progress and working together is success"

– Henry Ford