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FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK

Dear Alumni,

It is a matter of pride for the Harcourtian family that our alma mater established in 1921 has completed 98 years of its service to society and the centenary celebrations have already commenced.

With the year 2019 coming to the end and beginning of year 2020, the alumni should rejoice the glorious past and resolve to work for the milestone achievements in their respective domains to strengthen the brand 'Harcourtian' in new year.

Through this last issue of News Letter in 2019, on behalf of the Alumni Association and on my own behalf I extend my best wishes to all for healthy, happy and prosperous new year 2020.

Also, I wish to humbly appeal the esteemed members to please come forward and contribute their best in the mission of serving the alma mater by enriching its students for meeting the professional challenges.

With warm regards.

Prof (Dr) Onkar Singh

President

Alumni Association, HBTI Kanpur



FROM THE SECRETARY'S DESK



Dear Harcourtians

I wish a very happy and warm New Year 2020 to all of you.

This edition of year 2019 would be the last of the Executive committee which has been reconstituted after the recent Alumni Meet and AGM on 24 Nov 2019. The new committee would take charge in month of Jan 2020 for a duration of two years.

The journey of the last two years as secretary has been quite enriching and filled with great admiration for the potential of the alumni members. However, more cooperation would be needed to develop a synergy among all the stakeholders.

It has been wonderful working with the seniors and younger colleagues in the activities of the alumni Association. I take this opportunity to thank one and all for helping me in carrying out my responsibilities. Seniors were there to guide me while colleagues were there to support me in my endeavor to bring transparency in the functioning of the alumni Association.

Warm Regards,
Balram Kumar Upadhyay
secretary@alumnihbti.com

NOSTALGIA Chemical Engineering Class of 1969



From Left to Right

Sitting - Dr R V subramanyan, Dr D N Saxena, Prof V K Shrivastava, Prof SBL Sherry, S N Kapoor (Registrar) Dr C R Mitra (Director) Padma Vibhusan G N Pandey (Chairman Board of Governors), Prof R P Singh (Incharge Chem. Engg Deptt), Dr R K saxena, Prof V N Nigam, Dr D Narain, Prof N C Jain, Prof R P Vaidya , Prof J Singh
Standing 1st row - Dr H B Goyal, S C Kharbanda, K Murari Agarwal, M Prasad, N B Singh, P K Bhardwaj, A M Viadya, K Mohan Agarwal, S Sobhanadri Naidu, S C Dubey, R N Yadav, K K Rastogi, R Pal, Dr K D P Nigam, M A Rizvi

Standing 2nd row - Dr S K Tiwari, D C Verma , P J Desai , B J Parekh, N K Kapur , P K shrivastava , R C shah, Prashant Swarup, Jagdish Prasad, S N Singh, J L Chaudhari , S C Agarwal , Ramesh Chandra, Alop K Mittal

Standing 3rd row - Dr R K Bajpai, S K Singhal, S D Khullar , G K Shrivastava, R M Patel, K Masood, D K Singh, J P Singh, N D Agarwal, M N Siddiqui, A Kishore , A Malik, A R C Tambe , Govind Kumar Gupta, S C Jain (abs)

एचबीटीयू बनाएगा गंगा में प्रदूषण की कुंडली एसटीपी, शोधन, फैक्ट्रियों की क्षमता का बनाएगा रिकार्ड

जागरण संवाददाता, कानपुर : 'पतितपावनी' की निर्मलता, शुचिता और अविखलता लौटाने के लिए केंद्रीय प्रदूषण नियंत्रण बोर्ड ने तैयारी शुरू कर दी है। अब 'जीरो डिस्चार्ज' फार्मूले को सफल बनाने के लिए गंगा को दूषित करने वाली इकाइयों की कुंडली तैयार होगी। शोध कर गंगाजल की गुणवत्ता जांची जाएगी। खामियां मिलने पर इन्हें दूर करने की प्लानिंग तैयार होगी। इसके लिए प्रदेश के नामी शिक्षण संस्थानों को जिम्मेदारी सौंपी गई है।

कानपुर में यह जिम्मा हरकोर्ट बटलर टेक्निकल यूनिवर्सिटी (एचबीटीयू) को दी गई है। विश्वविद्यालय का बायोकेमिकल इंजीनियरिंग विभाग जल्द ही जांच शुरू कर देगा। इसके विशेषज्ञ औद्योगिक इकाइयों से निकलने वाले कचरे, सीवेज ट्रीटमेंट प्लांट की कार्यक्षमता का आकलन करेंगे। कमी मिलने पर न सिर्फ रिपोर्ट देंगे बल्कि इन्हें दूर करने का रास्ता भी सुझाएंगे। सहयोग के लिए केंद्रीय



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- गंगा में जाने वाले कचरे, दूषित पानी की रिपोर्ट होगी तैयार, दिल्ली की लेब में केक होंगे नमूने

प्रदूषण नियंत्रण बोर्ड की टीम भी रहेगी। पानी में जहरीले तत्वों का पता लगाने के लिए दिल्ली की लेब से जांच कराई जाएगी। केंद्रीय प्रदूषण नियंत्रण बोर्ड के वाटर क्वालिटी मैनेजमेंट के नोडल अधिकारी एके विद्यार्थी की बायोकेमिकल इंजीनियरिंग विभाग के इंचार्ज प्रो. ब्रजेश सिंह से बातचीत हो चुकी है। पहले चरण में 40 टेनरियों को

गंगा में गिरने वाले औद्योगिक कचरे और गंदगी पर विस्तार से शोध होगा। केंद्रीय प्रदूषण नियंत्रण बोर्ड की ओर से पत्र मिलते ही कार्य शुरू हो जाएगा। रिपोर्ट के साथ ही कार्ययोजना भी बनेगी।

प्रो. ब्रजेश सिंह, विभागाध्यक्ष, बायोकेमिकल इंजीनियरिंग, एचबीटीयू

परखा जाएगा। बाद में टेक्सटाइल और अन्य उद्योगों के उत्प्रवाह का आकलन होगा। फर्रुखाबाद, कन्नौज से लेकर फतेहपुर सीमा तक जांच की जाएगी। सहायक नदियों रामगंगा, काली और गरी नदी पर भी नजर रहेगी। चोर नालों की मॉनीटरिंग की जिम्मेदारी केंद्रीय प्रदूषण नियंत्रण बोर्ड और उत्तर प्रदेश प्रदूषण नियंत्रण बोर्ड की टीम को दी गई है। बोर्ड मुख्यालय ने पहले चरण में एमएनआइटी इलाहाबाद, आइआईटी ब्रीचयू, अलीगढ़ मुस्लिम यूनिवर्सिटी को जांच के लिए कहा है। वह कानपुर में भी सैपलिंग कर सकते हैं।



Ironman Harcourtian

Vikas Kumar (Chemical , 2007) from Mumbai participated and completed the Ironman event at Langkawi in Malaysia.

Not a typical athlete he was inspired by Milind Soman's journey from a model to an Ironman. Vikas started his journey 18 months ago only

The Ironman event include 3.5 kilometre swim in the sea, 180 kilometres bicycle ride and a 42 km marathon all one after the other
Congratulation Vikas !!!!

Anurag Agarwal shares the stage with the President of India

Anurag Agarwal participated in the event as a panelist where he got the opportunity to share his point of view on "Recent Advancement in Computer Science, Communication, and Information



On this occasion, he got a chance to share the frame with the Honorable President of India, Shri Ram Nath Kovind amongst other dignitaries too.

Smart Fan designed by Harcourtians



Shiv Shankar Upadhyay(CS) and Deepanshu Ahlawat (ECE) have designed a fan which is responsive to the temperature in the room. For obvious reasons the fan would be using less than half the energy of normal fans. They now plan to patent the technology and then move towards manufacturing it.

Prabhat Ranjan Mishra's son elected MP in the British Parliament

It is a proud moment for another of our Harcourtians - Mr. Prabhat Ranjan Mishra (Class of 1981). His son Navendu Mishra has been elected Labour MP for Stockport in the December 2019 elections which happened in United Kingdom.

Before entering politics, he worked as a shop-floor trade unionist in Stockport where he later became an industrial organiser for [Unison](#), in which time he helped to organise care workers in precarious employment across Greater Manchester.

Before this he served as a member of the Labour Party's National Executive Committee its highest decision-making body, from September 2018 until December 2019.

The Lucknow chapter of the Alumni Association has something to be proud of. They raised funds to distribute blankets to homeless people in the winter. On 30th December they distributed 60 blankets. Great job! Seen here are Mr. Raj Kumar, Ms Vineeta Kaushik and Lalitesh Verma distributing the blankets

LUCKNOW CHAPTER



PUNE CHAPTER

Harcourtians Family Connect
Pune Chapter
HBTI Alumni Association
December 15, 2019

Pune Chapter had a family meeting on the evening of 15th December. Mr. Ravindra Murthy, Mr. Neeraj Kumar and Mr. Pravin Gupta were at the epicentre of organising this event.

Wives of Pune Harcourtians had great bonding during the event. In fact, they were much more motivated than the Harcourtians themselves. More than 30 Harcourtian wives attended the event. They have collectively decided to form their own team. It will be named as Harcourtian Wives Club. They are in process of setting up a separate WhatsApp group. Many thanks to Mrs. Dileep Chaturvedi for driving this initiative



GURGAON CHAPTER

Harcourtians in Gurgaon met and a highlight of the meeting was the presence of Mr. A.S. Khanna (seen right) currently 95 years old from Class of 1948.



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(MECHANICAL ENGINEERING, 1989 BATCH)

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NEED TO LET PEOPLE KNOW?

This newsletter is circulated to HBTU Alumni across the globe.

If you want to use this space to make your organization known to a wide community of professionals contact us at secretary@alumnihbti.com

HAVE A BLOG? WANT TO TELL US?

If you have a blog and would want the world to know - here is a golden opportunity to do so.

Send us a link to your blog and what it is all about .

This idea came to us with a request from Naveen Class of 2008. Here's a link to his blog which is

<https://kashi-made.blogspot.com/>

Do read up



LETTER TO THE EDITOR

NOT ABLE TO LOGIN ON MOBILE APP

Harendra Moorjani

Noted. The IT responsible will look into it.

Dear Alumni member,

I beg your pardon!!!

Just to correct you on one thing COPA is not the post but its the Council of Performing Arts ,

The post for witch Amit Pandey won the election in 1995 was of "Cultural Secretary" .

Regards

Gaurav Tomar

1995 Paints Technology

Literary secretary

Thanks for correcting

Guys, please upgrade the format and presentation of this letter and update.

These days even schools are having better quality output for such information.

What can be done to upgrade this? Any resource constraints?

Kind Regards

Ashutosh

We are constantly trying to improve. We are facing constraint of dedicated alumni towards the newsletter. We have appealed earlier and are doing so here as well for the volunteers .

Great job folks

Read the entire newsletter on my cell phone

Looks good

Yogesh Goel ("Yogi")

Euro-American Plastics, Inc.

Thanks



LETTER TO THE EDITOR

I attended 15th International Alumni meet of HBTI organised on 23rd and 24th November 2019 along with my wife. It was well planned and very well organised meet. I must congratulate the organising committee for this.. All the office bearers of the Alumni association could find time, in spite of their busy schedule, to organise this function so well, their effort is really worth appreciating. Prof Onkar Singh and General secretary Mr Balram Upadhyay and other members of HBTI Alumni association left no stone unturned to make this meet a success. And icing on the cake was, cultural programme and which was very well compered by Dr Prof Osmani.

It was nice feeling to visit my old institution and meet young and old alumni.

To encourage the participation of more number of ladies I feel separate events, like some sight seeing or market visits can be planned.

Interaction with faculty members and present students should be done more seriously so that one can apprise the current faculty about the need of the industry.

Moreover, it will be very much convenient and appreciable by everyone, if association can make some arrangement for the stay of all the alumni so that there is better interaction with each other.

Further, I will sincerely suggest that instead of having meet in 2020, you can have it in 2021 to celebrate the centenary year of HBTI. It becomes difficult for senior citizens to visit Kanpur every year.

Sincerely yours,

Lalit Nijhawan.

Paints Technology, 1972.

Thanks for your kind words. Points noted.

OBITUARY



Alumni Association deeply condoles the demise of Sh. Upendra Kumar (1993, Civil). Sh. Kumar was an energetic officer working with the Irrigation department in UP.

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