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ABOUT THE COLLEGE

Government College Khundian is situated near the divine confluence of famous Jawalamukhi temple and is surrounded by beautiful Dhauladhar range in the background. In order to better serve the educational needs of the people residing in and around Khundian region, the Government Degree College was established in 2014, adding a new gem to this community. As a result of opening of this college in Changar area, hundreds of students from nearby villages are getting educational benefits. In the year 2014, Government College Khundian was announced by, honourable Chief Minister Shri Virbhadra Singh and the college came into full existence on 24th February, 2014 running only BA classes in the government Primary School, Khundian. However, from the session 2015-16 Commerce Faculty also began, and from the session 2016-17, Science Faculty also started. Running all three faculties in such a short time is a special achievement of the college. Due to the special interest and continuous efforts of honorable MLA Shri Sanjay Ratan ji, the college shifted to its newly constructed colossal building complex near village Sihoti in 2019. The college takes great pride in its 156 kanal of donated land from the residents of Sihoti Village. The college is affiliated to Himachal Pradesh University, Summer Hill, Shimla-5. The college offers undergraduate courses in Humanities, Sciences, and Commerce. In today's dynamic world, a 360-degree development and grooming are of supreme importance. Hence the college provides a highly conducive environment for future leaders, entrepreneurs and professionals who possess skill aptitudes in an array of functional disciplines.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL

It gives me immense pleasure to welcome you to the very first issue of our college's Enewsletter, **The Campus Voice.** This marks a new beginning — a platform to celebrate our collective spirit, achievements, and creativity.

Campus Voice is more than just pages filled with words; it is a reflection of the vibrant life we share as a college community. In this inaugural edition, we aim to highlight not just the **monthly events of college** and **milestones that make us proud**, but also the **voices and talents of our students and faculty**. From **academic accomplishments** to **cultural feats**, and from inspiring stories to innovative ideas, this newsletter seeks to bring everyone together and keep the spark of curiosity and engagement alive. We hope this issue not only **informs** but also **inspires** you.

As we embark on this journey, I invite each of you to contribute,share, and make **The Campus Voice** a dynamic part of our college life.

Thank you everyone who made this first edition possible — the editorial team, faculty members, and all the students who lent their support.

Happy Reading!

Dr. Amarjit Lal

Principal and Editor-in-Chief

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1 DECEMBER WORLD AIDS DAY

Red Ribbon Club of Govt. College Khundian led by Prof. Asha (Dept. Of Zoology) conducted poster making and stone painting competitions on 29th November 2024 to celebrate the **World AIDS Day** which falls on 1st December every year. All the students actively participated in these competitions. Members of Red Ribbon Club also pinned the red ribbons to the students and staff members. The Aim of the event was to spread the awareness among the students about AIDS. The theme for world AIDS Day 2024 was "Take the rights path: My health, my right!"This theme emphasizes the importance of upholding human rights to combat the HIV AIDS.

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ANNUAL ATHLETIC MEET (SESSION 2024-25)

The **Annual Athletic Meet** of the **Government Degree College Khundian** was held on **13th December 2024** at the college ground, witnessing an energetic display of **sportsmanship, teamwork, and determination**. The event was inaugurated by the **chief guest, Sh Ravi Kumar Sharma**, who emphasized the importance of **physical fitness and competitive spirit** in students' overall development. The day began with the **ceremonial march-past** by participating teams, showcasing **discipline and unity**. The **college flag** was hoisted by the chief guest, marking the formal start of the Athletic Meet.

The meet featured a wide array of events, including **track events** like **100m, 200m, and 400m races**, as well as **field events** such as **long jump, high jump, discus throw, and shot put** in both boys' and girls' categories. **Enthusiastic participation** from students across departments made each event **fiercely competitive and engaging**.

The event concluded with a vibrant **prize distribution ceremony. Sh Ravi Kumar Sharma** and **Principal, Dr. Amarjit Lal**, presented **medals** to the winners, appreciating their **hard work and dedication**.

- **Best Athlete of the College (Boy): Summit**

- **Best Athlete of the College (Girl): Saina**

In the closing remarks, **Principal, Dr. Amarjit Lal**, lauded the **organizing committee, volunteers, and participants** for their efforts in making the event a **grand success**. The meet was a testament to the college's commitment to **nurturing talent and promoting a healthy lifestyle**. The **Annual Athletic Meet 2024** not only celebrated **athletic excellence** but also reinforced values like **teamwork, perseverance, and fair play**. The day ended on a high note, leaving everyone **inspired**.

SOME GLIMPSES OF ATHLETIC MEET 2024-25

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CSCA FUNCTION 2024-25

The **College Students Central Association (CSCA) Function** of the **Government Degree College Khundian** was celebrated on **19th December 2024** in the **college multipurpose hall**, marking an exciting day filled with **talent, creativity, and student leadership**.

The event, organized by the **CSCA team**, served as a platform for students to **showcase their skills, celebrate cultural diversity, and strengthen bonds** within the college community. The function was inaugurated by **Dr. Pankaj Sood (Principal, GDC Rakker)** by lighting the **auspicious lamp**.

The **Principal, Dr. Amarjit Lal**, extended a **warm welcome** to the chief guest and inspired the students with his words on the importance of **extracurricular activities** and **leadership development**.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS:

The event featured a variety of **cultural performances**, including **traditional and contemporary dances**, music renditions, and dramatic choreography highlighting themes like the **role of education and patriotism**.

The **CSCA President, Munish Kumar**, delivered an engaging address, sharing the **council's achievements** over the year and their **future goals** for the student community.

The **Chief Guest** honored the **winners of different activities** with **mementoes**, appreciating the students' **enthusiasm, talent, and creativity**. He also admired their hard work in organizing the event in such a short span of time. Students who showcased their creativity in **CSCA competitions** like **clay modeling, collage making, poetry recitation, Rangoli, and bottle painting**, held on 18th December 2024, also received **mementoes** from the chief guest.

The program concluded with a **vote of thanks** delivered by the **senior-most Assistant Professor, Shiv Kumar**, who expressed **gratitude to the chief guest** for marking his valuable presence in the event. He also thanked the **CSCA body, staff, and students** for their support.

The event ended with a **vibrant jam session** that saw **students and faculty dancing together**, reflecting the **unity and spirit** of the college. The **CSCA Function 2024** was a **resounding success**, leaving everyone **motivated** and looking forward to more such events that **celebrate student talent and leadership**.

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YUVA SANGAM

Two students of **GDC Khundian, Munish Kumar** and **Nitin**, went to **Hyderabad** to participate in **Yuva Sangam programme, phase V, Hamirpur (Himachal Pradesh)** to **Hyderabad (Telangana)** from **28th December to 05 January 2025. Yuva Sangam** is a **Government of India initiative** that aims to strengthen connections between young people from different states and union territories. The program is a part of the **Ek Bharat Shrestha Bharat initiative**. Through such programs, the students get exposure and a chance to experience different aspects of life and culture in other states.

STUDENT'S CORNER

NASA'S ARTEMIS II LUNAR MISSION

NASA's Artemis II lunar mission will send the **first crewed mission around the moon** in nearly **50 years**. The mission will launch **4 astronauts** around the moon on a **lunar flyby** aboard the **Orion spacecraft** using a **Space Launch System (SLS) Rocket**.

With **NASA's Artemis campaign**, the astronauts are exploring the moon for **scientific discovery, technological advancement**, and to learn how to **live and work on another world** as we prepare for **human missions to Mars**.

Astronauts on their **first mission aboard NASA's Space Launch System (SLS) Rocket** and **Orion spacecraft** will venture around the moon. Their mission will be to confirm how the **spacecraft's systems** operate as designed with crew aboard in the actual environment of deep space.

The **Artemis mission** plan is to send 4 astronauts in the first crewed Orion spacecraft into a lunar flyby using the block variant of the Space Launch System. The mission profile is a **multi-task lunar injection (MTLI)** or multiple departure burns and includes a free return trajectory from the moon. The mission is scheduled to take place **no earlier than April 2026**.

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ROAD SAFETY

"Drive at a controlled speed and perform the duty of a responsible citizen."

Introduction - Road safety is the prevention and protection of road accidents by using all the road safety measures. It is to secure people while travelling on the roads. It is to make safe all the road users such as pedestrians, two-wheelers, four-wheelers, multi-wheelers and other transport vehicle users. Practicing road safety measures is very good and safe for all people throughout their life. Everyone should respect others while driving or walking on the road and take care of your safety.

Importance of Road Safety - People's safety on the road is one of the most important aspects in order to avoid road accidents, injury and deaths. We can judge the importance of road safety on the basis of national statistical data about total reported accidents and deaths. The data shows that almost 42% cases involve pedestrians and one-way road users.

Methods of Road Safety - There are various methods of creating awareness among common public such as seminars, workshops, students' education by adding basic road-safety lessons to the syllabus, making people aware about Green Cross Code i.e., stop, look, listen, think and then cross, understanding of road signs, etc. Following road safety tips could help to protect all the road problems. Some effective measures of road safety are like basic awareness about vehicles, defensive driving according to weather and road conditions, following traffic rules, wearing seat belts, avoiding over-speeding, awareness programs, etc.

Conclusion - Road safety is very important nowadays, as there has been too much of an increase in vehicles on the road, and it becomes crucial that we follow the traffic rules and laws and save ourselves and our families from road accidents. Also, making other people aware of road safety rules could make our roads safe.

"Safety is not automatic.
Think about it."

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