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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

23rd November, 2020

The Basicolans
Alumni Association of
Shaheed Bhagat Singh College (University of Delhi)
Sheikh Sarai-II, New Delhi-110017

Dear Basicolans,

Welcome to the 11th AGM of the Association.

Although the college was formed in 1967, we are celebrating 10 years of Alumni Association. As you are aware, the Alumni Association is a voluntary organization registered with Societies Act and for 80G of Income Tax Act. The basic objective being the development of college students, members and society at large. While it is an ongoing challenge to find out our alumni specially from earlier batches, we have 4000 members who have excelled in various fields of business, profession CA, CS, legal, Cost, Media, Sports, Entertainment, Academics, Politics, Executives etc.

The Alumni Association holds workshops for the students on various subjects such as soft skills, emerging technologies, career options etc. and to bridge the gap between our education system and the requirements of industry and therefore making them more employable. Other activities include holding Members' Roundtable on various contemporary subjects.

We are also exploring the possibility of assisting the college to improve its infrastructure through CSR funds and participating in their skill development initiatives.

We are passing through unprecedented (COVID 19) times and I hope you and your loved ones are safe, healthy and happy!

Although, the EC of your association had planned no. of events/activities for the year (like our annual flagship event "Spring Reunion-2020", Members 's Dinner etc.), we had to do a course correction to adapt to the new normal post COVID-19.

The following important activities were undertaken, inspite of COVID 19 pandemic situation, by the EC of your Association during the year :

- 1) **Budget Talk by Dr. Girish Ahuja** at the PHD Chambers of Commerce which was attended in large nos. by members, students, teachers and others.
- 2) **A workshop on capital markets for students by NSE / BSE officials.**
- 3) **4 Webinars on Future of Workspace and Jobs, Impact of Covid-19 on investments and economy, Embracing technology: Cybersecurity and Robotic Process Automation and Mental Wellness during Covid-19 respectively.** The response was very encouraging, and audience asked many pertinent questions which were answered by our experts.
- 4) **Launch of our New Basicolan Logo** inspired by our National Hero of Independence i.e. Shaheed Bhagat Singh.

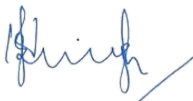
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- 5) **The Basicolan Scholarship Fund** for students belonging to the underprivileged section of our society with the objective of directly paying students fees for the year 2020-21 to the college etc. and ensuring that these students complete their studies in the college. We paid fee for 83 such students and spent close to Rs 5.50 lakhs which we collected from the donors associated with our college. Big thank you to all the donors! This initiative was appreciated by one and all and we have set up a subcommittee to suggest improvements for next such initiative.
- 6) **The Basicolan Mentorship Programme has been launched** which will offer guidance to the students to prepare them for the real world once they leave college. We are in the process of identifying both the mentors and mentees to start action soon on this front.
- 7) **The Basicolan Placement Programme** has the objective of assisting the Placement Cell of the College in bringing more corporates into the Campus for student interviews, preparing students for facing the aforesaid interviews etc.
- 8) **Addition to our Membership: We** would like to increase the membership through your contacts of your colleagues and others in the college. Kindly help the EC of your Association in this endeavor, a simple form (Refer Appendix-I) and membership fee of Rs. 500/- can be sent to us for processing. This has been an area of challenge due to non-availability of data with the college. We solicit your assistance in giving us the details of your batch mates etc. so that they can also be made members.
- 9) **Communication with Members:** We are taking steps to improve the communication with our members by updating the contact details, website, social media, making of mobile app etc. We will soon update you on the progress of aforesaid.
- 10) **The Accounts and the Auditor's report is also attached for the year ended 31st March 2020 for your consideration and approval. The amount of Corpus as at the year-end is Rs 4.76 lakhs with equal amount in Cash in Bank and FDs.**

We need more funds to pursue our activities and therefore I appeal to all Basicolans to generously contribute in the above initiatives either by donations (you will get 80G receipt under IT Act of 1961) or setting aside time for volunteering and assisting with the activities of the EC of your Association for the benefit of students, college, members and society

I would like to thank the members of the Governing body, Principal (Officiating) Dr. Sardana, Teachers, staff and students of the college for their cooperation in assisting us in various initiatives for our mutual benefit.

Season's Greetings & Warm Regards,



Harinderjit Singh
President