

## G. Pulla Reddy College of Pharmacy

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### Pharma Flair News Letter

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I feel elated in presenting the second issue of the News letter of our college "Pharma Flair". As the name indicates we are always untiring and enthusiastic to further our aims and objectives. This news letter stands between us & you to know a little more about us. The beginning of this new year has doubled our encouragement as few of our young & dynamic staff members have got the opportunity of Registration for Ph. D. We have launched the website of our college www.gprcp.ac.in. Now there is a great responsibility on our staff & students to constantly progress and to be found in the newsletter. I hope each and everybody try to achieve and make news. This news letter shall not become a mere news presentation, but in future it shall become a paper of worth to keep with us and to reckon with the past remembrances & achievements. J hope that future "Pharma Flair" will become a most awaited paper for all the concerned. I take this opportunity to sincerely acknowledge the support, encouragement & help rendered to us.





M. Pharm Ph. Cog. Course Inauguration

## Inauguration of M. Pharm Pharmacognosy branch:

One more specialisation course in M. Pharmacy i.e., M. Pharmacy Pharmacognosy was inaugurated on 17-10-2005, Prof. Dr. M. N. A. Rao. Director R & D, Divis Research Centre, Hyderabad was the chief Guest and Dr. Ramesh Mullangi, Principal Scientist, DMPK Division, Discovery Research, Dr. Reddy's Laboratories, Hyderabad was the Guest of honour Prof. M. N. A. Rao inaugurated the M. Pharm Pharmacognosy & Phyto Chemistry Lab. Dr. Rao spoke on this occasion about importance of the natural products in drug discovery. Dr. Ramesh, released the first issue of our News letter ' Pharma Flair'. He spoke

on the Herbal formulations and the need to create awareness about the safety & efficacy of Herbal & Ayurvedic formulations by doing good research in the Pharmacognosy subject.

#### Inauguration of B. Pharm (2005-06, 12th batch)

The twelth batch (2005-06) was also inaugurated on the same day i.e.,

17-10-2005.



M. Pharma Ph. Cog. Lab. Inauguration

# Personality Development & Orientation Programme for B. Pharm I year & M. Pharm I year:

Personality Development & Orientation Programme was conducted for

B. Pharm I year & M. Pharm I year (2005-06 batch) during last week of October, 2005. Prof B. Kutumba Rao, Professor of Vijayanagar college of commerce has conducted this programme for 5 days. The Programme included a few lecturers,

about communication skills, positive thinking, attitude & aptitude by Kutumba Rao, some exercises to students, self assessment by the students and Video recording of the Group Discussions. The Video recordings are shown to students and explained the strengths & weaknesses of the students. The Programme was very much useful to the students and they appreciated.

#### **Blood Donation Camp:**

In association with Lions Club of Hyderabad pearls and Metadin Goel Blood Bank, Blood Donation Camp was organised in the college on 28th December 2005. On behalf of the club, the Programme was coordinated by Smt. Lion P. Varalaxmi, member of the club. President & other office bearers of the club also Participated. Thirty Six students & three non-teaching staff have donated the blood, in this camp. The Donors were given certificates, insurance and Donor card.

#### Infrastructure Development: -

New Computer Lab is established by spending about Rs. 6.00 lacs. 20 computer systems are purchased. Internet & LAN facility is provided for 20 systems. The lab is well furnished with new tables & chairs and air conditioned.

#### Equipment:

Fourier Transform Infrared Spectrophotometer and Double beam uvvisible scanning Spectrophotometer, Research Binocular Microscope alongwith digital camera are purchased by spending about Rs. 11.00 lacs.

#### Provision of Lift:

To Provide lift, the civil works are going on. By may, 2006 the lift will be erected & operational.

#### Staff Recruitment:

K. Sai Laxmi and T. Naga Prasanna, M. Pharm. First batch from this college are appointed as lecturers (Adhoc)



#### **Blood Donation Camp**

#### Faculty Improvement:

- Five staff members have registered for Ph.D. Y. Padmavathi, B. Jayanthi Reddy & V. Niharika in Nagarjuna University. T. Shailaja, K. Latha & V. Pallavi got registered in Andhra University.
- Dr. S. Venkatesh is undergoing a PG Diploma Course in Intellectual property Rights of Osmania University.
- Mrs. M. Sumakanth is undergoing training course in Bioinformatics & Drug Design at GVK Bioscience.
- Prof. B. Madhava Reddy, Prof. S. Venkatesh and

Mr. Y. Sivarami Reddy visited some B. Pharm/ D. Pharm colleges as PCI Inspectors.

## Seminars attended/ Participated by the Staff/M. Ph. Students:

- \* B. Madhava Reddy, Y. Sivarami Reddy and M. Sumakanth attended a seminar "Emerging Trends in synthetic Aspects of Medicinal Chemistry" on the occasion of retirement of Prof. V. Malla Reddy, (Prof. at UCPSC, K.U) Organised at UCPSC, K.U. Warangal on 28th & 29th October, 2005.
- Mr. Sumakanth and M. Pharm students K. Sai Laxmi, A.P. Neemavathy & Ch. Venkanna presented scientific research papers.
- Mrs. Sumakanth, A.P. Neemavathy & Ch. Venkanna awarded Best paper awards in this seminar.

#### Participation in 57th IPC:

- 57th IPC was held in Hyderabad from December 2to 4, 2005.
- Mrs. Sumakanth & Ratna Sushmita presented Research papers in this conference.
- Prof. Madhava Reddy was the chairman for one of the scientific sessions of Pharmacognosy & Phyto Chemistry. Prof. S. Venkatesh was appointed as judge for the Pharmacognosy & Phytochemistry poster scientific session.
- Staff & PG students (23) have registered to the conference. All are 50% sponsored by the college. The paper presented staff are totally sponsored by the college.

The B. Pharm II year students presented a dance in the Entertainment programme during the conference.

#### Students Achievements:

- This year in the B. Pharm 2005 results of Osmania University, our student Mr. S. Arun got University First rank. Miss G. Aproopa got 7th
- This year the State First Rank of D. Pharm (2005) was bagged by our student Mr. Amith Kumar Garg.
- Both Mr. S. Arun & Amith Kumar Garg were awarded the IPA Gold Medal by AP IPA during the 57th IPC.

#### Website:

The website of the college www.gprcp.ac.in. was launched recently.

#### Alumni:

The Third Meeting of Alumni Association was conducted on January 8, 2006. About 60 alumni have attended the meeting. In this meeting the association has decided to award a scholarship to the B. Pharm final year student every year. Few members from USA promised to contribute to the scholarship fund.

#### Courses Offered

D. Pharm - 2 yrs Diploma

B. Pharm - 4 yrs Degree





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