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YOU MUST BE THE CHANGE
YOU WISH TO SEE IN THE WORLD
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Farewell to Ms. Aruna Bahuguna, IPS (Retd.)



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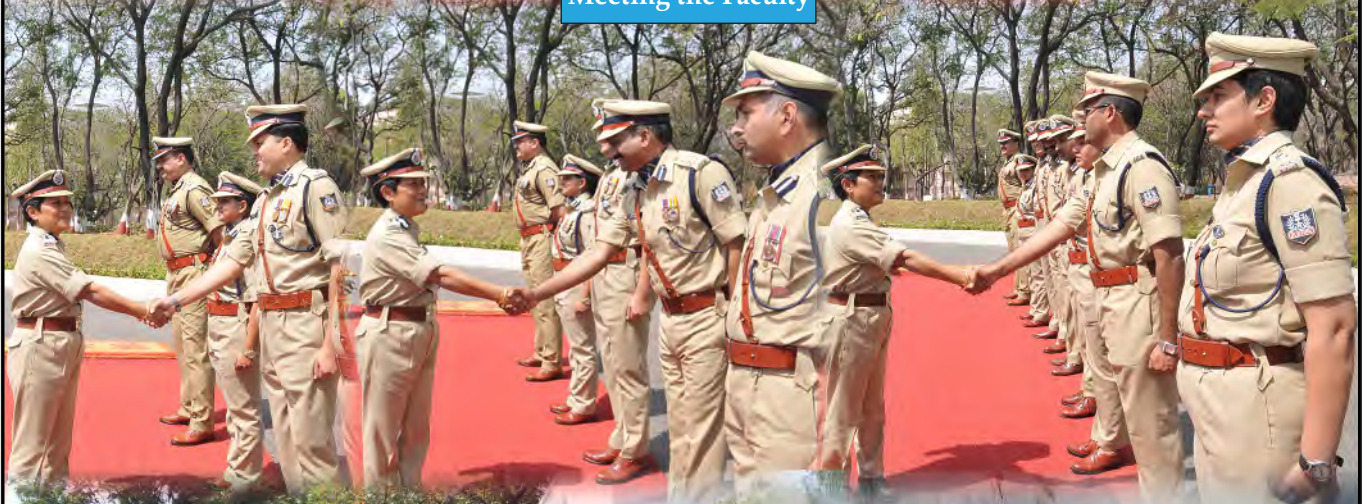
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The New Director

Ms. D.R Doley Barman, IPS, 1986 Batch, J&K cadre took over charge as Director, Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel National Police Academy on 01.03.2017



Meeting the Faculty



Saluting the Martyrs

Taking Charge

Eight Months Of Being A Police (Wo)Man

“At the outset, let me first congratulate you for becoming an IPS officer” my Uncle said to me beaming his radiant white teeth proudly. And as a rehearsed drill, I immediately showed my modesty by thanking him and reciprocating his broad grin with my humble smile. But, the punch line always probed me ‘have I actually become an IPS officer or am I just fooling around with my rank?’

The not-so-chilly winter of Hyderabad (compared to Delhi) was a relief to start training at the academy, not to mention the floating stories about the agony of training, just added spice to the atmosphere. And as the carriage was moving up, the roller coaster began with the thunder and the actual agonies started. Moulding a civilian into a commando who spent half of her life looking for logic in the things she is doing, actually gave her an existential crisis when suddenly the opposite was asked to be done. They ask you to become fearless and still use fear to cajole people to follow the commands. As the months goes by, you slowly gets transformed physically, and mentally you unlock new avenues. The training first tells you that policing is an art and art cannot be taught but has to be learned, and learning comes from experiences, so either be wise to benefit from others experiences or create your own.

So whenever I come across strangers and they get to know that I am a police officer under trainee, automatically their eyes get wider and the mouth makes a big ‘O’, of course with a tone of appreciation. The phone calls of safety check from parents also came down when I went alone on trips, boosting the assurance that their daughter of course can take care of herself because she is a policewoman now. It’s a different story that I still struggle to strip and assemble the AKM within 20 seconds, almost feel like dying at the end of 10Km run and hardly remember the sections of IPC, CrPC, etc. But this little secret need not be known to the outside world, because for them we already carry an impression of us and so they instill a confidence in us.

It is the general tendency in which the society is wired to treat women who work in male dominated domain (say police), special, as they are seen to be unconventional and daring who venture to come out of their comfort zone. But this appreciation is also a double edged sword as the distinction of ‘sahab’ and ‘madam’ becomes evident. There goes an extra effort to make sure that an ‘officer’ remain gender neutral and be judged objectively based on competency and merit and it should be supported by a mutual respect without misrepresenting it to be a feminist hue and cry. I think it is the responsibility of both the major and fair sex to ensure it without going into the rhetoric.

Going back to basics, there are certain reflexes and muscle confidence that gets developed within you when you face the challenge. “I nearly shouted and threatened that cab driver for cancelling my ride without any reason and leaving me in a fix in the night without feeling guilty about it. After going through so much grilling in the academy, I won’t tolerate such nonsense from an idiot and had to tell who I was.” My fellow batchmate narrated this incidence to me. She wanted

to avoid revealing 'who' actually she was as there are perks of being a normal civilian on occasions, but when it came to harassment she was forced to play the power card. It only made our vulnerability so evident that is faced by 50% population of the country.

Yes, being a policewoman is a matter of pride just as I take pride in donning the uniform which gives a sense of responsibility and purpose. There is always a certain level of expectation and anticipation from the third person irrespective of what your capabilities are, and it is these 8 months that showed me how you can't afford to project your weakness but glean some confidence from whatever you believe and do what is expected out of you.

It is rather ironic to be optimistic when you are expected to be a good skeptic; to be sensitive when you are being trained to use force; to be compassionate when your job is to neutralize in operations; to take responsibility when all things aren't controlled by you. In this shade of grey area, somewhere I am trying to find myself, maybe it doesn't make much sense to me now but the time has just started with unlimited opportunities and experiences.



P.D Nitya

69 RR IPS Probationer

पुलिस : कल आज और कल

“अहले वतन की मिट्टी की खुशबू अब भी बाकी है।

है आखिरी पर वर्दी पर भरोसा अब भी बाकी है।

जुदा होके भी जुड़ गए हैं इस कदर हम दोनों।

तेरा रंग भी खाकी है, मेरा रंग भी खाकी है।”

पुलिस स्वयं में मात्र एक प्रशासनिक इकाई नहीं है वरन एक सृजनात्मक व्यवस्था है, एक सेवा है और सबसे बढ़कर शासन का इकबाल है। किसी भी देश—काल में पुलिस को लेकर कई प्रकार की विचारधाराएं रही हैं। जिसमें एक सत्य जनता है का है, एक सत्य शासन का है और एक सत्य और भी हैं, जो प्रायः अनदेखा तथा उपेक्षित है और वह है स्वयं पुलिस का खाकी वर्दीधारियों का सत्य।

औपनिवेशिक काल में भारतीय पुलिस अपने चरित्र, उद्देश्य तथा आयामों में औपनिवेशिक हितों को प्राथमिकता देती रही थी। जहां शक्ति तो थी किन्तु उत्तरदायित्व नहीं था। जहां कानून तो था किन्तु संवेदना नहीं थी। जहां दमन तो था किन्तु सृजन नहीं था।

भारत के पूर्व प्रधानमंत्री जवाहरलाल नेहरू की प्रमुख चिंताओं में भारतीय प्रशासनिक व्यवस्था को उसके औपनिवेशिक चरित्र से मुक्त कराने की चिंता भी थी। विविध आयोगों तथा समितियों की सिफारिशों के माध्यम से यह कार्य किया भी गया। शासन की पुलिस से समुदाय की पुलिस के रूप में परिवर्तन के संदर्भ में यह प्रभाव देखा जा सकता है। किन्तु यह यात्रा यहीं समाप्त नहीं होती। “संवेदी पुलिस और सशक्त समाज” के ध्येय वाक्य से खाकी अभी भी दूर है। समाज के संवेदनशील वर्गों के प्रति संवेदनशील होने की आवश्यकता बनी हुई है। खाकी के सृजनात्मक कार्यों को और अधिक विस्तार देने की आवश्यकता बनी हुई है, साथ ही आवश्यकता है खाकी के अच्छे कार्यों का प्रचार—प्रसार करने की जिससे पुलिस की छवि आम जनता में सकारात्मक बने। यदि भविष्य की खाकी की बात करें तो निश्चित रूप से हमें एक सचेत, सक्रिय, सविनय और सकर्मक पुलिस की आवश्यकता है। जिसके लिए मैं और आप आबद्ध हैं, संबद्ध हैं, प्रतिबद्ध हैं।



धवल जायसवाल, भा.पु.से.
69 आर.आर. (परिवीक्षाधीन)

Friends of Snakes



Jail Visit by 69 RR Probationers



Simulation FSL



Model Police Station



Film Festival



Visit of Dr. Sunitha Krishnan

On 22 April 2017, the 69RR batch of IPS Probationers had the honour of interacting with Dr. Sunitha Krishnan, the founder of Prajwala, who has been battling against the organized crime of sex trafficking for the last two decades. Prajwala shelters rescued women and children and is one of the largest rehabilitation homes in the country. For her efforts in this fight, Government of India has awarded her India's fourth highest civilian award, the Padma Shri, in 2016. During the talk we came to know about many other initiatives taken by her to change the societal attitude towards victims of sexual abuse. For example, she had started the #ShameTheRapistCampaign in February 2015, in which the perpetrators of such crimes were shamed on social

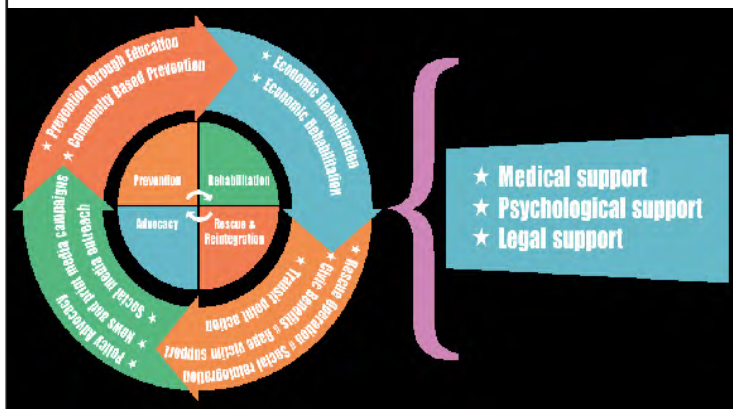


media. She has also forayed into film making as a tool for advocacy and has scripted 14 documentary films on issues like youth and HIV/AIDS, the latest one being Naa Bangaru Talli, which won in Best Feature Film in Telugu category at 61st National Film

Awards.

Being a victim of sexual abuse herself, she gave us direct access to the worldview through which such victims see the society around them, how the society victimises the victim themselves, and what could be the possible way out of this vicious cycle. She told us about the five pillars of Prevention, Protection, Rescue, Rehabilitation & Reintegration which Prajwala is using to ensure holistic victim services.

This was indeed a very thought provoking discussion and helped us understand the various



labyrinths through which the organised network of sex trafficking works and how we as a police officers can tackle this. Collaborative partnership of all stakeholders is a must, and police as an upholder of rule of law has to ensure effective rule of law to create a violence free society. Victim needs to be put in centre of all such discussions and future policy making.



Sonam Kumar
69 RR IPS Probationer

Interaction Session with Ms. Archana Ramasundaram, IPS, DG, SSB



Briefing in the Sand Model Room



Club Activity by Law Society



Breath – Probationers

Complaints about often getting breathless

Recently, we had our Model Police Station Module. On entering the MPS, I glanced at the name of late Shri Narendra Kumar ji, immortally written on the front wall of The MPS.

Immediately my mind shifted to one of the books which I was going through online “WHEN BREATH BECOMES AIR” by late Dr. Paul Kalanithi, a 37 years old Neurosurgeon who succumbed to lung cancer. It was in his last days that DR. Paul Kalanithi decided to write this book, knowing very well that it would be published only after his death.

In such simple and lucid language did Dr. Paul Kalanithi described about his Medical School days, his Medical Training and his journey from being a doctor to a patient, without any element of self pity, that it left even the likes of persons like Bill Gates in tears.

Being a doctor myself, I could appreciate the similarity between my previous as well as present profession, through these two examples.

Dr. Paul Kalanithi reached the zenith of his academic life by becoming a Neurosurgeon but succumbed to cancer even before he could contribute much more to the society. Similarly our martyr, late Shri Narendra Kumar ji, achieved his dream of becoming on IPS, by successfully clearing UPSC examination and completing the tough training but died the death of a martyr, very early in his career.

The difference between tragedy and triumph is defined by one or two millimeters. In medical practice, it may be the size or location of cancer cells or incision which in Police it may come in the form of trajectory of bullet, or of stone pelted.

Coming to a lighter note, the title of the book of Dr. Kalanithi highlighted the word ‘BREATH’ the dictionary meaning of it is air inhaled and exhaled in respiration. But I am sure that all my fellow IPS probationers would admit that it is not that simple a meaning.

In fact the success of the past 8 months of training has been this single word. Right from running early in the morning to running in between classes, the one thing which has troubled us the most is to manage our breaths to perform, over perform or underperform in various activities. To avoid becoming breathless.

And yet a very strange irony has emerged as a conclusion that the major highlights of our training have not been normal is regular moments, but those breaths topping Route Marches, ITBP attachment, Bungee Jumping, Rafting, Firing, Cross Country, Scuba diving etc. etc. etc. The maxim that “Life is not measured by the number of breaths we take, but by the moments that take our breath away” suddenly starts appearing so true inside the academy. Is any probationer still complaining!



Vaibhav Saxena
69 RR IPS Probationer

Shri K. Vijay Kumar, IPS (Retd.)



Shri Amitabh Ranjan, IPS



B.P Singhal Trophy & Hindi Elocution



Volleyball Match of IPS Probationers vs IRS Probationers



Police Station Visit



Cross Country 10K

I still remember the last 10k marathon in my school wherein I boarded the bus after the initial 1km of the marathon. That was the time when everything that requires stamina and physical activities was out of sight for me. To cut it short, running long distance was such an unpalatable thing for me.



On 27th May, 2017, we have had our first 10k cross country marathon. At this time, officers from Bhutan, Nepal and Maldives had not returned from Mid-term break while we all reported to the Academy a week before. Our tummies still felt full with delicious home-made foods. The aroma of the freshly cooked dishes prepared by our moms was still present in our breath.

The marathon started after a quick briefing by the former DD(OD) Sir, Shri S. Praveen Kumar, IPS. It was his last day as DD(OD) and so the marathon was definitely a memorable one. As the whistle blew we started running. Some took long steps and some like me took medium and shorter steps. The initial steps of long distance running are always interesting. I could see some friends running at the speed of Cheetah in the beginning and some at the speed of elephants (on a lighter note). Many thoughts started coming to my mind as I ran. I started aligning my breath with my feet, landing the right one as I released my breath.

As I crossed the Michelangelo's statue I started imagining the statue in me. "Has it been carved in shape by now?" I asked myself. Quite soon, I felt the vibration in my tummy as I made left turn towards the MT section. Then I realized that I have to travel miles before I sleep. The official photographer went ahead of us and some of us shouted for "Photo - Photo - Photo". We made our natural "V" sign and posed for the photo-op with smiling faces. The moment seemed to be a bit lighter and therefore sweats became sweets. In fact, I was filled with some unknown energy whenever I saw the photographer taking his place in ready mode. Not that I like it very much but such moments gave me an opportunity to inform myself of the journey I was travelling to. Moments of self reflection!

Often I do correlate the ups and downs in the route with the journey of life. Combined together, it makes the whole journey so interesting. You don't get bored of running in a straight way. Your legs learn to keep balance in hard and smooth surfaces. You count your steps by chanting "Ek Do Ek". You mark a lamp post as your short target and as soon as you ran past it you make another target.

One thing that makes running interesting in the Academy ring road is the presence of number

of green trees. They are so refreshing and lift up our moods whenever we look at them. Our Ustaads often remind us of listening to the voice of our feet whenever and wherever we march up in squads. As my body fully got soaked in sweat and the whole universe was conspiring to help me achieve my target of the day the sound of my feet became louder. The voices of the chirping birds and the dancing trees had turned into a beautiful music while the landing of my feet turned into drumbeats. The spectacular beauty of the curve from the Paharpur post to the Y-junction need not to be told. The lush green trees that guard the black narrow road will definitely overwhelm hearts of any passersby.

The hardest part of the route was from Y Junction to New Admin section via BTC and New



Library. Upward slopes, sharp turns and lesser greenery along the route made me feel that it is a long way to go. Besides, I began to see many people ahead of me. Yet, I tried to push myself further and catch up some friends who were ahead of me. As the first round completed everybody had gained momentum and our steps were quicker this time. We could not have been tired beyond a particular level. My

body became lighter than before and this time my mind was quite clear – neither to think about Michelangelo's statue nor of my tummy but not to stop until I reach the PT ground.

I had a quick run in the second round. I was given token no.16 at the T point in front of the MT section. I thought I shall give a try to catch up those five friends ahead of me, not all (I knew I couldn't do that). I move ahead of four friends just a little before the Old gym. Then I saw Harsh Indora and we met our eyes as he turned back to check if anyone is coming behind him. Suddenly, I took a bigger step. In no moment, Indora ran like a Cheetah and I trailed behind him. We had had our best 50m run before reaching the Finish point. I finished in 11th place and I was very happy as I knew that this was probably the only event in which I would be getting a Director's toffee. Fifteen probationers got the prestigious Director's Toffees. On a lighter note, thank God that people of Girpo class were not there in the marathon. I remember vividly that seven of the first ten places in the 7k marathon which was held on 25th March 2017 were secured by officers from foreign countries.

When it ended I felt like I had lost 2 Kgs of body fat. That also gave a reason to celebrate this marathon. It was worthwhile to observe smiling faces of my fellow probationers after they reached the finishing point. All in glory! Michelangelo's statues are coming!



Kshetrimayum Shivakanta
69 RR IPS Probationer

Long Range Firing



Riot Drill Demo



Visit to Salar Jung Museum



Gandipet Firing Range



Scuba Diving



First Aid & Ambulance Drill



Airport Visit



Route March

The 25km route march was stated by the Probationers of 69RR on 23rd June, 2017 (Friday) from 16:00hrs. Each squad was divided into two groups and different routes were given to



each group. At the start it was pretty hard due to heavy rain, but we all knew that we have to fight through it, had to get past the mental wall. With SLR and 10kg back pack, all the 18 groups started our task well prepared, mentally and physically. It was not just a Route

March, but a challenge to prepare for the 40km route march to be held on September, 2017.

When the summer sun set, we took our journey as nocturnal spirit with a night time experience. At night it was an exciting and different experience because the darkness beneath us guided us, rather than our eyesight.

Using of GPS and maps was something new which I to had experience in this memorable Route March. Even with the help of map and GPS, we used to take some long route and most of us used to walk more than 25kms. But this fun and challenging walk was completed through effective decision making, leadership, teamwork, communication, trust, persistence and co-operation among us.

It was a blessing to see such a wonderful group of IPS Probationers with so much leadership skill in their young ages. During this march, I knew that individual commitment to a group effort was what makes a team work. Lessons about teamwork and determination are things that I will take with me forever from this Route March.

Despite the challenges, at the end of the day we successfully completed the march and the first group reached IPS mess on 24th June, early morning at around 1am and the last group reached IPS mess at around 0330 am. Everyone was probably a bit sore and tired, but the good thing is that every one of us achieved our objective successfully.

It wouldn't have been successful without the immense help from all the outdoor staff, NPA staff, TAC staff, and of course Hyderabad Police. So I would like to thank everyone who helped us for making this route march a successful one. Overall I am thankful that I was able to be part of this amazing experience with IPS Probationers.



Mohammed Shaheem (mps)
69 RR IPS Probationer

Visit to Ashray Akruti



Visit to Prajwala



प्रज्ज्वला

“एक पराए घर से/दूसरे पराए घर के बीच/
लड़की सदियों से तलाश रही है अपनी जमीन
तू तो नदी थी लड़की
तुझे ठहरना किसने सिखाया
हवा में गिरह लगाई तो किसने”

निजता की यही आकांक्षा, स्वत्व की यही पीड़ा, अस्तित्व का यही बोध स्त्री को मात्र एक लैंगिक इकाई नहीं वरन् स्त्रीत्व की सृजनात्मक इकाई के रूप में हमारे सामने प्रस्तुत करता है।

सदियों से समाज का संबन्ध संवेदनशील हिस्सा महिलाओं का रहा है। देश, काल, समय से परे महिलाओं पर हो रहे अन्याय में कमी नहीं आई। महिलाएं आज भी हमारे समाज में असुरक्षित ही हैं। यद्यपि इस दिशा में सरकार, पुलिस, प्रशासन तथा अन्य गैर सरकारी संगठन काफी सक्रिय हैं। ऐसी ही एक संस्था है, प्रज्ज्वला जिसका नेतृत्व कर रही हैं, सुनीता कृष्णन। इनका मुख्य ध्यान वेश्यावृत्ति में लिप्त महिलाओं को मुक्त करने तथा उनको पुनः स्थापित करने में है।

प्रज्ज्वला की सबसे बड़ी विशेषता यह है कि यह संस्था मात्र वेश्यावृत्ति में फंसी हुई महिलाओं को मुक्त नहीं करती वरन् उनके पुनरुद्धार हेतु कार्यक्रम तथा आश्रय स्थल की व्यवस्था भी करती है। जब हम उनके हैदराबाद स्थित आश्रय स्थल पर गए तो हमने देखा कि वहां पर महिलाओं को आर्थिक रूप से आत्मनिर्भर बनाने हेतु रोजगारपरक प्रशिक्षण भी दिया जा रहा है। वहां हमने वेश्यावृत्ति से मुक्त कराई गई महिलाओं के अनुभवों को भी सुना। उन महिलाओं की बातों से यह स्पष्ट कि वे महिला संबंधी मामलों में पुलिस की सकारात्मक भूमिका को चाहती हैं। वे पुलिस को एक मित्र, मार्गदर्शक के रूप में देखना चाहती हैं।



आदित्य लांगहे, भा.पु.से.

69 आर.आर. (परिवीक्षाधीन)

IN - SERVICE COURSES



34th IPS Induction Training Course For SPS Officers



Course on "Gender Budgeting"



Course On Explosives, IEDs and Post Blast Procedures -06



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Reunion Seminar of IPS Officers - 1992 Batch (45 RR)

34th IPS Induction Training Course For SPS Officers

(27 February to 7 April, 2017)



1. ABOUT THE COURSE:

A five week '34th IPS Induction Training Course' for SPS officers promoted to IPS was conducted at the Academy from 27th February to 7th April, 2017. Total 54 officers attended the course from various States as per Annexure A.

2. COURSE OBJECTIVES:

a) Main objectives of the Course are:

- To acquire an all India perspective,
- To equip them with knowledge and skills required to manage a district charge, and
- To enable them to develop an understanding of modern Management Principles as applied to police working.

b) Course Structure:

Different modules were conducted for the trainees during the 6 week training and they were also sent for Bharat Darshan during the last week. The details of modules conducted for the trainees are given below:

Week 1	:	Law Module
Week 2	:	Forensic Science and Investigation Module
Week 3	:	Internal Security Module
Week 4	:	IT Module.
Week 5	:	Police Leadership and Management
Week 6	:	Bharat Darshan cum Study Tour

3. TRAINING METHODOLOGY:

The following methodology was adopted to achieve the Course

Objectives:

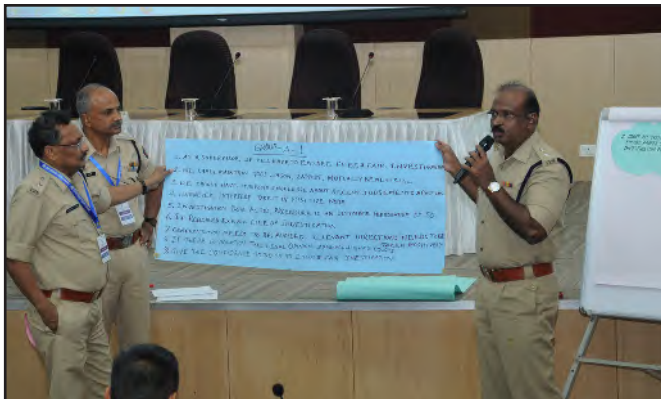
- Cadre Presentations
- Presentations on Internal Security
- Experience Sharing
- Lectures/Panel Discussions
- Hands on Computer exercises
- Syndicate Group Work
- Interactions with faculty / Guest speakers



4. NOMINATIONS :

54 officers attended the Course

Over all Grading - 4.64/5



Dr.Nikhil J Gupta
Deputy Director (SC) &
Course Director

3-Day Course on “Gender Budgeting” (March 15 - 17, 2017)



1. ABOUT THE COURSE:

3- Day course on ‘Gender Budgeting’ under the Gender Budgeting Scheme of Ministry of Women and Child Development, Government of India has been conducted at the Academy from 15-17 March, 2017 for the IPS officers of the rank of SP to IG and equivalent rank of officers from other All India Services/Officers from CAPFs/CPOs.

2. COURSE OBJECTIVES:

- To build domain knowledge and capabilities in Gender Budgeting among important public services of the country.
- To enhance the gender perspective in planning, budgetary and implementation processes in government departments.
- To build awareness about the importance and need for gender budgeting in government departments, develop skills in using gender budgeting tools in officers particularly those who are in positions where budgetary planning and analysis is done.



3. METHODOLOGY :

The following methodology was adopted to achieve the course objectives:-

- Lectures
- Presentations by the Guest Speakers
- Experience sharing
- Group Discussions

4. NOMINATIONS :

32 officers attended the Course

The Course Included Sessions on:

1. (i) Understanding Gender and Gender Inequalities - An Introduction.
(ii) Gender and Development.
2. Gender Budgeting, Concept, principles and processes.
3. Budget formats and process.
4. (i) Tools for Gender Budget Analysis.

- (ii) Hands on practice on Gender Budget Analysis.
5. Gender Responsive Budgeting: Roadmap for Planning and Budgetary Officers.
 6. Case study on Gender Budgeting: Police and Other Departments & Syndicate group work and presentation.
 7. Gender Budgeting in Police Department.

Over all Grading - 4.52/5



Veena Bharti
Assistant Director (IS) &
Course Director

5-Day Course On Explosives, IEDs and Post Blast Procedures -06 (March 20- 24, 2017)

1. ABOUT THE COURSE:

A 5-Day “Explosives, IEDs and Post Blast Procedures -06” to expose the police Officers of States & Central Armed Police Forces of the rank of DySP to SSP in handling Explosives, IEDs and Post Blast Procedures was conducted at this Academy from 20 – 24 March, 2017. 42 Officers of the rank of SPs, Addl SPs, Dy SPs from various States, Commandant, Dy Comdts, Asstt Comdts from CAPFs, AD from IB and SC, DSC from RPF attended this course.

2. AIM:

The aim of the course was to spread minimum required knowledge and skills to the police officers with reference to explosives so that they could prevent, prepare (Capacity building), mitigate and respond to situations arisen due to it.

3. COURSE OBJECTIVES:

To make the participants:-

- Conversant with the basics of explosives, its effect, initiation, detection and identification.
- Conversant with electric and non electric priming and demolition techniques.
- Conversant with Detection and disposal equipment.
- Aware about render safe procedures, categorization of bomb threat and adopt appropriate countermeasure.
- Conversant about systematic approach to post blast procedures including Crime Scene management and collection of evidences and follow up.

4. NOMINATIONS: 42 Participants attended the Course.



Over all Grading -
4.93/5

Ravindra. M.L
Asstt Director (Tac) &
Course Director

3-Days Appreciation Course of IRTS Probationers-2014 batch (March 27-30, 2017)

1. ABOUT THE MODULE:

A 3-Day Appreciation Course for IRTS Probationers-2014 batch was conducted at the Academy from March 27-30, 2017 for the IRTS OTs from Indian Railways Institute of Transport Management (IRITM), Lucknow.



2. NOMINATIONS:

30 OTs have attended the Course

3. METHODOLOGY

The following methodology was adopted to achieve the Course Objectives:

1. Lectures
2. Presentations by the Guest Speakers
3. Case Study

The Course Included Sessions on:

1. Introduction to Police Functioning.
2. Managing Crowds in Law & Order Situations Agitations.
3. Managing Large Crowd of Religious events at Railway Stations.
4. GRP Functioning-Challenges and Coordination with Railway Authorities.
5. Railway Courts – Law & Practice.
6. Critical incident Management : Terrorist Attacks.
7. Disaster Management in the context of Railways.
8. Issues Relating to Missing Children and Trafficking of Children.
9. Case Study.



Over all Grading -
4.86/5

Veena Bharti
Assistant Director (IS) &
Course Director

2-Day Course on “Multi Level Marketing & Collective Investment Schemes Frauds”

(April 03-04, 2017)

1. ABOUT THE COURSE

2-Day Course on “Multi Level Marketing & Collective Investment Schemes Frauds” was conducted at the Academy on April 03-04, 2017 for the Police Officers of the rank of Addl. SP and above, Officers above the rank of Under Secretary in Government of India equivalent ranks in ED, SFIO, CBDT etc. and for the Public Prosecutors/Addl. Public Prosecutors from different State/UTs.

2. COURSE OBJECTIVES:

- Understand Multi Level Marketing Schemes, Collective Investment Schemes and their structure.
- Appreciate the Multi Level Marketing and Collective Investment Schemes Frauds.
- Sensitize on Prize Chits and Money Circulation Schemes (Banning), Act and the other Laws, Judgments relating to Multi Level Marketing.
- Insight to investigation of Multi Level Marketing and Collective Investment Schemes Frauds.

3. NOMINATIONS:

25 officers attended the Course.

The Course Included Sessions on:

1. Introduction to Multi Level Marketing Frauds.
2. Case Studies of MLM & CIS Frauds (AMWAY, Japan Life Mattress, etc).
3. Attachment confiscation, Liquidation of properties in MLM & CIS Frauds.
4. Collective Investment Schemes and role of SEBI.
5. Legal Challenges in Investigating MLM and CIS Fraud Cases.
6. MLM & CIS cases Financial Investigation to unearth Money laundering - Role of E.D.
7. Gathering intelligence through open source and public documents. How to proceed with investigations of serious frauds and money trail.
8. Collection of digital intelligence and evidence in MLM & CIS frauds.



Over all Grading - 4.85 /5

(Dr. K. Raghuram Reddy)
Assistant Director
(Works & Estates.) &
Course Director

2-Day Seminar on “Cyber Security”

(April 06 - 07, 2017)



1. ABOUT THE COURSE:

2-Day Seminar on “Cyber Security” was conducted at the Academy from 06 & 07 April 2017 for the Officers of the rank of SP and above of all the States/UTs.

2. COURSE OBJECTIVES:

The objectives of the Course is to introduce the domain of Cyber Security to the Officers at mid-career level. The basic concepts of Cyber

Security, Information security, Cyber Security threat scenario, overview on how cyber attacks are made, best practices followed in securing departmental cyber assets are to be introduced to the participants.

3. NOMINATIONS:

31 officers attended the Seminar.

The Course Included Sessions on:

1. Information on Security: What you Need to Know and Do..
2. Singinficance of Cyber Security Awareness in Police Department.
3. Data Security and Privacy in the Indian Context(With Case Studies).
4. Apts & Targeted Attacks on Government Systems-Solutions.
5. Live Demo of Attacks: Spear Phishing Attack, Zero Day Exploit, Mobile Malware, Man in the Middle Attack.
6. Cyber Security Incident Response management for Government Departments.
7. Understanding the Security issues of using web browser, mobile phones and mobile apps.
8. Best Practices of information Security in Government Departments.
9. Understanding your digital footprints on Cyber Space.



Over all Grading - 4.30/5

P.Vimaladitya
Assistant Director (IT) &
Course Director

10-Day Course on "Tactics-50" (April 10-21, 2017)

1. ABOUT THE COURSE:

A 10-Day Course on "Tactics-50" was conducted at the Academy from 10-21 April, 2017 for the Officers of the rank of SPs, Addl SPs, Dy SPs from various States and Dy Comdts, Asstt Comdts from CAPFs attended this Course.

2. COURSE OBJECTIVES:



The objectives of the course were to make the participants:-

- Conversant with the conduct of tactical operations in militancy infested areas including urban, rural and jungle areas.
 - Conversant with the minor tactics and basic drills of CI Ops.
 - Conversant with use of geographical area and weapons to their tactical advantage.
- Aware about latest technologies in terms of weapons including non-lethal options, communication equipment, body wear/armour, tentage and ration items to sustain prolonged operations.
 - Aware about importance of engaging with the community in insurgency / naxalism prone areas for success of CI Ops.

3. NOMINATIONS: 34 officers attended the Course.

Over all Grading - 4.90/5



Ravindra M.L
Assistant Director (Tac) &
Course Director

5-Day Basic Course on Economic Offences

(April 17 - 21, 2017)

1. ABOUT THE COURSE:

A 5-Day Basic Course on “Economic Offences” was organised at the Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel National Police Academy from 17th to 21st April, 2017 for Police Officers of the rank Addl. S.P. and above, officers of the rank of Dy. Secretary and above in Government of India, equivalent rank in ED, SFIO, CBDT etc, Bank Officers and officers from financial institutions of and above the rank of Director in Government of India.

2. OBJECTIVES OF THE COURSE:

To understand the following subjects:-

- Investigation of Credit Card, Debit Card and Net Banking Frauds.
- Banking Frauds.
- Investigation of Stock Market Frauds.
- Investigation of Collection Investment Schemes and Powers of SEBI
- Role of Financial Intelligence Unit in Intelligence Collection with respect to Economic Offences.
- SFIO – Role in Investigation of Serious Cases of Fraud.
- Investigation of Corporate Frauds – Case Study.
- Directorate of Revenue Intelligence – Role, Functions in the field of Anti-Smuggling.
- Investigation of Ponzi Scams.
- Use of Forensic Accounting, Audit in Investigation of Economic Offences.
- Investigation of Insurance Frauds.
- Economic Offences in Cyber Space.
- Investigation Abroad – MLATs.
- Investigation of Financial Offences w.r.t. Money Laundering.



3. NOMINATIONS: 32 officers attended the Course.

Over all Grading - 4.87/5.0

Amrita Dash
Assistant Director (Estt) &
Course Director

30 Year Reunion Seminar of IPS Officers - 1987 Batch (40 RR) (April 27 - 28, 2017)



2-Day Conference on “Radicalization, Counter Radicalization and De-radicalization of Youth” (May 04 - 05, 2017)

1. ABOUT THE CONFERENCE:

A two day conference on “Radicalization, Counter Radicalization and De-radicalization of Youth” for the officers of the rank of Addl.SP to ADG was conducted at the Academy from 4th - 5th May, 2017. Total 40 officers attended the conference from various States/ Organizations as per Annexure “B”.



2. OBJECTIVES OF THE CONFERENCE:

- Understanding the extent of the problem & its impact on police
- Reasons for Radicalization
- Current efforts to approach the problem
- Role of Police, Communities, Families, NGOs’ etc. in de-radicalization.
- Designing a policy frame work to tackle the issue.

3. NOMINATIONS:

40 officers attended the Conference.

Topics were covered during the conference:

1. Radicalization by ISIS.
2. The narrative of Victimhood- A Physiological perspective on Radicalization.
3. Radicalisation:Historical Prospective.
4. Religion based Polarisation.
5. Radicalisation and Counter radicalization, Role of Internet.
6. Radicalisation & Counter Radicalization a perpestive from the field.
7. Radicalisation by ISIS Psychological Prospective.



Over all Grading - 4.53/5.0

Dr.Nikhil J Gupta
Deputy Director (SC) &
Programme Director

5-Day Course on “Intelligence Trade Craft”

(May 15-19, 2017)

1. ABOUT THE COURSE

A 05-Days Course on “Intelligence Trade Craft” was conducted at the Academy on May 15-19, 2017 for the Police Officers of the rank of Addl.SP and above from States/UTs and the equivalent ranks from CAPFs/CPOs, other Central Government agencies, Prosecution officers, etc.

2. OBJECTIVES OF THE COURSE:

- Planning, Direction and collection of Intelligence, Processing, Analysis and Dissemination of intelligence.
- Development of open source intelligence, Human Intelligence, Imagery, Measures & signatures Intelligence, Signals Intelligence etc.
- Surveillance and Counter-Surveillance tactics.
- Multiple agencies: Understanding the role and coordination in collection of intelligence.

3. NOMINATIONS: 38 officers attended the workshop.

The Course Included Sessions on:

1. Multiple Facets and Significance of Intelligence Trade Craft.
2. Understanding the ideologies behind the Genesis of Communal and Left Wing Extremism (LWE), Religious international terrorism.
3. Collection of Intelligence from open sources.
4. Intelligence Analytics – Emerging Tools.
5. Social Media Analytics & Tools for Intelligence Gathering.
6. Handling Transborder Sources.
7. Briefing on Surveillance Exercise.
8. Establishing Systems for gathering intelligence.
9. Gathering intelligence on communal issues.
10. Intelligence Based Operations.
11. Feedback on Surveillance Exercise.
12. Secret Enquiry Commission.
13. Communication.
14. Search and Concealment.
15. Report Writing.



Over all Grading -

4.35 /5

(Dr. K. Raghuram Reddy)
Assistant Director
(Works & Estates.) &
Course Director

5-Day Course on “Disc Forensics”

(May 15 - 19, 2017)

1. ABOUT THE COURSE:

5-Day Course on “Disc Forensics” has been conducted at this Academy scheduled on 15th to 19th, May 2017 for the officers of SP and above Ranks.

2. COURSE OBJECTIVES:

The objective of the Course is to enable the participants:

- In understanding basics of Computer and Digital Forensics.
- Understanding of Standards Operating Procedures (SOPs) of handling Digital Evidence in scene of crime.
- Hands-on practice on identifying, collection, packing, transporting, analysis of digital evidence – by maintaining chain of custody.

3. NOMINATIONS:

21 officers attended the Course.

The Course Included Sessions on:

1. Basics of Computer, Networking & Internet.
2. Basics of Data Storage on Hard Disk & File System.
3. Admissibility of Electronic Evidence & Presenting Electronic Evidence before Court of The Law.
4. File Type, File Meta Data
5. Different types of Files, Demo of Sector, Cluster, Byte Per Sector, Byte Per Cluster.
6. Introduction to WinHex
7. Demo of how to Identify total number of sectors, Total number of Clusters, File Signature.
8. SOP of Disc Forensics.
9. Hashing, Imaging, Cloning & Wiping Hands-on.
10. Triage and
11. Live Forensics Hands-on.
12. Forensics Data Analysis with FTK Hands-on.
13. Forensics Data Analysis with Autopsy Hands-On.
14. Encryption, PKI & Digital signature Concept Hands-On.
15. Windows Registry Forensics Hands-On.
16. Basics of Linux & MAC.
17. Linux Forensics Hands - On.
18. MAC Forensics Hands-On.



Over all Grading -

4.56/5

P.Vimaladitya
Assistant Director (IT) &
Course Director

Mid Career Training Programme Phase - V

(22 May to 02 June, 2017)

Mid Career Training Programme is an essential part of training courses conducted by the Academy for Senior Officers. These are mandatory programs for the IPS officers to attain next level of competency as per the IPS Pay Rules, 2010/7

The Mandatory Mid Career Training Programme is being conducted on the syllabus suggested by the Committee chaired by Dr. Trinath Mishra, IPS (Retd) and approved by MHA.

The theme of the programme is Leadership and the Change Management in which participants are exposed to the ideas on Management by globally renowned speakers on the subjects. The idea is to broaden their worldview and invest them with conceptual management skills suitable for world class organization head, not restricting to managing police force alone.

NOMINATIONS:

41 officers attended the Programme.

INAUGURATION/VALEDICTION:

- The MCTP Phase-V programme was conducted from 22.05.2017 to 02.06.2017.
- Lt General (Retd) Ata Aasnain, Key Note Speaker on first day of the programme (ie 22 May 2017) and Shri Prakash Singh, IPS (Retd), Former DG BSF was Chief Guest for the valedictory session of MCTP Phase-V.



BD. Paulson
Deputy Director (MCTP) &
Programme Director

2-Day Course on “Money Laundering”

(June-01-02, 2017)

1. ABOUT THE COURSE:

2-Day Course on 2-Days Course on Money Course on “Money Laundering” was conducted at the Academy from June-1-2, 2017 for the officer of the Rank of SP and above from states and CAPFs & equivalent ranks from other Administrative services and. The following officers have attended the Course:-



2. COURSE OBJECTIVES:

The objective of the Course is to enable the participants:

- To understand the concept of Money Laundering and its magnitude.
- To learn about Prevention of Money Laundering Act.
- Role and functions of Enforcement Directorate, Financial Intelligence Unit.
- Appreciate the mechanisms for controlling Money Laundering.

3. NOMINATIONS:

29 officers attended the Course.

The Course Included Sessions on:

1. Basic Understanding of PMLA & concept of Money Laundering.
2. Terror Finance & Money Laundering.
3. Foreign Funding of NGOs- Money Laundering.
4. Trade Based Money Laundering- Case Studies.
5. Attachment Proceeding under PMLA- Procedures challenges.
6. Investigation under PMLA Procedures & Rules- Case studies.
7. FIU and its Role in International Cooperation and Prevention of Money Laundering.



S. Praveen Kumar
Deputy Director (Estt.) &
Course Director

Seminar on 'National Security'

(June 05-09, 2017)



1. ABOUT THE SEMINAR:

5 day Seminar on 'National Security' for the officers of IAS, IFS, IFoS, IPS, IC & CES, IRS (IT) and Defence Forces/CAPFs has been conducted at the Academy from 5-9 June, 2017.

THE SEMINAR OBJECTIVES:

- To increase awareness of the participants regarding different sources and dimensions of threat to national security.
- To sensitize the participants to latest emerging trends - domestic as well as international affecting national security.
- To enable the participants to understand the nuances of national security challenges emanating from multiple sources, and deliberate on ways and means to promote adequate preparedness to counter the same.



- To promote inter-service interaction and coordination for a holistic approach to national security issues.

NOMINATIONS:

53 officers attended the Seminar.

The Seminar Included Topics on:

- 'Overview of National Security'
- 'Water : The New Conflict Zone'
- Panel Discussion on 'Coastal/ Maritime Security Challenges'
- 'Jammu & Kashmir: Issues & Perspectives'
- 'Surgical Strikes: How far they are successful?'
- 'Radicalization in Jammu & Kashmir'
- 'Energy Security - Implications to National Security'
- 'Border Management Challenges'
- 'Rise of China & Its implications on National Security'
- 'China-Pakistan Economic Corridor: Implications for India'
- 'Jihadi Terrorism : Impact on National Security'
- 'North-East Insurgency : Implications to National Security'
- 'Left-Wing Extremism: The Way Forward'

- Nuclear Challenges
- 'Money Laundering & Its Impact on National Security'
- 'Role of Funding in theatres impacting National Security'
- 'Space Technology – The Deterrence and Space Security Policy'
- 'Economic Security'
- 'Online Radicalization: Monitoring Social Media Challenges & Response'
- 'Turmoil and Terror in West Asia : Challenges for India's Security'
- 'Cyber Security- Are we prepared to go completely Digital?'

Over all Grading - 4.84/5.0



Rajeev Sabharwal
Joint Director (BC) &
Seminar Director

Reunion Seminar of IPS Officers - 1992 Batch (45 RR) (June 22 - 23, 2017)



Law and order should be in the concurrent list: Speaking Against the Motion

In the scheme of our Constitution, the Indian State is supposed to have a top-down model of federalism. This has been a natural result of times in which the Constitution was framed, given the propensity of secessionist tendencies around the time of independence. Even within this Union-heavy model of a federal state, public order and police was deemed to be fit for the State List of the Seventh Schedule because every State had different priorities as far as public order was concerned. Further, the role of police and its way of working had developed over a long period of time, with regional peculiarities. Hence, the makers of the Constitution thought that allowing the Union to legislate on matters of public order and police would take away the necessary discretion from each State in these subjects.

At present, the Indian state is perhaps more complex than what it was seventy odd years back. Different States have different issues of public order and internal security. The priorities of the State Governments are also varied. What impacts public order in Jammu and Kashmir may not be the same for Rajasthan. Similarly, the requirements of public order and police in Kerala may not resonate with the requirements in Manipur. Therefore, it becomes imperative to allow States the sole authority to legislate on matters of police and public order. The 'one size fits all' model for these subjects will make law making in these areas top heavy and devoid of the necessary nuance and information required in sound law making.

It ought to be noted at this point that having a subject in the Concurrent List of the Seventh Schedule would give the Union unparalleled powers of law making on the subjects concerned. Once a subject is in the Concurrent List, a law made by the Parliament would, ordinarily, override a State law on the same subject. Therefore, allowing law and order to be in the Concurrent List will empower the Centre to overrun a State law whenever deemed suitable. This could be especially problematic when the ruling dispensations at the Centre and a State are different or are rivals in character. Therefore, the attempt to bring law and order in the Concurrent List is a reflection of a centralizing tendency.

Our experience with moving subjects from the State List to the Concurrent List, even though with the best of intentions, has not been particularly rosy. The 42nd Amendment saw subjects being moved this way into the Concurrent List, including education and forests. Although this allowed the Centre to frame overarching laws and policies, it ended up presenting a one-size-should-fit all model, not paying enough attention to the differences in requirements and capacities of each State. Additionally, even if the Union is allowed to legislate on subjects of law and order, will the Union garner enough time to do justice to these subjects? With the kind of workload the Union has to shoulder, taking up the additional load of law and order is adventurism, and is impractical.

Concentration of power at one particular level cannot bode well for the federal nature of the Indian State. It would render the States powerless, which is against the federal set-up, which forms a part of the basic structure of the Constitution. Therefore, issues of law and order such as police and public order, which are in the State List, should continue to remain in the same list.



Sheema nabi
69 RR IPS Probationer

महान बलिदान

“सिर सांटे रूख रहे तो भी सस्तो जाण”

If the trees are saved in exchange of our head. It will be cheap transation.

महान भक्तिकालिक लोक संत एवं पर्यावरण वैज्ञानिक जांभोजी का जन्म 1451 ई. में पीपासर गांव नागौर (राजस्थान) में हुआ था तथा इनका कर्म क्षेत्र मुकाम समराथल (बीकानेर) राजस्थान रहा।

जांभोजी ने निराश आम जनता के सामने 29 नियमों की एक आचार संहिता रखी जैसे हरे पेड़ों को नहीं काटना, वन्य जीव जंतुओं की हत्या नहीं करना, नशा नहीं करना, पानी छान कर पीना इत्यादि इन 29 नियमों का पालन करने वाले बिश्नोई/विश्नोई (बीस+नौ) कहलाए।

बिश्नोई समुदाय भारतीय इतिहास में वन्य जीवों के प्रति एवं पेड़ पौधों के प्रति अपने प्रेम के कारण पूरे विश्व में प्रसिद्ध रहा है।

एक महान घटना जो विश्व में इस समुदाय को अद्वितीय बनाती है, वह है, “खेजड़ली का महान बलिदान” 1730 ई. तत्कालीन जोधपुर रियासत के राजा अभयसिंह ने अपने महल मेहरानगढ़ की मरम्मत एवं चारदीवारी निर्माण का निर्णय लिया इस हेतु चूना पत्थर/लाइम स्टोन की जरूरत पड़ी चूंकि लाइम स्टोन को जलाने के लिए लकड़ी की आवश्यकता होती है। पर्यावरण प्रेमी बिश्नोई समुदाय के गांव अपनी हरियाली के लिए प्रसिद्ध थे। ऐसा ही एक गांव था खेजड़ली जो अपने खेजड़ी के वृक्षों की अधिकता के कारण प्रसिद्ध था। राजा को जब यह बात पता चली तो उसने अपने दीवान गिरधारी दास भंडारी को खेजड़ली गांव से लकड़ी काटकर लाने का आदेश दिया। सैनिकों ने गांव पहुंचकर पेड़ काटने शुरू कर दिए तो खेजड़ली तथा आसपास के 84 गांवों के बिश्नोई समुदाय के गांवों में यह बात आग की तरह फैल गई और सबसे पहले माँ अमृता देवी बिश्नोई एवं उनकी 3 पुत्रियों ने वृक्ष काटने का विरोध किया पर अपनी शक्ति के दंभ में चूर सैनिक रुके नहीं फलस्वरूप माँ अमृता देवी और उनकी बेटियों ने पेड़ों को “अपनी बांहों” में भर लिया और नारा दिया कि “सिर सांटे रूख रहे तो भी सस्तो जाण” “If the head is chopped off for the sake of preserving a green tree, the resulting loss of a human life is yet a cheap bargain / If we are able to save a green tree by giving up our own head in exchange of it yet it is too cheap” अर्थात् एक पेड़ की रक्षा में अपना सिर कटवा लिए जाए तो भी तैयार रहना चाहिए।

सैनिकों ने निर्दयता से पेड़ों को बांहों में भरी माँ अमृता देवी एवं उनकी बेटियों पर कुल्हाड़ी से वार किए। वे पेड़ों से साथ ही कट गई देखते ही देखते बिश्नोई समुदाय के 363 लोगों ने इस तरह से पेड़ों से चिपक कर अपने प्राणों की आहुति दे दी। जब यह बात राजा अभयसिंह तक पहुंची तो तुरंत वह खेजड़ली गांव पहुंचा। उसने बिश्नोई समुदाय से माफी मांगी तथा ताम्रपत्र पर आदेश दिया कि आगे से बिश्नोई समुदाय के गांवों में वृक्ष नहीं काटे जाएंगे एवं वन्य जीव जंतुओं का शिकार नहीं किया जाएगा। खेजड़ली के इस बलिदान स्थल पर “विश्व का एकमात्र वृक्ष मेला उन शहीदों की याद में लगता है, जिसकी सबसे बड़ी विशेषता है कि महिलाओं द्वारा अपने पूर्वजों को श्रद्धांजलि अपने सुन्दर गहनों आभूषणों से सज-सँवर कर दी जाती है। जो एक अद्वितीय प्रथा है जब संपूर्ण विश्व आज ग्लोबल वार्मिंग एवं जलवायु परिवर्तन से परेशान है तब यह समुदाय अपनी लगभग 575 साल पुरानी मान्यता के अनुसार पूरे विश्व के सामने एक अद्वितीय उदाहरण प्रस्तुत करता हुआ पर्यावरण के प्रति अपने समर्पण को दर्शाता है आज भी यह समुदाय पेड़ों एवं वन्य जीवों की

रक्षा के लिए तैयार खड़ा रहता है। इस समुदाय की महिलाओं को अपने बच्चों के साथ वन्य जीव जन्तुओं को स्तनपान करवाते हुए कई जगह पर देखा जा सकता है, “यह पर्यावरण के प्रति मानव के प्रेम की पराकाष्ठा” है आज भी वन्य जीव जन्तुओं एवं पेड़ों को बचाने के लिए इस समुदाय के लोग अपने प्राणों को उत्सर्ग करने को तैयार रहते हैं ऐसा ही एक उदाहरण निहालचंद बिश्नोई जिसे भारत सरकार ने वन्य जीवों की रक्षा के लिए प्राणोत्सर्ग करने के लिए “शौर्य पदक” से नवाजा गया । महान पर्यावरण प्रेमी सुंदरलाल बहुगुणा ने भी कई बार इस समुदाय को अपना सबसे बड़ा प्रेरणा स्रोत बताया है।

खेजड़ली का महान बलिदान हमें सीख देता है कि पर्यावरण रक्षा में महिलाओं की भूमिका सबसे महत्वपूर्ण है तथा पर्यावरण रक्षा के लिए केवल सरकार की योजनाएं तब तक सफल नहीं जब तक यह जनानदोलन न बन जाए।



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Staff Interaction & Cultural Programme SVP NPA Parivar



Holi Celebration



CISF Blood Donation Camp



Yoga Day



Sherlock Holmes of NPA

From our childhood, nearly all of us have been inspired by either Hercule Poirot of Agatha Christie or Sherlock Holmes of Arthur Conan Doyle. The new series Sherlock has rekindled this interest. The near magical investigating prowess of Sherlock has not only fascinated us but also thrilled us to no end. In India also whether it be the carrot eating Karamchand or the Bengali sleuth Byomkesh Bakshi, these greats have inspired us to become great Spies. As Police officers also we have a dream of being great investigators and some of us that of becoming legendary raw agents. We also have heard the story of Mr Ajit Doval who has spent a long span of his career as a very successful IB agent. When in our schedule we saw a module of SIB coming up naturally we were all very excited. After a day of briefing we were ready to become the great Spies ourselves. In that briefing we were given a lot of do's and don'ts but we were also told that we will have to show our ingenuity as well. Finally the day arrived for two squads per day when we had to follow an unsuspecting suspect without arousing any suspicion. Though the first thing to do was that look as normal as you can and don't be different from the crowd the boys with their recruit cut were ready to become one with the crowd and to follow the suspect without him suspecting that he is being suspected. It being a rainy day, we also took our ponchos so that we will be able to do our great counter intelligence work without being soaked in rain. We took our familiar NPA bus and reached the office of the SIB & CI cell Telangana. The two squads were divided into teams of 5 probationers per team and with one team, two CI personnel, one bike and one 4 wheeler was given. We were briefed about the target's appearance, his initial location and the approximate time of his arrival at that location. For the arduous task ahead, the CI cell prepared us with a high tea consisting of tasty snacks. To some extent, I believe that the excellent tea of the SIB Telangana is partially responsible for their success. Many of us had one extra cup. In a covert op, the NPA provided lunch was loaded onto the four wheelers provided to us. The spies were not only hungry to complete the task but had a real hunger for food also. All the teams then left for their respective locations.

The operation begins

A detailed strategy was drawn up that the tail might be getting tailed by someone so one extra tail would be required. Our suspect was a true VIP. He came later than the time given in the briefing and had an India Today in his hand. Finally the tail of tails started wagging. Phones started ringing, WhatsApp group abuzz that the suspect is not alone and is going to a pan shop and what not. The usually sleepy eyes were shining with an awakening never seen in the BCTC. I sat along with HC Raghu on a bike and started tailing the walking suspect. Momentarily I felt some pity for the subject walking on road that he stands no chance in front of finely trained gentlemen and ladies of the NPA. The pity was going to turn into self pity very soon. The merciless subject boarded a bus and the tail had to split up as only one could get into the bus. Mobile phones were abuzz again that subject has done something. Raghu finally got the chance to accelerate his Hero Honda Splendor racing bike. Raghu was inducted as a homeguard and has

risen in the ranks to become a Head Constable which is a mercurial rise by any standards. To top it off he got a medal from the CM also. Raghu gave me some very good tips though he was not allowed to. I also tried to share a few tailing methodologies and became extremely happy when I saw him nodding his head on my thoughts. After nearly a 10 km journey , the merciless subject alighted from the bus and immediately went into a market area. Our bus tail hadn't yet alighted and four wheeled tail wasn't to be seen. I had to abandon Raghu and the comforts of the bike and became a tail myself. Wearing my green poncho and following the subject was enough to incite excitement in me. I called the team mates in the four wheeler and the help arrived like Harry Potter's phoenix. The double tail was active again. The subject entered a photostat shop and sat there for nearly 10 minutes . As soon as he walked out the clandestine spy (as I was feeling then) entered the shop and enquired about the subject from the shopkeeper. The ragpicker in me was aroused to see a piece of paper lying around , it was immediately picked up and saved . Now it was decided that the tails have been exposed too much and new tails should be put in service now. So me and my tail went to sit inside the Sumo and new tails were put in place. But then the merciless subject shown his "tactical movements " and disappeared inside a shopping complex. The new bike tail in his eagerness abandoned the bike and started running but to no avail. Our merciless target disappeared inside a complex like a Ninja. We kept running here and there but he couldn't be found and we couldn't collect a vital clue that of the railway ticket. A sane idea that we should just wait outside occurred and we kept waiting outside and it seems that after having a sumptuous meal and an afternoon siesta, the target came out and boarded a bus in a jiffy. One tail and then the other tail boarded the bus but lo and behold both the tails came out of the bus with the target still inside. Some very nervous moments passed but then the bus stopped and a tail was immediately attached to the target. After nearly 5 km the target came out of the bus and met two friends of him. All mobile phones came out and those 3 "stars" had at least 100 photos clicked of them. The target went inside a photo studio and have a CD to be copied. I swooped down on the shop owner like a hawk on the rabbit and he smiled as if he knew my a and handed over the CD to me without any fuss. The target took a bike and took many turns on the road and we took many wrong turns and the target disappeared somewhere in the large city of Hyderabad leaving us helpless sleuths high and dry but our indomitable spirit hadn't died down and we kept waiting at the door of the society where the suspect had gone. The target appeared after sometime and went like Hrithik in Dhoom 2. We followed him to a park. The Lunch hour was declared and we alongwith the target had tasty packed meals of NPA. Roaming here and there in the park our sleuths took all the revenge from the target and followed him into the toilet as well. I searched for the chasis no. of his bike all over the bike and after a lot of looking here and there could find it. After lunch the chase started again and the target took his bike to max speed . One of our sleuths in a hurry took an auto to chase the target but he was left way behind as the auto could not match the speed of his bike and the sumo. The tech savvy target went into a cyber cafe and sent some emails and browsed for a lot of time. But he came out like

lightening and zoomed away. Surprised, we forgot to take the details from the cyber cafe. He then stopped to have his mobile recharged. Little did he know that this mistake will expose his gang and the recharge coupon was deftly pocketed by one of our sleuths. After this he went to a courier shop and sent a packet to some address, he didn't know that this mistake will prove costly to his superior in the organisation as the address was noted down by us. Next he stopped on a sweet shop . We thought that he would have something to eat and we will also have some sweets but he didn't go inside the shop and went inside a colony. Here he showed that up till now he was treating us with kid gloves and showed a lot of tac movements and lost us. We kept searching for him and one of our sleuths made the supreme sacrifice by offering his arm to a monkey which I think had been hired by the target to put us off track and in the melee we lost the target but I remembered the lesson that have infinite perseverance and I kept searching and luckily I saw the fluorescent colour soles of the target and we found him again. The target again came out of the colony and took his bike again on the road and shown that his bike was superior than the tailing vehicles. After harassing us , the target had to fill up the tank of his bike so he went inside an ATM and did some transaction and here he committed the mistake of his life and threw the slip that came out of the ATM and like Sherlock, my friend picked it up. It seemed that the end for the target was very near as he was committing so many mistakes. And very soon he went inside his hideout and we swooped down upon him and took him into custody. We were brought to a stadium to fill our feedback and give a small exam and as a reward of such hard work we were treated to the tea of SIB . Now I was eagerly waiting for the debriefing so that I may be praised for being excellent tails for one whole day. The day came and the debriefing began. All my hopes vaporised as the hard working chasis finding exercise at the park somehow felt like a monkey searching for a banana on the video. Some of us did some excellent work and they were rewarded by SIB. Now the SIB showed why they are so much feared by anti nationals and are considered to be thorough professionals by anti terror units of all the states. They had read all of our feedback forms , compiled the suggestions, divided those suggestions into workable and non workable suggestions and promised that they will take care of all the workable suggestions. They also presented some case studies which highlighted the silent hard work being put in by them without want of any credit and recognition.

I must say that this module was loved by all of us and thanks is also due to all the officials of SIB and CI cell who worked hard yet again being in the shadows all the time watching the new tails wagging. We all learnt a lot of lessons from the module and its success can be judged by the fact that we all would like to repeat it



Avinash Pandey
69 RR IPS Probationer

Yoga

The making of an IPS Officer is incomplete without mentioning the immense contribution of Yoga. As we all know that the kind of training being imparted to the IPS Probationers is and should be unique and complete in all respects so as to tackle the numerous challenges efficiently and effectively.

I, as an IPS probationer, was very keen and enthusiastic about joining NPA and my happiness knew no bounds when I saw the dedicated 'Yoga Kendra' situated in the campus itself. In this Yoga Kendra, we trainee officers learn the art of Yoga.

In this connection, I would like to draw attention of all on one yoga class in the last week of May 2017 where we all participated very actively. The yoga trainer educated us about the need of practicing yoga regularly. It was described to us very truly that our training in NPA demands complete devotion of three components body, mind and soul and what kind of inevitable role yoga plays.

It is very true said that yoga is the act of union of the individual soul with the Universal Spirit. We, IPS probationers, feel it very clearly. Yoga helps us a lot in easing out stress and revitalizing our body and mind. It is seen that spending half an hour on Yoga a day keeps a person calm and energetic. Yoga has healing as well as curative effect and hence it is beneficial for all. Everybody must do practise yoga daily.



Munesh Payal

69 RR IPS Probationer

Role of Sports in building an IPS Officer

I have always been a sport person from my childhood. I have tried different games like volleyball, Cricket, badminton etc. I believe sports helps to realise one self in more than one ways. It not only builds physical stamina, endurance and agility but also teaches ways of interacting with people, building friendship and also on how to control our emotions.

Before joining this service, I was skeptical of carrying forward my hobby of playing different sports. Paucity of time, unknown infrastructure were also the reasons. However, after joining SVPNPA, I was mesmerized by the opportunity the campus offers for sports lovers.

The academy offers state of the art facilities for various games ranging from football, hockey, volleyball, water polo, indoor games like badminton, squash, tennis, carom, and what not. Each game requires a different skill. The academy's support staff and coaches are well versed in their own spheres and they impart such skills for the probationers. Each sport, I believe, reflects different aspirations. And the campus offers opportunity for each individual to realise their potential and build their skills. I wanted to play tennis since a very long time. The academy provided the opportunity to pick up the basics needed to play the game.

The timings of sports facility is flexible and accommodating. After completion of all training activities, one can pick up the game of his choice and take it forward. Playing games gives joy, releases the stress of the day and refreshes us for the next day's activities.

One unique thing about NPA is that, it has included games as a part of its curriculum

Each Squad plays a different game each day. In this way one can pick up the game of their interest. The inter squad games competition enhances the squad comraderie, builds new spirit within as well as between the squads. The friendships built over here are going to last forever. It is not only a personal gain but also has professional advantage in our future career as well. The support that the team receives from squad members, when lost, strengthens the squad relationship and also builds emotional connect.

Many faculties participate in different games regularly. This gives an opportunity to see even the senior faculty member as team member or as opponents, on equal terms just as any other probationers. These occasions provides a way for informal interaction which generally does not happen in a formal classroom sort of a set up. One can know more about each other as an individual in such games.

To conclude, when one looks back at the training. what is remembered is not only the early morning drill or PT but these moments which will be cherished for a very long time to come. Sports in NPA has made the training more colourful and personally for me it has helped to emerge as a better individual.



Mithun Kumar GK
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Farewell to...



Shri S. Raveendran,
DD (Tac)



Shri K. Pattabhi Rama Rao,
AD (Law)



Shri P.P. Promod,
AC (Tac)



Dr. Palle Prashanth,
Medical Officer

Welcome to...



Dr. K. Madhukar Shetty,
DD (A)



Shri Pawan Kumar,
AD (OD)



Shri Bhupender Kumar,
AC (Tac)



Shri Ajit Kumar Singh,
AC (Tac)

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