



White Gift Service – Joy of Giving, Love for the Underprivileged



Karmachari Christmas- Honouring Workers- Dignity of labour

In the latter part of the programme, awards and scholarships are given for excellence in academic performance and for participation in extra-curricular activities. Certificates of Appreciation and Recognition are also given to the students for displaying remarkable talents and leadership qualities.

Founder's Day

On Founder's Day we touch the wider circle of Alumnae as we remember our founder Ms. Isabella Thoburn and friends. Faculty and students are required to be dressed in white. A solemn thanksgiving service at the Nishatganj Cemetery at Ms. Isabella Thoburn's grave is followed by the main Founder's Day service with all students and faculty in the auditorium. A presentation is made by the students of B.Ed Department on the life of Ms. Isabella Thoburn.



Golden Circle

The Golden Circle is the traditional passing on of the responsibilities, traditions and ideals of the college by the outgoing students to those who follow. It has the sadness and hope of all farewells.



The Golden Circle is held in the evening of Baccalaureate Day in the College Quadrangle.

Christmas Celebration

Christmas Celebrations include the White Gift Service, the College Christmas Candle Light Service, the S.C.M Pageant, the Faculty and Staff family get-together and a very special programme for our Karamcharis and their families.



Karamchari's Christmas



Gifts are given to the Karamcharis in appreciation of their service throughout the year. A festive spirit prevails as their families join the Chandbagh family at tea.

But more precious than these scheduled traditions perhaps are the scores of little traditions passed on by word of mouth from one student generation to the next. To learn these one must come to Chand Bagh.



Arbour Day – Tree Plantation

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Arbour day is observed in recognition of the importance of trees to us as a nation and of what they yield in adornment, comfort and useful products for the community in which we live. A service of praise and thanksgiving is held. After the service, each class plants trees and shrubs to beautify our campus and enrich our environment. On this occasion all are required to dress in GREEN.



College Day

College Day is a day when the faculty and student body work together to put before an invited audience a dramatic programme.

Games

The College has a Physical Education programme directed by a trained Physical Education instructress.



Facilities for various games such as Basketball, Softball, Volleyball, Hockey, Tennis and Badminton are available.

The Annual Sports Day is marked by friendly inter house, and inter-hostel competitions.

Day scholars participate in all these activities. All undergraduate resident students are required to participate in the Physical Education programmes.

Career Counselling Placement Cell

The Career Counselling Cell is an expression of the strongly felt need of the students of Isabella Thoburn College. Through its activities we strive to empower young women towards educational and economic independence by providing them support services and guidance as they endeavor to make career choices.



The Centre undertakes the following activities. Special lectures by experts on various careers, aptitude testing, individual and group counselling and a documentation wing on issues of economic development and gender. The Centre also has a Placement Wing and organizes Placements Drives with various companies visiting the campus for campus selections.

Service Learning Programmes

Service Learning unites the academic and voluntary community service to make studies immediate and relevant. The objectives of the Service Learning Programme at Isabella Thoburn College are:

- To engage institution of higher education in issues of their communities
- To address and meet social needs
- To help students identify and understand cultural differences
- To enhance critical thinking
- To train young leaders.
- To enliven academic disciplines
- To develop useful skills

The Units of Service Learning Programme are:

AIDS Awareness Centre for Counseling, Education and Training

Centre for Women's Studies

Centre for Education Beyond Curriculum

Nutritional Initiatives for Community Health and Education

AIDS Awareness Centre for Counseling, Education and Training

Isabella Thoburn College set up an AIDS Awareness Centre for Counseling, Education and Training (AAC CET) within the College campus to encourage the college students to participate in spreading awareness on the issues of HIV/AIDS which is posing one of the biggest challenges in the history of public health. The programme aims at bringing about an attitudinal and behavioral change among students towards people with HIV/AIDS and remove the stigma associated with it.



Centre for Women's Studies

The Centre for Women's Studies (CWS) was established at the College in 1975 with the objective of empowering women by creating and developing an understanding of the dynamics of the diverse issues which confront Indian women.

The CWS works along with the Department of Women's Studies, which awards a University Degree to students who prefer to opt for Women's Studies at the Post Graduate level. The Department continues to hold workshops, seminars and informative lectures by eminent scholars, social activists and professionals.



Activities of this Department also includes interaction with rural women, networking with social activists and NGOs, visits to Family Courts, Police stations, Rehabilitation centres and the Model Jail.

Nutritional Initiatives for Community Health and Education

NICHE aims to empower the students with nutritional awareness and professional skills and involves in community participation. The objective of the programme is to develop among the students, the skills, habits and attitudes for healthy living. It extends to the community the benefits of nutritional

perspectives while mobilizing the existing and potential resources of the community.



Centre for Education Beyond Curriculum

Centre for Education Beyond Curriculum popularly known as CEDBEC, through its awareness and sensitization programme in the form of special lectures, talks by experts, quiz, essay, poster or slogan writing competitions, interactive sessions and outreach programmes aims to develop enlightened, emancipated and empathetic students who have deeper understanding for the responsibility they have towards the society and the nation as educated citizens.



CEDBEC aims to sensitize students about diverse issues of social, personal, national and global concern. It strives to develop a sense of responsibility and willingness among students to go beyond themselves, to respond to the needs of other people as well.

It creates understanding about the heterogeneous nature of the society and helps students imbibe personal and social values essential to function as a productive citizen of the country.