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Sanatan Dharma Fiesta 2026 : A Grand Celebration of Culture and Community

On March 22, 2026, Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur, hosted “Sanatan Dharma Fiesta 2026” with great enthusiasm under the guidance of the management and leadership of Dr. Megha Dua. The event was inaugurated by MLA Dr. Ishank Kumar and witnessed the presence of eminent dignitaries, along with the unveiling of the college magazine “Shri Panchanan.”

The fiesta attracted around 2,500 attendees and featured vibrant cultural performances, game zones, food stalls, exhibitions, and participation from leading brands. Highlights included the “Earn While You Learn” stall, various entertainment activities, and an exciting lucky draw, making the event lively, engaging, and memorable for all.



S.D. College: Students Shine at Inter-College Competition

On January 20, 2026, students of Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur, participated in a district-level inter-college literary and arts competition on National Youth Day at Dashmesh Girls College, Mukerian. Abhishek Aasi secured the second position, and Mehak won the third position in clay modelling. The event highlighted students' creative and linguistic skills under the guidance of faculty.



University Achievement : Academic Excellence Recognized

On April 24, 2026, Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur, proudly celebrated the achievement of B.A. Semester III student Nikhil Sharma, who secured 4th position in Panjab University with an SGPA of 9.00.

Campus Placement : Students Selected by ICICI Bank

On May 27, 2026, three B.Com. third-year students of Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur — Radhika Sharma, Lovepreet Kaur, and Ajwinder Singh — were selected by ICICI Bank for the position of Relationship Manager after successfully clearing the interview process. The college management and faculty congratulated the students on their achievement and wished them success in their careers.



Online Lecture: Social Aspects of Technology



On January 28, 2026, Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur, organized an online lecture on “Social Aspects of Technology: Opportunities and Challenges.” Dr. Tripta Parmar highlighted both the benefits of technology in areas like employment and healthcare and challenges such as cybercrime and digital addiction, encouraging ethical and responsible use among students.

Digital Economy Awareness: Case Study Competition

On February 19, 2026, Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur, organised a case study competition on “Digital Economy and Cashless India” under the guidance of the college management. Conducted by the Department of Economics, the event aimed to enhance students’ understanding of digital payments. Students participated enthusiastically, sharing insights on online banking and cashless transactions, and winners were awarded for their performance.



Lecture : Quantitative Research Techniques



Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur, organized a lecture on “**Quantitative Research Techniques**” on **April 6, 2026**, under the guidance of the college management. Organised by the **Research and Development Cell**, the session focused on data collection and analysis. The informative lecture enhanced research awareness among the faculty.

Managing Well-Being: Stress Management Lecture at S.D. College



On January 29, 2026, Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur, organised a lecture on “Stress Management” under the guidance of the management committee. Dr. Hema Sharma highlighted the causes and effects of stress and emphasized positive thinking, time management, yoga, and meditation. The session promoted mental well-being and witnessed active staff participation.

World Leprosy Day: Poster Making Competition

On January 30, 2026, Sanatan Dhrama College, Hoshiarpur, organized a Poster making Competition on World Leprosy Day under the guidance of the college management and Officiating Principal Prashant Sethi. Conducted by the Department of Psychology, the theme was “Leprosy is Curable; the Real Challenge is Social Stigma.” Students participated enthusiastically, highlighting the need to eliminate social discrimination and promote awareness, early diagnosis, and empathy. Winners were recognized for their creative contributions.



Manobal Session : Stress Management and Positive Thinking



On March 6, 2026, Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur, organised a special lecture on “Manobal” focusing on stress management and mental well-being. Resource persons from Divya Jyoti Jagrati Sansthan inspired students to build confidence, maintain positivity, and handle challenges effectively, making the session motivating and insightful.

Heritage Visit : Connecting with Punjab's Cultural Roots



On March 27, 2026, Students of Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur, visited “Sadda Pind”, Amritsar, to explore Punjab’s rich cultural heritage and traditional lifestyle. The students experienced traditional village life, folk arts, customs, and culinary traditions, gaining practical knowledge and a deeper connection with their cultural roots.

Earth Day : Drawing & Painting Competition

On April 22, 2026, Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur, in collaboration with the District Legal Services Authority, organised a Drawing and Painting Competition on “*Green India*” to mark World Earth Day. Students showcased their creativity while promoting environmental awareness, protection, and civic responsibility. Winners and recipients of encouragement award were felicitated for their participation.



International Workers' Day : Honouring Support Staff



On May 2, 2026, Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur, celebrated **International Workers' Day** through the Red Ribbon Club and NSS Unit. The college and school support staff were appreciated for their valuable contributions and dedicated services. The occasion also provided an opportunity for faculty members to interact with the staff and acknowledge their important role in the institution.

BCA Students Explore CS Soft Solutions : Industry Exposure at Mohali



On February 06, 2026, students of the Computer Applications department at Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur, visited CS Soft Solutions, Mohali, for an educational industrial tour. They gained insights into the software industry, modern technologies, and career opportunities through expert sessions and an interactive discussion, making the visit informative and inspiring.

B.Com Students Explore Sonalika : Industry Learning

On February 7, 2026, B.Com students of Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur, visited International Tractors Ltd. (Sonalika), gaining practical exposure to manufacturing, supply chain, quality control, and business operations. The visit provided valuable industry insights and enhanced their understanding of real-world commerce practices.



BBA Students at Quantum Papers : Practical Industry Learning



On March 2, 2026, BBA students of S.D. College, Hoshiarpur, visited Quantum Papers Ltd., Sailakhurd, to gain practical exposure to industrial operations. They learned about raw material sourcing, pulp preparation, sheet manufacturing, and quality control processes during the plant visit. Interaction with HR officials also provided insights into organizational structure and career opportunities, making the visit informative and enriching.

Art Fusion Workshop: Three-Day Creative Learning

Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur, organised a three-day “Art Fusion Workshop” from February 24–26, 2026, under the guidance of the college management. The workshop aimed to enhance students’ creativity through practical training, covering acrylic painting, crochet, and embroidery. An exhibition of student artworks highlighted their talent and creativity.



Parent-Teacher Meet : Academic Progress and Interaction



On March 28, 2026, Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur, organised a Parent-Teacher Meeting with active participation from parents. Faculty shared students’ progress, achievements, and areas of improvement, while parents engaged in meaningful discussions for regarding their children’s academic growth. The session also helped strengthen communication between parents and teachers, and feedback from parents reflected their satisfaction with the college’s efforts.

Career Counselling & Internship : Guiding Future Pathways

On April 2, 2026, Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur organised a lecture on “Career Counselling and Internship,” where the resource person guided students about entrance exams, admission processes, and suitable institutions for higher studies. The session also emphasized the importance of internships in developing practical skills, enhancing employability, and bridging the gap between academic learning and industry requirements.



Civil Defence Camp : Empowering Students with Life-Saving Skills

Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur, successfully organised and concluded a seven-day Civil Defence Camp held from February 10–16, 2026, under expert supervision, focusing on disaster preparedness and safety training. Students received comprehensive theoretical and practical knowledge about first aid, fire safety, rescue operations, and protective measures during natural calamities like earthquakes.

The camp aimed at enhancing students' confidence, discipline, and ability to respond effectively in emergency situations. Certificates were awarded to all participants, and the college management appreciated the dedicated efforts of the Civil Defence team, organizers, and students for making the camp highly informative and impactful.



Anti-Ragging Awareness : Documentary Screening



On February 18, 2026, Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur, screened a documentary to promote anti-ragging awareness under the guidance of the college management. Organised by the Anti-Ragging Cell with IQAC support, it highlighted real cases and UGC rules. Students were encouraged to report incidents, followed by a brief discussion session.

Lohri Celebrated: S.D. College, Hoshiarpur Marks the Festival



On January 13, 2026, Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur, celebrated Lohri with great enthusiasm under the guidance of the college leadership. The event began with the lighting of the sacred bonfire, followed by traditional rituals and cultural performances by staff. The celebration concluded with festive greetings and active participation from staff and faculty members.

Ramcharitmanas Path : Devotional Celebration on Auspicious Occasion

Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur, organised a two-day Ramcharitmanas Path on March 27–28, 2026, to mark the auspicious occasions of Durga Ashtami and Ram Navami. The event featured bhajans, kirtan, and Kanjak Pujan, creating a spiritual atmosphere and fostering devotion among staff and participants.



Hawan Rituals: Tradition Meets Devotion



A Hawan is conducted in the college every month on Sankranti, fostering spiritual growth and instilling a sense of peace and positivity among students and staff. This ritual serves as a moment of reflection and harmony, reinforcing cultural values and creating a serene atmosphere on the campus.



Honoring the Nation: 77th Republic Day Celebration

On January 26, 2026, Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur, celebrated the 77th Republic Day with great enthusiasm and patriotic spirit under the theme “150 Years of Vande Mataram.” The event included a flag-hoisting ceremony, followed by the National Anthem, in the presence of members of the college management, faculty members, NCC cadets, NSS volunteers, and students. The celebration reflected the spirit of unity, discipline, and national pride across the campus.

NCC Achievement : Cadet Honoured for Excellence

A felicitation ceremony was held at Group Headquarters, Jalandhar, on 24 February 2026 to honour the achievements of NCC cadets. 32 cadets were felicitated by Group Commander Brigadier Arun Bhardwaj. S.U.O Anshika from the NCC Unit of Sanatan Dharma College was among the cadets honoured and received the felicitation from the Group Commander.



International Yoga Day : Yoga for Healthy Ageing



On June 21, 2026, Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur, organised a yoga session on the occasion of the 12th International Yoga Day under the guidance of 12 Punjab Battalion NCC, Hoshiarpur, on the theme “Yoga for Healthy Ageing.” Students from various colleges and schools participated in the session. Renowned yoga trainers Sh. Madan Mohan and Sh. Ashok Kapoor conducted session on yoga asanas and breathing exercises, highlighting the importance of harmony between mind, body, and spirit. The programme concluded with a vote of thanks by the Officiating Principal Prashant Sethi.

NSS Camp: Promoting a Drug-Free Society

Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur, successfully concluded a seven-day NSS camp on the theme “Viksit Bharat: A Drug-Free Society” from February 23 to March 01, 2026. Around 100 students participated in cleanliness drives, anti-drug rallies, and environmental awareness activities. The camp concluded with a valedictory function, prize distribution ceremony, and a cultural programme.



Green Initiative: Vermicompost Workshop & Plantation Drive



On March 19, 2026, Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur, organised a vermicompost workshop and tree plantation drive under the guidance of the college management and Officiating Principal Prashant Sethi. Conducted by NSS, the initiative aimed to promote environmental awareness and sustainable practices. Students learned to prepare organic compost and planted saplings across the campus, taking a pledge to protect the environment.

Save Water: Poster-Making Activity

On March 22, 2026, Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur, organised a poster-making activity on the theme “Save Water” under the guidance of the college management. Conducted by NSS, the initiative aimed to spread awareness about water conservation. Students expressed messages through creative posters, promoting responsible use of water.



World Malaria Day : Awareness for Prevention

On April 25, 2026, Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur, organised an awareness programme on World Malaria Day to educate students about malaria prevention. Students were encouraged to prevent water stagnation, maintain cleanliness, and take precautions against mosquito breeding. The programme highlighted the importance of collective efforts for a healthier community.



National Anti-Terrorism Day : Promoting Peace and Unity



On May 21, 2026, Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur, observed National Anti-Terrorism Day on campus to promote awareness about the threat of terrorism and the importance of peace and national unity. Asst. Prof. Vipin Kumar addressed the students, urging collective efforts to eliminate terrorism and strengthen peace and national harmony.

World Environment Day : Tree Plantation Drive

On June 5, 2026, Sanatan Dharma College, Hoshiarpur, observed World Environment Day by organising a tree plantation drive. Students and faculty actively participated and encouraged people to plant trees at home and in their surroundings. The NSS Unit, Eco Club, and Red Ribbon Club played an active role in promoting environmental protection.



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