

AAGHAAZ – The Women Development Cell of College of Vocational Studies, University of Delhi



Events 2020-21

Name of the Event	<u>Date</u>	No. of participants
Webinar: Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder and sexual Abuse	27 th -28 th June 2020	90
Webinar: Menstrual Hygiene	05 th September 2020	170
Breast Cancer Awareness Month	1st October 2020	130
Umeed Ki Udaan: International Girl Child's Day	12-13th October 2020	100
Vigilance Awareness Week	27th Oct- 2nd November 2020	150
Aromantic Spectrum Awareness Week	14-21st February 2021	100
Panel Discussion: Rights of LGBTQ	24th February 2021	150
Gender Equality and stereotypes	28 th February 2021	175
Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsav: Women and Independence	12th March 2021	36

WEBINAR: POST TRAUMATIC STRESS, DISORDER AND SEXUAL ABUSE

People with PTSD are more likely to be aggressive. The connection between PTSD and violence is found in both men and women with the disorder. Aaghaaz- the Women Development Cell of CVS always tries to enlighten people with best of knowledge on everything possible. On the occasion of World Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder Awareness Day our team has organised webinar on POST TRAUMATIC STRESS DISORDER AND SEXUAL ABUSE. We had Ms. Priyanka Tripathi and Ms. Praneet Kaur as our Guest Speaker. They discussed about the symptoms arising from abuse, what makes people violent and does it affect the relationships. The webinar was attended by approximately 90 to 100 people through Instagram live.



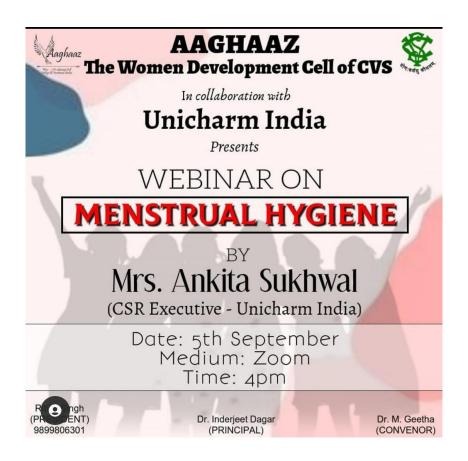


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WEBINAR: MENSTRUAL HYGIENE

Menstruation, a word that people avoid even saying out loud, is an integral part of life. And we need to be aware of menstrual hygiene. To increase awareness regarding the same, Aaghaaz conducted an enlightening and informative webinar on the 5th of September 2020, in collaboration with Unicharm India. We invited Mrs. Ankita Sukhwal, with whom we had an interactive session and learned a lot of essential facts about menstruation and menstrual hygiene. She commenced the webinar by giving us an insight into the basic understanding of menstruation. She proceeded by busting common myths surrounding it and gave us some interesting facts. She further emphasized the importance of menstrual hygiene and maintaining a healthy lifestyle. Lastly, a Q/A session was done, where attendees posed different queries. Nearly 150+ attendees were present throughout the webinar. The session was undoubtedly a success.

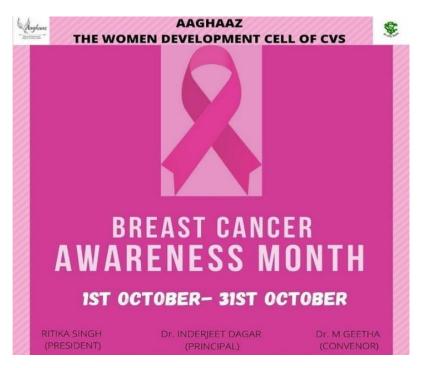


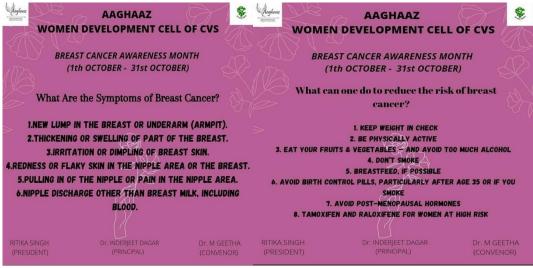
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BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH

Breast cancer awareness month is an annual cause that commences on 1 October and aims to increase awareness about breast cancer.





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UMEED KI UDAAN (INTERNATIONAL GIRL CHILD'S DAY)

International Day of the Girl Child is an International observance day declared by the United Nations. AAGHAAZ conducted an event – EMPOWERING GIRLS for a BRIGHTER TOMORROW – Joined by around 100 people, the event was a grand success with the presence of our wonderful speakers, Meenu Padha and Seema Vikas Gadiya, they just made the whole event so auspicious by sharing their amazing knowledge on some really insightful topics! This surely was one of the most memorable events of AAGHAAZ!

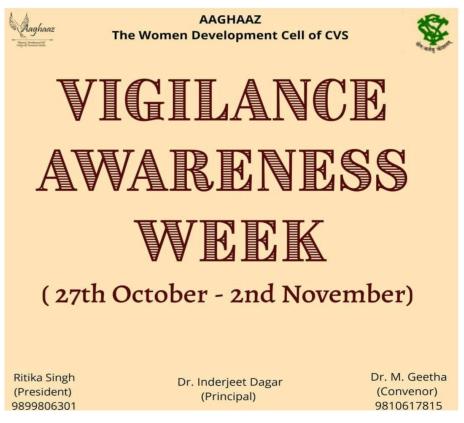


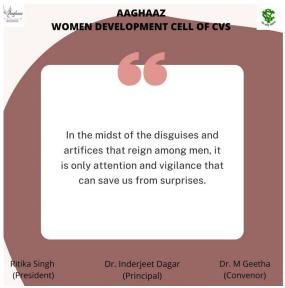
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VIGILANCE AWARENESS WEEK

The Central Vigilance Commission observes the Vigilance Awareness Week from 27th October to 2nd November. This awareness week was specifically chosen to celebrate the birthday of our great leader, Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel. Aaghaaz encourages all the stakeholders to collectively participate in the prevention of, and fight against corruption and to raise public awareness regarding the existence, causes and gravity of the threat posed by corruption. The whole society of around 150 people stands strong to fight against corruption, misconduct, negligence, waste and wrongful acts.





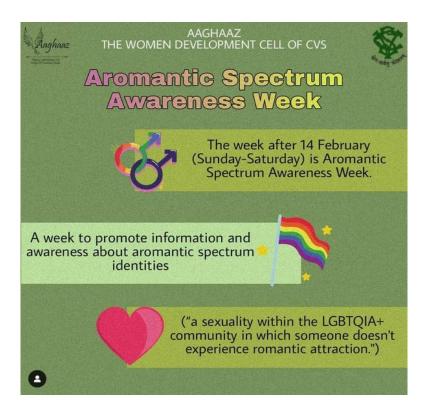


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AROMANTIC SPECTRUM AWARENESS WEEK

The aromantic spectrum awareness week is a week-long celebration to increase awareness about aromantic spectrum identities. Aaghaaz always encourages people to accept who they are and acknowledge themselves. To emphasise the same, we created several awareness posts and group discussions to make people aware of the Aromantics and encouraged everyone to support and acknowledge them. Online meets were held with small groups of people to address them about the Aromantics and how to support them.

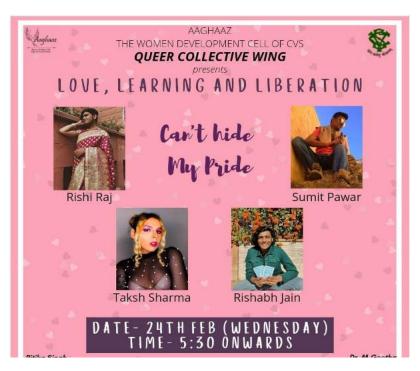


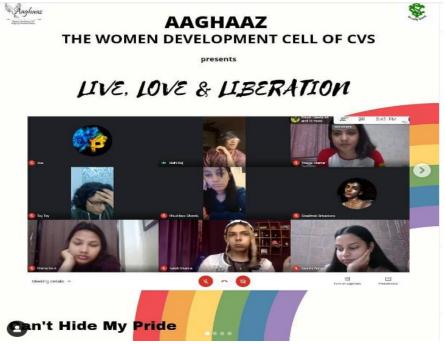
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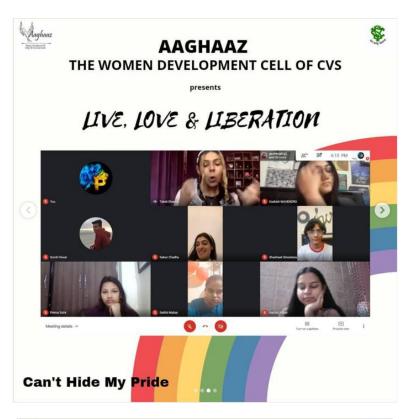
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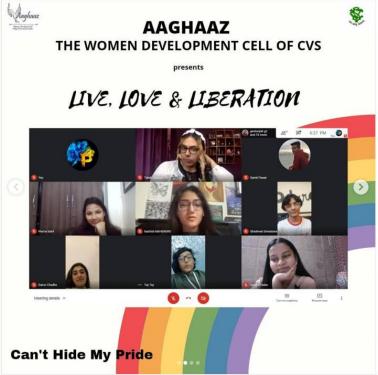
PANEL DISCUSSION: RIGHTS OF LGBTQ

The Queer Collective of Aaghaaz organized an insightful speaker session to enlighten us with their knowledge and share their experiences as a member of the LGBTQIA+ community, or also as an ally. The speakers told us about the Rights of LGBTQ+ community, the History of this particular community, about its survival, and also how its members struggle with mental health problems. Attended by 150+ members, the session was very interactive and also funloving at the same time! A lot of queries were solved; each and every member was so delighted to meet the four incredible speakers. It was so worth it!









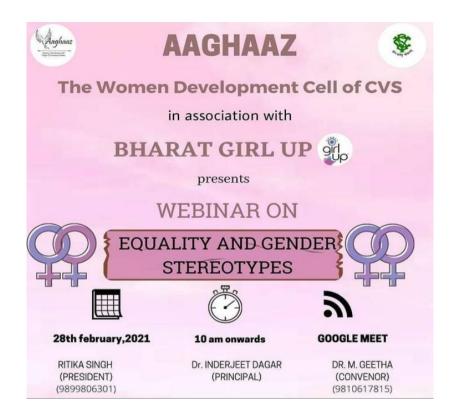
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GENDER EQUALITY AND STEREOTYPES

Gender equality is when people of all genders have equal rights, responsibilities and opportunities. Gender equality prevents violence against women, and is also essential for economic prosperity in numerous ways. Gender equality is a human right! Every boy does not play football and every girl does not like to play with a doll! Why does one have to stick with pink or blue, when we can have the whole rainbow? Keeping these things in mind, and in order to remove the gender stereotypes

Aaghaaz collaborated with 'BHARAT GIRL UP' to talk about 'EQUALITY AND GENDER STEREOTYPES'. With almost 150+ attendees, the webinar was a huge success and was extremely insightful for young minds!



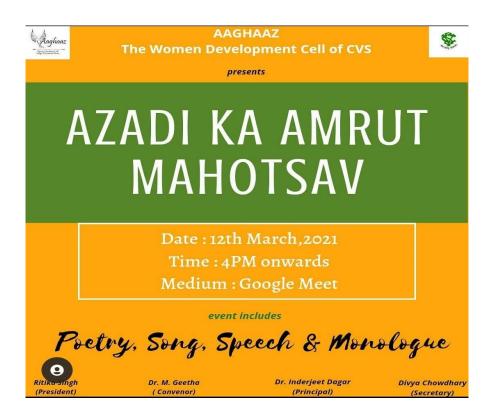
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AZADI KA AMRUT MAHOTSAV: WOMEN AND INDEPENDENCE

The celebration of 75 years of India's Independence "Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsav" was commenced 75 weeks before Independence Day. The honourable Prime minister of India launched the opening ceremony on the 12th of March from Gujarat

On this occasion, Aaghaaz, The women Development Cell of the College of vocational studies successfully organized an inaugural opening online event on the 12th of March at 4 pm whose theme revolved around "Women and Independence". This event included Poetry, Song, speech and monologues.



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