

Rajdhani College Chemistry Alumni Association

The Chemistry Department of Rajdhani College started its alumni, Rajdhani College Chemistry Alumni Association (RCCAA) on 18th January, 1997 by organizing the Silver Jubilee Function (1973-1997) of Honours course in Chemistry. After inviting more than 500 members whose addresses were available, only 105 members attended the function because the addresses of most of the members have changed by that time.

The alumni in its function elected the following office bearer:

President:	Sh. Bharat Bhushan Chhutani
Vice-President:	Dr. Bhupinder Mehta
Secretary:	Sh. Subhash Arora
Joint Secretary:	Dr. Ajay Bhagi
Treasurer:	Dr. Y S Sharma

The function was organized in the auditorium of Rajdhani College and was very well coordinated by Dr. S K Garg. The alumni members were whole heartedly welcomed by the Chief Patron Dr. B S Yadava, Principal, Rajdhani College, Patron Dr. O P Dharmarah, Teacher-in-charge Dr. N K Gautam along with staff members of the Chemistry Department. The programme started with the introduction of the senior most batch of 1972-75. It was very encouraging to know that Sh. Bharat Bhushan Chhutani was working as Senior Executive, Sh. Subhash Arora as Branch Manager in a bank, Dr. S K Garg as Reader, Rajdhani College, Dr. Manoj Varshney as Reader, Hamdard University, Dr. Sunita Malhotra as Reader, IGNOU, Dr. P C Thapliyal as Scientist, CBRI to mention a few. Many students are working as Scientists in different countries like USA (Dr. Kamal Deep Puri, Dr. Ashish Gangan, Dr. Sunder Rajan etc.), Singapore (Dr. V K Parashar) etc.

Then all of us share our reminiscences and the old students share their experiences in the college and also out side the college regarding personnel and professional achievements. And this was very encouraging for the juniors to know that their seniors are doing so well in their life and it was not a bad decision to enroll at Rajdhani College. The second and third year students performed many cultural items to entertain their seniors. All the members were given a memento to have a touch of the department. At the end of the function the seniors were departed with best in future life from the Rajdhani College fraternity. The seniors also extended their full support to the juniors in all their needs and best wishes for their coming life.

The alumni association, express its gratitude towards Dr. O P Dharmarah, the founder member of Department of Chemistry for his dedicated services to the cause of Chemistry education on the occasion of his retirement by organizing a get-together on 9th June 1997 in the staff room of Rajdhani College.

Then, the Department feels that the alumni should start functioning by organizing a get-together of the members who become a part of teaching faculty in different colleges of the University of Delhi at the initial stage and will try to enlarge the alumni in near future by organizing at least annual function.

In view of the above a get together was organized by the Department of Chemistry and the RCCAA on 5th April 2010 at 10:30 a.m. in the Seminar Room of the Rajdhani College. The meeting was chaired by Dr. Anil Prakash and coordinated by Dr. Y S Sharma. The meeting was addressed by Dr. Anil Prakash and Dr. S P Bhutani. There after alumni members expressed their views about their experiences in and outside the college and also suggested the ways to expand the alumni in future. Alumni members also expressed their full cooperation to improve the Chemistry education in the college. At the end Dr. N K Gautam expressed his views and experiences with the faculty and the members when they were students. Vote of thanks was given by Dr. N K Gautam with the blessings for the better future for all the members.

A general body of the alumni was organized by the Department of Chemistry and Rajdhani College Chemistry Alumni Association (RCCAA) on 5th September 2011 at 2:00 p.m. in Rajdhani College Auditorium. The function was very well coordinated by Dr. Ajay Bhagi and Dr. Y S Sharma. The alumni members were whole heartedly welcomed by the Chief Patron Dr. Vijay Laxmi Pandit, Principal, Rajdhani College, Patron Dr. Amita Kumar, Teacher-in-charge

Dr. Manisha Singhal along with staff members of the Chemistry Department. Three teachers and five non teaching staff have been given farewell after their retirement, in this function. It was very encouraging for the present students to know that our seniors are very well placed in various fields of life and also in teaching faculty in different Academic Institutions at Delhi, which is reflected by mentioning the few names as:

Dr. S K Garg, Principal, DDU College, Delhi University, 9810883366

Prof. Sunita Malhotra, Director, IGNOU, 9868127327

Dr. Manoj Varshney, Hamdard Univ.

Dr. Bhupinder Mehta, SSN College, DU, 9868662729

Dr. Ajay Bhagi, Dayal Singh College, DU, 9810241724

Dr. Vandana Awesthi, DDU College, DU, 951242388743, 5010498

Dr. Ratna, DDU College, DU, 24922607

Dr. Y S Sharma, Rajdhani College, DU, 9868213655

Dr. Geeta Narula, Maitreyi College, DU, 25553648, 9891551996

Dr. Madhu Chopra, Dr. Ambedkar Univ. ,DU, 9810488199

Dr. Aruna Dahiya, Dayal Singh College, DU, 9811037551

Sh. Pankaj Khanna, AND College, DU, 9818009250

Ms. Hem Lata Vashist, Dayal Singh College (Ad-hoc), 9999856475

Mrs. Charu Chandra, Dayal Singh College (Ad-hoc) , 9871006305

Dr. Vivek Saxena, Deshbandu College, DU, 09968095528

Dr. Rama Kant, Department of Chemistry, Univ. of Delhi, 09899135869

Dr. Sunil Kumar, Department of Chemistry, Univ. of Delhi, 09818915790

At the end of the function the seniors were departed with all the best in future life from Rajdhani College fraternity. The seniors also extended their full support to the improvement of the Chemistry Department and Rajdhani College and best wishes for the students of the college.

In general body on 5th September 2011, the following office bearers were elected:

President:	Dr. S K Garg
Vice-President:	Dr. Bhupinder Mehta
Secretary:	Dr. Y S Sharma
Joint Secretary:	Dr. Pankaj Khanna
Treasurer:	Dr. Ajay Bhagi

The Rajdhani College Chemistry Alumni Association (RCCAA) request all the students of B. Sc (H) Chemistry who passed out from Rajdhani College to enroll themselves in RCCAA by submitting the Alumni membership form given below. For any further information contact any of the faculty member or Secretary, RCCAA (Dr. Y S Sharma, 9868213655), email- yssharma64@gmail.com or rccaa73@gmail.com

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NAME: _____

FATHER'S NAME: _____

DATE OF BIRTH: _____

YEAR OF PASSING : _____

OCCUPATION: _____

ADDRESS: _____

RESIDENCE: _____

Phone No. _____

Email: _____

Mobile No.: _____

OCCUPATIONAL: _____

Phone No.: _____

Email: _____

PLEASE SEND THIS COMPLETED FORM TO: rccaa73@gmail.com

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