

Report 2015-16

The Department of English commemorated its activities for academic year 2015-16 with screening of the movie 'Nagamandala', on 25th July 2015. An excursion on 12th August 2015 to 'Rivergate' in Karjat, which has been created as a tribute to countryside living, was organized for students of TYBA literature as an innovative experiment to study Nature Poetry. The students were accompanied by Prof. Madhavi Arekar and Prof. Kranti Doibale. On 20th August 2015, 'Pride and Prejudice', a classic movie (2005 version), was screened, followed by a discussion on the feminist and post-colonial aspects of the film. On 1st September 2015, the Counseling Cell of Joshi Bedekar College conducted a lecture on 'Effective Exam Preparation and Stress Management' for the students of TYBA English Literature. On 4th September 2015, 10 literature students were accompanied by Prof. Kranti Doibale to participate in 'LITFLIX' a workshop on Film Studies and Literature, organized by Kelkar College, Mulund. On 17th December 2015, the department organized an intercollegiate short-story writing competition. The activity received a robust response, with more than a dozen students from four colleges in Mumbai registering their participation. In precedence to next year's conference on the topic 'Re-Visiting Shakespeare- 400 Years After' and to mark Shakespeare's 400th death anniversary, students of English Department performed the play 'A Midsummer Night's Dream' on 16th February, 2016. In June 2015.