

Talk on 'Team India for a New India' by Dr. R. Balasubramaniam

Date: 01 January 2024

The founder of SVYM - Swami Vivekananda Youth Movement and leadership trainer, Dr. R. Balasubramaniam, addressed the students of Alva's Institute of Engineering & Technology in a session organized by the Rostrum Speaker's club of the institution. The session was held at the AIET campus auditorium at Moodbidri. Dr. Balasubramaniam, a full time Member (HR) in the Capacity Building Commission of the Government of India, began his session by pointing out that presently, India has one of the youngest populations in the world. More than 50% of the people are less than 20 years old. He explained that this showed that India has the highest number of people in the productive age group. He went on to state that it was high time for the youth of the country to pause, reflect and ask themselves how could each one of them get involved in building a new India - a resurgent India.



Dr. R. Balasubramaniam speaking to the audience at Alva's Institute of Engineering & Technology, Moodbidri.

All throughout the session, Dr. Balasubramaniam stressed that the youth were central to the vision of a new India and called upon the students to take on the mantle of Nation Building. Towards the end of the session, the leadership trainer patiently answered the queries raised by the students in the audience.

The MBA students of AIET attended the program. The session was also graced with the presence of Alva's Education Foundation Managing Trustee Mr. Vivek Alva, Dr. Kurian, Principal of Alva's College, Vidyagiri, and Mr. Prasad Shetty, Coordinator of the Department of Mass Communication and Journalism, Alva's College.



Vivek Alva, Alva's Education Foundation Managing Trustee, presenting a memento to Dr. R. Balasubramaniam

Program Outcomes

- Students realized the importance of the youth population towards the future of a country.
- Students learned the roles youth can play in nation building.
- Students gained a lot of insights and wisdom from the guest's answers to their questions.


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**Talk on 'Past, Present & Future of India's Agriculture' by
Dr. Ashok Dalwai IAS**

Date: 16 February 2024

The Chairman, Empowered Body on Doubling Farmers Income, Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, Government of India, Dr. Ashok Dalwai IAS, addressed the students of Alva's Institute of Engineering & Technology in a session organized by the Rostrum Speaker's club of the institution. The session was held at the AIET campus auditorium at Moodbidri. Dr. Ashok Dalwai, a Secretary to the Government of India in the Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, began his session by stating that agriculture is the foundation, the basis, of civilization and culture. He explained that India has had a glorious past in the field of agriculture. The country has 65 types of soil and all kinds of temperatures, making it capable of cultivating all kinds of crops. All these facts undoubtedly prop India as a future leader in the field of agriculture. But, Dr. Ashok Dalwai revealed that presently, the agriculture sector in the country was under threat due to a multitude of problems: climatic changes, reduction of agricultural land, lack of income for farmers, and so on. Then, he went on to discuss various possible steps that can be taken to address these numerous issues and save India from an agricultural crisis.



Dr. Ashok Dalwai IAS speaking to the audience at Alva's Institute of Engineering & Technology, Moodbidri.

All throughout the session, Dr. Ashok Dalwai stressed the importance of agriculture in elevating India as a superpower. Towards the end of the session, he patiently answered the queries raised by the students in the audience.

The engineering as well as the MBA students of AIET attended the program. The session was also graced with the presence of Alva's Education Foundation Managing Trustee Mr. Vivek Alva.



Vivek Alva, Alva's Education Foundation Managing Trustee, presenting a memento to Dr. Ashok Dalwai IAS

Program Outcomes

- Students realized the importance of agriculture towards the future of the country.
- Students learned about the problems faced by the agriculture sector in India.
- Students gained a lot of insights and wisdom from the guest's answers to their questions.


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A Question & Answer Session on 'Life & Positivity' by Deek Parassini

Date: 29th November 2023

The founder of LIAP - "Life Is All Positive" Foundation, Mr. Deek Parassini, addressed the students of Alva's Institute of Engineering & Technology in a special question and answer session organized by the Rostrum Speaker's club of the institution. The session was held at the AIET campus auditorium at Moodbidri. An enthusiastic advocate of self-motivation and positivity, Mr. Deek Parassini, began his session by declaring that all are born positive and hence, there is positivity within everyone. All throughout the session, Mr. Parassini actively encouraged students to ask doubts about anything: relationship, career, education, dreams, goals, etc. and showed them how to look at life positively.

Mr. Deek Parassini passionately answered all the queries raised by the students about the problems they faced in life. He shared his own life experiences to underline his perspective on life and positivity. He stated that his mission in life was to help people realize the positivity that is within them as well as around them.



Mr. Deek Parassini speaking to the audience at Alva's Institute of Engineering & Technology, Moodbidri.

The first-year students of AIET attended the program. The session was also graced with the presence of Dr. Peter Fernandes, Principal of Alva's Institute of Engineering & Technology.

Program Outcomes

- Students learned how to look at life positively.
- Students realized the advantages of always maintaining a positive outlook.
- Students gained a lot of insights and wisdom from the guest's answers to their questions.



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