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Chairman's message

It gives me immense pleasure to extend my warm greetings to all as we present this edition of our college newsletter. This platform reflects the vibrant academic and extracurricular life of our institution, highlighting the achievements, innovations, and milestones reached by our dedicated faculty and talented students. Let us continue to strive for excellence, foster a spirit of collaboration, and uphold the values that define our institution.

Best regards,
Dr SNVL Narasimha Raju Garu
Chairman, The Oxford Group of Institutions



Principal's message

As we present this edition of our college newsletter, I take this opportunity to highlight the continued encouragement given to our students and faculty to actively participate in a range of academic, co-curricular, and extracurricular activities. These initiatives, including various workshops and programs, are designed to support holistic development, with a strong emphasis on soft skills and overall personality enhancement. This newsletter captures the vibrant spirit of these efforts and showcases the achievements and engagements of our college community. May we continue to strive for excellence, work together in unity, and stay true to the values that shape our institution.

Best regards,
Dr. Priya Subramaniam
Principal, The Oxford Dental College



PROGRAMS

GENESYS TTL LOUPES WORKSHOP

A hands-on workshop on Genesys TTL Loupes, led by Mr. Ruchir Vyas from iMAG, on 07.02.2025. The session focused on loupe selection, ergonomics, and clinical application.



BASIC LIFE SUPPORT

CDE programme on Basic Life Support on 10.03.2025 & 11.03.2025. Dr. Vikram Sarang, Emergency Medicine Specialist from Manipal Hospital, conducted hands-on sessions on Adult, Child, and Infant CPR, and demonstrated the use of an AED.

NEW SPARK IN CLEAR ALIGNERS



A CDE Program on The New Spark in Aligner Technology on 17.06.2025 by Mr. Gopal Krishna as the resource person.

SOFT SKILLS DEVELOPMENT

A faculty workshop by Ms. Vidyalakshmi R., a noted counsellor and life coach, the session focused on enhancing communication, empathy, and interpersonal skills among faculty on 08.05.2025. The workshop emphasized the importance of soft skills in fostering effective teaching and a supportive learning environment.



PROGRAMS

HANDS ON LASER WORKSHOP

A skill training and CDE program was conducted on 23.04.2025 with Kovident and Gigaalase laser system.



ANALGESICS AND ANTIBIOTICS FOR CLINICAL GENERAL PRACTITIONER

A CDE program on 21.02.2025 to mark World Cancer Day. The session focused on updates regarding analgesics and antibiotics in clinical practice and included an interactive discussion with the guest speaker Dr. Vinesh Raj S



EXTENSION ACTIVITIES



Screening camp, oral health talk to pourakarmikas with distribution of tooth pastes at the BBMP, Bommanahalli on 11.04.2025



Dental Screening camp, at RMR
BTM park 02.05.2025



Preventive and oral health awareness
program at Subodha Learning
Community, Bengaluru. Fidgety toys
that help sensory stimulation and
relieve anxiety were distributed to
Children with Autism Spectrum
Disorders on 03.04.2025



HEPATITIS B VACCINATION

Department of Public Health Dentistry,
The Oxford Dental College in collaboration
with NSS unit organized Hepatitis B
Vaccination Drive on 21.03.2025 for the
MDS students.

Free Denture Camp, Chamarajanagara Institute of Medical Sciences

A denture camp held on 13.02.2025 and
14.02.2025 provided complete denture
treatment to 20 patients. Services covered
were screening, impressions, jaw relation,
try-in, denture delivery, and post-insertion
care.



WALKATHON

As part of World Oral Health Month, the Department of Public Health Dentistry, in collaboration with the NSS unit, organized a Walkathon on 15.04.2025 to raise awareness about the importance of oral health.



FIELD VISIT BAMUL MILK DAIRY, BENGALURU

The Department of Public Health Dentistry, in collaboration with the NSS unit, organized a field visit for final year BDS students on 12th February 2025 to BAMUL Milk Dairy, Bengaluru. The visit was led by Dr. Mahesh P.C. and Dr. Vinod Kumar, with 60 students.

PROSTHODONTIST'S DAY – 22.01.2025



ORAL SURGEONS DAY – 13.02.2025



DAYS OF SIGNIFICANCE

ORAL PATHOLOGISTS DAY – 25.02.2025





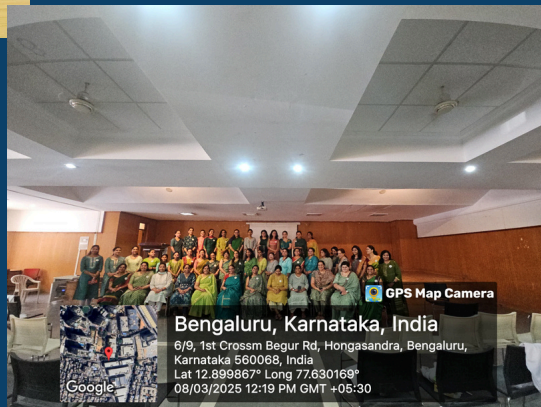
WORLD CANCER DAY 04.02.2025



NATIONAL PERIODONTIST DAY – 24.02.2025



INTERNATIONAL WOMENS DAY – 08.03.2025



WORLD YOGA DAY – 21.06.2025



WORLD NO TOBACCO DAY – 31.05.2025

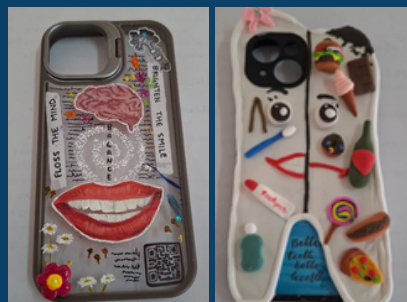
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WORLD ORAL HEALTH MONTH

A HAPPY MOUTH IS A Happy Mind



On the occasion of World Oral Health Month, a series of events were organised including a tote bag and mobile cover design competition, oral health awareness camps with BBMP sample distribution (toothbrushes and toothpaste), quizzes, guest lectures, a walkathon, and a special talk by Dr. Ramesh N on oral health aired on Doordarshan Chandana TV.



FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS



Dr Ramesh N attended NSS Officers Training Program from 09.01.2025 to 13.01.2025 by State NSS Cell, Department of Youth Empowerment and Sports, Government of Karnataka.



Dr Meenakshi T attended workshop from 17.04.2025 to 19.04.2025 Cochrane systematic review/meta-analysis workshop Cochrane India (King George's Medical University)



Dr Savitha P N- Masterclass in Integrated Dental Sleep Medicine 29.04.2025



Leveraging existing AI and Data science infrastructure to complement practice and Improve patient outcome by Dr Akash Prabhune & Dr Isha Maharany on 22.05.2025

★ Dr Bharati A Patil & Dr Veena Suresh Pai attended Short Course in Educational Methodology (SCEM), RAATI, RGUHS 17.03.2025 to 19.03.2025 & 07.05.2025 TO 08.05.2025

★ Institutional Development plan (IDP) for Higher Education Institutions- 06.03.2025

NATIONAL ISP UG CONVENTION "PERIO – CONNECT"



Department of Periodontology, The Oxford Dental college hosted a successful Perio Undergraduates Convention. It was an honour to have our respected chairman Dr SNVL Narasimha Raju Garu as the Chief guest. Our respected Principal Dr Priya Subramaniam welcomed the gathering. President ISP Dr H S Grover, Secretary ISP Dr Ashish Jain were the Invited Guests who also were our Guest speakers. Past Presidents of ISP Dr Nitin Dani and Dr Anil Melath and Renowned Clinician Dr Krishnaraj Graced the occasion as our Guest speakers. Dr Baljeet Singh, The Editor of JISP, Dr Vishaka Grover, Treasurer, Dr Ashish Kumar, ex editor of jisp also graced the occasion. An incredible day of learning, innovation and inspiration With over 375 Student delegates From 25 colleges , 300 of them participating in various presentations.



ACHIEVEMENTS

Dr Supreet Grover- Fellowship in Cleft Lip and Palate Surgery under RGUHS- 06.05.2025



Nanditha & Tanya, Interns best paper at 75th Indian Dental Conference 2025 and MIDAS 2025



Faculty- Dr Ramesh N & Dr Harish won 2nd place mixed doubles table tennis in Sports tournament, GDC Bangalore on 08.04.2025 to 09.04.2025

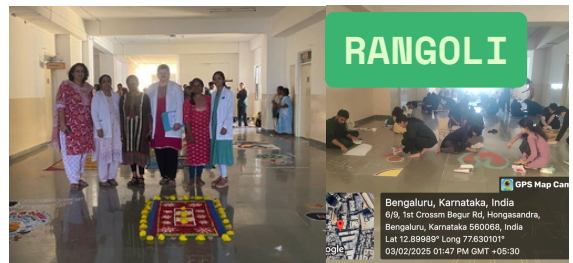


Akash George & Bhavana P (Intern)- 2nd place mixed doubles table tennis Sports tournament, GDC Bangalore on 08.04.2025 to 09.04.2025

Faculty- Dr Ravikumar N won 1st place Carrom Singles in Sports tournament, GDC Bangalore on 08.04.2025 to 09.04.2025



ASTERICA 2025



DEAR ALUMNI, WE'D LOVE TO HEAR FROM YOU!
we invite you to send in your fond memories and latest updates

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