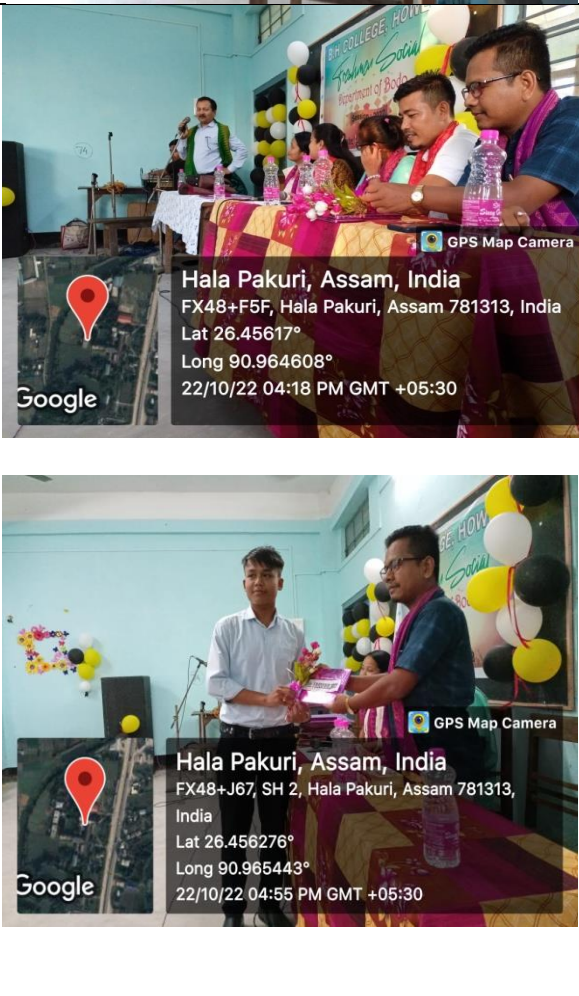


DEPARTMENTAL ACTIVITIES

Date	Title	Description	View File
22-10-22	Inauguration of ALAYARON Wall Magazine (Departmental Wall Magazine)	The Bodo Department publishes a wall magazine under the name of 'ALAYARON' covering a variety of literary works such as articles, poems, short tales, drawings and arts and paintings of students. This practice has been being continuously exercised by the Department since the wall magazine was for the very first time unveiled in 2018 by Dr. Bhushan Chandra Pathak, Principal of B.H. College, Howly. In the last year Dr. Dipmani Das, Associate Professor of English Department of B.H. College, Howly was invited to inaugurate the 5th edition (latest edition) of the wall magazine of the Department. Dr. Das in his inaugural speech appreciated beautifully designed arts and creativities of students featured in the wall magazine. He also laid stress on the development of inner qualities, artistic mind as well as creative ideas of students while delivering his speech.	 GPS Map Camera Hala Pakuri, Assam, India FX48+638, Hala Pakuri, Assam 781313, India Lat 26.455412° Long 90.965075° 22/10/22 01:25 PM GMT +05:30

22-10-22	Poem Recitation	A competition for poem recitation was held on 22-10-2023 at Room NO: NL-1 for the students of Honours course by the Bodo Department with a view to make them acquainted with the poetic art of modern Bodo Poetry. The poem titled 'No' (House) by Badal Basumatary was chosen for recitation in the competition. At the end of the competition	
22-10-22	Freshmen Social Day programme organized by the Department	A 'Freshmen Social Day Programme' was organized by the Department on 22-19-22 at room no-6 of the college. On that day various literary activities like poem recitation, extempore speech, and interactive session including different ice-breaking games are organized by the Department. The ultimate goal of organizing this event is to create friendly and supportive community where freshmen can feel comfortable and develop a sense of belonging. The Department believes that a strong social network enhances academic performance, mental well-being and overall student satisfaction. The passed out students who obtained 1st class in the last final examination were also invited to the programme and felicitated by the Department.	

	Cultural Procession at Maharajat Platinum Celebration	The students of the Bodo Department participated in the cultural procession in Maharajat Platinum Celebration on -- -- -- at Howly. To promote the idea of co-existence and mutual respect among the groups of people students from the Department participated the procession with enthusiasm and showcased their indigenous culture and tradition as well.	
19-02-23	Participation in Cultural Procession of the College Week	In every year students from Bodo Department take part in the cultural procession of the college week organized by the B.H. college students union. In the College Week, 2023 students of the department showcased the Bodo culture and managed to win 1st prize in the event.	

28-02-23	A Lecture on Contribution of Women Writers in Bodo Literature	The Department of Bodo organized a lecture on the topic '<i>Contribution of Women Writers in the Bodo Literature</i>' on 28-02-23 at the department. The Lecture was delivered by Dr. Dipali Kherkatary, head of the Department. A good number of students (from different semesters) attended the programme. Dr. Dipali Kherkatary while delivered her lecture she discussed pioneer works and significant contributions of women writer to the Bodo literature. She also discussed how their narratives have helped represent the experiences, struggles and aspiration of women in Bodo society encouraging young generation to promote female voices in Bodo literature.	 Hala Pakuri, Assam, India FX48+638, Hala Pakuri, Assam 781313, India Lat 26.455672° Long 90.965159° 28/02/23 01:03 PM GMT +05:30
13-03-23 to 3-15-23	Workshop on Bodo Folk Music	The Workshop on 'Bodo Folk Music' organized by BSLA (Bodo Students Literary Association) in collaboration with the Department of Bodo was formally started from 13th March, 2023 and lasted for 3 months up to 15th June, 2023. Dr. Prasanta Rabha, Assistant Professor, Department of Assamese was invited to inaugurate the Workshop which was taken place in front of the Auditorium of B.H. College, Howly. On that day Sailendra Kakati, HOD of the Economics Department of B.H. college also attended the inaugural session of the Workshop as invited guest. Both of them in their inaugural	 Hala Pakuri, Assam, India FX48+638, Hala Pakuri, Assam 781313, India Lat 26.455672° Long 90.965159° 13/03/23 03:51 PM GMT +05:30

		speech emphasized to keep passing on traditional knowledge with all cultural values generation to generation for the sake of their own identity while addressing the student community. In the long period of three months of the Workshop participants are taught the arts and skills of playing various musical instruments of Bodos like-siphung (flute), Kham (Bodo Drum), Serja (Violin like traditional musical instrument), jotha (cymbal), thorkha, etc. The students, who have participated in the Workshop, today, they can play the traditional musical instruments as well, as a result of the same. The knowledge and skills provided through the Workshop will make positive impact on students' future lives.	
31-03-23	A Special Lecture on Bodo Literature	A special lecture was arranged on Bodo literature by the Bodo Department of B.H. College, Howly to make acquainted students with old and modern Bodo literature. Mrs Dhansiri Swargiary, Sahitya Akademy awardee attended the programme as resource person. Bodo literature has not flourished unlike Assamese, Bangla and other literatures of the country. With the initiative of some Christian Missionaries Bodo literature got written for the very first time in the second half of 18th century. In fact, written Bodo literature by	

native speakers started only in 1915 in early 19th century. From then up to now with the efforts of different leading organizations including Bodo Sahitya Sabha of the community, the different literary genres from poetry to drama, prose to novel, and biography to travelogue of Bodo literatures have emerged and flourished as well. Sahitya Akademy of India has been offering Sahitya Akademy Award since 2005 to the Bodo litterateurs for their best literary creations in the field of Bodo literature. Dhansiri Swargiary, resource person of the meeting in her speech discussed history of the Bodo literature. She also let students know about the recent literary development discussing about ongoing projects on Bodo language and literature, newly published books and translated books from other languages into Bodo language and vice-versa. Besides, she urged the student community to develop creative ideas by keeping involved themselves with different literary activities in and outside the institution.



15-12-23	Swachh Bharat Abhyan	Swachh Bharat Abhyan is a nation-wide clean India campaign launched by the Government of India on October 2, 2014. To be part of this journey of the government the Bodo department decided to organize a Swachh Bharat Abhyan at adopted villages of B.H. College, Howly. Accordingly the event was organized successfully on 15-12-23 by the department at Madhura Mohan Brahma Lower Primary School located at Simlajhar village, one of the adopted villages of the college. After the awareness session all the participants including teachers and students actively engaged in cleaning the school premises. They divided into groups and started cleaning the school verandah, corridor and playground and the school surroundings. The Swachh Bharat Abhyan organised by the Department was great success. It not only created awareness about cleanliness and hygiene but also motivated the students and the villagers to actively participate in maintaining a clean and healthy environment. Such initiatives play a crucial role in promoting a sense of responsibility towards cleanliness and contribute the overall success of the Swachh Bharat Abhyan campaign.	 Simlajhar, p.O.-Moutupuri, Dist.-Baksa, Pin-781316, Assam, India Madhura Mahan Brahma Memorial L.P. School Lat 26.461928° Long 90.964679° 08/12/23 02:02 PM GMT +05:30  Simlajhar, p.O.-Moutupuri, Dist.-Baksa, Pin-781316, Assam, India Madhura Mahan Brahma Memorial L.P. School Lat 26.461928° Long 90.964679° 08/12/23 02:08 PM GMT +05:30  Simlajhar, p.O.-Moutupuri, Dist.-Baksa, Pin-781316, Assam, India Madhura Mahan Brahma Memorial L.P. School Lat 26.461928° Long 90.964679° 08/12/23 02:23 PM GMT +05:30  Simlajhar, p.O.-Moutupuri, Dist.-Baksa, Pin-781316, Assam, India Madhura Mahan Brahma Memorial L.P. School Lat 26.461928° Long 90.964679° 08/12/23 02:08 PM GMT +05:30
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