VALLABH ROVERS AND RANGERS **GROUP MANDI**

Annual Report Session 2024-25





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1. Scout Scarf Day and Sunrise Day

Date	1 August 2024
Name of unit/Department organizing the Activity	Rover and Ranger unit VGC Mandi
No. of student participant	55
No. of Teachers	4
Name of collaborating Agency (If any)	None

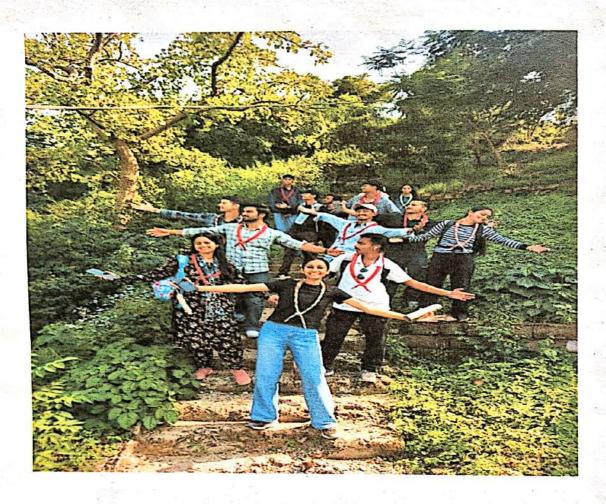
On 01-08-2023, Scout Scarf Day and Scout Sunrise Day was organized by local unit of Rovers and Rangers at Vallabh Government College Mandi. In this program Group Leader Principal Dr. Ravinder Kumar (Officiating) was the chief guest. During the program, a skit was presented by the Rovers and Rangers, providing information on primary treatment to an injured person and how to use the scarf in a situation of disaster. There was also a display of exhibition of scarf by the Rovers and Rangers. Following this, a detailed explanation of scouting was provided, and other students were also made aware of it.

After that, a report of all the programs conducted in the session 2023-2024 was presented through PPT. Vice principal highlighted the scarf's potential benefits, encouraging Rovers and Rangers to stay connected with scouting. Rover Scout Leader Dr. Shivendra Sangar and Ranger Leader Dr. Bandna Chauhan, along with 55 Rover-Rangers and other students attended the programme.

2. Rajya Puraskar Testing Camp

Two rangers Harshita and Isha and one rover Aadarsh participated in Rajya Puraskar testing Camp 2024 held at State Training Centre, Rewalsar in the month of September. These rovers and rangers were selected for Rajya Puruskar.

Year	2024
No. of students selected	3
State Training centre	BSG STC Rewalsar
Name of unit/ Department	VGC, Mandi



A total of 12 Rovers and 7 Rangers enthusiastically participated in the trek from Mandi to Kangni Mata Temple. All participants assembled at 10:00 AM and were divided into three teams. The first team led the way, guiding the second team. The second team followed, guiding the third team. Along the route, participants marked various trail signs, which helped the following teams navigate toward the destination. Throughout the trek, the teams were engaged in various activities, enhancing their teamwork and navigation skills. Finally, after reaching the destination and completing the planned activities, all teams returned to the college, successfully concluding the one-day trekking event.

4. Nipun Testing Camp for Rangers at STC Rewalsar

From Vallabh Government College Mandi, six Rangers participated for Nipun Testing Camp 2024 at State Training Centre, Rewalsar from 23 to 27 October, 2024. All Rangers worked hard for their testing camp, diligently preparing for Nipun testing camp.



3. One Day Trekking Camp

Date	18 October, 2024
NO. of students Participants	20
Name of Unit/ Department	VGC , Mandi
Trekking held at	Kangni Mata Temple (Mandi)
Name of Collaborating Agency(if any)	None

The Vallabh Government College, Mandi, Rovers and Rangers Group successfully organized a oneday trekking event on 18 October, 2024 under the guidance and approval of Group Leader Dr. Surina Sharma, Rover Leader Dr. Shivendra Sangar, and Ranger Leader Dr. Bandana Chauhan. The trekking was conducted as per APRO-2 and APRO-3 guidelines.



Date	23 to 27 october2024
Name of unit/Department	Rover and Ranger unit, VGC Mandi
No. Student Selected	6
Held at	BSG STC Rewalsar

5. Rovers Nipun and Rajya Puraskar Testing Camp

From Vallabh Government College Mandi, six Rovers participated for Nipun Testing Camp 2024 at State Training Centre, Rewalsar from 25-30 September, 2024. All Rovers worked hard in their testing camp.

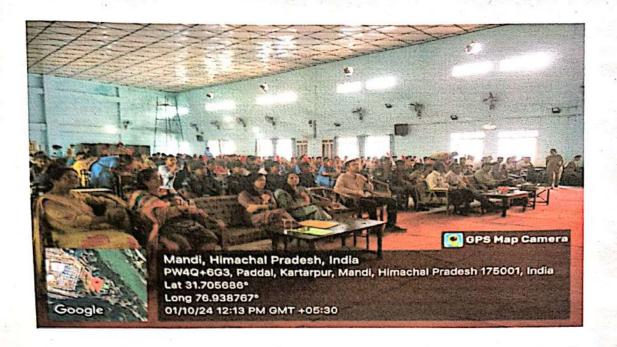
Date	25 to 30 September
Name of unit/Department	Rover and Ranger Unit VGC Mandi
No. of Student selected	6
Camp held at	BSG STC Rewalsar

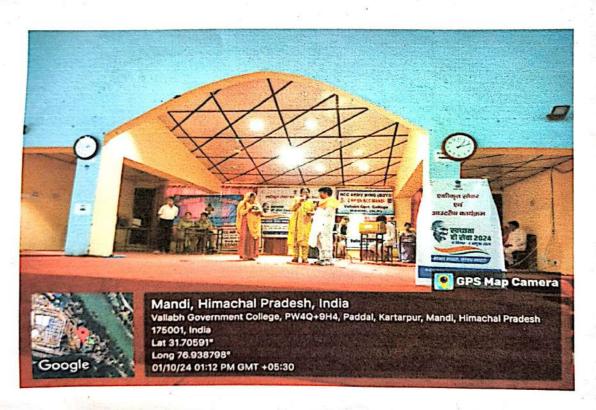


6. Gandhi Jayanti

The Scout and Guide unit's community service extends to celebrate Gandhi Jayanti as well. They participated in events honouring Mahatma Gandhi's legacy, promoting values like peace, non-violence, and social responsibility. This programme was held in collaboration with Information and Broadcasting Ministry under the subject 'Swachhta hi Seva'.

Date	1 October, 2024
Name of unit/ Department	Rover and Ranger unit VGC Mandi
No. of students participants	40
No. of Teachers	5





7. Participated in Scout & Guide week 2024

Celebration of the 75th Anniversary of Bharat Scouts and Guides & Scout Guide Week 2024

The 75th anniversary celebrations of the Bharat Scouts and Guides commenced on 7th November 2024, marking the beginning of Scout Guide Week 2024 with great enthusiasm.

On the second day of the celebration, the theme 'Membership Drive Day' was observed. Ranger Nilaxi (BSG UID - BSG515768422) successfully completed the Day 2 activity by introducing 10 new friends and family members to the inspiring world of scouting and guiding, contributing to the growth of the movement.

The third day of Scout Guide Week was dedicated to 'Health and Wellness Day', celebrated with various engaging activities. Vallabh Rovers and Rangers Group, Mandi, organized multiple physical and digital initiatives to promote health awareness, including:

Exercises to encourage physical fitness.

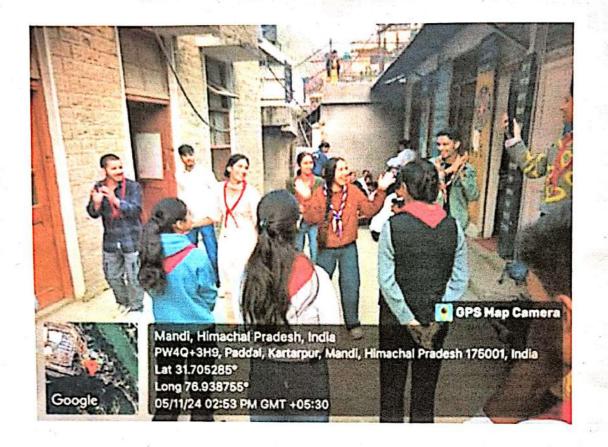
A social media campaign to spread awareness about health and wellness.

A guest lecture on mental health awareness was given by Ranger Leader Dr. Bandana Chauhan.

The activities were successfully completed under the guidance of Group Leader Dr. Surina Sharma, Rover Leader Dr. Shivendra Sagar, and Ranger Leader Dr. Bandana Chauhan.

These events reinforced the importance of expanding the scouting community and promoting physical and mental well-being, making the 75th-anniversary celebration truly impactful.



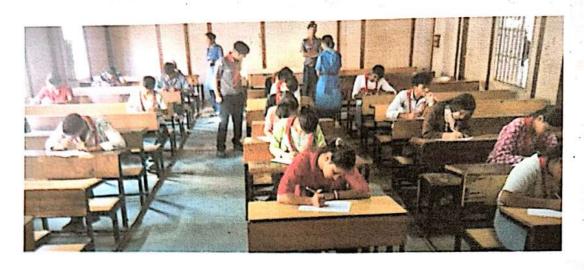


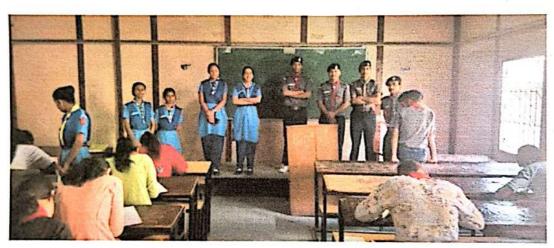
8. Pravesh Testing Camp

Pravesh Testing Camp was organised on 30th Oct. 2024, under the guidance of Group Leader Dr. Surina Sharma, Rover Scout Leader Dr. Shivendra sangar and Ranger Leader Dr. Bandna Chauhan. 34 Rovers and Rangers aspirants were present. First Rovers and Rangers aspirants were divided into patrols and detailed explanation of patrol system was given to them. Then, entrance test was conducted for the aspirants. Aspirants were preparing for this for about 3 months, then STA was taken by the seniors

in which Scouting Prayer, law, Flag song, pledge and National anthem were listened from the aspirants.

Date	30 October, 2024
Name of unit/ Department	Rover and Ranger unit VGC Mandi
No. of participants	34





9. Investiture Ceremony

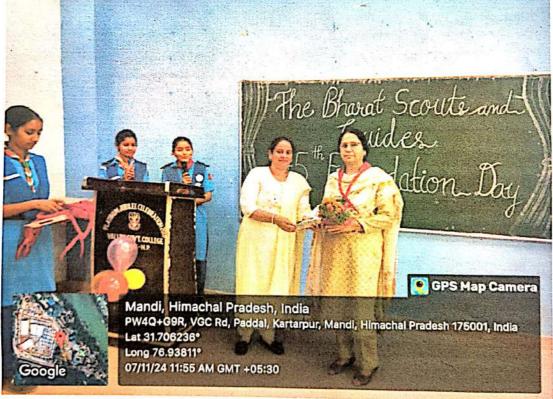
The Investiture of Rovers and Rangers at Vallabh Government College Mandi was done on 7th November 2024. This event took place under the guidance of Group Leader Dr. Surina Sharma, Rover

Date	7 November, 2024
Name of unit/ Department	Rover and Ranger unit VGC Mandi
No. of participants students	40
No. of Teachers	5

Leader Dr. Shivendra Sangar and Ranger Leader Dr. Bandna Chauhan. Ceremony began with a flag ceremony, followed by the honouring of aspirants as official member of the organization by group

leader. Aspirants were presented with the Pravesh Badge and Scout scarf, symbolizing their membership.





10. 75th Foundation Day of Bharat Scouts and Guides

It is noteworthy that on November 7, 2024, under the guidance of Group Leader (Principal) Dr. Surina Sharma and Ranger Leader Dr. Bandana Chauhan, the Rovers and Rangers unit of VGC Mandi, joyfully celebrated the 75th Foundation Day of Bharat Scouts and Guides along with the initiation ceremony.

The event commenced with a flag ceremony, followed by the initiation ceremony for the new session's Rovers and Rangers. During this ceremony, 23 new Rovers and Rangers took an oath to fulfil their duty to God and their country to the best of their ability, help others, and abide by the Scout rules.

Date	7 November, 2024
Name of unit/ Department	Rover and Ranger unit VGC Mandi
No. of participants	60

Addressing the Rovers and Rangers, Group leader expressed her confidence that they would always remain faithful to their oath and adhere to the Scout rules.

Following this, the Rovers and Rangers organized a program featuring various performances, including the MOP (Messenger of Peace) dance, Nati (a traditional Himachali dance), and demonstrations on the use of scarves.

In conclusion, the chief guest, Dr. Surina Sharma, congratulated the Rovers and Rangers on their 75th anniversary, boosting their morale and encouraging them to continue progressing with dedication and enthusiasm.



11. State Level Pre RDC Selection Camp 2024

From Vallabh Government College Mandi, twelve Rovers and Rangers participated in the state-level Pre-RDC selection camp held at Rewalsar from November 23 to November 28, 2024. Four Rangers were selected for the RDC camp in 2024.

Date	23 to 28 November, 2024
Name of unit/ Department	Rover and Ranger unit VGC Mandi
No. of participants selected	12
Held at	BSG STC Rewalsar



12. State R.D.C. Shimla

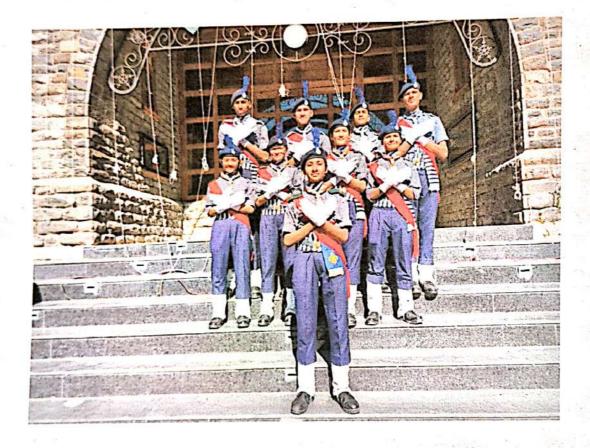
Like every year, this year too, the Bharat Scouts and Guides Pre-RDC camp for Rovers and Rangers was organized in November 2024 at the State Training Institute, Rewalsar (Mandi).

Twelve Rovers and Rangers from Vallabh College, Mandi, participated in this camp, out of which nine Rovers and Rangers were selected for the Republic Day preparation camp held between January 20 to 26, 2025, at Government Degree College, Kotshera, District Shimla.

Among the finally selected Rovers were Sahil, Chitesh, Ankush, and Khuvendra, while the selected Rangers were Geetanjali, Harshita, Aakriti, Latasha, and Vidushi. They participated in the Republic Day State Parade in Shimla on January 26, 2025.

The Rover Leader of Vallabh Rovers and Rangers Group, Mandi, Dr. Shivendra Sangar, the Rangers Leader, Dr. Bandana Chauhan, and the Group Leader (Principal), Dr. Surina Sharma, congratulated the Rovers and Rangers on this achievement. They extended their best wishes, encouraging them to move forward with strong determination, new enthusiasm, positivity, and awareness, wishing them a bright future.

Date	20 to 26 January 2025
Name of unit/ Department	Rover and Ranger unit VGC Mandi
No. of participants selected	12
Held at	Government Degree College, Kotshera, Shimla



13. Road safety Campaign

The Scout and Guide unit actively participated in road safety campaigns, promoting awareness about traffic rules and safe driving practices. Their efforts included:

- Organizing awareness drives and rallies
- Creating posters and banners to highlight road safety rules
- Conducting workshops and skits to educate peers about safe driving practices

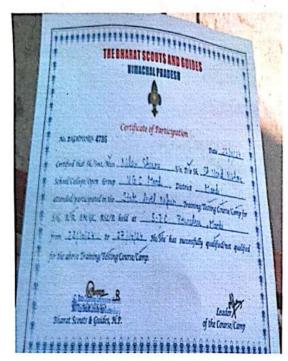
Their creative and informative efforts earned them prizes, recognizing their contributions to promoting road safety awareness.

Date	12 March, 2025
Name of unit/ Department	Rover and Ranger unit VGC Mandi
No. of participants	6
No. of Teacher participant	2
Name of Collaborating Agency	Road Safety Club, VGC Mandi



Achievements:

1. Nipun Testing Certificates







2. Rajya Puruskar:

The Bharat Scouts and Guides, Himachal Pradesh

State Level Rajya Puraskar Testing Camp for Rovers
From 05 To 09 September, 2024 Held at State Training Centre Rewalsar, Distt. Mandi (H.P.)

Recommended Rovers for Rajya Puraskar

Roll No./ Chest No	Name	Father's Name	Name of the School/ Group	District
105	Adarsh Thakur	Amar Singh	Vallabh Government College, Mandi	Mandi

The Bharat Scouts and Guides, Himachal Pradesh

State Level Rajya Puraskar Testing Camp for Rangers
From 05 To 09 September, 2024 Held at State Training Centre Rewalsar, Distt. Mandi (H.P.)

Recommended Rangers for Rajya Puraskar

-	014	Harshita	Hem Raj Singh	Vallabh Government College, Mandi	Mandi
1	015	Isha Chauhan	Sohan Singh	Vallabh Government College, Mandi	Mandi

Ranger Incharge

Rover Incharge

Principal Vallabh Govt. College Distt: Mandi (H.P.)