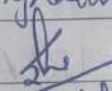
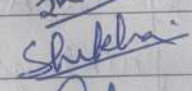
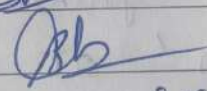
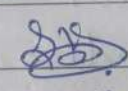
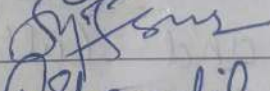
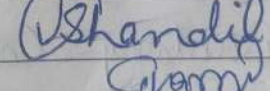
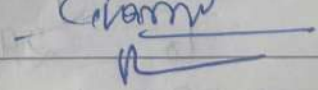
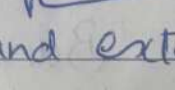


A meeting of Academic and co-curricular activities was held in Room no. 208 on dated 8th August 2024 at 2.30 pm. Convenor, Mrs. Seema Sharma welcomed the members and discussed about the achievements in academics, co-curricular activities and extension activities.

To enhance the performances of the students in academics, sports and other activities some proposals came from the committee members.

Following members were present in the meeting

S.No	Names	Signatures
1.	Ms Seema Sharma	
2.	Ms Shikha Kapur	
3.	Dr. Bandha Chauhan	
4.	Dr. Sandesh Kumar	
5.	Vijesh Kachyap	
6.	Dr. Mujeeb Hussain	
7.	Ms Anju Bala	
8.	Mr. Jyotsna	
9.	Vandana Shandel	
10.	Geetanjali Hazari	
11.	Dr. Monika Gupta	

Review of sports, extracurricular and extension activities (session 2023-2024):

§ Achievements in extra curricular activities:

— Group I — Pallavi Sharma (B.A II painting

Student I won third position in Himachal Pradesh University Inter-college Youth festival (Creativity 2023) and Yamana (BA III Psychology student) bagged third position in photography in Himachal Pradesh University Inter-college Youth festival (Creativity 2023) held at Govt. College Nagargash.

Group II - Parikshit (BA III Music student) bagged first position in Western Solo singing competition in HPU intercollege Youth festival held at Govt. College Rampur.

Group IV - Students of Vallabh government college grabbed third position in skit in HPU Youth festival (Drama) at Govt. College Seema (Rohru).

Students of B.A. Painting organised an exhibition of their paintings and sketches titled 'Canvas Stories' at Sanskriti Sadan (Kangriidhar, Manda) on 12.08.2023 and 13.08.2023.

Students of BA painting participated in an art workshop organised by deptt. of Language and Culture (Chama Maidan, Shimla) at Banteng Castle, The Mall, Shimla from 27.04.2024 to 29.04.2024.

Banita Thakur from deptt. of Music came first in Open Youth festival (Music) of District Manda in Dec 2023.

§ Sports

In the session 2023-24, students of

VGC Manda were victorious in bringing overall sixteen positions in various HPU inter college sports activities. It is an appreciable achievement for the college. Based on the performances of the Sportsmen and sportswomen of the college in various HPU inter-college championships held in 2023, many players were selected to play at north zone and national level. The data is available in the deptt. of Physical Education of College NCC (Air wing).

A few cadets of the college received President's commission and became flying officers in Indian Air Force. They qualified the Air Force Common Admission Test (AFCAT) and got recommended from Service Selection Board (Gandhinagar) and Service selection Board (Allahabad). 14 NCC air wing cadets also qualified NCC 'CEE' certificate examination. NCC cadets of air wing participated in various national level camps and participated in many extra-curricular activities of the college.

§ NCC (Army wing) Girls & Boys: A total of 34 cadets successfully obtained the 'BEE' certificate and 30 cadets cleared the 'CEE' certificate examination. A total of 25 girls cadets of third year successfully obtained the 'BEE' certificate in 2023.

§ National Service Scheme (NSS): Numbers of activities were carried out by the NSS Volunteers through-out the year. Such as: Environment Day, Van Mahotsav week, Swacchta Saly, Gandhi-

Jayanti, Meri Matri Meri Desh, Human Rights Day etc. A cleanliness drive was carried out by NSS unit from 27.11.2023 - 04.12.2023 to clean the Suketi River of Mandi.

Red Ribbon Club: This club helped in hosting the "Red Run Marathon" and the Red Show - Abhuyakiti on 20.09.2023 to spread awareness about AIDS in the district through a marathon and 10 minutes skit competitions.

Rovers and Rangers: Rovers and Rangers of the VGC unit participated in various specialized courses and Trainings throughout the year in Himachal Pradesh and other states of the country. Members of this unit come ahead and did their bit to assist the children of a nearby slum area. They taught reading and writing to the kids over there for 10 days. Apart from these activities they participated in many other activities throughout the session.

Road Safety Club: National Road Safety Month was observed in the college from 15th January to 14 February 2024. A lot of activities were carried out in the college campus under the road safety theme 2024. - "Be a Road Safety Hero". Declamation contest, slogan writing and poster making competitions were organised in the month

of February. A lecture session by the professionals from Police department was organised by the club.

Various activities were organised by the different departments of this college. A few of them are; Sanskrit Diwas, Deptt. of Physics organised a program on "Introduction to Plasma, its applications and energy from nuclear fusion" in collaboration with Institute of Plasma Research (Gandhinagar), Hindi Diwas, Constitution Day, National Science Day, World Ozone Day, World Tourism Day, National Purn day, National Sports Day, a workshop was organised by deptt. of dance etc.

Activities to be carried out in the Academic Session 2024-2025

Following issues were discussed among the committee members in the meeting of Academic and Co-curricular activities:

- It was proposed to follow the activity calendar for the session 2024-2025.
- Team incharges of various sports and cultural activities will be requested to motivate more students to participate in trials for various extra-curricular activities conducted in the college for their overall development and

inculcate the spirit of team work in them.

— Faculty members from all the departments will be asked to take remedial classes of the students who either are unwilling to improve their knowledge or are facing problems in the subjects they have opted for their graduation classes.

— Experts will be hired from different fields for training and coaching the students in sports, drama and other co-curricular activities.

— Students will attend workshops, like dance, painting and drawing etc. to learn various techniques in their respective subjects from alumni and other experts of the country.

— Faculty members of the college will encourage the students to take mentor-mentee classes seriously so that their problems can be resolved by forming relationship based trust with them. This will improve the wellness of students and increase their overall performance.

— All the departments will be suggested to guide the students in their respective departments about various online certificate courses (e.g. SWAYAM PORTAL) which can be pursued along with their

regular studies. So that these courses help them in their career and personal development.

— Teachers will also be requested to inform the students about the benefits of registration on NDLI (National Digital Library of India) and to become members of NDLI college club, so that they can attend various seminars, webinars and lectures through the code provided by the college club.

— Attempts will be made to conduct all the activities as per the activity calendar for the 2024-2025 session.

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Convener,

Academic & Co-curricular
activities committee
VAC Mandi

Action Taken Report

- Incharges of different activities visited the classrooms to motivate students to take part in various activities/trials.
- The academic calendar is being followed and important days are being celebrated accordingly.
- Trials for various sports events were conducted. Intra college competitions of different games were organised in the months of September and October and the students were selected for HPU Intercollege sports competitions.
- Various sports coaches have been hired to train the students in different sports. A drama expert director has been hired to conduct a workshop on the 'Techniques of theatre to perform on stage'. This director has also prepared the students for participation in group IV Inter college Youth Festival and has prepared skit, mime and one act play. In addition, experts (alumni) were invited to guide the students for gp. III (dance) inter college youth festival.
- Mentor - mentee groups have been constituted and teachers have been

directed to conduct regular sessions (once in a month).

- Teachers have informed students about online courses available on SWYAM portal and have guided them to enrol themselves.
- Students have been informed by the teachers about the benefits of NDLI and have been directed to register themselves.


DEVIKA VAIDYA
Coordinator IQAC


(Seema Sharma)
Convener,
Academic & Co-curricular
activities committee

A meeting of the Academic and Co-curricular Activities Committee was held on 07 April 2025 at 2:30 pm in Room No. 208 under the chairmanship of Prof. Seema Sharma, Convener of the committee. The following members were present

1. Ms Seema Sharma
2. Ms Anupama Sharma
3. Dr. Tyotena
4. Ms Vrinda Shandil
5. Ms Shikha Kapur
6. Dr. Anita Thakur
7. Dr. Bandana Chauhan
8. Ms Anju Bala
9. Dr. Mujeeb
10. Ms Vipasha
- Ms Basinecha

(Signatures)
Shandil
Shikha
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The meeting was held to discuss and review the achievements of students in all spheres, namely academics, sports, co-curricular and extra curricular activities. The various achievements enumerated in the college Annual Report were discussed. It was observed that the college has participated in each and every Inter-College competition organised by HPU and the performances of the students has been good. The following are the achievements of the students.

Achievements of Students in

Extra curricular, Co-curricular
&
Academic activities.

Extra-Curricular Activities:

National Cadet Corps (NCC): The college is proud to have three wings of NCC; Air Force Wing (Girls and Boys), Army Wing (Boys) and Army Wing (Girls).

NCC Air Force Wing: The National Cadet Corps (NCC) Air Force Wing at VGC (Mandi) runs under the leadership of Flight Commander and Associate NCC Flying Officer, Dr. Chaman Lal Kranti Singh has achieved remarkable milestones during the year 2024-2025.

Achievements

- Cadet Senior Under Officer Pankaj Kumar and Cadet Warrant Officer Vinay Thakur are undergoing officer training at the Officer's Training Academy, Chennai, to become Lieutenants in the Indian Army.
- Cadet Warrant Officer Ajay Kumar has joined the Indian Air Force as a Flying Officer.
- Eight cadets from the Himachal Pradesh Air Squadron cleared the SSB.
- Cadet Corporals Deeksha Kumari and Vijay Laxmi Duggal, proudly represented Punjab, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, and Chandigarh at Republic Day Camp (New Delhi) from 27th December to 31st January. Cdt. Cpl. Deeksha Kumari led as Guard Commander in the All-India Guard of Honor. Cdt. Cpl. Vijay Laxmi Duggal marched in the Prime Minister's Rally.
- Five Cadets Mithul Thakur, Vijayalakshmi, Diksha, Kanishka, and Rajshree represented the wing at the prestigious National Republic Day Camp.

National-Level Success

- Cadet Manish Kumar, Cadet Mithul Thakur, and Cadet Devesh Thakur represented at the Air Force Camp (Gwalior).
- Cadet Omkar and Cadet Anmol represented their wing at the "Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat" camp in Odisha. Cadets Ansh Babhauria and Cadet Sarthak Lakhanpal participated in the Vibrant Village Camp in Kinnaur.
- Nine Cadets, including Cadet Under Officer Duni Chand and Cadet Warrant Officer Ankush Sharma, attended the Army Attachment Camp in Dalhousie.
- Cadet Muskan earned a Gold Medal and showcased outstanding skills and dedication at All India Vayu Sainik Camp, Bengaluru from 27th September - 7th October, 2024.

Training and Adventure:

- Under the supervision of Wing Commander Kunal Sharma and Flying Officer Dr. Chaman, third-year Cadets were trained on microlight aircraft in Punjab Air Base, Patiala.
- Dr. Chaman completed a Flight Lieutenant Refresher Course at Air Force Station Tambaram (Chennai) in June 2024.
- Sixty Cadets participated in camps at Panarsa, Banikhet (Chamba) and the National Cadet Academy in Ropar. A total of 100 Cadets has been inducted for training in the NCC Air Wing (Mandi).

Community Service and Disaster Response: Cadets were engaged in blood donation, anti-drug campaigns and environmental drives throughout the session. The Air Wing of Govt. College (Mandi) was extolled for its contribution towards the 2023 flash floods disaster relief operations.

NCC Army Wing (Boys): The NCC Army Wing of the college is led by **Dr. Balbir Singh**. It is affiliated with the 2 HP NCC Battalion, Mandi (H.P.) and comprises 110 Cadets at present, including 81 SD and 29 SW Cadets.

Highlights of the session 2024-25:

- Cadet Bharat Bhushan was appointed as Student Under Officer, while Cadets Shubham and Abhishek were appointed as Under Officers along with 7 Sergeants and 3 Corporals in the rank ceremony.
- SGT Dheeraj was promoted to Under Officer during the CATC-2024 camp.
- Sergeant Pankaj Kumar had the honor of marching in the prestigious NCC contingent at Kartavya Path (Delhi). Sergeant Bhagwan Dass participated in the Prime Minister's Rally during the National Republic Day Camp - 2025.
- The cadets participated in the Army Attachment Camps at Dalhousie, Dharamshala, and Mamun Cant. They also participated in Trekking Camps at Rampur, Vadodara, Army Cadets also took part in a Personality Development Camp at LPU (Jalandhar) and a Pre-RDC Camp.
- SGT Pankaj Chauhan represented at the RD Parade in Delhi and SGT Bhagwan Dass participated in the NCC PM Rally.
- Activities like International Yoga Day, Kargil Vijay Diwas, Swachh Bharat Abhiyan, tree plantation drives, and awareness campaigns were also organised.
- Special motivational and career guidance sessions were conducted by esteemed speakers for SSB preparation and officer entry in the armed forces.
- Cadets participated in March Past parades for Republic Day, Independence Day, and Himachal Day. College Cadets also provided guards of honour for VIP visits.

NCC Army Wing (Girls): Under the guidance of **Dr. Kavita** the NCC Army Wing had an eventful year marked by significant achievements, active participation and enthusiastic celebration of various events.

Highlights of the year 2024-25:

- Cadet Anchal Rana participated in the All India Girls Trekking Camp at GPGC (Dharamshala) from 17th to 24th June, 2024.
- Cadet Ayushi Guleria represented the college at MMU (Solan) from 19th June to 27th June, 2024 in the All India Thal Sainik Camp.
- A team of 49 Cadets from Vallabh Govt. College (Mandi) stood first in the Drill Squad Test at the Annual Training Camp ATC-197 at Yashwant Singh Parmar University of Horticulture & Forestry.
- Cadet Disha participated in the Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat (EBSB-I) camp at Gopalpur (Odisha) from 17th to 28th September, 2024.

- Under Officer Aarti attended a Personality Development & Skill Camp at LPU (Phagwara) from 25th September to 4th October, 2024. She was selected as the Best Cadet from the Shimla group.
- Under Officer Karishma Devi was the first Cadet from Solan to attend Officers Training Academy at Chennai, showcasing exceptional dedication.
- Cadets participated in the Water Sports Camp at Kol Dam and secured second position in kayaking and canoeing, from 20th October to 28th October, 2024.
- The NCC Army Wing (Girls) were actively involved in celebrating Republic Day, Independence Day, Kargil Vijay Diwas, and International Yoga Day. The female Cadets of the Army Wing also participated and helped in organising a cleanliness campaign, an AIDS awareness drive, Gandhi Jayanti, a blood donation camp, Annual Sports Day, National Constitution Day, Shaurya Diwas, National Journalism Day and Indian Air Force Day.

National Service Scheme (NSS): There are two units of the National Service Scheme (NSS) in this college with a total enrollment of 200 volunteers for the current session. These units operate under the guidance of two dedicated programme officers, **Dr. Deepali Ashok** and **Prof. Suraj Mani Thakur**.

Activities undertaken by the NSS units in 2024:

- The NSS unit celebrated World Environment Day on 5th June 2024 spreading the message of "Land Restoration, Desertification and Drought Resilience."
- The NSS unit celebrated International Yoga Day under the theme "Yoga for Self and Society" on 21st June 2024, in collaboration with the district administration.
- NSS volunteers carried out a cleanliness drive on 26th July 2024 in the college campus, providing selfless service to ensure a clean environment.
- Under the mission "Ik Ped Maa Ke Naam", NSS unit adopted 1.5 acres of land in Tarapur village of Gora Gaggal (Mandi) for tree plantation and restoration. More than 200 trees were planted in this area.
- NSS Induction Programme & Executive Rank Ceremony was held on 24th August, 2024.
- Volunteers planted trees in Bhiuli, promoting awareness about environmental conservation during the Tree Plantation Drive on 2nd September, 2024.
- Volunteers cleaned the NSS garden on 7th September, 2024. This garden was set up by NSS volunteers in 2023 for the creative use of waste space and material.
- A blood donation camp was organised on 7th September, 2024 in collaboration with Himalayan Blood Donors and the Blood Bank of Zonal Hospital (Mandi).
- A Volunteer Meeting was held on 11th September, 2024 in which topics like: leadership qualities and group management were discussed with the NSS unit president.
- A strong focus was placed on cleanliness initiatives: NSS Volunteers learned about "Swachhta Hi Seva" and "Seva Se Sikhen". A massive cleanliness drive was carried out by NSS Volunteers on 17th September, 2024 as part of "Swachhta Hi Seva" and "Seva Se Sikhen". The volunteers collected 580 kg garbage in this initiative. The "Healing Mother Suketi-2" campaign was held on 3rd December 2024, in which volunteers cleaned the banks of the Suketi river. Additionally, a campus cleanliness drive was carried out on 30th September and 18th October, by 110 NCC cadets, 80 NSS volunteers, and 38 Rover Rangers.
- The 55th NSS Foundation Day was celebrated on 24th September, 2024.
- The "Surakshit Himachal Road Safety Awareness Rally" was conducted on 28th September, 2024 to promote road safety. NSS volunteers assisted the police department in managing traffic from 12th to 18th October.
- Gandhi Jayanti was celebrated on 2nd October, 2024. Values of Mahatma Gandhi were promoted by organising various activities on this day.

- Volunteers were registered on the "My Bharat Portal" and informed about upcoming social work initiatives on 13th November, 2024.
- "Mission Maa" was conducted from 12th November to 5th December, 2024. In this 35 female NSS volunteers generated awareness about menstrual hygiene and distributed 300 sanitary pads. This mission covered 20 schools, one village, and four slum areas.

Achievements of NSS Volunteers:

- Miss Muskan, Miss Latesh, and Mr. Lucky Chauhan attended the state-level Pre-RD camp at MLSM (Sunder Nagar) on 1st October 2024.
- Miss Muskan also attended a Pre-RD camp at Vivekananda Global University (Jaipur) from 14th to 23rd October 2024.
- Mr. Lucky Chauhan participated in the National Youth Exchange Programme organised by NIT (Hamirpur) and Maulana Azad National Urdu University (Hyderabad).

Rover and Rangers: Under the commendable leadership of Rover Scout leader **Dr. Shivendra Sangar** and Ranger Leader **Dr. Bandna Chauhan**, a dynamic unit of rovers and rangers, is actively contributing to various initiatives. In recognition of their outstanding efforts, Ranger Harshita, Ranger Isha and Rover Aadarsh have been selected to receive the prestigious Rajya Puruskar award in 2024-25. Their selection serves as an inspiration to their peers and underscores the vibrant spirit of the rover and ranger movement at VGC Mandi.

Gender Sensitization Committee: Under the able guidance of convener **Prof. Asha Thakur**, Gender Sensitization Committee of VGC (Mandi) achieved remarkable milestones.

- A series of lectures on personal hygiene and the use of sanitary vending machines were held for female students in the month of August, 2024.
- A programme on Women's Menstrual Hygiene was conducted with Health Educators: Mr. Ramesh Kumar and Mrs. Pooja Sharma, on 21st September, 2024.
- An awareness session on Adolescent Health and Hygiene was organised on 23rd September, 2024.
- A programme on gender sensitization about female sexual harassment and violence issues through multimedia was conducted on 24th October, 2024.
- A Self-defence Course was organised for 50 female students with expert coaches, from Krishna Physical Fitness Academy from 5th November to 5th December, 2024.
- An awareness programme on Self-Defence Skills was organised on 21st November, 2024.

Career Counselling and Placement Cell: Under the leadership and guidance of **Dr. Monika Panchani**, the Career Counselling and Placement Cell consistently conducted counselling sessions for students, along with several motivational lectures and expert talks throughout the session. Workshops on Higher Education, Anti-Drug Awareness, Financial Literacy, Management skills, Career Prospects in Sciences, Commerce, Humanities, Journalism, and Mountaineering were also organised. Students of this college enrolled themselves for further studies in different Universities of the country in 2024. Additionally, students from BBA, BCA, PGDCA, B.Voc. in Retail Management and Hospitality and Tourism programmes successfully completed their internships and were placed in reputed companies and industries. A few students of B.Voc. are placed in reputed companies like Golden Sarovar Portico in Amritsar and Bengaluru, Wipro, G & R, Puma sports and many others. They have received packages ranging from Rs. 1,80,000 to Rs. 2,50,000. Two students from BCA have joined BEHL Motors. Four students from PGDCA have joined private industries. Ten students from BBA did internships from IIT (Kamandi). Two students joined jobs in Alorica (Mohali) and Krushi Kalsi Globe Aviation Limited (New Delhi).

A total of 98 students of Bachelor of Education (2nd year) are undergoing teacher training and practice for 4 months in different government schools. Approximately 10 pass out students of B.Ed are teaching in various private schools of Himachal Pradesh.

Red Cross Club: Under the guidance of Nodal Officer, **Dr. Chaman Lal Kranti Singh**, the Red Cross Club strengthens community service, leadership, and social responsibility. This club is led by student representatives: Manish Kumar and Jagriti Thakur. During this session, 15 volunteers participated in a blood donation drive at Zonal Hospital (Mandi). More than 50 cadets and students from the Red Cross, NCC Air Wing and Army Wing contributed to this drive.

Red Ribbon Club (RRC): Under the able leadership of **Dr. Radhika Jamwal**, the Red Ribbon Club of VGC (Mandi) carried out impactful activities during:

- Orientation Programme & Exposure visit was held on 22nd July, 2024.
- The Red Run Marathon and Declamation Contest was held on 17th August, 2024. Students of Govt. College (Mandi) excelled and secured multiple top positions.
- AIDS/HIV Awareness session was held on 10th October, 2024. Dr. Monika Panchani interacted with 120 students in the session.
- Flash Mob & Awareness Talk was held on 15th October, 2024 and students watched informative short films on HIV/AIDS on 28th October, 2024.
- Reel Making Competition was held on 26th November, 2024. It aimed at informing the society through creative use of social media platforms.
- The State-Level Red Run Marathon was held on 1st December, 2024. Rohit from B.A. 2nd year secured 3rd position and received a cash prize of ₹5,000 from the Chief Minister and the Health Minister.
- AIDS Awareness Week was held on 4th December, 2024. Its theme was - "Take the Right Path: My Health, My Right". Activities like face painting, slogan-writing, and reel making were organised in collaboration with the NCC (Girls) Wing.
- Tuberculosis Elimination Campaign was launched on 7th December, 2024.
- The Red Ribbon Club of VGC (Mandi) was honored with the best Red Ribbon Club Award in District Mandi by the District AIDS Control Society.

Vallabhian Botany Club (Department of Botany): Under the able leadership of **Dr. Tara Sen**, the Vallabhian Botany Club and Department of Botany, in collaboration with the Research & Innovation Committee of the college, organised several events during the session.

- World Food Day was celebrated on 26th October, 2024. The Chief Guest of this event was Padma Shri Nek Ram Sharma and the Special Guest was Mr. L.D. Thakur. The exhibition showcased plants grown by students, homemade dishes and products from self-help groups. It generated a revenue of Rs. 9,700/-. Poster-making and declamation competitions further enriched the event, promoting sustainability and creativity among students.
- A faculty member and 41 students of the Department of Botany participated in a field trip to the Great Himalayan National Park, located in Banjar Sub-Division of Kullu (H.P.) on 5th November, 2024.

Yoga and Meditation Club: Under the guidance of **Dr. Deepali Ashok**, Coordinator of the Yoga and Meditation Club, a 7-day Rajyoga-Based Wellness Programme was successfully organised across all college hostels. The programme aimed to promote mental and emotional well-being among students through focused sessions on stress, health, building resilience, harmony in relationships and habits and addictions. Sessions of this programme provided practical strategies to overcome stress and stay healthy.

Eco Club: Under the leadership of **Dr. Neetu Pathania**, the Eco Club has made significant strides in promoting environmental sustainability and awareness within our college community. Below are the highlights for the year 2024:

- The Eco Club organised a successful Plastic Waste Collection event on 25th September 2024, to raise awareness about the environmental hazards of plastic waste.
- A campus-wide Cleanliness Drive was organised on 28th October, 2024.
- As part of our sustainability goals, the Eco Club implemented a strict ban on single-use plastic bottles on campus.

English Literary Club: Under the leadership of **Prof. Archana Sharma**, the English Literary Club organised a Poetry Recitation Competition on 10th October, 2024. A declamation contest and an essay writing competition were also organised by this club on 16th October, 2024 and 26th, October, 2024 respectively.

Yuva Tourism Club (YTC): Under the guidance of **Dr. Arvind Kumar**, the Yuva Tourism Club at VGC (Mandi), in collaboration with the Department of Tour & Travel, conducted various activities in the session 2024-2025:

- A tour to Jispa and Baralacha La was organised for 89 students during UNWTO World Tourism Week on 24th and 25th September, 2024.
- World Tourism Day was celebrated with tree plantation, oration, and a community feast on 24th and 25th September, 2024.
- Cooking event was organised at Bala Kameshwar Temple with 150 students on 28th September, 2024.
- A tour was organised from 21st October-1st November, 2024. This tour covered the key destinations in Garhwal and Kumaon regions of Uttarakhand.

Mendeleev Chemistry Club: Under the guidance of **Dr. Rozilla Puri**, the Mendeleev Chemistry Club organised several interesting activities during the academic year:

- An Orientation Programme was held on 7th September, 2024 for the newly admitted students.
- World Ozone Day was celebrated on 18th September, 2024 with seminars and sessions promoting ozone layer protection.
- World Mole Day was observed from 23rd to 25th October, 2024. It included quizzes, experiments, and educational activities on Avogadro's number.
- A visit to the Water Treatment Plant at Kangni Dhar was organised on 6th November, 2024.

Data Dreamers Computer Club: Under the guidance of **Ms. Lateshwari**, the 'Data Dreamers Computer Club' of Vallabh Govt. College organised a 'poster making competition' on the theme - 'Cyber Security' in the college on 22nd October, 2024. Students of the Departments of BCA, PGDCA and Bachelors in Information Technology participated in this event.

Life Sciences Club: Under the guidance of Coordinator **Ms. Jyoti Thakur**, the Life Sciences Club had a dynamic and productive year, with a wide range of activities:

- Members of the club displayed their creativity in a model exhibition, showcasing innovative ideas and projects on 8th August, 2024.
- The club honoured educators by celebrating Teachers' Day on 5th September, 2024, recognizing their significant impact on the society.
- An event was organised to express gratitude to the parents for their constant support and contributions on 22nd September, 2024.
- A photography contest, presentations, and a lecture on rabies awareness were organised on 4th October, 2024, to mark World Animal Day.

- The club organised a quiz competition, visit to a nearby cow shelter, and collage and poster-making competitions to promote wildlife conservation from 4th to 8th October, 2024.
- Children's Day was celebrated on 14th November, 2024 and Excursion to Bijli Mahadev was organised on 19th November, 2024.
- Guest Lecture on Cancer Diagnosis and Treatment was organised on 29th November, 2024. It broadened the members' understanding of health issues.

Achievements in Sports and Extracurricular Activities:

Sports: Vallabh Government College (Mandi) has long been recognized for its excellence in academics and sports. The year 2024-25 marked another chapter of success in the college's sporting history. Under the dynamic leadership of **Dr. Sunil Sen**, the sports mentorship at the college has reached new heights, promoting an environment where students thrive and achieve remarkable feats in a variety of disciplines. The college has emerged as a prominent figure in the state's sports scene, and its athletes have delivered outstanding performances at the All-India Inter-Varsity events, National Championships and HPU Inter-College Championships.

Athletics: The athletics team (M) from Vallabh Government College, Mandi was overall 2nd runner-up in HPU Inter College Annual Athletic Meet 2024-25 held at G.C. Hamirpur. Rohit, a star athlete in the college's track and field team, stood out as one of the most successful and celebrated athletes and participated in All India Inter Varsity Athletic Championship 2024-25 held at KIIT University Bhubaneswar, Odisha. He won Gold Medal in 10000 meter, Bronze Medals in 5000 meter race and in 4x400 meter relay race. Shashi Thakur won Silver Medal in 1500 meter race and Bronze Medal in 4x400 meter relay race. Rahul won Silver Medal in 5000 meter race, Bronze Medals in 1500 meter race and in 4x400 meter relay race. Pratham Won Bronze Medal in 4x400 meter relay race. Mansi Thakur brought laurels to the college by grabbing Silver Medal in Junior National Athletic Championship 2024-25 held at New Delhi. She won Gold Medal in 10 km race and Silver Medal in 5 km race in Junior State Athletic Championship 2024-25 held at Dharamshala.

Cross-Country (M): College was Overall Winner in HPU Inter College Cross Country Competition 2024-25 held at GC Haripur Mansali. Rohit participated in All India Inter Varsity Cross Country Competition 2024-25 held at Mangalore University and in Senior National Cross-Country Competition 2024-25 held at Meerut, UP. He won Gold Medal in HPU Inter College Cross Country Competition 2024-25. Shashi Thakur participated in All India Inter Varsity Cross Country Competition 2024-25 held at Mangalore University. Rahul won Silver Medal in HPU Inter College Cross Country Competition 2024-25.

Boxing: College won 1 Gold, 2 Silver and 2 Bronze Medals in HPU Inter College Boxing (M) Championship 2024-25 held at GC Daulatpur Chowk. Chetan Choudhary won Gold Medal, Taran Preet Singh Gill and Himanshu won Silver Medals, Rahul and Chandan Kumar won Bronze Medals. College won 1 Gold, 1 Silver and 2 Bronze Medals in HPU Inter College Boxing (W) Championship 2024-25 held at Gayatri College of Education, Kangoo Sundernagar. Neha won Gold Medal, Kanika Sharma won Silver Medal, Sakshi and Saniya won Bronze Medals in this event. Neha also participated in All India Inter Varsity Boxing (W) Championship 2024-25 held at Guru Kashi University Bhatinda.

Wushu: HPU Inter College Wushu (Men & Women) Championship 2024-25 was organised by our College from December 17th to 19th, 2024. This event marked a significant milestone as our college won the championship 3rd time consecutively and won the trophy in the Men and Women section. A total of 18 colleges in the Men section and 10 colleges in Women section from various corners of Himachal Pradesh participated in the championship. Aaditya Chaudhary, Rahul, Vishal and Taran Preet Singh Gill won Gold Medals, Chandan Kumar and Sumit won Silver Medals. Paras, Mohammad Samini, Yogender and Tarun Thakur won Bronze Medals. Aaditya Chaudhary, Rahul, Vishal and Taran Preet Singh Gill got selected for All India Inter Varsity Wushu (M) Championship 2024-25. College was Overall Winner in HPU Inter College Wushu (W) Championship 2024-25 held at VGC Mandi. Sakshi, Kanika Sharma and Saniya won