



Alumni Plough Boys

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From the President's Desk

Dear Fellow Alumni

“Days fly by & time passes, in this hectic life you are and will always remain close to our hearts”

One of the wonders of our University is that its alumni have excelled in almost every field of human endeavor from Line Departments to Civil Services; Research Scientists to Bank Officers; Corporators to Ministers; Farmers to Entrepreneurs, so on..., truly we are quite unique in this regard. Today's alumni are not only doyens in their chosen field, but have held distinctive position to contribute in any field of activity.

Now it is time to take off from our routine work responsibility, family chorus and join with your alma mater with whom we have spent golden years in our teen ages. In this connection we propose to have a fun-filled get-together ! A golden opportunity for all of us to meet and greet, savor the nostalgia of our student days and let our hair down!. We on our part will go all out to ensure the success of the get-together. The event is scheduled to be held on **Friday, the 20th December, 2019 at 3.00 p.m. at the Convention Centre, Alumni Association, Hebbal Campus.**

Please spread this message to each and every alumnus you know, particularly ones who have spread their wings to fields outside Agro Based ones, such as Revenue, Police, BBMP, Banks, KSRTC, Customs, Excise, Social Services etc., and also who are on to Farming and Entrepreneurship.

Kindly confirm your participation by forwarding your Name, Designation and Phone numbers to 9731651925 through WhatsApp / SMS or Email: alumniuasb83@gmail.com or fill in the google form at the Website : www.alumniuasb.in. Also inform your classmates / colleagues / friends working in various organizations to do so.

With regards

K. Narayanagowda
President
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Environmental Day Celebration

On 7th June 2019, Alumni association organized world environment day celebration at Malur village, Sidlaghatta Taluk of Chikkaballapur dist.

As part of the celebration, tree planting and Jatha was conducted in association with Government Primary School.

Fine Arts competition was also arranged and prizes were distributed to students.

In the afternoon, Environmental awareness campaign was also arranged for the students of Swamy Vivekananda College, Malur. Sri Amarnarayan Reddy Retd. IAS officer delivered guest lecture on conservation of water and soil. Essay competition on environment was also conducted for the college students.



Republic Day Celebration

The Republic day was celebrated in the premises of UAS(B) Alumni Association on 26-1-2019. The National Flag was hoisted by Dr. K.M. Harinikumar, Secretary and



Executive Committee Members and staff graced the occasion.

Convocation High Tea

The Convocation High Tea was hosted on 24-3-2019 at Babu Rajendra Prasad International Convention Centre, GKVK in collaboration with Canara Bank, GKVK Branch on the eve of 53rd Convocation of UAS(B) held on 25-3-2019. The Executive Committee members of the Association were present on the occasion and congratulated all the graduating students and those who were receiving the Gold Medal awards.

Special Lecture, Prathibha Puraskar & Student Scholarship

The Alumni Association has organized Special Lecture, Prathibha Puraskar to meritorious students in SSLC/PUC



and Students scholarship distribution programme on 19-1-2019. Special lecture on personality development was delivered by Sri. Swamy Dheeranandajee Maharaj, Ramakrishna Vivekananda Asharma, Tumkur. Distributed Certificate and cash prize of Rs.2000/- to four meritorious

children of Alumni who scored highest marks in SSLC and II year PUC exams held during 2018. On the same occasion scholarships were distributed to four UG students who admitted during 2018 for one year.



State Level IFS technical conference

Dr. G.K. Veeresh Endowment Fund State Level IFS technical conference was organized at Alumni Association on 24-1-2019. Dr. Y.G. Shadakshari, Director of Research, UAS(B) inaugurated the function by lighting the lamp. Dr. M.S. Nataraju, Director of Extension, UAS(B) and Dr. M.J. Chandregowda, Director, ICAR-Research Institute for Agriculture Technology, Bangalore, were the chief guests for the programme.



Award for the best IFS farmers

Prof. G.K. Veeresh Endowment Fund Award ceremony for the best IFS farmers was organized at Alumni Association, Hebbal on 24-1-2019 at 2.00 p.m. Sri. H.D. Devegowda, Former Prime Minister of India and Member of Parliament, Hassan District inaugurated the function by lighting the lamp. Sri. Shivashankar Reddy, Hon'ble Minister for Agriculture and Sri. Venkatarao Nadagouda, Hon'ble Minister for Animal Husbandry and Fisheries and

Dr. S. Rajendra Prasad, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, UAS(B), were the Chief Guests. Best IFS famer award certificate and citations were presented to the following best IFS farmers. Region – 1. (Northern Black Soil) Mr. Malthesh Venkappa Manakur, Koppalur village, Ranibennur Taluk, Haveri Dist.; Region –2. (Coastal/Malnad) Sri. Amar D'Souza S/o. H. D'sooza, Madeneralu village, Kelagoor, Chikkamagaluru Dist.; Region – 3. (Southern Red Soil) Sri. H.K. Kumaraswamy S/o. Kariyanna, Hucha Hanumegowdana Palya, Kasaba Hobli, Magadi Tq., Ramanagara Dist.

Gold Medal Award

The Executive Committee presented the cheque for Rs.1,05,000/- to the Vice-Chancellor, UAS, GKVK, Bengaluru towards Gold Medal Award in the name of Alumni Association for under-graduate student who scores highest CGPA from a m o n g B . S c . (A g r i) / B . S c . (A g . M k g .) /B.Sc.(Ser.) /B.Sc.(Bio.Tech.) / B.Tech.(Ag.Eng.) and B.Tech.(Food Sc.) students of all colleges of UAS(B). The Gold Medal was awarded to Miss.Anushree.G.V, B.Tech (Food Sc), COA, Hassan on 53rd Convocation of UAS (B) held on 25-3-2019.

General Body Meeting 2019



Foreign Visits

Dr. M.S.Nataraju, Director of Extension and M.T.Lakshminarayan, Assistant Professor (Agriculture Extension) and Assistant Controllor of Examinations, University Examination Centre UAS, Bengaluru, visited Gottengen University, Germany from 17th to 31st March 2019 to present the research results of Indo-German Collaborative project entitled "Attitudes and Decision making behavior of Agricultural households along Rural- Urban interface (Phase I).

Recognitions

Lion Dr. Margoob Hussain, Senior Alumnus was honored in recognition of Special achievement in District Chairperson during the lionistic year 2018-19 on 23rd Day of June 2019

Donations

Sri.Vamadeva.H donated Rs.5000 and he mentioned that this amount may be utilized for postal charges of the Plough Boys.

Consultancy @ Alumni

Members of the Alumni Association are experts in chosen fields which impact many facets of Farming. This wisdom is invaluable for the Farmers of our Country and Abroad. It is thus envisaged to encourage members of UAS Alumni to enroll their names for offering consultancy in a structured manner. This is in addition to the services being offered currently in their individual capacity. Experts willing to serve as consultants will be enrolled, mapped and displayed in the website. This will also be useful for assigning tasks related to project evaluations, mentoring, project formulation assignments of Government of Karnataka and/or India in addition to International Agencies.

Willingness to offer consultancy may please be communicated to the Alumni office by return of Mail or *via* a letter details sought are given below.

1. Name & contact details.
2. Specialization and areas of consultancy.
3. Willingness to travel or not.
4. Willingness to come over to Alumni and offer an evening course of three months as a continuation education program.
5. Willingness to impart skills on areas related to Agricultural Sciences.
6. Willingness to showcase your farm/talent.

Inviting Nominations for the following awards

1. Dr. R. Dwarakinath Best Extension Worker Award

which carries a cash prize of Rs. 5000/- and a citation

2. Late Goriyappa Gowda Award for Best Extension Worker

which carries a cash prize of Rs. 5000/- and a citation

3. S. M. Narayana Reddy award for Best Agricultural Science Graduate Farmer

which carries a cash prize of Rs. 5000/- and a citation

4. Sri Sakalavara Ramaiah Reddy Award for Best Farmer.

which carries a cash prize of Rs. 10000/- and a citation

The nomination may please be sent to Secretary, Alumni Association, University of Agricultural Sciences, Hebbal, Bangalore - 560 024 on or before 15-10-2019.

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