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Book Exhibition - 'True Treasures of Life' showcasing books on Psychology and Spirituality

An exhibition 'True Treasures of Life' showcasing books on Psychology and Spirituality was jointly organized by the Library and Department of Psychology on 28-July-2022 in the Reference Section of the Library.

The exhibition was inaugurated by the Respected I/C Principal Prof. Dr. Preeta Nilesh. Faculty members of Psychology Department, Library Committee members, Teachers, Library staff members and students graced the occasion.

More than 270 books from the Library's collection and around 100 books from the Department of Psychology's collection were exhibited. 29 photos of world famous Psychologists compiled by the Dept. of Psychology were also displayed in the Reference

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I/C Principal Prof. Dr. Preeta Nilesh inaugurating the exhibition.



I/C Principal Prof. Dr. Preeta Nilesh, discussing about the books with Dr. Neeta Mehta, Head, Department of Psychology, faculty members Ms. Reeta Kamble and Ms. Renuka Gune, Psychology Department and Librarian Mr. Paritosh Pawar.

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"The secret of getting ahead is getting started."
- Mark Twain

section display unit to inspire the students. Students of Degree College – Aided as well as Self Financing Courses Sections, Junior College, members of the Teaching faculty and administrative staff visited the exhibition. Student volunteers Ms. Riddhi Mayekar and Ms. Prapthi Moily, of TYBA (Psychology) put in a lot of efforts for the preparation of the exhibition as well as during the exhibition. The library appreciates the dedication and hard work of the students in making the exhibition a grand success.

The exhibition received an overwhelming response and a positive feedback from the students, teachers and other visitors. The Library wishes to thank all the students, teachers and administrative staff for visiting the exhibition. Without the active participation and support of all the students, conducting this activity cannot be possible. We hope that this support continues in all the forthcoming activities in the coming years.



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From the Librarian Mr. Paritosh Pawar (Editor)





We are back into the offline mode after a bad patch of the COVID-19 pandemic. It is great to see the students coming back to the classrooms and the library too! We, at the Library, have resumed most of the earlier activities and also plan to start new ones. We are focussing more on student-centric activities that would be directly involving student participation. We will also be continuing to strengthen the digital initiatives started during the last two years, including 'Panorama' – the virtual bookshelf, increasing the e-resources through the library website, connecting with the students through the Telegram Channel – Library@VazeCollege.

We request all our readers to join the Library's Telegram

Channel, to get latest library updates. The joining link has been provided on the Homepage of the Library website. QR Codes for faster connectivity to the Library website, connecting to the L-brary's Online Catalogue (available 24 X 7), joining the Telegram Channel, registration for accessing subscribed E-Resources through N-LIST, have been displayed on Library's display boards on the ground floor foyer, Reference Section and SFC Section on the first floor. Students are requested to use these smartphone- friendly initiatives.

Students are requested to participate in all the library activities in large numbers and take optimum benefit of the library resources.

Suggestions and feedback about Library Connect are welcome at vgvclibrary@gmail.com

- Paritosh Pawar, Librarian and Editor

Photo Gallery - Book Exhibition 'True Treasures of Life'



Panorama - The Virtual Bookshelf

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Vaze College Library launched 'Panorama – The Virtual Bookshelf' on the auspicious occasion of International Women's Day - 8th March 2021.

'Panorama' is a thematic display of books that can be downloaded and read on the PCs or mobiles. Clicking/touching the Cover Page of the book in the bookshelf, allows downloading / reading the respective book online. Panorama is a library activity to bridge the gap between the users and downloadable e-books.

Panorama have been created and circulated among the students and teaching faculty members through Library's Telegram Channel, whatsapp and email, on the following themes -

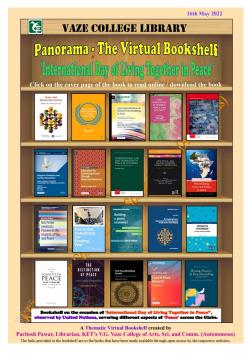
Panorama 15: <u>14-Apr-2022 - 'Bharatratna Dr. Babasaheb Ambed kar</u> Jayanti'

Panorama 16: 16-May-2022 - <u>International Day of Living Together in Peace'</u>

Panorama 17: 20-June-2022 - World Refugee Day

Latest Panorama is also available for download on the homepage of the library's website. A dedicated webpage for Panorama provides access to the latest and all previously created bookshelves.

<u>Click here</u> to visit 'Panorama' Webpage on the Library Website Suggestions and feedback are welcome from our readers.



Thematic Display - Reference Section of the Library

Sr. No.	Theme	Occasion	Displayed from	Displayed to	No. of Books Displayed
	Books written by Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar and collections of his writings, speeches, etc.	Bharatratna Dr. Ba- basaheb Ambedkar Jayanti	14-Apr-2022	11-May-2022	30
2	Books on Chhatrapati Shivaji Ma- haraj	ShivaSwarajya Din	06-June-2022	07-July-2022	24

Newspaper Clippings - Ground Floor Foyer & Library Sections

(A) Ground Floor Display -

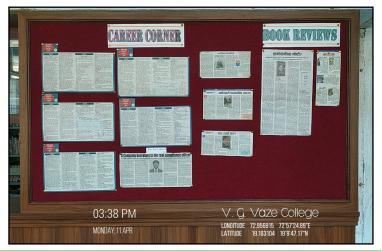
i. 25-03-2022 to 16-04-2022, ii. 16-04-2022 to 17-05-2022, iii. 18-05-2022 to 16-06-2022

(B) Reference Section -

Career Corner and Book Reviews - i. 25-03-2022 to 11-04-2022, ii. 11-04-2022 to 13-06-2022, iii.13-06-2022 to 15-07-2022

(C) Periodical Section -

i. World Environmental Day (05th June) - 06-06-2022 to 21-06-2022



"Great things are done by a series of small things brought together." — Vincent Van Gogh

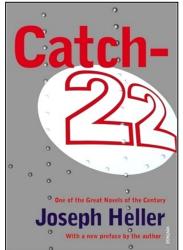


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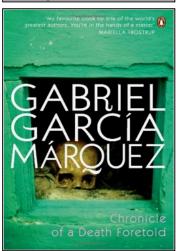
GLIMPSES - New Arrivals in the Library



Catch-22, by Joseph Heller, Publisher: Vintage Penguin, London,1994, Paperback, ISBN: 978-0-099-53601-7, 570 Pages, Rs. 399/-

Set in the closing months of World War II, this is the story of a bombardier named Yossarian who is frantic and furious because thousands of people he has never met are trying to kill him. His real problem is not the enemy - it is his own army which keeps increasing the number of missions the men must fly to complete their service. If Yossarian makes any attempts to excuse himself from the perilous missions then he is caught in Catch -22: if he flies he is crazy, and doesn't have to; but if he doesn't want to he must be sane and has to. That's some catch...

Discover Joseph Heller's hilarious and tragic satire on military madness, and the tale of one man's efforts to survive it. It's the closing months of World War II and Yossarian has never been closer to death. Stationed in an American bomber squadron off the coast of Italy, each flight mission introduces him to thousands of people determined to kill him. But the enemy above is not Yossarian's problem – it is his own army intent on keeping him airborne, and the maddening 'Catch-22' that allows for no possibility of escape.



Chronicle of A Death Foretold by Gabriel Garcia Marquez, Publisher: Penguin Randomhouse India, Gurugram, 1996, Paperback, ISBN-978-0-140-15754-3, 128 pages, Rs. 250/-

Setting out to reconstruct a murder that took place 27 years earlier, this chronicle moves backwards and forwards in time, through the contradictions of memory and moments lost in time. Its irony gives the book the nuances of a political fable.

Gabriel García Márquez's novel Chronicle of a Death Foretold, first published in English in 1982, is one of the Nobel Prizewinning author's shorter novels, but past and current critics agree that the book's small size hides a huge work of art. According to Jonathan Yardley in Washington Post Book World, Chronicle of a Death Foretold "is, in miniature, a virtuoso performance." Chronicle of a Death Foretold relates the events leading up to and, to a lesser degree, those that follow the murder of Santiago Nasar, a twenty-one year old Colombian of Arab descent. He is killed by the Vicario brothers to avenge the loss of their sister's honor. The story is constructed from the fragmented and often conflicting versions of events as they are remembered by the townspeople and by the narrator himself.



Zen and the Art of Motorcycle Maintenance: An Inquiry into Values, by Robert M. Pirsig, Publisher: Vintage Books, London, 2004, Paperback, ISBN: 978-0-099-59816-9, 432 pages, Rs. 599/-

This book is a powerful, moving and penetrating examination of how we live and a breathtaking meditation on how to live better. Here is the book that transformed a generation: an unforgettable narration of a summer motorcycle trip across America's Northwest, undertaken by a father and his young son.

This is an interwoven story that follows two plots. The first plot details a cross-country motorcycle trip taken by the narrator and his eleven year old son, Chris. The second plot focuses on the life of Phaedrus, who is a philosopher obsessed with Quality. As they travel, the narrator inserts philosophical discourses called Chautauquas into his narrative about their journey. A story of love and fear - of growth, discovery and acceptance that becomes a profound personal and philosophical odyssey into life's fundamental questions. This uniquely exhilarating modern classic is both touching and transcendent, resonant with the myriad confusions of existence and the small, essential triumphs that propel us forward.

Acclaimed as one of the most exciting books in the history of American letters, this modern epic became an instant bestseller upon publication in 1974, transforming a generation and continuing to inspire millions.

'Happiness is not something ready made. It comes from your own actions." — Dalai Lama XIV