



EVENTS & HAPPENINGS

CEO, SDI-B Attends Drone Boot Camp Inauguration at Sophitorium

Sh. Sanjay K Srivastava, CEO, SDI-B was invited as Chief Guest by Sophitorium Engineering College, Bhubaneswar on 8th Apr'24 to grace the inauguration ceremony of

Bootcamp on '**Drone: The future of Mobility**'. The camp was organized in collaboration with NIELIT (National Institute of Electronics and Information Technology), Bhubaneswar from 8th Apr to 12th Apr 2024. The target group for this bootcamp included students and entrepreneurs who

wished to establish their enterprise based on Drone technology. While addressing and engaging with the participants, he underlined the need to bridge the skill gap imparted during education and the requirements of industry.



Secretary, Skill Development, Govt. of Jharkhand visits SDI-B

Mr. Mukesh Kumar, IAS, Secretary, Labour, Employment, Training & Skill Development, Government of Jharkhand and Mr. Sanjiv Kumar Besra, IAS, Labour Commissioner & MD – JSDMS visited SDI-B on 10th April'24 to explore possibilities of collaboration in skill domain.



Mock Drill on Fire Safety

During Fire Service Week, a comprehensive mock drill was conducted in the campus on 16th Apr 2024, focusing on fire safety protocols and procedures. The aim of the mock drill was to inculcate safety awareness among students, trainers and other personnel working inside SDI-B. Besides it was also an opportunity to assess our preparedness in the event of a fire emergency.



All stakeholders of SDI-B comprising trainers, students, employees and local fire station in-charge with firemen were present during the mock drill.

The mock drill was initiated at 11:00 hrs. with a simulated fire scene in association with local fire station. Activation of the fire alarm system, evacuation of employees through designated exit routes to the nearest assembly point, simulated rescue operations for individuals

requiring assistance and coordination with local emergency services as per protocol was demonstrated during the mock drill. Fire station in-charge briefed all security personnel regarding various rescue procedures and provided hands-on training to students regarding use of fire extinguishers and familiarization with fire safety equipment.

Sh. Sanjay K Srivastava, CEO SDI-B and Sh. Ranjan K Bhowmick, CEO-Designate also took part in the drill. The CEO-designate, while addressing the gathering, explained the background for observing Fire Service Week and highlighted the importance of safety awareness to students and others present at the assembly point and concluded the drill.



Visit of CPCL team to SDI-B

A team from Chennai Petrochemical Corporation Limited (CPCL), a subsidiary of IOCL, headed by Shri G. Premchand, CGM(HR) & Shri Ayyamuthu, AM(HR) visited SDI-B on 26th April'24 to explore possibility of skill training for various categories of human resources available in and around their refinery at Manali, Tamil Nadu.

The team had an interactive

session with team SDI-B wherein, a brief presentation about the institute and its objective was given. Sh. Rohit Agarwala, Director (F), CPCL also joined the session virtually and advised the CPCL team to plan training for CPCL employees, project affected people at Manali, and students of a polytechnic being managed by CPCL. Later, the team from CPCL went around the campus. The team left with a promise to formulate a workable model for sending groups of



trainees and share with SDI-B very soon.

TTT program by Tata STRIVE

Tata STRIVE conducted two nos. of Train The Trainer (TTT) program at SDI-B Campus. The first program was from Apr 15th to Apr 20th wherein 10 nos. of state and national level sports persons were the participants. These Sports Change Leaders were engaged at different ITIs in the state of Odisha through the #LetsPlayITI program

and render physical education to the students. The training was facilitated by Tata STRIVE's Talent Development team. The program's gallery walk was graced by Shri Ranjan Bhowmick, CEO-Designate. In his address to the training team, he encouraged the participants and appreciated the effort put by the learners for creating different learning

posters. The second program of 6-day duration started on 24th Apr



and it involved 18 participants. These participants were engaged

at different ITIs of Odisha and render employability skills and

personality development to the ITI students.

CYBER SECURITY QUIZ -APRIL 2024

Great news! The last month quiz received excellent response. Congratulations to the top 3 winners of Mar 2024 Quiz: **Dharmananda Meher, Sritam Soubhagya Sethy & Epsita Parida.** Detailed answers with explanations have been uploaded in SDI-B intranet portal. Please go through and update your knowledge in this domain.

Don't miss the chance to participate in the Apr 2024 quiz. Submit your answers before 30th May'24, for a chance to get an honourable mention in the next edition of SDI-B Pulse. To participate, simply scan the QR code provided.



KNOWLEDGE POST

Book Review: Benjamin Franklin's Autobiography

Benjamin Franklin's autobiography is one of the most famous autobiographies in American literature. It's an insightful glimpse into the life and mind of one of America's founding fathers.

The autobiography is divided into four parts. In the first part, Franklin discusses his early life, including his childhood in Boston, his apprenticeship with his brother James in the printing business, and his eventual move to Philadelphia.

In the second part, Franklin describes his efforts to achieve moral perfection through his "13 virtues" and his development of a personal improvement plan. He also discusses his involvement in public service and the founding of various civic institutions, such as the Library Company and the Philadelphia Fire Department.



The third part covers his diplomatic missions to England and France during the American Revolution, where he played a crucial role in securing French support for the American cause.

The final part, unfinished at Franklin's death, covers his later years and reflections on his life.

Throughout the autobiography, Franklin emphasizes the

importance of hard work, self-improvement, and civic duty. His wit, wisdom, and practical advice continue to resonate with readers today. The book can be accessed from Resource center hosted in our intranet portal by scanning the QR code.



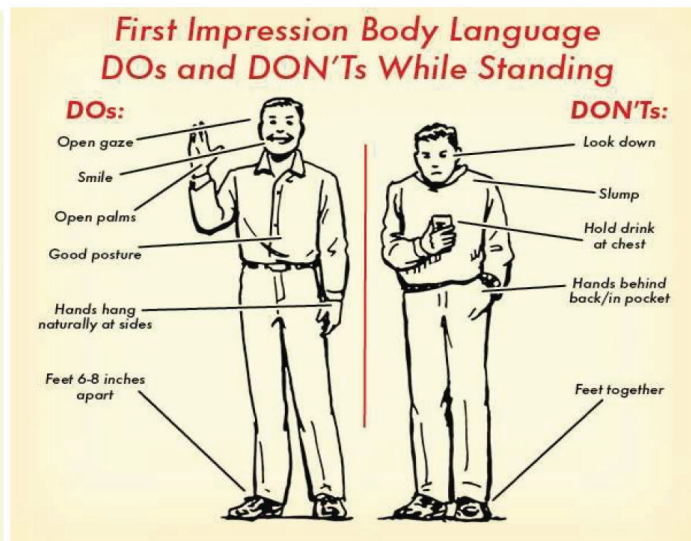
Soft Skills for Everyone - 14

BODY ALSO SPEAKS! (Listen To Its Language!)

Your face with its forehead, eyes, eyebrows, nose, mouth, lips, and the other parts of your body - shoulders, hands, fingers, legs and even feet, can express what you are thinking in your mind. This is called non-verbal communication because this communication does not use words.

Tips for Great Body Language -

1. Smile
2. Don't Cross Your Arms
3. Make Good Eye Contact
4. Keep Your Body Pointed Vertically Toward Your Guest
5. Nod at Key Points



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