
Activity Report on Drug Awareness and Illicit Trafficking

Event Date: June 26, 2024

Venue: MVJ College of Engineering Auditorium

Organized by: MVJ College of Engineering

Chief Guest: Smt. Reena Suvarna, Assistant Commissioner of Police,
Whitefield Division

Introduction

On June 26, 2024, MVJ College of Engineering hosted a guest lecture to commemorate the International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking. This day, established by the United Nations, aims to raise awareness about the global drug problem and promote action and cooperation towards achieving a drug-free society. The event was organized by the Department of Student Welfare and was held in the college auditorium, drawing a large audience of students, faculty, and staff.

Welcome and Opening Remarks

The event commenced with a warm welcome by Dr. Srinivas Gombi, the Principal of MVJ College of Engineering. Dr. Srinivas Gombi highlighted the significance of the day and emphasized the role of education and awareness in combating drug abuse. He also introduced the Chief Guest, Smt. Reena Suvarna, and expressed gratitude for her presence and expertise.

Chief Guest Address

Smt. Reena Suvarna, Assistant Commissioner of Police, Whitefield Division, delivered the keynote address. Her lecture focused on the following key areas:

1. Understanding Drug Abuse:

- Smt. Suvarna explained the types of drugs commonly abused and their adverse effects on individuals and society.
- She highlighted the physiological and psychological impact of drug addiction on young adults.

2. Illicit Drug Trafficking:

- The Chief Guest discussed the challenges faced by law enforcement in tackling drug trafficking networks.
- She emphasized the importance of international cooperation and robust legal frameworks in combating illicit trafficking.

3. Role of Youth in Combating Drug Abuse:

- Smt. Suvarna urged students to stay informed and resist peer pressure, advocating for a healthy and drug-free lifestyle.
- She encouraged students to participate in community awareness programs and become advocates for change.

4. Law Enforcement Initiatives:

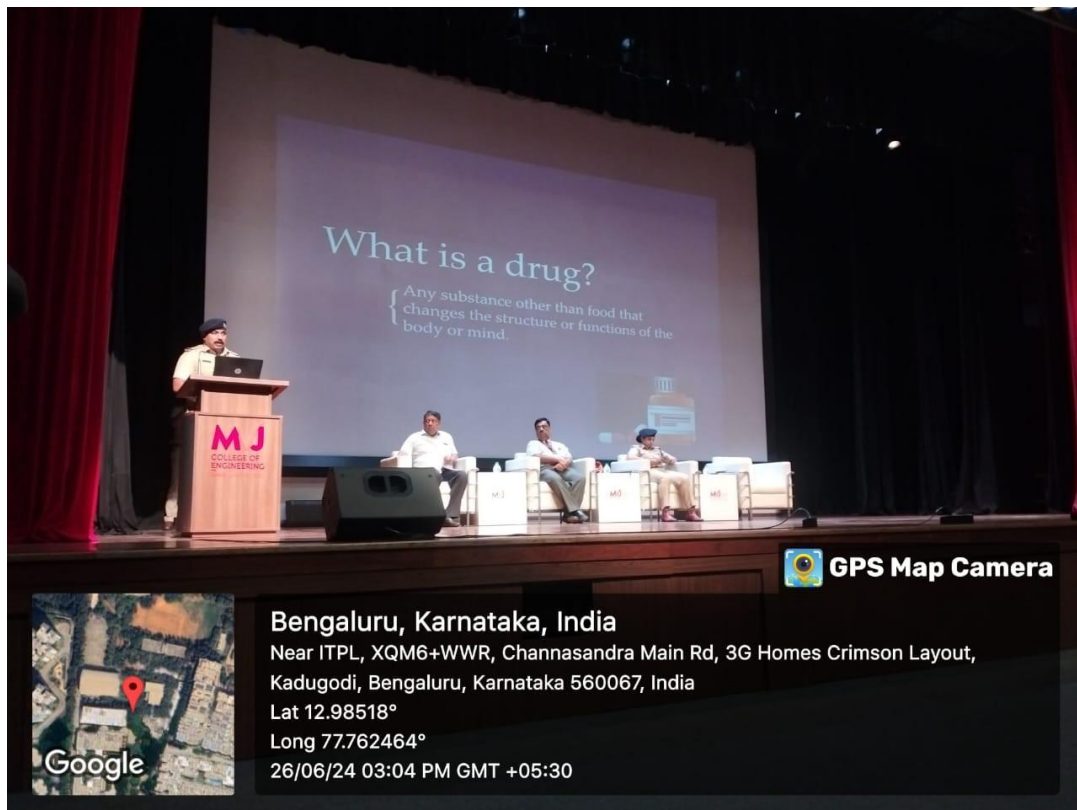
- Smt. Suvarna shared insights into recent initiatives by the police department to curb drug abuse in the Whitefield area.
- She highlighted successful operations and the importance of community policing in building trust and collaboration with citizens.

Interactive Session

Following the lecture, an interactive session was held where students had the opportunity to engage with the Chief Guest. Questions ranged from the legal consequences of drug possession to advice on handling peer pressure. Smt. Suvarna answered all queries with clarity and provided practical advice to students.

Conclusion

The guest lecture on ‘International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking’ was a significant event at MVJ College of Engineering. It provided valuable insights into the issues of drug abuse and trafficking and empowered students to play a proactive role in creating a drug-free society. The presence of Smt. Reena Suvarna and her informative address left a lasting impact on the audience, motivating them to contribute to this important cause.



Briefing about Drug Day by Whitefield Police Division



Welcoming Chief Guest Smt. Reena Suvarna



Guest Lecture by Smt. Reena Suvarna