



# MIND SPARK

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Y's Service Club of GCT Youth

SPECIAL EDITION

Let be freedom in mind,soul & body.Faith in your words &  
pride in you nature



# From the editors.

The beginning of an academic year marks a start of a new chapter in the legacies and memories of YSC GCT YOUTH. It begins with our first time designing a bulletin. The creation process throughout has been thrilling and inspirational, and seeing it come together has been rewarding

Since the installation process takes place this month, we are eager and excited to do our job flawlessly during our tenure. The past board, our seniors, have been amazing mentors and have helped us with every step of taking on our various responsibilities. And we, the new board, are passionate and open to any projects for the betterment of the club and society. Being a board member of the club, as well as being a part of its 100th anniversary of Y's Men International, is truly an honor.

All the events and activities our club has accomplished in the short period are exhibited. Despite the fact that we are only getting started, we hope to achieve more in the days to come while still having fun.

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# CON TENTS





# CONSTRUCTION ZONE - GO SLOW

Road work can frequently result in severe accidents without any prior notice. The project our club oversaw involved making a banner to inform the general public about ongoing road construction.



Construction is being done on the road in front of our campus to lay underground drainage. Due to this, the road has numerous large holes and is in extremely poor shape resulting in accidents involving cars, buses, and other vehicles. Long-distance vehicles cannot see the state of the road, and college students and other civilians are at risk. Since the government had not erected any construction-related signs, we, as YSC members of GCT, decided to install a banner on our own. It is displayed in the native language with an image depicting construction work so everyone can comprehend it. This page contains the banner's poster.



# 1ST SOUTH CENTRAL INDIA REGIONAL CONVENTION-2022



The First South Central India Regional Convention of 2022 was this year's major event. The event was held on 16 July 2022 at Gokulam Grand Hotel & Spa, Bangalore. The main motive of the convention was the installation of a new region. During the session, International President Ysm HRM Dr.K.C. Samuel unveiled the new area's logo formally. The logo is displayed here. Multiple dignitaries presided over the ceremony.

Installation of a new regional team led by Ysm PWF M.J. MATHEWS, the release of the convention souvenir by past Regional Director Ysm HRM Jose Mani, and the Flag ceremony of all the clubs under the new region took place. While the meeting was going on, a lively youth session was organized to encourage and strengthen the friendship between the youths and youth lings of different clubs.





Yy.J.Dinesh Prabhu & Yy.M.Logu Vignesh hosted this session. A few entertaining games, spirited discussions, and an introduction to the other Y's Youth and Lings were among the various segments of the evening. Teams were created for these activities and formed from the group. Venom, vibrant, dazzlers v 6, and glitch 616 were the team names. "Young people of the current generation are interested in serving their service society, or are they not?" was the main topic of discussion. This incited a heated debate between both sides. Fun activities like Damsharas were held in between this. Towards the end of the session, the teams were asked to suggest or provide recommendations for five project concepts that could serve as inspirational ideas for initiatives that would subsequently be put into action at the regional level. To sum up, everything went smoothly, and we had a great time. We received numerous suggestions from all the teams helping us to form strong bonds with our fellow club members.

Finally, the session concluded with this image and great experiences. More information on the event is present on the Instagram page.





# VELIKONAR - EXPRESS YOUR FREEDOM

On the theme of independence day, our club decided to conduct an event voicing the freedom of speech. Since independence, we have been enjoying freedom for 75 years, and one of its main objectives was freedom of speech. The velikonar event was held to respect the privileges attained by our liberation fighters. Velikonar means "to unhide". The event's name alone encapsulates our motivation for exercising our right to free expression. A stage is a place where a person gets exposed to the world and spotlighted.

By holding a speech competition with the theme "Are today's young dependent or independent?" the right to speech was demonstrated. This event was held in a collaborative effort with another club in our college, the Literary, and Debating Society. Many juniors and clubmates participated in the heated debate with valid and strong counterpoints from both sides of the argument.

**Y'S MEN INTERNATIONAL**  
 "To acknowledge the duty that accompanies every right"  
 INDIA AREA | SOUTH CENTRAL INDIA REGION | UNIWEST DISTRICT  
**Y's Service Club of GCT YOUTH**

## வெளிக்கொணர்

Express your views on today's youth being independent or not.

No Language Barrier
 
 Exclusively for **2nd Years** only

Registration closes on 15 August - 6 pm
 


 4.30 pm  
 Room no 151

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Overlooked by judges from our club, hearing different opinions gives form to our own opinion. This topic demands thinking about it from an analytical perspective. By the end of the session, a lot of opinions were given and collected for anyone's judgment. The event promoted a platform to open up, give incite of oneself and give rise to a few winners. The audience looks clearly engrossed in the pictures taken.

## WINNERS



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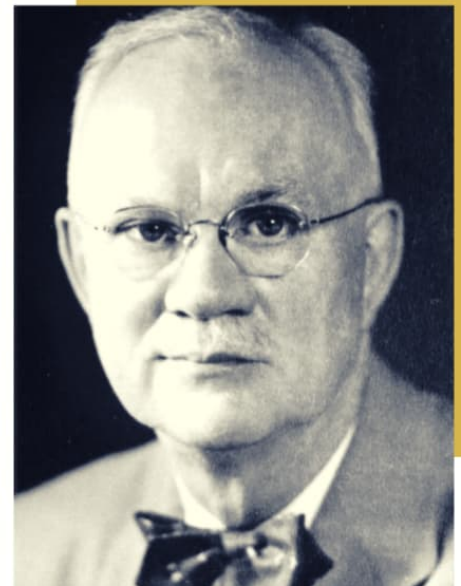


# CENTENARY CELEBRATION

This year marks the 100th anniversary of Y's Men International! 100 years of service! The year we celebrate, tell the world about our activities, and spread awareness of our movement for international fellowship and service.

For a little short on our club's history, it was founded in Toledo, Ohio, USA, in 1922 to support a local YMCA, founded by Judge Paul William Alexander together with a group of other young men. The largest non-governmental youth organization in the world, the YMCA, and the communities it is present in all around the world are the focus of Y's Men International right now. It was named "Y's Men's Club" since the YMCA is commonly referred to as "the Y" in the USA and because the Y's Men movement began there as a club of "men of and for the Y." Now for the present, the 100th anniversary calls for a celebration. The occasion celebrated during May was a call on the spirit of the youth and

incited encouragement for passing this huge milestone. Since it is the 100th anniversary, it is only fitting to come up with 100 suggestions to celebrate the occasion benefitting society. We, as the members of the YSC Service club of GCT youth, are incredibly proud to be a part of this moment and wish to witness many more years to come. More on the celebration is given on the Y's Men International webpage.



# FACT CORNER

- Independence day edition



## 1906 SAW THE RAISING OF THE INDIAN FLAG

On August 7, 1906, in Kolkata's Parsee Bagan Square, the three red, yellow, and green horizontal stripes of the national flag of India were raised. Pingali Venkayya created the original version of our current national flag in 1921. The 24-spoke Ashok Chakra and saffron, white, and green stripes of the current flag were officially adopted on July 22, 1947, and flown for the first time on August 15, 1947.

## 5 MORE COUNTRIES CELEBRATE INDEPENDENCE DAY ON AUGUST 15TH

In addition to India, five other nations also observe Independence Day on August 15 including Bahrain, Liechtenstein, the Republic of Congo, North Korea, and South Korea.

## GOA WAS THE FINAL STATE TO JOIN THE INDIAN TERRITORY IN 1961

Goa was still a Portuguese colony on August 15, 1947, the day India gained freedom. It was only in 1961 when Indian soldiers annexed it. Goa was the final state to join the Indian subcontinent.

## ONLY ONE LOCATION IN INDIA PRODUCES THE INDIAN FLAG

The Indian flag is authorized to be produced and supplied by the Karnataka Khadi Gramodyoga Samyukta Sangha (KKGSS), a group based in Dharwad, Karnataka. The Bureau of Indian Standards states that only hand-spun and hand-woven cotton khadi bunting is used to create the national flag



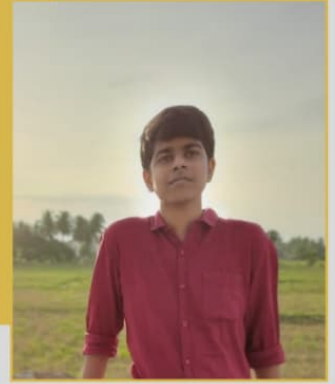


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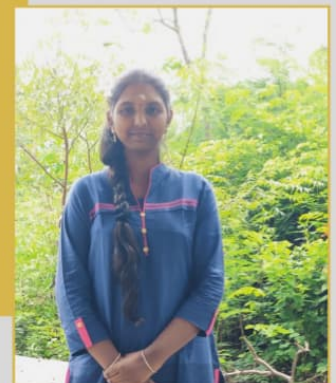
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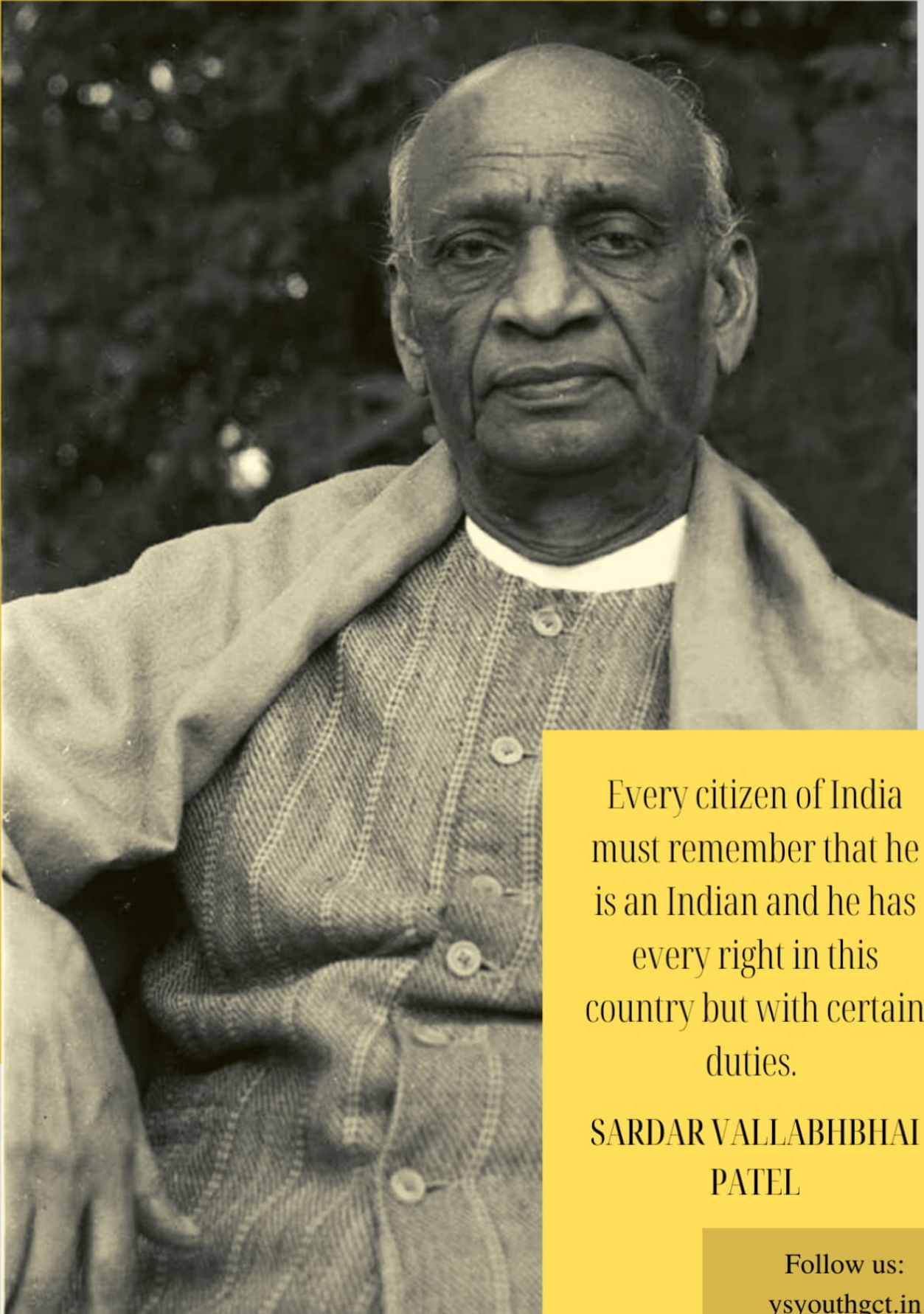
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