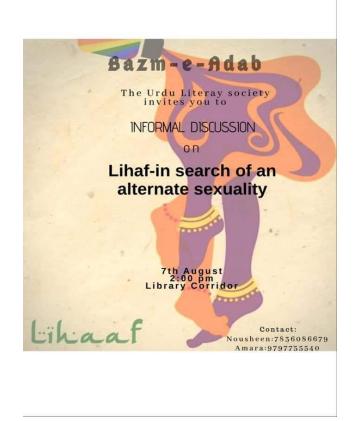


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• <u>Informal discussion</u> on Ismat Chugtai's short story under the topic "Lihaf- a search for an alternate sexuality" was held on 7th of August. Ismat Chugtai is chiefly known for her (in) famous short story 'Lihaf" which quickly became the topic of discussion in Urdu literary circles. From Lihaf, a multitude of observations could be made, and a variety of questions could be asked. It was attended by a large number of students from different academic backgrounds.





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• <u>Cultural event</u> "Annual Eid Lunch" was held on 12 August 2019. Celebrating the diversity of the Urdu Adab, the Urdu Literary Sociey like all years organised the Annual Eid Lunch in the college with delicious food from Old Delhi. It was attended by 280 students and 20-30 teachers.



• <u>Symposium</u> on "Kalam-e-Iqbal ki Tafheem" was held on 22 October 2019. The symposium on Allama Iqbal was graced by the people who are fond of Iqbal's thoughtful poetry and writing. In an attempt to understand his poetry, Bazm-e-Adab had invited noted academicians to provide an insight on the invaluable Kalam-e-Iqbal. It was moderated by Dr. Shamim Ahmed, Head, Dept. of Urdu and Persian, St. Stephen's College. It was attended by 90 students and 20-25 teachers.



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Outstanding Visitors to the Department for Symposium on "Kalam-e-Iqbal ki Tafheem" held on 22 October 2019

NAME	DESIGNATION
Prof. Abdul Haq	Professor Emeritus, Dept. of Urdu, DU
Prof. Irtiza Karim	Head, Dept. of Urdu, DU
Prof. Wali Akhtar	Former Head, Dept. of Arabic, DU
Prof. Moinuddin Jeenabare	CIL, JNU, Delhi
Prof. Ali Ahmed Idrisi	Asst. Prof., Dept. of Urdu, DU

• <u>Cultural event</u> "Mehfil-e-Qawwali" was held on 30th January 2020.

For the lovers of Urdu poetry and Sufi music, the college hall of St. Stephen's College resonated to the tunes of Amir Khusrao and Baba Bulleh Shah with the finest voices of the famous Nizami Brothers. It was sponsored by Urdu Academy, Delhi |Pacific Travels, C.P, New Delhi. It was attended by 500-600 students and 30 teachers.



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• One day <u>national seminar</u> "Insaani Jazbaat Ka Izhaar Aur Urdu Ghazal" was held on 6th February 2020. Professors, students and scholars from all over india presented their papers on portrayal of human emotions in Urdu Ghazal. It was attended by students from varied academic backgrounds.





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• <u>College level competition</u> "Annual Bait Baazi & Ghazal Sarai Competition" was held on 3rd March 2020.

Bazm-e-Adab organised the annual Inter-college Bait Baazi and Ghazal Sarai Competition. It was attended by 50 students and 10 teachers. It was sponsored by Ghalib Academy and Urdu Academy, Delhi.





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