

WDC (Women Development Cell)

Women Development Cell N.M. College inaugurated "Naree Manch" on 21st December 2015 at 10.00 am in room No.16 at NM college. This is a platform which N.M. College has given to women associated with the college and includes students, teaching and non-teaching staff. The motto of the Naree Manch is "Samwad se Samarthya" (which means strength through positive communication)

Naree Manch would meet one time a month and has following objectives -

To create social awareness about the problems women may face in the society.

To encourage participation of NGOs, Doctors, Councilors, and others who work in the area for development of women.

To organize workshops for creating general awareness and orientation of students, teachers, non-teaching staff for their active and sustained participation in the activities of the Manch.

I/c Principal Mrs. Ameer Vora introduced the Guest of Honor Dr. Sahitya and spoke about the need of social awareness through Naree Manch.

The key note speaker Mrs. Deepa Chitnis oriented the audience about the requirement of Women Empowerment as it is the main objective of Government of India's 2001 National Policy for women. The Guest of Honor, Dr. Raju R. Sahetya (M.D. DGO DFP) from Andheri Mumbai, inaugurated Naree Manch. He also engaged a session of an hour and half and delivered a speech with power point presentation on "Cancer in Women- Screening, Prevention and Protection" He oriented the audience about variety of women related cancers and the causes of the same. He spoke about **Breast cancer, colorectal cancer, Lung cancer, cervical cancer, Uterine and Ovarian Cancer, and Colon Cancer.**

Students, teaching and non-teaching staff of N.M. college were enlightened by the talks and were made aware about the issues of women and health and the need of women empowerment in society.