

5.4.1 There is registered Alumni that contributes significantly to the development of the institution through financial and/or other support services.

The Alumni Association of Venkatesh Mahajan Senior College has given a substantial contribution to the institution's growth. In its emergent stage, the Alumni Association consisted of a dedicated group of five members who embarked on their mission with unwavering determination. Their initial meetings held on the 13th of August 2018 and the 20th of January 2019 laid the cornerstone for what was to evolve into a transformative force within the college community. These pioneers recognized the significance of their role in nurturing the college's legacy and were wholeheartedly committed to making a lasting impact.

A notable milestone in the Association's journey was its active engagement in informative lectures during National Service Scheme (NSS) programs. These sessions served as platform to address pressing social issues such as illiteracy, career development, and personal empowerment. By actively participating in these programs, the Alumni Association demonstrated its commitment to the betterment of society and the enhancement of the college's ethos.

While the Alumni Association was active and vibrant, it had yet to obtain official registration in its initial year. Nonetheless, the formal registration was set in

motion during the academic year 2019-20, underscoring the Association's intent to establish a structured presence within the college. This pivotal process was formed by Pro. Ashok Gore, the Coordinator, alongside Dr. Vaychal Vinodkumar, Smt. Linge Anita, and Dr. Sameer Bavikar, who diligently formed the registration committee. The significance of their efforts was underscored by crucial meetings held on the 1st December 2019 and the 15th of February 2020, marking substantial milestones in this endeavour.

The Alumni Association witnessed the active involvement of former students who passionately participated in meetings and college activities. Their consistent dedication and support provided the necessary impetus for the Association to surge forward, overcoming challenges like the global COVID-19 pandemic with resilience and determination.

The onset of the pandemic in the academic year 2019-2020 presented unique challenges for the Alumni Association's activities. Despite these challenges, the Association adapted and thrived. A noteworthy example of this adaptability was showcased when Laxmikant Jahagirdar organized an online Yoga session on International Yoga Day.

The Alumni Association achieved a significant milestone in December 2022 by officially registering under the name "Venkatesh Mahajan Varishth Mahavidyalay Maji Vidyarthi Bahoouddeshiy Sanstha Osmanabad, Tal- Osmanabad, Jilha-Osmanabad" in accordance with the Societies Registration Act, 1860. This marked a momentous step in the Association's journey, solidifying its place within the college community.

With formal registration completed, the Alumni Association took the strategic step of establishing a bank account at the Bank of Maharashtra, Osmanabad. This move not only ensured financial stability but also positioned the Association to embark on more substantial initiatives, contributing significantly to the growth and development of the college and its students.

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