## WOMEN DEVELOPMENT CELL (2022 - 23)

The Women Development Cell of the college aims at women empowerment, truly believing Swami Vivekananda's words, there is no chance for the welfare of the world unless the condition of women is improved. The following are the few areas the cell caters to:

- 1. Sensitizing the students and staff on gender issues
- 2. Enlightening the students on the laws on sexual harassment
- 3. Improving physical and mental health of girl students by spreading awareness
- 4. Highlighting the importance of personal hygiene and general wellbeing

The following programme were conducted during the academic year 2022-2023

## SEMINAR ON "SAFTEY AWARNESS PROGRAM"

The FIRST offline seminar was organized by Bhavna College, Women Development Cell in the month of October 2022. Following resource person | Sr. PI Mr. Sudharshan Ragunathrao Honwadajkar | DCP Miss. Darade | Principal Dr. Aruna Singham | Prof. Pramodini P Kokane | Prof. Aakansha Pandey | Bhavna Trust College of Commerce & B.Sc. Computer Science.

The aim of this program was to educate the WDC student members on Safety Awareness during travel. Through the sessions the topics covered were interaction and safety awareness, managing common emergencies and legal rights and its implications. Further DCP even highlighted on how to be careful on the road and avoid using mobile phones, listing music during travelling by public/private transport.

Knowing the rights and responsibilities of girls is an important area the cell will be working on in the coming year to empower girl students to voice their opinion and face future challenges. The WDC truly believes in the words I raise up my voice not so I can shout, but so that those without a voice can be heard...we cannot succeed when half of us is held back.

Following session was ended with Vote of Thanks by Convenor: Pramodini P Kokane.

Note: <u>218 Students were present for the following program</u>

Prof. Pramodini Kokane WDC Co-ordinator Prof. Aakansha Pandey Member

## SAFTEY AWARNESS PROGRAM

