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World Autism Awareness Day

World Autism Day was observed on April 02, 2017 in the Institute. Dr. Swati Saha, Senior Medical officer of CSIR-CMERI Dispensary delivered a lecture on "Autism: A challenge, not merely a disease."

Plantation Programme

CSIR-CMERI, Durgapur organized a Plantation Programme on April 14, 2017 at the institute premises on the occasion of 126th Birthday of Dr. Bhim Rao Ambedkar to create social awareness about the importance of tree plantation.



Demonstration of various NDT & Metallurgy techniques

Two Day Training Programme

Almost 60 final year Civil Engineering students accompanied by faculty members from Asansol Engineering College visited NDT & Metallurgy Group during 27-28 April, 2017 to get acquainted with the various activities of the group. Various NDT techniques, Failure Investigation and Material Characterization using Electron Microscopes were explained to them by the staff members of NDT & Metallurgy Group.

Blood Donation Camp

A Blood Donation Camp was organized by CSIR-CMERI, Durgapur to commemorate the 126th Birth Anniversary of Dr. Bhim Rao Ambedkar as well as an event of the CSIR-CMERI Diamond Jubilee Celebrations, on 29th April, 2017. The Blood Donation Camp was inaugurated by Prof. (Dr.) Harish Hirani, Director, CSIR-CMERI, Durgapur at the CSIR-CMERI Staff Club. Dr. Hirani requested all the participants to incessantly intensify their efforts towards progressive social developments.



Prof. (Dr.) Harish Hirani, Director and other staff members of CSIR-CMERI at the Plantation Programme

Committee Formation

- For showcasing the products and processes developed by CSIR-CMERI, Director, CSIR-CMERI has decided to set up a Technology Park. A committee has been constituted with specific responsibility to shape the same with Prof. Hirani as the chairman of the Core Committee. Dr. Nagahanumaiah, Senior Principal Scientist will be the chairman of the Site Clearance & Preparation Committee; Dr. Soumen Sen, Principal Scientist will be the chairman of the Exhibition Site Decoration Committee and Dr. Avik Chatterjee, Senior Principal Scientist will be the chairman of the Exhibit Demonstration Committee. [OM No. 1.Adm(1)/Misc./Committee/97-E Dated 12.04.2017]
- Consequent upon retirement and transfer of some members and new recruitments the Official Language Implementation Committee has been reconstituted. [OM No. राभा/राकास/2017 dated 18.04.2017]

Inter Section Transfer

- Shri Rudra Prasad Chatterjee, Scientist has been transferred from Technology Innovation Centre to Surface and Field Robotics Group as per his request dated 30.3.2017. [OM No. 10.Adm.(18)/78-E(B) dated 04.04.2017]
- Dr. Arpita Mukherjee, Senior Scientist has been transferred from Electronics and Instrumentation group to Surface and Field Robotics Group. [OM No. 10.Adm.(18)/78-E(B) dated 04.04.2017]
- Consequent upon closure of Technology Innovation Centre, Shri Dilip Kumar Biswas, Principal Scientist has been transferred to the Energy Research Technology Group. [OM No. 10.Adm.(18)/78-E(B) dated 12.04.2017]

Additional Responsibility

- In addition to their existing assignment in the Knowledge Resource Center, Shri Biswajit Sikdar, Technical Officer and Shri Harilal Ram, Senior Technician (2), will work in the newly formed Repository Group. [OM No. Misc./Estt.I/2003 dated 29.03.2017]
- Based on the request of Dr. S.N. Maity, Chief Scientist, the date of his taking over the charge as Scientist-in-charge at CMERI-CoEFM, Ludhiana is changed from 17.04.2017 to 01.05.2017. [OM No. 4-Adm.1(713)/08-E dated 03.04.2017]
- Based on the decision taken by the Official Language Implementation Committee, Director, CSIR-CMERI has approved that Shri Man Sing Azad, Scientist will take the charge as Hindi Adhikari of this Institute. [OM No. राभा/विबिध/2017 dated 12.04.2017]

Abolition of Group

In consultation with the concerned stakeholders, Director, CSIR-CMERI has been pleased to decide to close the Central Research Facility Group (CRF). The infrastructure of CRF will be utilized by the Environmental Engineering Group (EEG). Shri Abhijit Mondal, Technical Assistant has been transferred from CRF to NDT & Metallurgy Group. The space vacated by Dr. Ruj, Head, EEG will be utilized by Dr. P.K. Chatterjee, Chief Scientist & Head, Energy Research and Technology Group. [OM No. Misc./Estt.I/2003 dated 18.04.2017]

Release from CSIR-CMERI

- Sri Ratnakar Behera, Finance and Accounts Officer of CSIR-CMERI has been released on Deputation to All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS), Bhubaneswar with effect from 06.04.2017 (A.N.). [OM No. 4-Adm.II(145)/2014-E dated 06.04.2017]
- Consequent upon acceptance of his resignation from the post of Senior Scientist, Dr. Dibyendu Bhattacharya is relieved from this Institute with effect from 06.11.2016 (A.N.). [OM No. 4-Adm.1(782)/12-E dated 12.04.2017]

Miscellaneous

- Director CSIR-CMERI has approved to declare the Vehicle No. WB 40A 6738, (Maruti Gypsy) as condemned based on the Condemnation Testing Committee (CTC). [OM No. T&G/2008-09/GL dated 30.3.2017]
- Shri Syed Salmon Mojiz, Senior Principal Scientist has joined CSIR-CMERI, Durgapur with effect from 03.04.2017 (F/N). He will report to Head, PPD. [OM No. 10.Adm.(18)/78-E(B) dated 04.04.2017]
- Shri Rajesh Prasad Barnwal, Senior Scientist has been nominated as the Sub Nodal officer from CSIR-CMERI with reference to CSIR letter No. L3-4(OI)/2015-16/S&P/policy dated 30.03.2017. [OM No. Misc./Estt.I/2003 dated 11.04.2017]
- Consequent upon the closure of Technology Innovation Centre and transfer of Dr. S.N. Maity, Chief Scientist, the room vacated by him will henceforth be used by the Resource Planning & Business Development Group. [OM No. Misc./Estt.I/2003 dated 17.04.2017]



Prof. (Dr.) Harish Hirani delivering his message during the opening ceremony of the Blood Donation Camp

Paper of the Month

Investigation of band structure and electrochemical properties of h-BN/rGO composites for asymmetric supercapacitor applications

by Sanjit Saha, Milan Jana, Pranab Samanta, Naresh C. Murmu, Nam H. Kim, Tapas Kuila, Joong H. Lee
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