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COSSART

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On 1st March 2024, students from Symbiosis School of Planning Architecture and Design organized the much-anticipated COSSART (Call of Summer) Flea Market event. Held on the front lawn of SIU, Nagpur Campus premises, the event aimed to foster creativity, entrepreneurship, and community engagement among students and visitors alike. This report aims to provide an overview of the event, its objectives, activities, and the overall impact it had.

Objectives:

The primary objectives of the COSSART Flea Market event were as follows:

1. To provide a platform for students to showcase their creative talents, including art, design, crafts, and entrepreneurial ventures.
2. To encourage entrepreneurship and innovation among students by allowing them to set up their own stalls and sell their products.
3. To promote interaction and collaboration among students, faculty, and the local community.

Activities:

The event was inaugurated by the chief guest for the event Mrs. Varshika Hariramani who is the founder of New Leaf Skill, Nagpur. The director of SSPAD Dr. Nandini Kulkarni presented a token of appreciation to the guest and welcomed the guest for the event. The event was to feature a diverse range of activities and attractions, including:



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Handmade Products Stalls: Students set up stalls showcasing a variety of products, including handmade crafts, artwork, fashion accessories, home decor items. Each stall was creatively decorated and manned by enthusiastic students eager to showcase their talents.

Food Stalls: A food stalls was also set up, offering a variety of delicious snacks, beverages, and street food delicacies prepared by students. The food court quickly became a hub of activity, with attendees enjoying the culinary delights on offer.

Movie Screening: The COSSART event is not only about selling the products and food but it is the event where all the students gather and enjoy the concept of this event. The movie screening is one of the most interesting parts of this event where students enjoy the evening by watching the movie with their SIU family and feel the presence of a home away from home.

Impact:

The COSSART Flea Market event had a significant impact on both participants and attendees:

Student Empowerment: The event provided students with a platform to showcase their talents, hone their entrepreneurial skills, and gain practical experience in organizing and managing an event of this scale.

Community Engagement: The event attracted a diverse audience, including students, faculty, parents, friends, and art enthusiasts from neighboring areas. It served as a catalyst for fostering stronger ties between the school and the local community.

Creativity and Innovation: The event showcased the immense creativity and innovation of students across various disciplines, inspiring attendees to explore their own creative potential and pursue their passions.



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The COSSART Flea Market event organized by students of Symbiosis School of Design was a resounding success, achieving its objectives of promoting creativity, entrepreneurship, and community engagement. The event provided a platform for students to showcase their talents, fostered collaboration and interaction, and left a lasting impact on all those who participated. It is hoped that such initiatives will continue to be organized in the future, further enriching the student experience and strengthening ties with the wider community.





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