Astronomy Club Events at SPHINX24

1. Starry Eve

Date: November 8, 2024
Venue: Central Lawn, MNIT Jaipur
Event Overview:
Starry Eve was an enchanting event organised to provide participants with a hands-on
experience of exploring the night sky. The event was designed to inspire awe and curiosity
about the cosmos, blending scientific knowledge with a relaxing outdoor experience.

Highlights:

- Telescopes were set up to observe celestial objects like the Moon, planets, and prominent star clusters.
- Expert-guided sky-mapping sessions helped attendees identify constellations and their significance in astronomy.

Outcome:

The event attracted a diverse audience, including students and faculty, creating a shared space for learning and wonder. Starry Eve successfully nurtured interest in space science and astronomy among attendees.



2. Cosmic Chronicles

Date: November 9, 2024 Venue: VLTC, MNIT Jaipur Event Overview:

Cosmic Chronicles was an engaging movie screening event focused on the mysteries of space and humanity's endeavours to explore it. The event combined entertainment with learning, creating an interactive experience for the audience.

Highlights:

- Screening of a popular space-themed movie that delved into the challenges and triumphs of space exploration.
- A quiz session following the movie with questions about space, the movie's storyline, and notable moments.
- A gift was awarded to the participant with the best answers, adding a fun and competitive element to the session.

Outcome:

Cosmic Chronicles was well-received, with the interactive quiz encouraging active participation. The combination of cinematic storytelling and engaging discussions left the audience inspired and more curious about space science.



Conclusion

Both Starry Eve and Cosmic Chronicles reflected the Astronomy Club's commitment to fostering an appreciation for the cosmos. These events not only entertained but also educated participants, aligning with the space-centric theme of Sphinx 2024, 'Ascend.'