



2021-2022

# ANNUAL REPORT

Prashnottare :  
The Quiz Club

# About Prashnottare

*"No thief, however skillful, can rob one of knowledge, and that is why knowledge is the best and safest treasure to acquire."*

With an aim to instill the quench of knowledge and ace the art of quizzing in the students, Prashnottare: The Quiz Club of Aryabhata College was founded in the early part of the year 2021. Year 2021-22 thereby, became the first full fledged functional year for the club.

The club started its operations by designing a formal organizational structure and distributing the responsibilities within the members of the club. For this, 3 separate departments were framed- *Content & Knowledge Research*, *Design & Tech*, and *Marketing & PR*. Each department was given its exclusive head. The brand new Core Committee also initiated the process of framing the '**Prashnottare Charter**' - a document enlisting all the process and guidelines to be followed for smooth functioning of the club. The club president lead the drafting process for this. The Charter was unanimously adopted by all the members of the club.

The club looks forward to expanding its base wider and make more members from across the courses.

# Prashnottare Team

Club Convenor: Mr. Harish Dhawan

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## The Core Team

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- **President:**  
Abheesht Srivastava
- **Vice President:**  
Shrey Raj
- **Secretary:**  
Puneet Yadav
- **Content & Knowledge Research Head:**  
Sumit Raj
- **Design & Technology Head:**  
Madhav Jindal
- **Marketing & Public Relations Head:**  
Prachi Tyagi

# Online Trivia & Quizzes

As the doors of the outside world were still restricted due to the Covid-19 pandemic, Prashnottare found a way out to dispense the thrill of quizzing even in these times.

Through its Instagram page, Prashnottare has been very active around the year to bring out Weekly Trivia and Special Feature quizzes.

In its *Weekly Trivia* series, Prashnottare did the following quizzes through its Instagram page:

- FRIENDS Quiz
- The Family Man Quiz
- Cricket Quiz
- MS Dhoni Quiz

Under its *Special Feature Quiz* series, Prashnottare's Instagram page featured:

- Independence Day Quiz
- Dilip Kumar Honorary Quiz
- Hindi Diwas Quiz

# This Week Series

Prashnottare launched an Instagram post based series titled "**This Week**". As the title says, it covered a synopsis of all the major events happened in that week. Usually a post used to come up every Friday under this series. It was one of the most successful and popular series of the club. A total of 10 editions of news briefs were posted in this series.

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## 75 Years of Independence Series

As an initiative under the *Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav*, Prashnottare featured 7 editioned Instagram post based series titled "**75 Years of Independence**". In this series, facts and stories about 7 key areas of India were posted.

These 7 areas were- Sports, Space & IT, Economic Growth, Diversity & Heritage, War Glories, Indian Constitution, and Unsung Heroes of Indian Freedom Struggle.

The series received a lot of appreciation from the viewers.

# Mélange'21

October 3, 2021

After the successful organization of Jigyasa'21 in its previous session, Prashnottare decided to go for the first ever Intra College General Quiz for the students of Aryabhatta College exclusively. The product of our efforts was - "**Mélange'21**".



The poster is set against a background of horizontal wooden planks. At the top left is a circular logo with a question mark and the text 'PRASHNOTTARE THE QUIZ CLUB ARYABHATTA COLLEGE'. At the top right is the circular logo of Aryabhatta College, University of Delhi. The central text reads 'Prashnottare The Quiz Club' in bold, followed by 'ARYABHATTA COLLEGE' and 'Presents' in a script font. The word 'Mélange' is written in a large, elegant cursive script. Below it, 'An Intra College Quiz Competition' is written in a sans-serif font, followed by '3RD OCT' in bold yellow capital letters. The bottom section is divided into two columns: 'Qualifiers: 12 PM (Venue: Quizizz)' and 'Finals: 3 PM (Venue: G-meet)'. At the bottom left is a QR code with the text 'Scan to Register' below it. At the bottom right, the text 'For any queries contact:' is followed by two phone numbers: 'Sumit: 8340622945' and 'Shrey: 9810879359'.

**Prashnottare  
The Quiz Club**

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*Mélange*  
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Owing to the extended Covid restrictions, Mélange was organized in the online mode. The quiz saw a whooping participation from the students of our college. A total of 25 teams from various courses and years, joined us in the preliminary round of the quiz.

### **The Inauguration**

The event started with an online Inauguration ceremony at 12:00 PM. The president of the club, Abheesht Srivastava, lead the inauguration by introducing the club and briefing about its purpose, vision and future plans. Supriyo Das, took over the compering after him. This was followed by the Principal's address. Our club convenor, Mr. Harish Dhawan, further addressed the gathering of avid quizzers. The whole ceremony was also live streamed on the club's YouTube channel.





After the inaugural addresses, all the participants were briefed about the rules and regulations of the preliminary round and wished all the best for it.

### **Preliminary Round**

The prelims of *Mélange* were conducted on the online quizzing platform called Quizizz. Here, the participants had to answer 25 questions in total and they were given 20 seconds for answering each question. This round had multiple choice questions where the participants had to select 1 correct option out of the four choices given to them.

The quiz was based on a mixture of themes including *Politics, Economics & Finance, Sports, Art & Culture, Current Affairs* and *Literature & Miscellaneous*.



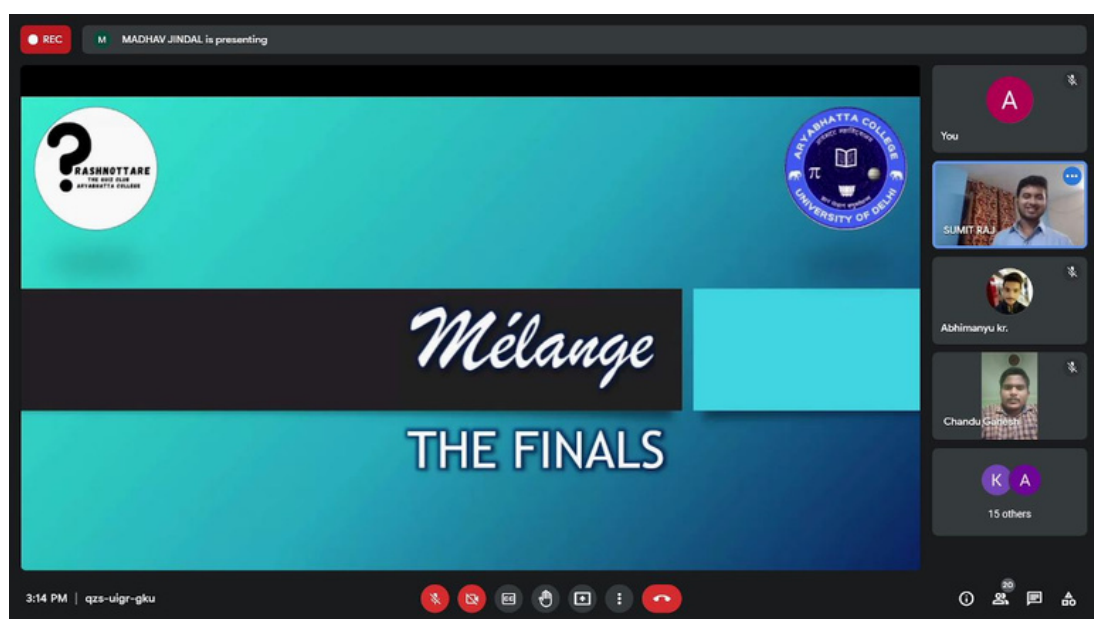


## The Finals

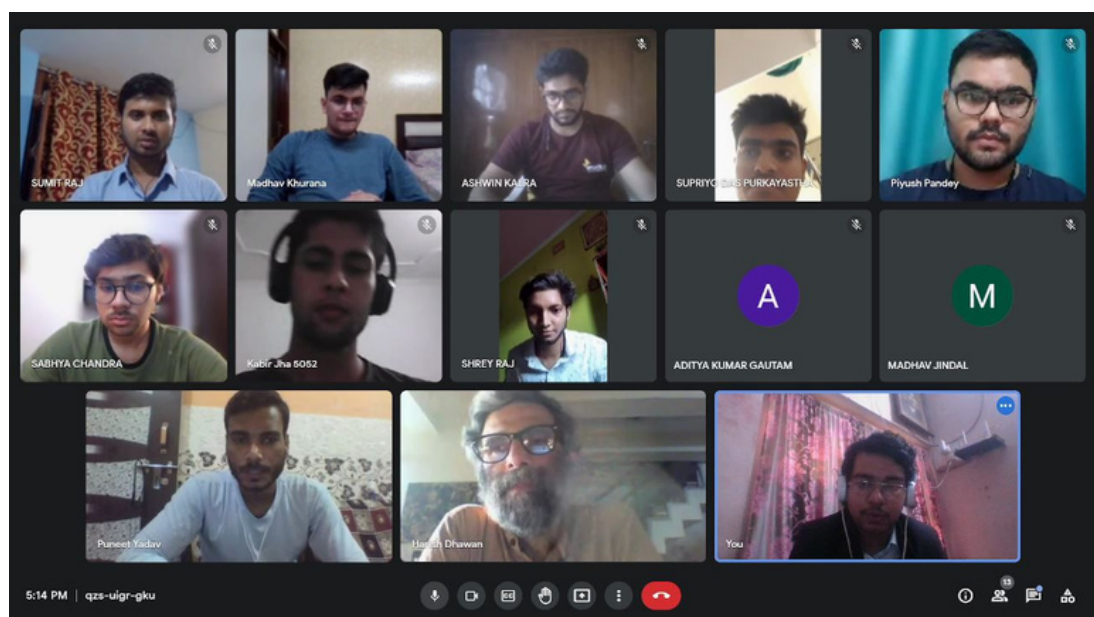
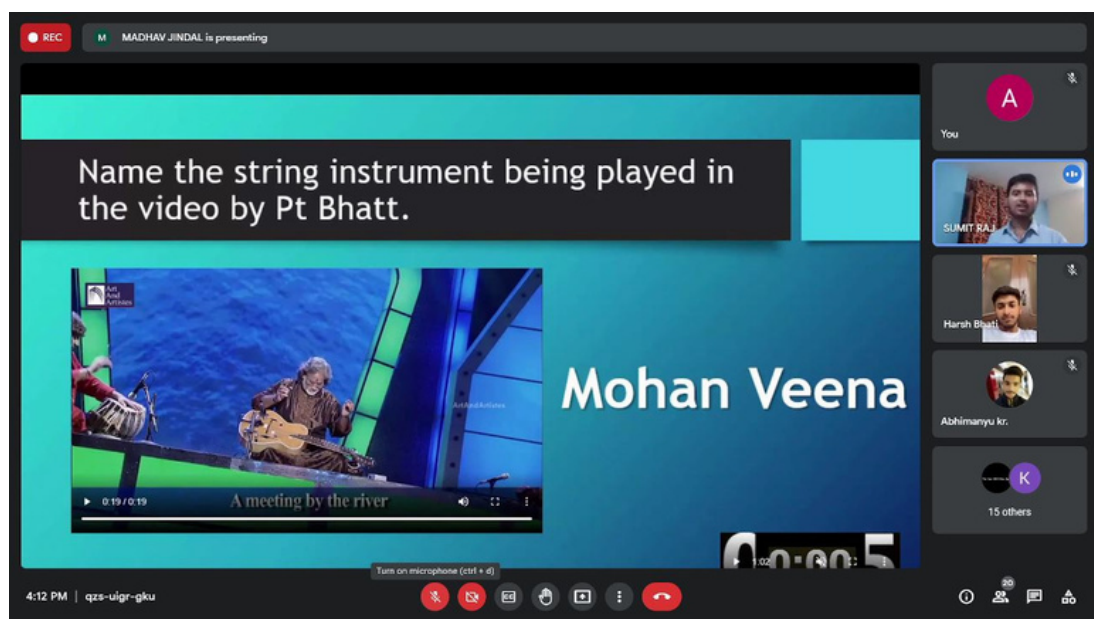
The top 8 teams from the preliminary round qualified for the final round. This round, like the previous, was based on a mixture of themes including *Politics, Economics & Finance, Sports, Art & Culture, Current Affairs, and Literature & Miscellaneous*.

Unlike the prelims, this round was conducted on Google Meet. The finals not only had MCQs, rather they also had audiovisual and image-based questions too. There were 4 rounds in the finals.

After a cutthroat competition, the duo of Ashwin Kakra & Piyush Pandey stood first, followed by Madhav Khurrana as the runner. Kabir Jha bagged the third position. The finals were hosted by Sumit Raj and they were also live streamed on YouTube.



The winners were given exciting prizes and digital certificates were given to all the finalists. The session concluded with our Convenor sir's address to the winners followed by the thank you note by the President.



# Looking Forward

The club looks forward to organize more interactive quizzes both in online and offline modes. We also hope to see a rise in the participation - win ratio of the club members in inter college quizzes. Our members actively participated in lot of inter college quizzes held across the DU Quizzing Circuit.

The club aims to carry forward its vision of spreading the thrill of quizzing more among the members of our college. We expect to see young enthusiasts from all the courses turning in, to be the Quizheads of the future.

Awaiting a vibrant academic session ahead!

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