

PRAKRITI – The Garden Society

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“The earth does not belong to us; we belong to the earth.”

The garden society of the college embodies our dedication to nurture the earth and our soul both within its serene embrace. Being gardening society Prakriti is verdant oasis of our college and fosters vibrant community where students converge to connect with tranquillity of nature with a sense of environmental stewardship inspiring sustainable living.

In 2023, Sri Guru Gobind Singh College of Commerce made history by celebrating Vasantotsav on Basant Panchami for the first time in its forty-year existence. This achievement was made possible by Prakriti, a newly formed garden society. The event was marked by the distribution of planters and sweets, symbolizing the arrival of spring and the festive spirit of Indian traditions. The Gurudwara lawn was transformed into a lively scene with colorful kites, adding to the festive ambiance. Everyone dressed in radiant yellow attire in honor of the goddess Saraswati. Prakriti's dedication to continuing this tradition with enthusiasm highlights their commitment to cultural preservation. The successful celebration not only signifies a cultural revival but also fosters a more vibrant and connected SGGSCC community. Prakriti aims to promote unity and belongingness within the college family, promising more engaging events in the future. The Earth Day event held on April 22, 2024, featured a successful talk on the subject of "Companion Planting." The talk provided practical knowledge and insights into sustainable gardening practices. As part of the sustainability initiative and to reduce single-use plastic, reusable glass bottles were launched during the event. The talk aimed to promote environmentally friendly gardening techniques and raise awareness about the importance of reducing plastic waste. Overall, the event contributed to fostering a greener mindset and encouraging responsible choices for a healthier planet.