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EASTERN INDIA REGIONAL COUNCIL

THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA SOUTH ODISHA CHAPTER

The Chapter organised an evening talk on 11.05.2022 at the Chapter's Conference Hall on the topic "Role of CMAs in Power Sector". CMA Ramesh Kumar Gochhayat, DGM (F&A) IRE Ltd. Chatrapur, Odisha was the Chief Guest and spoke in detail on the topic. CMA Bharat Kumar Bhadawat, Chief, Corporate Governance, TPDL, New Delhi, as the main speaker elaborated over the importance of the subject. Shri Bijay Mohanty, CFO, TPSODL, and Shri V. P Sharma, CCO, TPSODL, Berhampur were the guests of honour and highlighted the various aspects of the topic. CMA Ashwini Kumar Patro, Chairman, South Odisha Chapter earlier welcomed the guests and invitees and briefly dealt with over the basic aspects of the topic. CMA Binod Bihari Nayak, Chairman, Professional Development Committee, welcomed and introduced the guests and CMA N. C. Kar, Chairman, Oral Coaching Committee proposed vote of thanks.



THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA BHUBANESWAR CHAPTER

To highlight the three day seminar on "Cost Excellence-A Sustainable Business Strategy", a press meet was conducted at the Chapter premises on 12.05.2022.

The Chapter celebrated its Annual Function –2022 cum Student Felicitation Function in a grand manner at CMA Bhawan Bhubaneswar on 22.05.2022. Smt. Sarmistha Kumari Sethi, Member of Parliament (Lok Sabha), Jajpur Constituency Odisha inaugurated the annual function as Chief Guest. Shri Ananta Narayan Jena, Hon'ble MLA, Bhubaneswar (Central Constituency) was the guest of honour. CMA Ramesh Chandra Joshi, Director (Finance), NALCO Ltd., Bhubaneswar, CMA (Dr.) Ashish P. Thatte, Council Member and Chairman, Corporate Laws Committee, ICAI, CMA Niranjan Mishra, Council Member and Chairman, Committee on Cost Management for Public and Government Services, ICAI and CMA Bibhuti Bhusan Nayak, Regional Council Member and Treasurer, ICAI-EIRC graced the occasion as special guests. All the dignitaries blessed the successful pass out CMA students in different groups for their bright professional career. More than 700 students, members/ faculties/guests actively participated in the function. CMA Himoj Mishra, the then Chairman of the Chapter while delivering welcome address, congratulated and blessed the successful students for their bright professional career. CMA Santanu Kumar Rout, the then Vice Chairman of the Chapter and Chairman of the Coaching Committee highlighted the various activities relating to students and mentioned about the performance of the students of the Chapter in the December, 2021 examinations. CMA Surya Narayan Tripathy, Secretary of the Chapter proposed a vote of thanks and CMA Saktidhar Singh, Past Chairman of the Chapter and Chairman, PD Committee also addressed and congratulated the students. Some meritorious students of the Chapter were awarded with trophies/prize money /certificates of appreciation for their outstanding performance in the December, 2021 examinations. To mark the annual function, a blood donation camp was also organized by the Chapter in association with the Commissionerate Police, Bhubaneswar-Cuttack. Prof. (Dr.) Rama Raman Mohanty, Director, DMET, Odisha inaugurated the blood donation camp as Chief Guest whereat, 75 units of blood was donated by the CMA Students and Members.

The chapter coordinated an awareness programme on Insolvency Profession in association with the Insolvency Professional Agency of the Institute of Cost Accountants of India on 05.06.2022 at CMA Bhawan, Bhubaneswar to commemorate Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav (AKAM). A discussion was held on the topic "IBC, 2016 - It's Career Opportunities". More than 100 persons consisting of professional students, college students, CMA Members and stakeholders participated . Shri P Mohan Raj, Member (Judicial), NCLT, Cuttack Bench, was the chief guest and inaugurated the programme . CMA CS (Dr.) Suresh Chandra Mohanty, President (2013-14), ICAI & Insolvency Professional was the special guest. Shri Umesh Chandra Sahoo, Advocate & Insolvency Professional acted as the as resource person. CMA CS (Dr.) S K Gupta, Managing Director, ICMAI Registered Valuers Organisation, New Delhi also addressed the participants virtually. CMA Santanu Kumar Rout, Chairman of the Chapter earlier delivered the welcome address and CMA Surya Narayan Tripathy, Secretary of the Chapter proposed a vote of thanks upon conclusion. CMA Asutosh Debata, Practicing Cost Accountant and Insolvency Professional, Bhubaneswar was the flag bearer at the said awareness programme and CMA Saktidhar Singh, Chairman, PD Committee of the Chapter facilitated the programme.





NORTHERN INDIA REGIONAL COUNCIL

THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA BEAWAR CHAPTER

The Chapter started a drive called "Abhivyakti" on the occasion of CMA Institute Foundation Month and also Beawar Chapter Foundation Month in May. As a part of this drive during the entire month of May, different activities and webinars were organized. Drive started with the webinar on 1st May on topic "TDS & TCS Provisions". Chief Guest of the webinar was CMA Shailendra Paliwal (Chairman-NIRC) and Guest of Honour was CMA Rajendra Singh Bhati (RCM-NIRC). CMA Mandeep Singh, Joint Secretary, Beawar Chapter acted as the Moderator of the webinar. Keynote speaker of the webinar is CMA Mitesh Chopra, Secretary, Beawar Chapter & Member NIRC Direct Tax Cell who focussed on the Concepts along with practical and technical difficulties faced by many members. CMA (Dr.) Pawan Jaiswal Ji, Chairman NIRC Direct Tax Cell was the special guest of the webinar who with his knowledge about the subject not only helped members in solving the practical difficulties faced by them but also made the session an interactive one. On 14th and 15th May, 2022 the Chapter organized a Mega Sports Event in which sports activities like Underarm Cricket, Chess (As Per International Rules) and Carom were organized. CMA Mandeep Singh Joint Secretary of the Chapter convened the programme. He told that the Chief Guest of the programme was CMA Rajendra



Singh Bhati (RCM -NIRC) and Satyanarayan Mittal (Past Chairman Kota). CMA Rupesh Kothari(Immediate Past Chairman of Beawar Chapter) welcomed the chief guests of the programme and spoke about the various other activities that chapter is going to organize in its Foundation month. CMA Rajendra Singh Bhati highlighted the value of CMA Course and its future growth aspect. CMA Satyanarayan Mittal appreciated the work done by Beawar Chapter. He said that in just 2 years Beawar Chapter has done a remarkable job and received "Best Emerging Chapter Award" from NIRC. CMA Prakash Kothari (Chairman Beawar Chapter) motivated the students and awared them about the various opportunities available. CMA Mitesh Chopra (Secretary Beawar Chapter) spoke about the success of the event. On this occasion CMA Prakash Kothari, CMA Mitesh Chopra, CMA Rupesh Kothari, CMA Mandeep Singh, CMA Ankur Singhal, CMA Mayank Pipara, CMA Shubham Sankhla, CMA Piyush Duggar, CMA Navneet Munot, Rakesh Kumawat, Rajender Jangid and other members and students were present. The Chapter organized a "CMA Marathon" on occasion of CMA Foundation Day and Beawar Chapter Foundation Day on 28th May. On the occasion of 63rd Foundation Day of the Institute and Beawar Chapter 2nd Foundation Day, CMA Marathon was organized on 28th May for its students and members. CMA Mandeep Singh, Joint Secretary of Beawar Chapter acted as Convener of the CMA Marathon. He told that the Guest of honour for the function was Chairman of Municipal Corporation, Shri Naresh Kanojiya along with the Parshad of the region, Shri Mangat Singh Monu. CMA Jyoti Maheshwari (Treasurer Beawar Chapter) spoke about the path of the marathon which started from Beawar Gurudwara sahib then continuing towards Bhagat Choraha, Ajmeri Gate, Ekta Circle, Loharan Chopad, Pali Bazar, then towards Chang Gate and then again ended at Shri Gurudwara Sahib followed by the breakfast. CMA Mandeep Singh further mentioned that marathon was joined by more than 250 students and members and amongst which top 10 winners were felicitated and all the participants were given a participation certificate. On occasion of this marathon, CMA Mandeep Singh, CMA Jyoti Maheshwari, CMA Mayank Pipara, CMA Ankur

Singhal, CMA Shubham Sankhla, CMA Piyush Duggar, Rakesh Kumawat, Rajender Jangid, Sachin Maheshwari, Dushyant Sharma, Rishita Dosi, Prishita Sharma, Diksha Chhattani, Darshni Prajapati, Ritika Bansal, Kirti Soni, Aayushi Sharma, Bhawna Ratwani, Yashika Motiyani, Sarita Choudhary, Resham Sain and others were present.

THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA KANPUR CHAPTER





The Chapter organised a professional meet on 30th May, 2022. The chief guest was President CMA P. Raju Iyer and guest of honour was CMA Shailendra Paliwal, Chairman, NIRC. In first phase At the outset, Chairman, Kanpur Chapter CMA R.K. Trivedi while welcoming all members and dignitaries stated that it was a historic event in which President, ICAI accepted the Chapter's invitation at short notice and agreed to address the Chapter members. CMA R.K. Shukla made a presentation in which he explained various avenues available to CMAs not only in employment but also in the area of practice as GST Audit, Internal Audit, Statutory Audit, Insolvency resolution etc. CMA Shailendra Paliwal congratulated team Kanpur and Chairman, NIRC for organising the professional meet. CMA Ajai Kumar Sharma elaborated the various activities of the Chapter. In his presidential address CMA P. Raju Iyer stated that Kanpur Chapter is one of the oldest Chapter in India and pioneer in the northern region and its members are highly active in professional up gradation. The vote of thanks was proposed by CMA A.K. Srivastava and and anchor of the programme CMA Ashutosh Mishra, Joint Secretary, K.C.C.A. President CMA P. Raju also addressed media questions and clarified various issues raised by the members.

THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA AGRA MATHURA CHAPTER

To commemorate the *Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav* (AKAM), the Chapter planted a tree sapling in the Chapter campus. Founder Chairman, CMA Rajesh Gupta with other members and officials attended the celebrations. Every year when the new office bearers of the Chapter resume their offices and in every semester when the new batch starts as a mandate, they all have to plant a tree in the Chapter campus. With this initiatives of "CMA & Green Environment" the Chapter Campus is full of greenery.



THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA JAIPUR CHAPTER

The Chapter organized a seminar on 21st May 2022 on the topics "Overview of RERA – A professional opportunity" and "Importance of Physiotherapy in Daily Life". Chairman of the Chapter, CMA S.L. Swami welcomed the key speakers and all the participants. In the first technical session, CA Praniti Agarwal, leading tax practitioner explained in detail the recent changes in RERA Act and professional opportunities for CMAs. In the second technical session, Dr. Avtar Doi, Physiotherapist spoke about the importance of physiotherapy in our daily life and gave various tips for better life. The programme was conducted by Treasurer of the Chapter, CMA Deepak Kr. Khandelwal. At the conclusion, Secretary of the Chapter, CMA Sudarshan Nahar thanked the key speakers and the participants.

Under the Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav celebrations, the Chapter organised Insolvency profession awareness program on 5th June 2022 in association with IBBI and Insolvency Professional Agency of ICAI (CMA). CMA Sudarshan Nahar, Chairman of the Chapter welcomed all guests and participants. Chief Guest CMA Lalit





Maheshwari, Registrar, NCLT Jaipur, briefly spoke about the insolvency process and career opportunity for the youngsters. Dr. Saurabh Sharma, HOD (Commerce), Manipal University enlightened the participants on IBC and its impact. CMA Rama Krishna Agarwal IP briefed the process as to how to become an insolvency professional. CMA Vishnu Upadhyay IP dealt with the eligibility criteria to become IP, graduate insolvency program (GIP), from where it can be done (IICA, Maneser and NLIU, Bhopal) powers and duties of IPs etc. CMA Purnima Goyal, Treasurer of the Chapter, conducted the program. Certificates of participation were issued to all the participants. There was a request from Dr. Saurabh Sharma, Manipal University to conduct the similar programme for their students also. At the end of the programme, immediate past Chairman, CMA S.L. Swami thanked the invitees and participants.

Under Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav celebration, the Chapter organised a tree plantation program at its premises on 9th June 2022 to make the environment pollution free and also as a social responsibility for Green India. Chairman of the Chapter, CMA Sudarshan Nahar, Vice-Chairman CMA Harendra Pareek, Secretary CMA Deepak Kr. Khandelwal, Treasurer CMA Purnima Goyal, immediate past Chairman CMA S.L. Swami, CMA Kapil Agarwal, CMA Deepak Mittal, CMA Bharat Swami and many other members and staff were present on this occasion. The Chapter conducted a live program on 16.06.2022 at 101.2 FM of All India Radio (Akashvani), Jaipur under the program

"Margdarshan" which was transmitted from 9.15 to 10.00 am. At the program, Immediate Past Chairman of the Chapter CMA S.L. Swami described about CMA Course, Education, Training and professional avenues. Queries raised by the participants were replied satisfactorily by CMA S.L. Swami.



SOUTHERN INDIA REGIONAL COUNCIL

SIRC of ICAI - Internal Auditing and Assurance Standards Board-ICAI, jointly organized PD meeting on Internal Auditing for Sustainable Devt & Performance Measurement on 04.06.2022 at SIRC Premises. Guest of Honor: Gp Capt Dr. R. Venkataraman, Madras Management Association. As per the directives received from Headquarters, SIRC observed Bharat Ki Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav "Green India - Tree Plantation Drive" on 09.06.2022 at its premises. CMA Rajesh Sai Iyer, Treasurer, SIRC - ICAI, students and staff members of SIRC participated in the event. The CEO & CFO's Meet was organised by SIRC on 11th June, 2022 at Hotel Hyatt Regency, Chennai. The meeting focused on the importance of the Cost & Management Accountants in Decision Making and Strategic Planning in the Corporates and Other Entities. CMA P Raju Iyer, President, ICAI highlighted the activities of the Institute in Agri-Cost Management, MSME's Sector, Internal Auditing and Assurance Services. CMA Vijender Sharma , Vice President, ICAI stressed the Importance of Forensic Audit and Performance Audit in achieving operational excellence. As directed by HQ, the International Yoga Day was celebrated at SIRC on 21st June 2022.







THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA BENGALURU CHAPTER

The Chapter organized "CMA Convention on Agri Value Management" at The Capitol Hotel, Bengaluru. Kum. Shobha Karandlaje, Minister of State for Agriculture and Farmers Welfare, Government of India was the chief guest. Shri Hanumanagowda Belaguri - Chairman, Agriculture Pricing Commission, Government of Karnataka, Shri.B.C.Patil, Agriculture Minister, Government of Karnataka were the special guests. Other speakers were Prof. S.K.Yadav -Director, School of Agriculture IGNOU, New Delhi, Dr.Gali Basavaraj - Deputy Director, Centre of Excellence in Farmer Producer Organisations, College of Horticulture, University of Horticultural Sciences Campus GKVIC, Dr.Ashokraj Bapugowda Patil - Officer on Special Duty to the Minister of Agriculture Govt. of Karnataka. Dr.B.N.S.Murthy, Director, Indian Institute of Horticultural Research, Prof. Chandrakanth Agro Economist and Rtd.Director ISEC, Dr.Suseelendra Desai, Dean-NMIMS University School of Agricultural Science & Technology Shripur, CMA (Dr) Paritosh Basu, Senior Professor & Chairperson of MBA (Law) Program NMIMs University School of Business Management- Mumbai, CMA P.Raju. Iyer, President, CMA, (Dr) K.Ch.A V S N Murthy- Chairman Task force on Agri Cost Management, CMA Ravendranath Kaushik, Member, Task force on Agri Cost Management, CMA Jayaram AV., Vice Chairman BCCA, CMA Satish R., Chairman, BCCA, CMA Raghavendra B.K., Secretary BCCA, CMA Manjula B.S., Chairperson PF, CMA Dr.Gurudath A.S. Member BCCA, CMA Vishwanath Bhat, Vice Chairman, SIRC, CMA Vijayalakshmi K.R., Coaching Chairperson BCCA and CMA Pranabandhu Dwibedy, Treasurer BCCA.

The Chapter organized a professional development programme on "GST for Beginners and Practitioners" on 04.06.2022. CMA Girish G.R, Practicing Cost Accountant, CMA Harish U, Practicing Cost Accountant, CMA Nuthan Prasad G E, Practicing Cost Accountant, CMA Srinivas G Practicing Cost Accountant, CMA Satish R, Chairman BCCA, CMA Raghavendra B.K., Secretary BCCA, CMA Jayaram A V, Vice Chairman BCCA, CMA Sreepada H R – PD Chairman BCCA, CMA Vijayalakshmi K R – Coaching Chairman were the speakers at the programme.

The Chapter organized a Practitioners' Forum on (i) "Ind AS 101 & Ind AS 116 Applicability and (ii) The Impact of Covid -19 on Cost Allocation" at the Chapter premises – both physical and webinar . CMA Mohan R Lavi ,Partner, K.P.Rao & Co., Chartered Accountants. CMA Ramaskanda N , Sr.Partner Rao, Murthy & Associates, Cost Accountants, CMA Satish R , Chairman BCCA, CMA Raghavendra B.K., Secretary BCCA, CMA Jayaram A V, Vice Chairman BCCA, CMA Sreepada H R , PD Chairman BCCA, CMA Vijayalakshmi K R , Coaching Chairman were the speakers.

"Green India - Tree Plantation Drive - In association with MS Ramaiah Group of Institutions" a tree plantation drive was conducted at VTU Centre for PG Studies, Muddenahalli, on June 3, 2022. Dr. M K Purushottama, Principal & Director of RIBS, CMA Satish R, Chairman BCCA, CMA Raghavendra B.K., Secretary BCCA, CMA Vijayalakshmi K R, Coaching Chairman were the speakers on the occasion.

To commemorate *Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav* the Minister of Corporate Affairs administered a live oath to the members at the Chapter Premises on June 7, 2022. The Chief Guest was Union Minister of Finance and Corporate Affairs Smt. Nirmala Sitharaman. The guests of honour were Shri. Rao Inderjit Singh, Minister of State (I/C) for Statistics & Programme implementation, Minister of State (I/C) for Planning and Corporate Affairs, CMA Satish R., Chairman BCCA, CMA Vijayalakshmi K R, Coaching Chairman, CMA Jayarama A.V., Vice Chairman BCCA.

The Crash Course on GST was inaugurated at Government Ramnarayan Chellaram College of commerce & Management Bengaluru. The Chief Guest was Dr. B. V. Murali Krishna, Additional Commissioner of Commercial Taxes, Government of Karnataka. Other guests of honour were CMA Satish R., Chairman BCCA, CMA Ragavendra B.K., Secretary BCCA, CMA Vijayalakshmi K R., Coaching Chairman, CMA Pranabandhu Dwibedy, Treasurer BCCA.

A CMA course awareness programme was arranged at All India Radio Station covering 13 stations all over Karnataka on 14.06.2022. CMA Satish R., Chairman BCCA was the speaker of the programme.

Dhee -Vikasa Students Study Circle Meeting on "Guidance on Clearing Upcoming June, 2022 Examination" was held at the Chapter premises on 11.06.2022 when CMA Satish N., Member BCCA and CMA Saravanan K., ADCA Tax Consultant provided guidance to students.









THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA HYDERABAD CHAPTER

The Parliament passed a Bill to revamp the functioning of the institutes of chartered accountants, cost accountants and company secretaries, with Union Finance and Corporate Affairs Minister Smt. Nirmala Sitharaman asserted that the changes will usher in transparency and will not in any way impact the autonomy of these bodies. The chapter organised a programme on "The Chartered Accountants, Cost and Works Accountants and Company Secretaries (Amendment) Act, 2022" on May 12, 2022 whyen CMA Balwinder Singh, Former President and Central Council Member, The Institute of Cost Accountants of India, CMA B.B. Goyal, Advisor, MARF. The Institute of Cost Accountants of India, and CMA Dr. K.Ch.A.V.S.N. Murthy, Central Council Member of the Institute spoke on the various aspects and implications of the said Bill.

Dr. K. Suvarchala Rani, Assistant Professor, Bhavans's Vivekananda College of Science, Humanities and Commerce made a lucid presentation on 'Unearthing your emotional intelligence covering the points like Ability to sense emotion, controlling emotions, humanity, how to react, reaction with moments, self-management, ability to understand etc.



THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA VISAKHAPATNAM CHAPTER

The Chapter organized an awareness programme on Insolvency Profession with special reference to Graduate Insolvency Programme (GIP)" on 05th June 2022 at CMA Bhawan. Chief guest Shri V.V.Venugopal Rao, Director (Finance), Rashtriya Ispat Nigam Ltd, Visakhapatnam. CMA CA CS A. Chandra Sekhar, Founder Partner, SARC & Associates, Chartered Accountants, Visakhapatnam, Shri Rajendra M.Ganatra, Financial Restructuring & Registered Insolvency Professional, Ex MD & CEO at India SME Asset Reconstruction Co. Limited, and CA Ritesh Mittal, Senior Partner M/s. Sanjay Kumar Kothari and Co., Chartered Accountants & Insolvency Professional were the main speakers., CMA S.Ramprasad Chairman, CMA T.Harinarayana Vice-Chairman, CMA S.Rama Rao Secretary, CMA U.Lakshmana Rao, Treasurer of the

Chapter attended the meet.

The Chapter organized a professional development meet on "Opportunities for CMA Professionals in practice and service" on the occasion of CMA Formation day on 28th May 2022 at the Chapter premises. CMA U. Prakash, Practicing Cost Accountant, Visakhapatnam, CMA S.Ramprasad, Chairman, CMA U.Lakshmana Rao, Treasurer of the Chapter were among the eminent dignitaries who attended and spoke.





THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA MYSURU CHAPTER



The Chapter organized *Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav* Green India tree plantation drive on 09.06.2022 at Sarada Vilas College premises with the support of Dr. Sathyanarayana-Dean, Dept. of Commerce and Management of the College. The tree plantation drive was inaugurated by CMA M Ashok Kumar, Treasurer, CMA N R Desai ,MC Member and CMA S. Mallikarjuna ,Member of Mysuru Chapter of

ICAI by planting saplings and it was followed by faculty Members students, staff of the Chapter and dignitaries of the college planting sapplings. The Chapter thanked the Management committee of the college, faculties, staff and students for coordinating and cooperating the programme.

THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA COCHIN CHAPTER

The Central Tax, Central Excise & Customs Department of the Government of India organised a webcast of the Inauguration of Iconic Week at Vigyan Bhawan on 06th June, 2022 by Shri Narendra Modi, Prime Minister as part of *Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav* (AKAM) CMA Lajeesh K L, Chairman participated in the event as Chapter representative.

The Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Government of India organised an Investors Round Table Conference on 06th June, 2022 at Kochi Marriott Hotel. Shri. Piyush Goyal Minister chaired the function. On behalf of Cochin Chapter CMA Lajeesh K L, Chairman participated in the event.

The Government of India is celebrating to commemorate the 75 years of India's Independence. In this regard, the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) organised various Iconic events from 6th to 12th June 2022. The Institute had associated with the Investor Education and Protection Fund Authority (IEPFA) along with ICSI, ICAI, IICA, NFCG, NFRA, IBBI, NFCG & CCI to organise MCA Iconic Day event under AKAM at Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi on 7th June, 2022. As part of this event CMA Lajeesh K L, Chairman of the Chapter, along with CMA Meena George, Secretary of the Chapter, Staff members and Students took the pledge at the Chapter premises.

The Chapter organised the "Green India - Tree Plantation Drive" as part of the Government of India, Bharat Ki Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav to commemorate the 75 years of India's Independence on June 09, 2022. The programme was inaugurated by handing over tree saplings to the nearby residents and Students by CMA (Shri.) Lajeesh K. L, Chairman of the Chapter. The Chapter Chairman also planted saplings in different locations along with CMA (Smt.) Meena George, Secretary of the Chapter, CMA (Shri.) Sankar P. Panicker, Member SIRC of ICAI. Staff members of the Chapter and Students were also present in the programme.

The Chapter organised an evening programme on the topic "Recent Changes in Schedule III of The Companies Act 2013" on 17th June 2022 at the Silver Jubilee Hall, CMA Bhavan,, Kaloor. CA Baby Paul, FCA was the speaker. CMA Lajeesh K L, Chairman of the Chapter introduced the speaker and welcomed the gathering and CMA Charujith C Mohan, Chairman, PD Committee proposed a vote of thanks.





THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA MADURAI CHAPTER

The Chapter organized a programme on International Yoga Day with YOGA Master Shri. R. Alagar Ramanujam on 21th June 2022, at Madurai Chapter Premises. CMA Dr S Kumararajan Chairman, CMA R K Bapulal, Vice Chairman, CMA P Mahalakshmi, Secretary and other Members participated in the programme.



WESTERN INDIA REGIONAL COUNCIL

THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA NAVI MUMBAI CHAPTER

The Chapter conducted a webinar as part of CEP programme on "ESG and BRS Reporting" on 29th May 2022 via Google Meet app. The speaker for this event was CS Deepak Jain. CMA Vivek Bhalerao, Chairman of the PD Committee of the Chapter welcomed the audience and

introduced the speaker and emphasized on the importance of Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) in the industry. The speaker explained ESG and its reporting covering areas like definition of ESG, global warming, scams/frauds, ESG reporting and BRSR. The speaker summarized all the points and underlined the role of CMAs in the various areas providing ample opportunities for CMAs. The lucid presentation and interactive discussions concluded with the vote of thanks proposed by CMA L Prakash, Past Chairman of the Chapter.



THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA SURAT SOUTH GUJARAT CHAPTER

The Managing Committee of the Chapter took the initiative to represent the Chapter at Vice Chancellor's office of the Veer Narmad South Gujarat University, Surat. CMA Nanty Shah- Chairman along with CMA Brijesh Mali, Past Chairman and managing Committee Member met Dr. Kishor Sinh Chavda, Vice Chancellor of the University on 15 June, 2022.

The Chapter organized a career counseling program at the Chapter Office on 13th June 2022. CMA Nanty Shah, Chairman, CMA Keval Shah, Vice Chairman, CMA K.C. Gupta, Secretary, CMA Kishor Vaghela, Treasurer and CMA Bharat Savani, Immediate Past Chairman conducted the session and motivated the students to get themselves enrolled in the course.





THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA PUNE CHAPTER

The Chapter arranged an Outreach program in association with MTPA & ACMA on the subject "The Maharashtra Settlement of Arrears of Tax, Interest, Penalty or Late Fee Act, 2022" on 2nd June 2022 at CMA Bhawan, Karve nagar. Smt Renuka Nandedkar, Joint Commissioner of State Tax, Shri .Mukund Panhalkar - Dy. Commissioner of State Tax Large Tax Payer Unit-2, Pune, Smt Anjali Dhamal, Dy. Commissioner of State Tax Large Tax Payer Unit-2, Pune, Mr Ashwani Jotshi, from Automotive Component Manufacturers Association of India, CMA Manoj Chitalikar, President MTP were the speakers. CMA Rahul Chincholkar, Managing Committee Member of ICAI-Pune Chapter welcomed and introduced the speakers to the participants. CMA Dr. Sanjay Bhargave, Advisor, Pune Chapter felicitated Smt.Renuka Nandedkar Shri Mukund Panhalkar & Smt. Anjali Dhamal. CMA Nilesh Kekan, Treasurer of the Chapter felicitated Shri Ashwani Jotshi, from Automotive Component Manufacturers Association of India while CMA Shrikant Ippalpalli, Managing Committee Member of the Chapter felicitated CMA Manoj Chitalikar, President MTP. The session was very lucid and knowledge sharing. Smt. Anjali Dhamal discussed the various schemes of Maharashtra State on The Maharashtra Settlement of Arrears of Tax, Interest, Penalty or Late Fee Act, 2022. CMA Nilesh Kekan, Treasurer of ICAI-Pune Chapter proposed a vote of thanks.

The Ministry of Corporate Affairs (Govt. of India) organized an Investor Oath programme under *Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav* at Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi on 7th June 2022 in Hybrid mode in 75 locations all over India. A film on journey of Corporate Governance, and commemorative postal stamp on financial literacy and Investor awareness were also released. Launch of National CSR Exchange portal, release of Publication on IBC, Prize distribution of National Online Quiz competition on IBC and Release of E Book "A compendium on CSR" also took place on the occasion . Members from ICAI, ICSI and officials from ROCs, BLs attended the programme. CMA Nagesh Bhagane, Secretary of the Chapter, staff members and students also participated in this program.





The Government of India has embarked upon celebrating the 75 years of Independence through the 75 weeks commencing from 12 March 2021 to 15 August 2022. The celebrations are being done under the centrally launched campaign Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav with five broad themes viz., India as a Vishwa Guru, India's Rich Cultural Heritage, Atma Nirbhar Bharat, Celebrating Unsung Heroes and Ideas, Achievements & Resolve. Various programmes are organized under the theme Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav all over India by the Institute. As a part of this the Chapter arranged the 'Green India tree plantation drive" at CMA Bhawan, Karvenagar on 9th June, 2022 CMA Neeraj Joshi, Central Council Member, ICAI, CMA Chaitanya Mohrir, RCM, WIRC, CMA Nagesh Bhagane, Secretary of the Chapter, CMA Meena Vaidya, Advisor, Pune Chapter, Dr.Rajendra Khedekar, Chairman, Dnyanyog Seva Kendra Trust, Shri. Vikas Mane, Co-ordinator Bhartiya Yuvak Kalyan and Vyayam Kendra, CMA Members, staff and students of the Chapter were present on the occasion.

The Chapter organized a CEP on the topic "Insolvency Profession" jointly with Indian Institute of Insolvency Professionals of ICAI, Institute of Insolvency Professionals ICSI & Insolvency Professional Agency of The Institute of Cost Accountants of India at CMA Bhawan, Karvenagar on 9th June, 2022. The objective of the programme was to make the youth, pursuing Degree courses in Finance/





Accounts/Management/ Law/ Commerce Colleges, aware of the Insolvency Profession and the career opportunities. CMA Neeraj D. Joshi, CCM, ICAI was present at the programme. CS (CMA) Chandrashekhar Adawadkar was the speaker, CMA Shrikant Ippalpalli introduced the speaker to the participants. CMA Vishnu Sharma felicitated CMA Neeraj D. Joshi the programme.

In response to the call given by the Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi, the Chapter celebrated the 8th International Yoga Day on 21st June 2022 at CMA Bhawan, Karvenagar. CMA Prasad Joshi, Chairman of the Chapter welcomed and felicitated the Yog guru CMA D V Patwardhan. CMA (Dr.) N K Nimkar, Past Chairman of the Chapter shared his experience about role of Yoga in health for all. CMA Nilesh Kekan, Treasurer-ICAI Pune Chapter proposed a vote of thanks.

Members of the Managing Committee of the Chapter visited Pune Municipal Corporation to felicitate CMA Smt.Ulka Kalaskar who has been promoted as Joint Commissioner of Finance of Pune Municipal Corporation from Chief Finance officer. CMA Prasad Joshi, Chairman of the Chapter felicitated Smt Ulka Kalaskar. CMA Meena Vaidya, Advisor, Pune Chapter, CMA Nagesh Bhagane, Secretary, CMA Shrikant Ippalpalli and CMA Rahul Chincholkar Managing Committee members of the Chapter congratulated and felicitated Smt Ulka Kalaskar.

The Chapter arranged a CEP on the subject "Internal Audit - A Practice" on 24th June 2022 at CMA Bhawan, Karvenagar. CA Anand Joshi was the speaker. CMA Shrikant Ippalpalli, Member of the Chapter welcomed and introduced the speaker to the participants. CMA Nilesh Kekan, Treasurer of the Chapter felicitated the speaker CA Anand Joshi. The session was very educative and knowledge sharing. CMA Nilesh Kekan Treasurer of the Chapter proposed a vote of thanks.

THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA AHMEDABAD CHAPTER

The Chapter organized as part of the CEP a workshop and Networking series on "Forensic audit" from 7th Juneto 11th June 2022. During the workshop following topics were discussed:

Introduction and Basics; Fraud and Fraud detection; Forensic Audit Methodology and procedures; Forensic Documents examination; and Legal Perspective, CMA Malhar Dalwadi, Chairman of the Chapter welcomed the speakers CA Samir Chaudhary and Dr. Kapil Kumar and also the participant members. He also introduced both speakers.

All the sessions were found to be very interactive and useful to the members.

On 7th June'2022 the Chapter's office bearers and other members participated in the Investor Oath during the MCA iconic day event under the 'Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav' and took an Oath. Smt Nirmala Sitharaman, Finance Minister of India, addressed the participants.

With a view to encourage and educate the existing as well as potential investors to benefit from the capital markets a programme was organized on the theme "Creating Wealth through Market" on 10th June'2022. The programme included a live inaugural address by Smt. Nirmala Sitharaman, Minister of Finance and Corporate Affairs in the august presence of MoS (Finance), Dr. Bhagwat Kishanrao Karad. Chairman of Chapter CMA Malhar Dalwadi and Secretary of Chapter CMA Mitesh Prajapati participated.

The Chapter organized a meeting to discuss the "Exposure Draft Cost Auditing Standards" on 17th, 18th and 20th June'2022. Central Council Member CMA Ashwinkumar Gordhanbhai Dalwadi and Regional Council Member CMA Ashish Bhavsar led the discussions.

International yoga day was celebrated by the Chapter on 21st June 2022. CMA Malhar Dalwadi, Chairman welcomed Shri Kaushal Vyas, Yoga Trainer and felicitated him by offering memento. Shri Kaushal Vyas gave his views on the importance of Yoga. Various aasanas of yoga were demonstrated by Shri Kaushal Vyas.

The Chapter jointly with Baroda Chapter organized a CEP webinar on "Know the Nitty Gritty of Writing a Will" on 25th June'2022. CMA Mihir Vyas, Chairman of Baroda Chapter welcomed the speaker Shri Prakash Lohana

and other participants. Mr. Prakash Lohana in his lucid presentation discussed all the finer aspects of preparing a will. CMA Malhar Dalwadi, Chairman of the Chapter proposed a vote of thanks.

During the month of June 2022, the Chapter did promotional activities for CMA course. As part of Career counseling activity, Oral Coaching Committee Team members met Principals of different schools, Colleges, universities and owners of private classes and distributed pamphlet of the course contents. The Chapter created help desk to resolve the issues of students appearing in the June'22 examination.







THE INSTITUTE OF COST ACCOUNTANTS OF INDIA PIMPRI CHINCHWAD AKURDI CHAPTER

The Chapter conducted a webinar on 'Activity Based Costing' on 28th May 2022 through Google Digital

platform. CMA Ashish Deshmukh, Past Chairman of the Chapter welcomed and introduced the speaker CMA (CS) Chandrashekhar Adawadkar who in his address said that activity-based costing is a costing method that identifies activities in an organization and assigns the cost of each activity to all products and services according to the actual consumption by each. Therefore this model assigns more indirect costs into direct costs compared to conventional costing. He covered the various aspects succinctly during the session.

The Chapter conducted a webinar on 'Cost Reduction is a Process' on 4th June 2022 through Google Digital platform. CMA Dhananjay Kumar Vatsyayan, Chairman of the Chapter welcomed and introduced the speaker CMA Kailash Sankhlecha, Practicing Cost Accountant & Partner – M/s M B Sharma & Associates. CMA Sankhlecha in his speech covered the topic cost control and cost reduction. Control is the process through which conformity is attempted between actual and planned performance.

The Chapter conducted yet another webinar on 'Internal Auditing' on 18th June 2022 through Hybrid Mode i.e Offline and Online mode. CMA Dhananjay Kumar Vatsyayan, Chairman of the Chapter welcomed the speaker and audience and CMA Pratap Bhagwani introduced the speaker CMA C S Adawadkar, Practicing Cost Accountant by offering a memento from the hands of the Chairman. CMA C S Adawadkar in his address briefed on the importance of internal auditing in various Government, Semi-Government, Public and Private sector entities.



