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### Prologue

#### Welcome!

Welcome to the new and returning readers of the picturesque endeavour of DSCSC activities, *Mirpur Newsletter*. Another academic year in this prestigious institution has come to an end on 09 February 2020 with the graduation of DSCSC Course 2019-20. The Honourable Prime Minister of the People's Republic of Bangladesh graced the occasion as the Chief Guest and distributed certificates amongst 235 officers from Bangladesh Armed Forces including 54 overseas military officers from 21 countries.

In this 34th issue of *Mirpur Newsletter*, we intend to keep our readers well informed about the latest news and developments of DSCSC covering the period from September 2019 to February 2020. In addition to the colourful events and photographs, the short description will facilitate the readers to know the on-going academic and social endeavours in this multi-cultural environment.

This *Newsletter* is a demonstration of the eventful days of DSCSC and the continuous efforts taken by the College to improve training programmes and its contents. Development of training is an on-going process with the aim to equip officers with the contemporary issues, knowledge and skills.

We like to convey our best wishes and heartfelt thanks to those who have paid their sincere efforts for the publication of this *Newsletter*. We also express sincere gratitude to all esteemed readers. For more information and better acquaintance, readers may log on to our website [www.dscsc.mil.bd](http://www.dscsc.mil.bd).

### DSCSC Course 2020-21

Total Participants-225

Bangladeshi Course Participants	- 182
Bangladesh Army	- 127
Bangladesh Navy	- 32
Bangladesh Air Force	- 23

Overseas Course Participants - 43

Central Africa, India, Indonesia, Kuwait, KSA, Malaysia, Maldives, Nepal, Nigeria, Pakistan, Palestine, Philippines, Sierra Leone, Sri Lanka, Tanzania & Uganda.



FLASH

## 15<sup>th</sup> JOINT NDC & DSCSC GOVERNING BODY MEETING

15th Joint NDC & DSCSC Governing Body Meeting was held on 15 December 2019. The Honourable Prime Minister of the People's Republic of Bangladesh chaired the Meeting as the President. The meeting was attended by Services Chiefs, Senior Military Officers, Secretaries, Vice-Chancellors of different Public Universities, and other members.



## SIGNING OF MoU

The period between September 2019 to February 2020 witnessed the signing of two memorandum of understanding (MoU) firstly, between the BRAC University and secondly, Bangladesh Public Administration Training Centre (BPATC). According to these MoUs both the Institutions will exchange faculty members, academic data, intellectual articles and publications. The signing of MoUs signified a major step forward in fostering civil-military relations.



Signing Ceremony of MoU with Bangladesh Public Administration Training Centre (BPATC). Maj Gen Md Enayet Ullah, BSP, ndu, psc, Comdt DSCSC & Md. Rakib Hossain ndc, Rector, BPATC signed the MoU on behalf of their respective institutions.



Signing Ceremony of MoU with BRAC University. Brig Gen S. M. Kamrul Hassan, hdmc, ndc, psc, Chief Instructor, DSCSC & Mr. S. N. Kairy, Treasurer, BRAC University signed the MoU on behalf of their respective institutions.



## GRADUATION CEREMONY

The Graduation Ceremony of DSCSC Course 2019-20 was held on 09 February 2020 in 'Sheikh Hasina Complex.' The Honourable Prime Minister of the People's Republic of Bangladesh graced the occasion as the Chief Guest and gave away the certificates to the graduating officers. The ceremony was attended by Ministers, Services Chiefs, Members of the Parliament, Diplomats and Senior Military and Civilian officials.



TRAINING

## BEST IRP AWARD



Best IRP (Individual Research Paper) Award Ceremony was held on the 03 February 2020 at Sheikh Hasina Complex. In DSCSC Course 2019-20 Maj Md Ariful Islam, Ord, Maj Md Zakaria Mamun, Arty, Maj Md Junnun Nahid, SPP, Inf, Maj Md Shameem Ferdous, SPP, Arty from Army Wing, Lt Cdr Mohammad Arifur Rahman, (TAS), BN from Navy Wing, Wg Cdr Muhammad Mahfuzur Rahman, Engg from Air Wing & Maj Taimada Bladiya Dzarma (Nigerian Army) from Overseas Category received the Best IRP Award.

## GRADUATION DINNER



The Graduation Dinner of DSCSC Course 2019-20 was held in Officers' Mess of DSCSC on 30 December 2019. Dr. Shirin Sharmin Chaudhury, the Hon'ble Speaker, Bangladesh Parliament, was present as the Chief Guest. All Student Officers, Permanent Staff, invited Guests from services headquarters, civilian sponsors and their spouses attended the dinner. Chief Guest, Commandant, overseas and Bangladeshi course senior spoke on the occasion.



## GUEST SPEAKERS AND DISTINGUISHED VISITORS

Eminent personalities from various disciplines including academicians, senior military officers and professionals were officially invited to share their knowledge and experiences with the course participants of DSCSC 2019-20. The lectures of guest speakers and visitors were very informative, enlightening and highly pertinent in the present day context. They talked on important issues like Parliamentary Practices, Grooming of Junior Leadership, Maritime Perspective and Air Power in the context of Bangladesh



General Aziz Ahmed, SBP, BSP, BGBM, PBGM, BGBMS, psc, G, Chief of Army Staff, Bangladesh Army



Aurangzeb Chowdhury NBP, OSP, BCGM, BCGMS, ndc, psc, Chief of Naval Staff, Bangladesh Navy



Air Chief Marshal Masihuzzaman Serniabat, BBP, OSP, ndu, psc, Chief of Air Staff, Bangladesh Air Force



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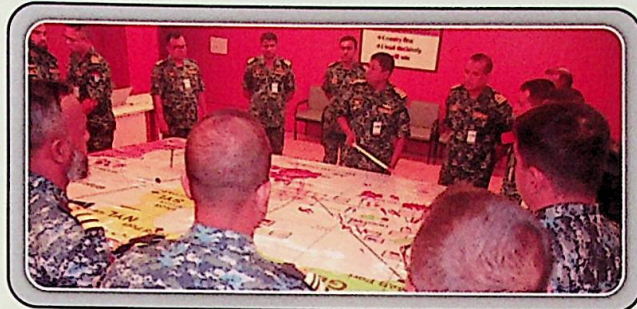
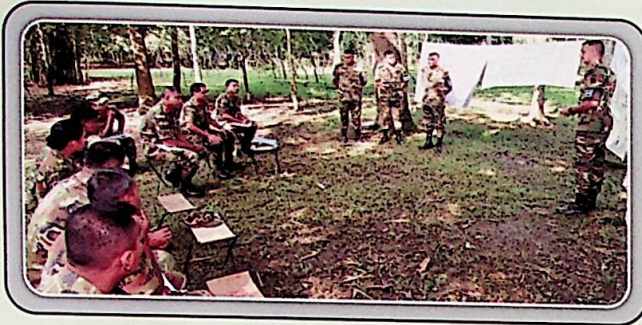


Lt Gen Md Mahfuzur Rahman, rcds, ndc, afwc, psc, PhD  
PSO, AFD



## EXERCISE OF DIFFERENT WINGS

As part of the course curricula of Army Wing, an outdoor exercise named 'EX GURNIJHAR' was conducted at Ghatail. Chief Instructor DSCSC attended the exercise. The Course Participants got immense exposure on planning of defence operations with brigade size force on ground. 'EX AGNI BEENA' was operational and tactical level joint exercise encompassing all the three services. Course Participants gained experience of joint planning in an in-house environment.



## OBSERVANCE OF INDEPENDENCE DAY OF FRIENDLY FOREIGN COUNTRIES

DSCSC arranged celebration of National/ Independence Day of PR China, KSA, Malaysia, Nepal, Nigeria and Uganda. These solemn occasions were observed in a befitting manner by greeting the concerned course participants and giving speeches in presence of all the course participants and permanent staffs.



Independence Day of PR China



National Day of KSA



Independence Day of Malaysia



National Day of Nepal



National Day of Nigeria



Independence Day of Uganda



## VISIT OF FOREIGN DELEGATION

Foreign delegations of UK, China, Zambia and India visited DSCSC at different times between September 2019 to February 2020. Delegation had a call on with the Commandant and discussed about various training activities of DSCSC. The teams were briefed on the educational and training curriculum of the College and exchanged views with the College authority.

VISIT



Call on of Maj Gen Dan F. McDaniel of Deputy Commanding General-North, U.S Army Pacific



Senior Col Qiu Shengjun, Dy Director of General Office of National Defence University (NDU), PLA, China



Lt Gen William Maipambe Sikazwe, psc, Dip DAS MA DSS, Army Commander of Zambia



Call on of Rear Admiral Atul Anand, ACNS (FCI) Indian Navy

## INAUGURATION CEREMONY OF DSCSC MUSEUM

The Inauguration Ceremony of 'DSCSC Museum' was held on 04 February 2020. The Chief of Naval Staff graced the occasion as the Chief Guest. Senior Military officials were also present in this ceremony.

ADMIN





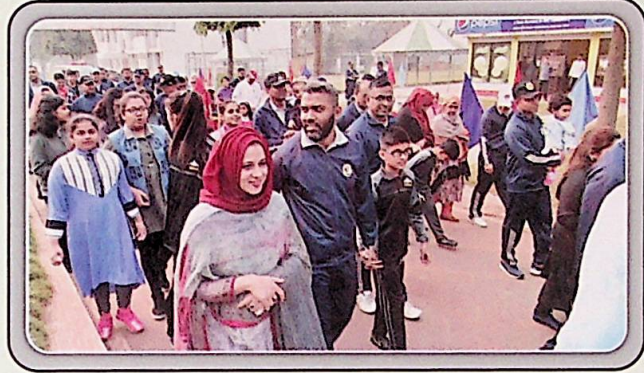
## GAMES AND SPORTS

Games and sports in military have always worked as the refresher of physical and mental state. There was no deviation despite the busy schedule in DSCSC course 2019-20. Annual Sports round-up and HASH RUN took place during this period.

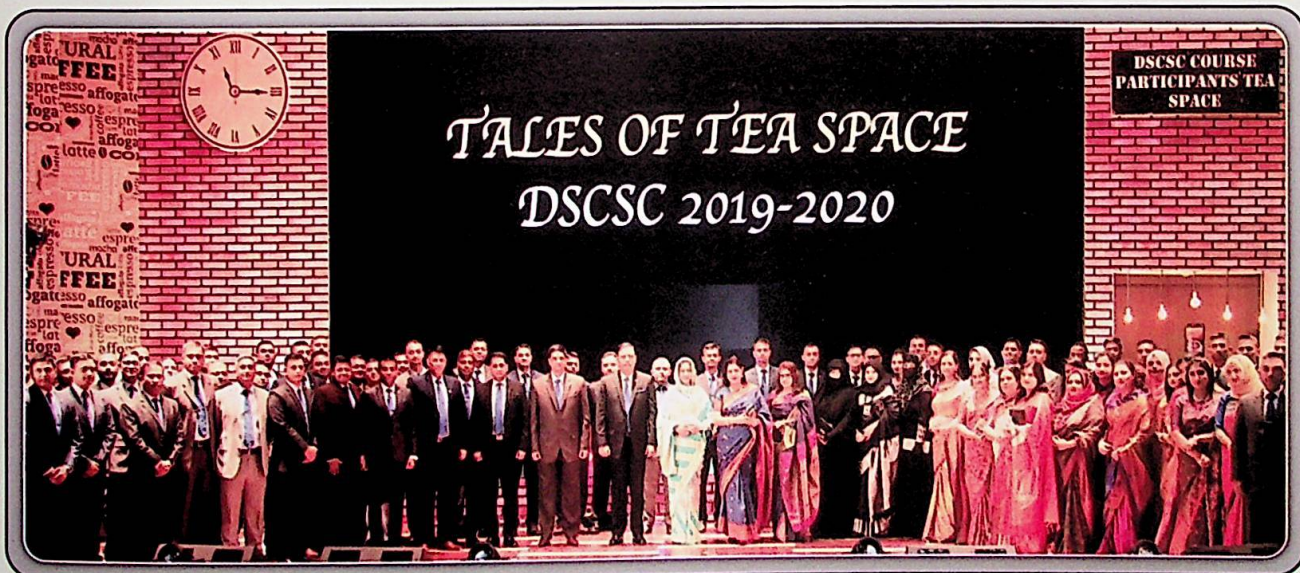


SPORTS

## HASH RUN



## GALA NIGHT



SOCIAL

Gala Night, organized by course participants, held on 1 Feb 20 at Sheikh Hasina Complex (SHC) Auditorium. The event was the last event of the course, prior to the graduation ceremony. Gala Night, 'The Last Anecdote', was organised with spontaneous participation of all course participants and their spouses. Commandant, DSCSC graced the program as Chief Guest. The event facilitated ending the Course 2019-20 with a high note.



## LADIES CLUB ACTIVITIES



Ladies Club arranged a Food Festival for the Course 2019-20. All permanent staffs of DSCSC, Course Participants and Civil Sponsors along with their families attended the festival in a festive mood. Delicious dishes of home and friendly countries were served in the festival.



Golden evening was arranged by DSCSC Ladies Club on 12 December 2019 at Sheikh Hasina Complex Auditorium where ladies and children of DSCSC Course 2019-20 performed various colourful events. Commandant, DSCSC graced the ceremony as Chief Guest.

## NATIONAL PARLIAMENT VISIT

Total 150 members of DSCSC Ladies Club visited Jatiyo Sangsad (National Parliament) on 09 September, 2019. President DSCSC Ladies Club led the team.



## LADIES CLUB CERTIFICATE AWARD CEREMONY

Certificate Award Ceremony of DSCSC Ladies Club was held on 16 January 2020. Certificates were awarded to the lady wives who attended and successfully completed different training activities arranged by DSCSC Ladies Club. Madam Commandant graced the occasion as Chief Guest.



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