

Agendas

Post contesting for: Girl Senator

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Tagline (Punch line):

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Most of the girls have a general habit of accepting and adjusting to whatever facilities they are provided with. Hence I, as a Girl Senator would try my best to ensure that all the issues which go unnoticed due to the lack of protest by girls, will be given due importance and will be sorted out in a proper manner.

Some of the changes that I would like to bring for the overall welfare are regarding the following issues:

1. REGARDING THE ISOLATION OF FIRST YEARITES (BOTH UG AND PG):

The First year Girls of both UG and PG have been provided accommodation in a new Girls Hostel 'Dhansiri' situated at a distance from Subansiri. Although it is a very good step to ensure that no act of ragging takes place but on the other hand it creates many problems as these students are completely unaware of College Life and the Campus. So they may need the assistance of their seniors in all fields like Academics, Extracurricular activities and many others. They are being deprived of these guidelines as they have no chance of coming in contact with their seniors which reside in Subansiri. Hence I would take steps to make accommodation available for at least those First Year students who want to stay in Subansiri.

2. TIME RESTRICTION FOR ENTRY INTO THE HOSTEL AT NIGHT:

The time for Entry into the Girls Hostel has been restricted to 12 a.m. This becomes problematic for both the UG and PG students at times when they are required to stay outside the Hostel for some kind of Academic Work or for some important meetings. Hence I would try to get the entry time exceeded to atleast 2 a.m.

3. STAY IN DEPARTMENTAL CCs AND LABS:

Girl Students are not allowed to stay back in the Departmental CCs and Labs after 12 a.m. If they need to stay there for any kind of academic project or experiment, then they need to complete a number of

formalities in order to get a permission to stay there which makes this procedure quite a complex one. I will try to simplify this procedure for the ease of all the girl students who have to stay back in the Departmental CCs and Labs after 12 a.m. for some sort of work.

4. LACK OF FACILITIES IN GIRL HOSTELS:

Girl Students lack boys Hostels in a number of facilities such as :

a) There are a very few number of washing machines as compared to the strength of the Hostel and most of these are always not in a proper working condition. People have to wait for weeks to get the Keys because of huge strength of the hostel and such a small number of machines in working state.

b) Many facilities such as a proper Reading Room, Sports Room and Music Room are present in all the Boys' Hostels but are absent in Girls' Hostels.

I will ensure that I am able to give my best to make these facilities available in the Girls' Hostels of the institute.

5. RELATED TO BICYCLE REPAIR:

The only Bicycle repair Shops available to the students of the campus are situated in Khokha Market, which is situated at a very large distance from both the Girls' Hostels. It is a very difficult task to carry our bicycles all the way to the market every week even if the bicycle needs just a bit of oiling or any other petty damage. Also the market has got some safety issues due to which most of us avoid going there after it becomes dark. Cycle Pumps are not available in the Girls' Hostels for most of the time of the year. Hence I would make efforts to provide some kind of cycle repair facility within the Hostel or in the campus at a small distance.

6. SELF DEFENCE:

I would like to arrange some kind of Self Defence training sessions for all the girls so that they are capable of defending themselves against anyone who tries to exploit them.

Experiences (Credentials if any):

1. I am an active member of the Events Management Panel of Alcheringa, the Annual Cultural Festival of IIT Guwahati.
2. I am also a member of the Mess Management Committee of Subansiri Girls Hostel.