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VISION:-

To become a leading center of management education that empowers rural youth through accessible, value-based, and industry-oriented learning, enabling them to transform their communities and build a progressive, self-reliant rural society.

MISSION:-

1. To inculcate in rural youth an in-depth knowledge and skills of management education along with ethics.
2. To develop the competencies of the students to meet social and professional needs.
3. To nurture entrepreneurial mindsets that contribute to the socio-economic development of the rural region.

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First Edition Released: A New Chapter in Academic Excellence



The first edition of DARPAN was proudly inaugurated by the Founder Chairman, Hon. Adv. Janardan Laxman Botre, marking the beginning of its inspiring journey.

Talmavale | July, 2026

The first edition of "DARPAN," the official newsletter of Shivsamarth Institute of Management (SIMT), Talmavale, was formally released at a special ceremony by the Founder Chairman of Shivsamarth Parivar Samajik Vikas Sanstha, Hon'ble Adv. Janardan Botre.

The event was graced by the esteemed presence of Mr. Nitin Patil, Management Representative; Waichal Sir, Advisor; Mr. Ambi Sir, Manager, Shivsamarth Mahila Gruh Udyog; and Dr. Smita Patil, Director, Shivsamarth Institute of Management, Talmavale.

The inaugural edition of DARPAN highlights the institute's academic achievements, research activities, faculty accomplishments, student successes, placement records, industry collaborations, seminars, workshops, cultural and sports events,

extension activities, and other significant institutional initiatives. The newsletter aims to serve as a platform for showcasing the institute's continuous progress while strengthening communication with students, parents, industry partners, and the community. On the occasion, the dignitaries congratulated the Editorial Committee, IQAC, faculty members, staff, and students for their dedicated efforts in bringing out the first edition of the newsletter. They appreciated the initiative and expressed confidence that DARPAN would become a meaningful annual publication, reflecting the institute's achievements and inspiring future generations.

The publication of the first edition marks another milestone in the journey of Shivsamarth Institute of Management, Talmavale, reaffirming its commitment to academic excellence, innovation, quality education, and holistic student development.

"DARPAN – The Mirror of SIMT: Reflecting Excellence, Inspiring Success"

Shivsamarth Institute of Management Celebrates Van Mahotsav 2026

Chief Guest Mr. Nitin Patil leads Tree Plantation Drive; Students and Staff Unite for a Greener Future

Talmavale | July 7, 2026

In a remarkable initiative to promote environmental awareness and sustainable living, **Shivsamarth Institute of Management, Talmavale**, celebrated **Van Mahotsav 2026** on **7 July 2026** with a vibrant Tree Plantation Drive on the institute campus.

The programme was graced by **Mr. Nitin Patil, Management Representative, Shivsamarth Parivar**, as the **Chief Guest**, and **Dr. Smita Patil, Director, Shivsamarth Institute of Management**, who inspired participants with their encouraging presence. The event also witnessed the enthusiastic participation of teaching and non-teaching staff members, and students, making it a meaningful celebration of environmental responsibility.

Addressing the gathering, the dignitaries highlighted the importance of tree plantation in conserving biodiversity, maintaining ecological balance, combating climate change, and ensuring a healthier environment for future generations. They emphasized that environmental conservation is a shared responsibility and encouraged students to actively participate in green initiatives beyond the campus.

As part of the programme, saplings were planted across the institute premises, symbolizing the institution's commitment to building a greener and more sustainable campus. Students actively participated in the plantation drive and pledged to nurture the saplings, reinforcing the message that protecting nature begins with individual responsibility.



The Van Mahotsav celebration reflected the institute's dedication to environmental sustainability and community engagement. Through such initiatives, Shivsamarth Institute of Management continues to instill values of ecological

consciousness, social responsibility, and sustainable development among its students. The programme concluded with a vote of thanks, expressing gratitude to the Chief Guest, dignitaries, faculty members, staff, and students for their wholehearted participation in making the event a grand success.

PROGRAMME HIGHLIGHTS

Event & Date

Van Mahotsav | 7 July 2026

Venue

Shivsamarth Institute of Management,
Talmavale

Chief Guest

Mr. Nitin Patil
Management Representative,
Shivsamarth Parivar

Guest of Honour

Dr. Smita Patil
Director

Theme

Planting Today for a
Greener Tomorrow

Every tree we plant
reflects our
responsibility towards
nature, our respect for
future generations, and
our unwavering
commitment to building
a greener, healthier, and
more sustainable world.



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THE MIRROR OF SIMT



EDITORIAL

"WALKING THE PATH OF DEVOTION, VALUES, AND KNOWLEDGE"

Dear Readers,

It is with immense pride and heartfelt joy that we present the Second Edition of DARPAN – The Mirror of SIMT, dedicated to one of Maharashtra's most cherished spiritual and cultural traditions—the Ashadhi Wari. More than a religious pilgrimage, the Wari is a timeless celebration of devotion, equality, discipline, humility, and humanity that has inspired millions for centuries.

The tradition of the Ashadhi Wari dates back over 700 years and is deeply rooted in the Bhakti Movement led by revered saints such as Sant Dnyaneshwar Maharaj, Sant Tukaram Maharaj, Sant Namdev, and Sant Eknath. Through their teachings, they spread the message of equality, compassion, selfless service, and righteous living. Their philosophy continues to guide society and remains an integral part of Maharashtra's rich cultural identity.

Every year, during the holy month of Ashadh, lakhs of Warkaris undertake a remarkable pilgrimage on foot to Pandharpur, the sacred abode of Lord Vitthal. The revered Palkhis of Sant Dnyaneshwar Maharaj from Alandi and Sant Tukaram Maharaj from Dehu lead this extraordinary journey. Devotees walk together chanting "Gyanoba-Tukaram" and "Vitthal Vitthal Jai Hari Vitthal," creating an atmosphere filled with faith, devotion, and spiritual unity.

Among the most inspiring participants are the farmers, who complete the sowing of their crops before beginning the pilgrimage. Entrusting their fields to nature, they walk hundreds of kilometres with unwavering faith, praying for prosperity, good rainfall, and the well-being of their families. Their dedication reflects resilience, patience, gratitude, and hope.

The Dindi, the organized group of pilgrims, is much more than a procession—it is a school of life. It teaches discipline, punctuality, teamwork, cleanliness, equality, mutual respect, and selfless service. People from different backgrounds walk, pray, serve, and share together without discrimination, demonstrating the true spirit of unity and social harmony.



**वारी चाले भक्तिभावे, नामघोष दुमदुमे गावा।
विठ्ठल चरणी मस्तक ठेवुनी, मानवतेचा उजळे दिवा ॥**



In today's fast-changing world, the Ashadhi Wari reminds us of the importance of simplicity, compassion, perseverance, and community living. It stands as a powerful example of how faith, discipline, and collective purpose can unite millions of people peacefully.

At Shivsamarth Institute of Management, we believe that education is not limited to academic excellence. Along with knowledge and professional competence, we strive to nurture integrity, leadership, empathy, social responsibility, and respect for our cultural heritage. The values embodied in the Wari perfectly align with our mission of shaping responsible citizens and future leaders.

This special edition of DARPAN celebrates the rich traditions of Maharashtra while showcasing the academic achievements, institutional initiatives, community outreach programmes, and student accomplishments of our institute. We hope these pages inspire every reader to preserve our cultural heritage while embracing innovation and lifelong learning.

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to our Management, Principal, faculty members, administrative staff, students, alumni, and every contributor whose dedication has made this edition possible.

Mr. Yash Shirke
Editor-in-Chief

DARPAN – The Mirror of SIMT

May Lord Vitthal and Goddess Rukmini bless our readers with wisdom, peace, prosperity, and success. On the auspicious occasion of Ashadhi Ekadashi, may the spirit of the Wari inspire us to walk the path of devotion, unity, compassion, and lifelong learning.



SIMT Celebrates Outstanding First-Year MBA & MCA Results

Academic Excellence Reflects Dedication, Determination, and Quality Education

Talmavale | July 13, 2026

Shivsamarth Institute of Management (SIMT), Talmavale, proudly celebrates the outstanding academic achievement of its First-Year MBA and MCA students in the recently declared Shivaji University, Kolhapur examinations.

The excellent results reflect the students' hard work, dedication, and perseverance, as well as the institute's unwavering commitment to academic excellence and quality education. Through continuous academic support, innovative teaching methodologies, regular mentoring, and outcome-based learning practices, SIMT has consistently nurtured an environment that encourages students to achieve their full potential.

The remarkable performance of the students stands as a testimony to the institute's focus on academic discipline, conceptual understanding, practical learning, and professional development. The faculty members played a significant role by providing continuous guidance, personalized mentoring, and regular assessments, enabling students to perform with confidence in the university examinations.

The Management, Principal, faculty members, and staff extended their heartfelt congratulations to all the successful students for their exceptional performance. They appreciated the students' commitment to excellence and encouraged them to continue striving for greater achievements in their academic and professional journeys.

SIMT remains committed to fostering a culture of academic excellence, innovation, research, and holistic development. The institute continues to prepare students not only for university success but also for leadership roles in industry and society through quality education, skill development, and value-based learning.

The excellent performance of the First-Year MBA and MCA students further strengthens SIMT's reputation as a centre of academic excellence, inspiring future learners to pursue knowledge with confidence, determination, and integrity.

"Academic excellence is not merely measured by results—it is reflected in the dedication, perseverance, and lifelong learning that shape future leaders."

MCA Toppers

74.00%

70.25%



Ingawale Sanika



More Sanjana



67.75%



Pujari Bhushan



MBA Toppers

74.00%

72.00%



PACHUNDKAR
ARCHANA



JAGDALE JYOTI



69.87%



HAJARE KOMAL



Ashadhi Ekadashi Celebration at SPSVS Talmavale

A Celebration of Devotion, Culture, and Values

Talmavale | July 25, 2026

Shivsamarth Institute of Management, Talmavale joyfully celebrated Ashadhi Ekadashi, one of Maharashtra's most revered and spiritually significant festivals, with immense devotion and enthusiasm. The celebration reflected the institute's commitment to preserving India's rich cultural heritage while nurturing moral and ethical values among students.

Ashadhi Ekadashi marks the annual pilgrimage to Pandharpur, where millions of devotees, known as Warkaris, gather to seek the blessings of Lord Vitthal and Goddess Rukmini. Inspired by this sacred tradition, the institute organized a meaningful celebration that encouraged students and faculty members to understand the importance of spirituality, unity, discipline, and selfless service.

The programme commenced with the ceremonial worship of Lord Vitthal and Goddess Rukmini, followed by the lighting of the traditional lamp. Faculty members, students, and staff offered prayers with great reverence, creating an atmosphere filled with faith and positivity. Devotional hymns (Abhangas) and prayers echoed throughout the campus, reminding everyone of the timeless teachings of saints such as Sant Dnyaneshwar, Sant Tukaram, Sant Namdev, and Sant Eknath, whose messages continue to inspire generations.

Students enthusiastically participated in the celebration by wearing traditional attire and taking part in devotional activities. The event highlighted the importance of Indian culture, spirituality, and ethical living, encouraging young minds to cultivate qualities such as humility, honesty, compassion, perseverance, and respect for others. Through this celebration, students gained a deeper appreciation of Maharashtra's rich cultural traditions and the enduring legacy of the Warkari movement.



The faculty members emphasized that festivals like Ashadhi Ekadashi are not merely religious occasions but also opportunities to strengthen social harmony, promote unity, and inspire positive values among youth. Such celebrations play a vital role in fostering character development alongside academic excellence.

The entire campus resonated with devotion and enthusiasm, making the occasion a truly memorable experience. The celebration concluded with prayers for peace, prosperity, happiness, and the well-being of humanity. It served as a reminder that the values of faith, service, and unity continue to guide individuals toward a meaningful and responsible life. The Ashadhi Ekadashi celebration at Shivsamarth Institute of Management, Talmavale beautifully reflected the institute's vision of nurturing socially responsible, culturally rooted, and ethically conscious future leaders. The event not only strengthened spiritual awareness but also reinforced the importance of preserving India's glorious traditions while inspiring students to carry these values forward in their personal and professional lives.

"MAY THE DIVINE BLESSINGS OF LORD VITTHAL GUIDE US WITH WISDOM, STRENGTHEN US WITH FAITH, AND INSPIRE US TO SERVE SOCIETY WITH DEDICATION AND COMPASSION."

Kargil Vijay Diwas Poster Making Competition

Honouring the Heroes Through Creativity and Patriotism

Talmavale | July 27, 2026

On the occasion of Kargil Vijay Diwas, Shivsamarth Institute of Management, Talmavale organized a Poster Making Competition to pay tribute to the brave soldiers of the Indian Armed Forces who displayed unparalleled courage and made the supreme sacrifice during the Kargil War.

The competition witnessed enthusiastic participation from students, who expressed their patriotism and respect for the nation's heroes through creative and thought-provoking posters. The artworks beautifully depicted themes such as national unity, bravery, sacrifice, peace, and the spirit of the Indian Armed Forces.

The entries were evaluated based on creativity, originality, presentation, and relevance to the theme. To recognize the outstanding efforts of the participants, the institute felicitated the winners with prizes and certificates.

The competition not only encouraged artistic expression but also strengthened the spirit of patriotism, teamwork, and social responsibility among the students. It served as a meaningful platform to remember the sacrifices of the Kargil heroes and inspire the youth to contribute positively towards nation-building.

The event concluded with the prize distribution ceremony and words of appreciation for all participants, making the occasion a memorable tribute to the brave soldiers of the Kargil War.



 **First Prize:**

Mr. Sangram Patil

 **Second Prize:**

Mr. Ganesh Pawar

 **Third Prize:**

Miss. Sanjana More



Guru Purnima Celebration at SPSVS: A Tribute to the Guiding Lights of Knowledge and Success

A Guru is not just a teacher; a Guru is the guiding force who inspires, motivates, and shapes the future of individuals.



Talmavale | July 29, 2026

Shivsamarth Parivar Samajik Vikas Sanstha (SPSVS) celebrated the auspicious occasion of Guru Purnima with great devotion, enthusiasm, and respect. The celebration was organized to express gratitude towards all the respected Gurus, mentors, and guiding personalities who continuously contribute towards the growth and development of students and society.

Guru Purnima is a special occasion dedicated to acknowledging the invaluable contribution of teachers and mentors in the journey of knowledge, wisdom, and success. The event at SPSVS reflected the strong values of respect, gratitude, and the importance of the Guru-Shishya tradition.

On this memorable occasion, heartfelt wishes and greetings were conveyed to the respected Guru Margdarshak Hon.

Botre Saheb, whose valuable guidance and vision continue to inspire the entire SPSVS family. Special greetings were also extended to Hon. Secretary Tupe Saheb, whose continuous support and encouragement play a vital role in the progress of the institution.

The celebration also included warm wishes for Management Representative Hon. Nitin Patil and Director Dr. Smita Patil, whose leadership, dedication, and commitment have been instrumental in creating a positive academic environment and providing opportunities for students to achieve excellence.

The event was celebrated in the presence of the entire SPSVS family, including college teaching staff, non-teaching staff, and students. Faculty members and students expressed their respect and gratitude towards the management and mentors for their constant motivation, support, and guidance.

The celebration emphasized that teachers are the true architects of society who not only impart knowledge but also develop confidence, discipline, ethical values, and leadership qualities among students. The guidance received from respected mentors helps students overcome challenges and move towards a successful future.

The faculty members highlighted the importance of maintaining the Guru-Shishya bond and appreciated the efforts of the institution in promoting a culture of learning, innovation, and excellence. Students also participated enthusiastically and conveyed their respect towards their teachers and mentors.

The Guru Purnima celebration at SPSVS became a memorable occasion filled with gratitude, respect, and positive energy. It strengthened the bond between management, teachers, and students and reflected the institution's commitment towards value-based education and holistic development.

On behalf of the entire SPSVS family, sincere wishes were extended to all respected Gurus, mentors, teachers, and everyone who contributes to guiding the next generation.

SIMT Launches MKCL Authorized Learning Centre

Signs MoU with Maharashtra Knowledge Corporation Limited to Empower Students with Digital Skills and Career Opportunities

Talmavale | July 29, 2026

In a major milestone towards enhancing digital education and employability, Shivsamarth Institute of Management (SIMT), Talmavale, has signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with Maharashtra Knowledge Corporation Limited (MKCL) and officially launched the MKCL Authorized Learning Centre on the institute campus.

The collaboration marks a significant step in strengthening industry-oriented education by providing students with access to nationally recognized digital learning programmes, certification courses, career-oriented training, and skill development initiatives. The newly established MKCL Learning Centre will serve as a dedicated platform for students to enhance their technical competencies, digital literacy, communication skills, and professional readiness.

Through this partnership, students will have the opportunity to enrol in various MKCL certification programmes, including digital literacy, information technology, employability skills, soft skills, and other career-focused courses designed to meet the evolving needs of industry.

Speaking on the occasion, the institute's management expressed that the collaboration reflects SIMT's commitment to bridging the gap between academic learning and industry expectations. The establishment of the MKCL Learning Centre aligns with the institute's vision of empowering students with practical knowledge, lifelong learning opportunities, and globally relevant skills.

The Management, Principal, faculty members, and Training & Placement Cell welcomed this initiative and expressed confidence that the collaboration with MKCL will open new avenues for students, enabling them to gain valuable certifications and improve their employability in an increasingly competitive job market.

The launch of the MKCL Authorized Learning Centre reaffirms SIMT's dedication to academic excellence, innovation, and skill-based education. By integrating

technology-driven learning with quality education, the institute continues to prepare students to become competent professionals and responsible citizens capable of meeting the challenges of the digital era.



PROUDLY PLACED BY SIMT

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Name: Priyanka Patil

Company Name: Gestamp

Automotive India Pvt Ltd

CTC - 4.2 LPA



Name: Vaishnavi Mane

Company Name: Cognizant

Technology Solutions India Pvt Ltd

CTC - 3.22 LPA



Name: Pushkaraj Dubal

Company Name: Writer

Information PVT LTD

CTC - 2.5 LPA



Name: Sana Maner

Company Name: Wipro Limited

CTC - 2.53 LPA



Name: Vishwajit Yalmar

Company Name: Tata

Communications Limited

CTC - 3.5 LPA



Name: Yogita Patil

Company Name: Mahindra &

Mahindra Limited

CTC - 2.64 LPA



Talmavale | July, 2026

Shivsamarth Institute of Management, Talmavale proudly congratulates its students on their successful campus placements. This achievement reflects the students' hard work, dedication, and commitment, along with the institute's continuous efforts to provide quality education, industry-

oriented training, and career guidance. We are delighted to see our students begin their professional journeys with reputed organizations. Their success inspires future batches to strive for excellence and reinforces SIMT's commitment to shaping skilled, confident, and career-ready professionals.

Heartiest congratulations to all our placed students!

We wish them continued success and a bright future in their careers.

