

Dear Readers,

I am glad to handover the 2nd issue of 2nd year of AIACE TODAY. This issue contains details of our works undertaken during the last three months. We had started our journey from July, 2019 and continuously bringing out the quarterly magazine for our members.

Since the onset of Covid-19 and lockdown imposed in the country, our physical activities have been minimized; still, we have been able to fetch results. We are grieved to inform that during Covid period, we lost our members namely Sri Adarsh Baijal (Lucknow), S N Singh, (Hyderabad), Sri P R Singh (Faridabad), Sri R R Singh(Patna), Sri S B Mazumdar (Kolkata), Sri B Nag (Bolepur). We pray to God for giving them peace and tranquility in heaven.

During last three months, we took up various issues with CIL/SCCL mgt & Government, and we could get favourable result in the interest of general mass, CIL issued promotion orders for different grades, issued order for increase in honorarium to faculty, settled pension to executives who retired between Jan17 to Oct18 and they started getting enhanced pension as per new pay revision.

Impressed with our activitie, our delegates were invited in virtual seminars organised by Indian Chamber of commerce in 12th edition of Indian Coal Summit held from 30 Sept-1 Oct, 2020. Your dear Convener, AIACE was invited as panelist in one of the sessions.

As physical meeting was not possible, AIACE organised meetings on virtual platform at all India level on different dates. Right from Assam to Kerala, Chennai - Bangalore to Delhi, all the members enthusiastically participated in the meetings and put forward issues for resolution.

Our association is gaining strength day by day and we have crossed membership of more than 2200 as on 1st October, 2020 due to concerted efforts of our all members.

With these words, I wish happy Dussehra, Deepavali, Chhatth, Gurunanak Jayanti to all members.

May almighty give us strength to cope up the crisis created by Covid-19

With best wishes.

P K Singh Rathor

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