### **MILESTONES- SUCCESS INDICATORS**

# **☆1982**

- Sanction of Rural Engineering College, Bhalki to SVE Society with three Courses of BE in
  - Civil Engineering
  - Mechanical Engineering
  - Electronics & Communication Engineering
     with intake of 40 in each affiliated to Gulbarga University, Gulbarga.
- Inauguration of Rural Engineering College, Bhalki on 06<sup>th</sup> September
   1982 by Shri R. Gundurao, the then Chief Minister of Karnataka.
- College initially started in the buildings of Channa Basaveshwar Arts,
   Science & Commerce College (C.B. College) Bhalki.
- Taken up the construction of Workshop and Hostel Buildings.

# **‡1984**

 Additional Course of BE in Computer Science & Engineering was sanctioned with intake of 40.

# **₩1987**

- Another Course of BE in Industrial & Production Engineering was sanctioned with intake of 30.
- Workshop building was Inaugurated by the then Chief Minister of Karnataka, Shri Rama Krishna Hegde.

# **‡1988**

- New Courses under PG Programmes in Civil Engineering Department
  - ME in Soil Mechanics & Foundation Engineering (Later renamed as ME in Geo-technical Engineering).
  - ME in Hydraulics & Irrigation Engineering (Later renamed as ME in Water Resources Management).
  - These were started under the then affiliating Gulbarga University,
     Gulbarga with intake of 10 in each, currently discontinued and under consideration to restart.
  - REC was first to introduce Local Guardianship Scheme in Gulbarga University zone.

#### **☆1989**

Laying of Foundation Stone of College Administrative Building and Inauguration of Electronics & Communication Engineering Block by Shri P. Venkat Subbayya, the then Governor of Karnataka.



- Semester Scheme of BE Courses was introduced under Gulbarga University, Gulbarga.
- ❖ Opening of ISTE Chapter as well as Institutional Membership of Indian Society for Technical Education, New Delhi.

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#### ⇒1991

- Opening of Post Office in the campus.
- Opening of State Bank of Hyderabad Extension Counter in the campus

1992 Inauguration of Girls Hostel Building by Shri S.B Chavan-the then Home Minister, Government of India in the presence of Shri Shivraj Patil Chakurkar-the then Lok Sabha Speaker and Shri Shivajirao Patil Nilangekar- former Chief Minister of Maharashtra



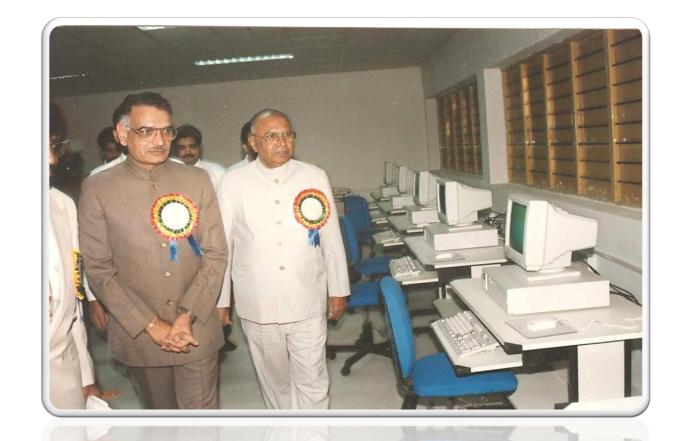
#### **₩1993**

 Establishment of Training & Placement Cell which was first in the Gulbarga University zone.

- Approval by AICTE for all existing BE Courses.
- Additional Courses of BE in Chemical Engineering (first time in Gulbarga University zone) and BE in Electronics & Instrumentation Engineering (now Instrumentation Technology) were started under Gulbarga University, Gulbarga with intake of 30 in each.
- Chosen as Centre for IRWSS Project, a Government Sanctioned Scheme with SJCE Mysore as nodal centre.

• Inauguration of Administrative Building by His Excellency Dr. Shankar Dayal Sharma, the then President of India in presence of Shri Khurshid Alam Khan-the then Governor of Karnataka, Shri J.H. Patel - the then Chief Minister of Karnataka, Shri S.R. Bommai - the then Minister of HRD, Government of India and Shri Shivraj Patilformer Lok Sabha Speaker.

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On the same day the new Computer Science & Engineering Block was inaugurated by Shri Shivajirao Patil Nilangekar former Chief Minister of Maharashtra in the presence of Shri Shivraj Patil Chakurkar - former Speaker of Lok Sabha.

- Sanction of MBA & MCA Courses with intake of 30 in each.
- All BE and PG Courses were affiliated to Visvesvaraya Technological University, Belgaum - the newly established Technical University in Karnataka.
- Visit of Smt. Sonia Gandhi, President AICC.
- Institutional Membership of the Institution of Engineers (India).
- SVES—STEP (Science & Technology Entrepreneurship Park) was sanctioned by Ministry of Industries and Commerce, Government of Karnataka with initial amount of Rs. 5 Lakh.

#### **\$\pi\$ 1999**

• REC Employees Credit Co-operative Society and Consumer Co-operative Society were started.

#### **2000**

•Sanction of BE in Information Science & Engineering and BE in Telecommunication Engineering Courses with intake of 40 in each.

- Identified as Monitoring Centre for Mahiti Sindhu "Free Computer Education Program" for Government High School students of Bidar District.
- Inauguration of NIC V-SAT (56 kbps) Internet connectivity by Shri N. Dharam Singh former Chief Minister of Karnataka.

 Inauguration of Bharti BT High Speed (96 kbps) Internet Connectivity by Dr. G. Parameshwar, the then Higher Education Minister, Karnataka (now it is discontinued).





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- Inauguration of Open Air Theatre by Shri Bhimanna Khandre, the then Transport Minister, Government of Karnataka with big Magic Show by Shri Prahlad Acharya, International Magician.
- Seminar on latest software technology under IBM College Connect Programme.
- Central Library Automation with software EASYLIB.
- OPAC (Online Public Access Catalogue) facility started in Central Library.
- Bar-coded Transaction started in Central Library.
- Internet Connectivity to Central Library

#### **☆ 2005**

- Establishment of the first Interactive EDUSAT Centre in Gulbarga region.
- \* Road Show and Technical Seminar conducted under Campus Connect Programme by Infosys Technology, Hyderabad.
- \* Re-Registration of Alumni Association and Alumni Meet under reconstituted Alumni Association.



#### **☆ 2006**

- Laying of Foundation Stone for Silver Jubilee Library Building by Dr. K. Balveera Reddy - the then Vice Chancellor of VTU, Belgaum.
- Special talk on Torpedo
   Technology & BRAMHOS by
   RADM S. Mohapatra, VSM. IN
   (Retd.) Executive Director,
   Production BRAMHOS, Aerospace
   Ltd., Hyderabad.
- Formation of ISTE Students
   Chapter.





 Release of maiden issue of REC News Bulletin by Shri N. Dharam Singh, Former Chief Minister of Karnataka.



- Inauguration of CAED Laboratory of Mechanical Engineering Department by Shri N. Dharam Singh, Former Chief Minister of Karnataka in presence of Shri Mallikarjun Kharge, former Home Minister, Government of Karnataka.
- Establishment of Rajeev Gandhi Akshaya Urja Club.
- Online E-Journal subscription of INDEST —AICTE started in Central Library
- Bus Facility for faculty staying at Bidar.
- REC Fest-2007, Cultural Fest was organised.

- Internet Bandwidth upgraded with 2 Mbps Broad Band Connectivity.
- Rs. 10 Lakhs were sanctioned to set up Solar Energy Park by
   Ministry of New & Renewable Energy Resources, Government of
   India, New Delhi.
- VTU Sponsored three days EAP (Entrepreneurship Awareness Program) was conducted.
- REC Fest 2008 and Sports Meet 2008 were organised.



- Internet Bandwidth upgraded from 2 Mbps to 8 Mbps.
- Smart Campus Automation Smart Card issued to faculty and staff members as well as to students information feeding completed.
- Campus Networking work was started.
- ❖ Five days Mission 10X Workshop was sponsored and conducted by WIPRO Technology, Bangalore for faculty of three Engineering Colleges (REC Bhalki, BKEC Basvakalyan and GNDEC Bidar)
- \* "RANBHOOMI-09" Three Days National level Technical and Cultural Festival was organized during even semesters.





- Various Courses were accredited by NBA, Delhi and others under consideration.
- "JANANI 2009" State level students cultural fest organised during ODD semesters.

- > Applied for TEQIP-II A World Bank assistance project and got sanctioned.
- E-Vidya Scheme of VTU implemented
- Second floor of girls hostel completed thereby accommodating more than 350 girls students
- Multipurpose Function Hall in the girls hostel completed.
- > Beautiful garden made in the girls hostel which is unique.
- > Similar gardens in the boys hostels being developed.
- Sanctioned our two PG Courses: M.Tech. in Geo Technical Engineering and M.Tech. in Water Resources Management under Civil Engineering Dept.
- TECHNO UTSAV 2010 National Level Technical and Cultural Fest organized during even semesters by ISTE & various departments students and staff associations.
- > New Auditorium for the college inaugurated.
- ➤ Janani 2010 a cultural fest at Karnataka level was celebrated during Nov.12-13, 2010.

- First time in North Karnataka that two at REC Bhalki, International Conference on Communication, Computation, Control and Nanotechnology (ICN2010) was organized during Oct.29-30, 2010 in which more than 600 delegates attended and 226 papers were presented.
- > Various conferences, workshops and FDP's were conducted.

- > Submitted Institutional Development Proposal (IDP) for TEQIP-II. Final approval is awaited.
- ➤ Implementation of revised 6<sup>th</sup> AICTE pay scale w.e.f. 01-01-2011.
- ➤ Ranbhoomi-2011 National Level Techno Cultural Feast during April 7-9, 2011.
- ➤One week FDP and three days workshop by CSE department were conducted.
- ➤International Conference on Communication, Computation, Control and Nanotechnology (ICN 2011) by departments of ECE, TE, CSE, ISE, MCA and MBA during 23-25 Sept. 2011
- Organization of Karnataka State ISTE convention.
- Three days workshop by Library
- One workshop by Chemical Engineering
- > One National conference by Civil Engg. Department
- One National conference by Mechanical Engg. Department.

- > Launching of National journal "REC National Journal of Communication and Computing"
- > Launching of National Journal of Resource Management
- Organization of VTU Athletic meet
- Proposal for Permanent Affiliation.
- ➤ Organization of Karnataka Fest "JANANI 2011"
- ▶Blood donation camp on 21-02-2011 and Seven days special camp by NSS Unit.
- Two days National Conference on Latest Developments in Management by MBA Department.