

### HOSPITALITY HORIZON

#### HOSPITALITY NEWS

##### The Oberoi Group Announces Big Growth Luxury Hotels in Goa, Gir, Hyderabad and Bengaluru.



**Mr. Arjun Oberoi** - Executive Chairman of The Oberoi Group, said, “Our growth trajectory is driven by a clear strategic focus: expanding into high-potential markets, delivering authentic and memorable guest experiences, and upholding the service philosophy that defines, as we broaden our footprint we remain anchored in our core values of excellence, integrity, and care.”

**Mr. Vikram Oberoi** - CEO of The Oberoi Group, added, “Our development strategy is shaped by deep consumer insight, a sharp understanding of market dynamics, and

a steadfast long-term vision. As we open new landmark hotels and earn continued global recognition, we are deeply grateful for the enduring trust our guests place in us. The strength of our legacy, and our unwavering commitment to redefining luxury hospitality.

#### TAJ GETS BIGGER



Indian Hotels Company (IHCL) announced the agreement signing for 15 new hotels across IHCL’s brands cape with the Ambuja Neotia Group. This capital light arrangement will grow the partnership to over 40 hotels.

**Mr. Puneet Chhatwal**, MD & CEO of IHCL, announced the group’s plan to unlock the tourism potential of East and North-East India through a new agreement with the Ambuja Neotia Group. Building on IHCL’s legacy of creating iconic destinations across Rajasthan, Kerala, Goa,

Andaman and Lakshadweep, this partnership will now showcase the unique spirit and luxury hospitality of the Eastern region.

#### CUISINES OF INDIA ON THE GLOBAL MICHELIEN PLATE

With over 35 years of culinary expertise, **Chef Dayashankar Sharma** brought an unforgettable blend of tradition and innovation to our college kitchens. Growing up in the vibrant state of Rajasthan,



Chef Sharma’s passion for cooking was nurtured at home, inspired by his mother’s artistry in the kitchen.

After completing a diploma in hotel catering, he went on to build a remarkable career with prestigious names such as the Oberoi Group of Hotels and the Taj Group of Hotels. When Chef Sharma met our students, learning turned into a feast of inspiration.

The kitchens transformed into a gourmet stage where he showcased how authentic Indian flavors can be paired with contemporary techniques to create world-class cuisine.

Sharing his journey-from humble beginnings to earning the prestigious Michelin Plate recognition-Chef Sharma inspired every aspiring culinarian in attendance. His workshop was not just a culinary lesson but also a masterclass in dedication, passion, and creativity.

#### AI TRENDS IN HOSPITALITY - SHAPING THE FUTURE OF GUEST EXPERIENCE



AI is no longer just a futuristic concept, it is already reshaping hospitality by making guest experiences more personalized, efficient, and meaningful. From chatbots to emotion recognition, these tools empower hoteliers to anticipate needs, strengthen guest relationships, and drive smarter business decisions. For students stepping into the hospitality industry, embracing AI means preparing to combine technology with human touch.

As future hospitality leaders, let’s learn, adapt, and innovate because the future of hospitality belongs to those who can blend technology with true human warmth.

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#### **HOSPITALITY VOICES 1.0 - Unlocking Learners to Leadership Brew Knowledge with Mr. Aditya Khot**

Students had the golden opportunity to interact with **Mr. Aditya Khot, Beer Educator at Tulleho Beverage Academy.** The session opened up a world of insights into beer – its history, craftsmanship, and the professional skills needed in the beverage industry.



#### **FRONT AND CENTRE THIS TIME IS OUR ALUMNI MEET—**

A wonderful platform for our students to reunite and reconnect, the event was filled with nostalgia, inspiring interactions, and valuable exchanges between alumni and students, further strengthening the bond with the institution.



#### **SALES WITH INTEGRITY BY MR. AMOL SINGH REEL, DIRECTOR OF SALES, CONRAD**

Mr. Amol Singh Reel emphasized that true sales in hospitality are not just about revenue but about trust, guest satisfaction, and creating memorable experiences.

**“Integrity in sales is the true luxury every guest deserves.” –  
Mr. Amol Reel”**



#### **From Teaching Space to Conrad**

As a part of Hospitality Discovery experience students from Year 1 explore back of the house and front of the house areas and interacted with Hilton’s Leadership team.



#### **A Magical Escape: Students Visit The Enchanted Garden**

Students visited The Enchanted Garden as part of their fieldwork. The visit offered hands-on exposure to hotel operations, guest service, and hospitality practices, enriching their learning experience beyond the classroom.

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#### CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY BLOOD DONATION DRIVE

Blood Donation Drive organised in campus, where 38 students participated enthusiastically. The initiative reflected the spirit of compassion and social responsibility among our students.



#### DONOR DIARIES

“I was nervous at first, but the smile on the faces around me made it worth it.”

– **MOHIT PATIL (FY-BBA)**

“Knowing that my blood could save someone’s life is the best feeling ever.”

– **SUBODH JADHAV (FY-BBA)**

“It was quick, safe, and surprisingly fun—I’ll definitely donate again!”

– **ATHARVA GAWADE (FY-BBA)**

#### FUN CORNER

#### Test Your Hospitality IQ!

##### 1. WHAT IS THE FRENCH TERM FOR ‘MILK’?

- a) Cappu
- b) Crème
- c) Lait

##### 3. WHO IS THE FATHER OF MODERN CUISINE?

- a) Gordon Ramsay
- b) Georges Auguste Escoffier
- c) Jamie Oliver

##### 2. THE FIRST 5-STAR HOTEL IN INDIA?

- a) Taj Mahal Palace, Mumbai
- b) Oberoi Grand, Kolkata
- c) Leela Palace, Delhi

#### Unscramble the Hospitality Words!

1. TNOCIERCEP

(Hint: Key to guest happiness)

2. TSEVIREGSUSTEC

(Hint: The heart of hospitality)

3. ECHKNIICHT

(Hint: Where chefs create magic)

#### MINI GAME



#### Hospitality Riddle of the Month

“I welcome you at the door, handle your bags, and smile some more. Who am I?”

#### Takeaway Thought

“Every leaf is a classroom, every flower a lesson, and every garden a library of wisdom.”

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**CAKE MAKING BY CHEF DISHA PATEL**



**BHAJAN SAMAGAM**



**ZERO-PROOF BEVERAGES**



**TONIQUE VISIT**



**VIVANTA VISIT**



**INTRODUCTION TO TOURISM**

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**SALES TECHNIQUES EVENT**



**TRUE COLOURS LAUNDRY AT COURTYARD BY MARRIOTT**



**NLP FOR FUTURE HOTELIERS**



**TOWN HALL**