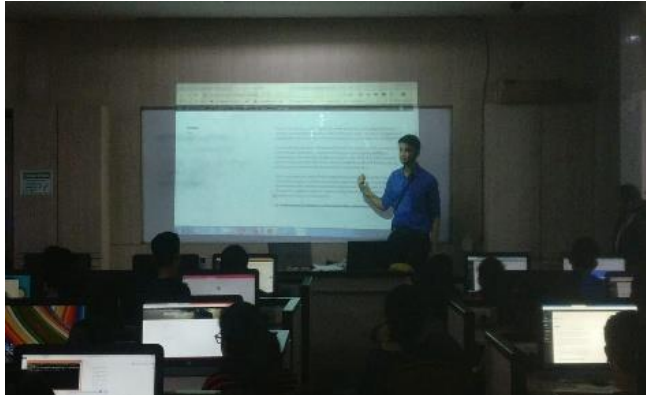


Event Report



The Computer Society (Jr.) hosted its second event of the year on the 21st of September, 2018. The event, called Techbash'18 'Murder In The Ranks' was a thrilling treasure hunt based on a murder mystery of Col. Andrews. The competition began at 3.45 p.m. with a Virtual Treasure Hunt which was the elimination round. Being a time-bound round, the 45 participating teams, were judged on how fast they answered 4 tricky questions while our volunteers kept strict vigil. The top 10 teams qualified for the actual treasure hunt. The remaining teams attended 'Un-Code IT', a seminar and workshop on 'Website Making without the use of complex coding', by our own student and Secretary of the Computer Society (Jr.) Shalin Bhansali. The seminar included an understanding as well as a hands-on experience of interaction with the software WordPress. This was followed by a blog writing competition. Little notepads provided by our sponsors Sundaram Multi Pap Ltd were distributed among all participants as a token. Meanwhile, the



top 10 teams were briefed about the suspects and theme of the murder they had to decode. Armed with nothing but their wits and logic, they hunted for clues scattered across the SVKM campus. The murder mystery required putting together a plot



with the help of clues and other details collected during the course of the event within the stipulated time of 1 hour. Participants were also given tasks to perform at each location, and were allotted points accordingly. This hunt also included a very innovative

concept of a helpdesk where sat three gods: the God of Truth, the God of Lie and the God of Diplomacy. The winners, who put together the most relevant and correct plot to answer the conundrum ‘Who killed Col. Andrews?’ were Parth Mehta and Dhrishti Kejriwal from class FYJC C. Ramanathan Iyer from SYJC H won the prize for the best blog. His prolific thoughts on the topic “Should all books be converted into ebooks and all notepads into epads?” managed to strike the right cord with our judges. The event ended on a great note with all members rejoicing the magnanimous success of the event, which reflected their hardwork and efficient management. Overall, it would not be wrong to deem our event as probably the best and most relished experience of the year.

