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A BOOK SWAP EVENT
TO BE CONDUCTED BY

KALAM - THE LITERARY CLUB

MGM DENTAL COLLEGE AND HOSPITAL,
NAVI MUMBAI

JUNE 9TH, 10 A.M. ONWARDS
VENUE - AUDITORIUM, 4TH FLOOR





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WHAT IS A BOOK SWAP?

The idea is pretty simple: the members bring books to share, and the accumulated books are then redistributed to new owners.

WHY PARTICIPATE IN A BOOK SWAP?

Avid readers hoard books like squirrels hoard nuts, but even the most relentless pack of rats can run out of space. This very interaction of “discovering” a book that a stranger has left to borrow is what makes it exciting but also demonstrating selfless actions that may be replicated by the community as a whole. It is a great combination of building togetherness and literacy. It's a win-win because everyone gets to enjoy a new book without needing to spend the extra cash making more space at home to store old books.

That's where book swapping comes into the picture. Your old book finds a reader, and in return, you get a new used book to read.



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FLOW OF EVENTS

Collection of books

Venue: Oral pathology dept, 5th floor

Time: 2:00 - 3:30 pm

Dates: 6/6/22(Monday) and 7/6/22(Tuesday)

Book swap event

Venue: Auditorium, 4th floor

Time: 10.00 - 11.00 am

Date: 9/6/22(Thursday)

Reading period

9/6/22 - 27/6/22

Returning the books

Venue: Central Library (6th floor)

Date: 27/6/22(Monday)



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GUIDELINES



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1. **Bring in your pre-loved gently used books** that you want to share with your fellow members and submit to the organizing committee on the informed date.
2. **All fictional, non-fictional, drama, poetry genres are accepted.** Although **kindly refrain** from getting books that touch upon **controversy, politics, religion, obscenity** and other sensitive topics.
3. Not able to get you own books? Still participate ! We have arranged for books from the library.
4. All books will be numbered and labelled upon receipt.
5. Make sure that you register your names and other details to the volunteer upon submitting the books.
6. The book swap will take place on the scheduled date of the event wherein you will be distributed books on a randomization basis.
7. A **maximum of 4 (four) books** will be issued to a student for roughly 20 days from the date of issue.
8. Binding of the books should be intact both on the inside and outside of the book upon return.
9. **No writing, highlighting or underlining** on the text pages.
10. Users should not deface, cut, mutilate or damage the books in any form. If found guilty, user will be charged double the cost of that particular material.
11. Eatables/personal books or journals will not be allowed in the auditorium during the event.
12. At the end of the reading period, **members are expected to return the books with a short book review or their personal highlights** about the book.



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THINGS TO DO



1. JOIN THE EVENT WHATSAPP GROUP THROUGH THE LINK BELOW

<https://chat.whatsapp.com/DbdLFbn7Cm3K92YprPxZEw>

2. REGISTER YOURSELVES FOR THE EVENT THROUGH THE GIVEN LINK

Registration link - <https://forms.gle/sfEU6QP7h8LCj9c68>

3. ALL FURTHER UPDATES WILL BE COMMUNICATED IN THE GROUP

**gear up,
let's gather,
to exchange and read.**