

MANIFESTO

I, **Ankur Agarwal (180010009)**, contesting for the post of Mess Councillor of Hostel 9 with a vision to make our hostel mess more equipped in terms of basic amenities and enhance our food quality here. I solemnly affirm to be accessible to everyone and open to criticism and suggestion. If elected, I intend to fulfil my vision in following manner.

COVID RELATED INITIATIVES:

- Propose to install foot operated taps and soap dispenser in the mess area
- Propose to install transparent fiber sheets for ensuring distancing while having the food
- Conduct workshop for mess workers regarding fire safety and maintaining hygiene in COVID 19 scenario

OTHER INITIATIVES:

- Will digitize the mess by introducing technological replacements in place of cards
- Conduct Gala Dinner and Tea party with interactive activities to facilitate bonding
- Will have special high protein food mess card for gym freaks
- Will insure that every mess related activity is updated on the H9 official website

FOLLOW UPS:

- Follow up on installation of 7 camera inside mess to increase the efficiency of current fines which are denied by the mess contractor many times
- Follow up on the mess calendar for whole academic year which includes fixed dates of pest control, special lunch/gala dinner. Monthly copy will get posted on notice board in starting of each month
- Follow up on new flavoured milk powder for both hot and cold milk during breakfast and snacks
- Will coordinate with Maintenance Council in repairing the taps in the mess area, repairing the broken lights and fans in dining and kitchen area and repairing the broken gate which is already inside mess.

GENERAL DUTIES & RESPONSIBILITIES

- Ensure proper work allotment and coordination between the Mess Secretaries by regular meetings and gathering updates.
- Will attend meetings of Mess Committee and raise the hostel issues for the betterment of the hostel.
- Will ensure the rules of hostel are properly enforced in coordination with council and hall manager
- Will coordinate with Gsec and other council members for smooth functioning of hostel work.
- Conducting regular hygiene check-ups in the canteen
- Ensure hygiene in the mess, dining areas as well as personal hygiene of the mess workers
- Will prepare a well-balanced nutritious menu covering all types of cuisines and seasonal fruits as per the frequency in the tender and avoiding repetitions to the greatest extent.
- To work on every suggestion and complaint from complaint portal regarding mess and canteen and inform everyone about the decision taken by the council on the complaints
- Will abide strictly by the mess tender and will attend the council meetings regularly
- Special menu for festivals with sweets as a special lunch throughout the year.
- Will conduct theme based Gala Dinner along with the tea Party for the hostel inmates

AS A COUNCIL MEMBER:

- Will help in the execution of Nautanki along with other hostel events
- Will ensure the food for the students participating in GC and practicing for the hostel events
- Will contribute towards most of hostel related events and coordinate with other councillors

CREDENTIALS:

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| • Mess Secretary, Hostel 9 | 2019-20 |
| • Assistant Manager, IITB Racing | 2019-20 |
| • Co-ordinator, Hospitality and Public relations Mood Indigo | 2019 |