

Report of the Principal  
On Foundation Day & Fresher's Day 02-09-2023  
Dr.P. Raghava Kumari

Good Morning.

A warm welcome to the chief guests of today's function Prof. Dr. PVV Satyanarayana garu, Government Medical College, Rajamahendravaram and Dr. C.Krishna garu RJDCE of zone II, Sri B.V.V.Srihari Rao garu ex 4<sup>th</sup> ward corporater, Rajamahendravaram Municipal Corporation, Teaching, Non-Teaching staff and my dear students to this auspicious occasion of Foundation day & Freshers' Day Celebrations.

On this happy occasion, I feel privilege to give a brief history of the prestigious college which was established in 12.5 acres gifted by Hithakarini Samaj founder "Nava Yuga Vaithalika RAO BAHADUR SRI KANDUKURI VEERESALINGAM PANTHULU " garu on September 2<sup>nd</sup> 1968 by the efforts of Smt. Addepalli Vivekananda Devi, an eminent Educationalist and Sri Krovvidi Lingaraju, a social activist with the objective of Empowering the girl students with quality education, ethical values and culture. The college has been named after the wife of Sri Kandukuri Veeresalingam an eminent social reformer and writer who donated all his lifetime earnings to Hithakarini Samaj which own the college. Sri P.V.Narasimha Rao, the then Education minister and former Prime Minister of India laid down the foundation stone of the college.

Over a period of 54years the college has registered tremendous growth in terms of student intake, and development of infrastructure with intermediate courses, UG courses and PG course.

I feel very happy to share the fact with you all as per the deed the wish of Sri Kandukuri Veeresalingam Pantulu garu was fulfilled with the transformation as SKR Government Degree College(Women) erstwhile SKR College for

Women by G.O.Ms. No, 28 dated 10-08-2022 . The college has completed two cycles of NAAC assessment with B+ grade and received RUSA funds of Rs. 2 Crores for infrastructure.

I present before you a brief note of the achievements and activities of various departments. I proudly place before you the academic results of the outgoing students for this year is 88.5% in the University Examinations and I congratulate all the Staff members and the students for their efforts in achieving this. Now I wish to enumerate the achievements of different departments.

The college celebrated Youth Red Cross foundation day, Campaign for Degree Admissions, 104<sup>th</sup> Death Anniversary of Sri Kandukuri Veeresalingam Panthulu Garu, Dr. B.R.Ambedkar Jayanthi and Sankranthi Sambaralu on a grand scale.

All the departments conducted various activities on the occasion of Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav and Deeksharambh (A Student Induction Programme) for Freshers. An awareness Programme on Human Trafficking was conducted by Inclusive Centre.

Department of English distributed National Flags on the occasion of Quit India Movement Day, Observed the International Literacy Day, International Day of the Girl Child and the World Students Day/Dr.APJ Abdul Kalam's Birth Anniversary.

Department of Telugu celebrated "Matru Bhasha dinotsavam, Birth Anniversary of Sri Gunturi Seshendra Sharma, Birth Anniversary of Sri Devulapalli KrishnaSastry and Literary Conference by Dr. Kolakaluri Inak, Former VC of SV university. Department of Hindi conducted Hindi Week Celebrations and Birth Anniversary of Maulana Abul Kalam. Department of Sanskrit observed the Birth Anniversary of Maha Kavi Kalidasa and Awareness Programme on the Bhagavad Gita.

Department of History conducted Children's Day and National Tourism Day.

Department of economics observed World Ozone Day and initiated practicing helping hands and organized One Day International Webinar on "EMPOWERING WOMEN ENTREPRENEURSHIP IN INDIA"

Department of Politics & Public Administration observed Extension Activity Serving the Needy and observed the International Day of Peace, International Democracy Day, International Day of Eradication of Poverty and National Voters' Day

Department of Commerce & IQAC organized National Webinar on Intellectual Property Rights

Department of Botany conducted the Vinayaka Patri Exhibition, Green Campus Programme, Awareness Programme on Kalpataruh, Swatch Bharat Programme. They also conducted 5 day programmes related to World Environment celebrations and green audit.

Department of Zoology Observed World Polio Eradication Day, World Aids Day, and conducted "One Day National Webinar on emerging trends in aquaculture".

Department of Chemistry conducted an awareness Programme on the Hazardous Effects of Plaster of Paris, they also Observed World Ozone Day, Birth Anniversary of Madam Curie, and Chemistry Book Bank system is introduced. The Department of Chemistry organized One Day International Webinar on "Discovery of Medicines"

Department of Physical Education celebrated National Sports Day.

Department of Mathematics and Statistics conducted Birthday Celebrations of Padma Vibhusan Dr. CR Rao, a great Indian Statistician and organized a National Webinar on "Glimpses of Ancient Indian Mathematics".

Department of computer Science organised a workshop on latest technologies in computer science, department of Sociology observed World Human Rights day, alumni association organized Free eye camp, department of Library Science observed Library Week Celebrations.

Besides these academic activities three units of NSS and one unit of NCC which are doing commendable service in keeping up the prestige of this great institution.

I thank all the Teaching and Non Teaching staff who contribute to various developmental activities that took place in the campus.

Dear students, once again hearty welcome to you all. I am sure that our collective endeavour shall take our college to great heights in serving the society in a meaningful and positive manner.

I am very much thankful to our distinguished guests on the dias and off the dias for gracing this day with their presence.

Thanks to one all.