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SANSKRIT WEEK CELEBRATIONS 2015

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INAUGURAL FUNCTION on 26-08-2015 Morning

With the divine grace of Lord Sri Venkateswara, as in all previous years, this year also Sanskrit Week Celebrations have been very grandly celebrated in the premises of Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha, Tirupati from 26-08-2015 to 01-09-2015 with great festive enthusiasm and participation of all members. These celebrations are held as per the special instructions of the Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India in connection with the Sravana Purnima occasion.



While **Sri G. Bhanu Prakash Reddy**, Member, Tirumala Tirupati Devasthanams Trust Board is the Chief Guest, Mahamahopadhyaya Sri Samudrala Lakshmanaiah, Chief Editor of TTD Publications is the Guest of Honor on the occasion of the auspicious inaugural of these celebrations. Prof. Hare Krishna Satapathy, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor presided over the function.



Sri Bhanu Prakash Reddy, the Chief Guest of the Function praised the greatness of Sanskrit with ample examples. He emphasized on the rich scientific contents and contribution of Sanskrit by our ancient seers. He further said that Sanskrit was one of the highest marks of ancient Indian legacy. He extolled the place of Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha among the national institutions in protecting, propagating and preserving Indian Culture and Learning through the protection of traditional Sanskrit learning.



Mahamahopadhyaya Sri Samudrala Lakshmanaiah also in many ways presented the greatness of Sanskrit. He observed that Sanskrit is the only Divine Language on the earth. Those who speak Sanskrit are Gods on the earth. He wished that every one in Tirupati should speak in Sanskrit. He added that one should learn Sanskrit for pleasure, for peace of mind, for self confidence, for expansion of intellect and for self realization. He recited some slokas from his illustrious writing Amaravani for the pleasure and appreciation of the audience.



Prof. Hare Krishna Sathapathy, Honorable Vice Chancellor in his presidential address stated that Sanskrit is the source of all Mother tongues of India. It strengthens all the languages. Even some foreign languages are much indebted to Sanskrit. He proclaimed that Sanskrit is our heart's language, mind's language, tradition's language, people's language and culture's language. The Upanishads which were one of the earliest productions in Sanskrit direct the world towards the highest end of human life. All the Sanskrit students are lucky to learn Sanskrit. Their lives are fulfilled. Sanskrit was the first language that aspired for the world peace and happy living of the entire human beings.



Dr. Rani Sadasiva Murty, The Director of Cultural Affairs of Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha was the Master of Ceremonies of the Inaugural Session.

BHAJANA SANDHYA on 26-08-2015 Evening

In the first day's evening a feast of Devotional Bhajans was held where several teachers and students sang many Sanskrit and regional language Bhajan Kirtans in praise of Vishnu, Siva, Sakti, Ganesha, Kartikeya, Sarsvati, Lakshmi, Jagannatha and many other Gods. It was melodious, devotional and energizing to all participants. The vibration of Bhajans echoed in the entire Vidyapeetha in that serene evening at the holy hill-foot of Lord Sri Venkateswara.



KAVITA GOSHTHI on 27-08-2015

Prof. Harekrishna Satapathy, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor while presided over the event Prof. GSR Krishna Murthy, Registrar of Sri Venkateswara Vedic University, Tirupati attended this poetic symposium as the Chief Guest. Prof. Radha Kanth Thakur, Prof. C. Lalitha Rani, Prof. Satyanarayan Acharya, Dr. Rani Sadasiva Murty, Dr. C. Ranganathan, Dr. K. Rajagopalan, Dr. Somanath Dash, Dr. Ch. Nagaraj, Dr. Bharata Bhushan Rath, Dr. J. Bali Chakravarthi, Dr. Pradip Kumar Bagh and some other research scholars made the evening resonant and impressive with their new age poetry in Sanskrit.



SHASTRA PURANA SANDHYA on 28-08-2015

This is a novel program designed to present the noble concepts of Sastras and Puranas in a very lucid and simple manner. **Veda Bhashya Svararupam** was presented by **Dr. Niranjan Mishra**. **Nyaya Sastra Svarupam** was presented by **Dr. O.G.P. Kalyana Sastri**. **Dr. D Jyothi** introduced the Sankhya – Yoga Sastra Prasastyam in a very simple style. **Dr. Somanath Dash** spoke on the topic Saundaryam Alankara. Then **Dr. MG Nandana Bhat** presented all the traditional principles related to Purana Pravachana Method. **Dr. Somanath Dash** was the convener of this program of the day.

COMPETITIONS FOR THE STUDENTS OF VIDYAPEETHA on 29-08-2015

Dr. A Sacchidananda Murthy and **Dr. Bharata Bhushan Rath** convened Competitions in Sanskrit Song event, Extempore Competition in Sanskrit and Sloka Antyakshari for Vidyapeetha students in the forenoon of the day. All the students have participated with great zeal and enthusiasm showing their heights of spirits.

RASA SANDHYA on 29-08-2015

Dr. Svetha Padma and **Dr. K. Leena Chandra** convened this program consisting of very interesting Dramatic and Musical events performed and presented by the students of Vidyapeetha in the evening of the day. The enthralling performance of all the students delighted all the audience.

COMPETITIONS FOR THE STUDENTS OF OTHER INSTITUTIONS on 30-08-2015

Sloka Recitation Competition, Elocution Competition and Essay writing Competition for the students of local schools and colleges of Tirupati were conducted on 30-08-2015. Though it was meant of local students, there were students even from Kanipakam, Kalahasti and other places. These competitions were successfully convened by **Dr. Pradeep Kumar Bagh** and **Dr. J. Bali Chakravarthi**.



LIST PRIZE WINNERS – INTERNAL COMPETITIONS

SLOKANTYAKSHARI

1. Siva Sankar Hota AI - First Prize
2. Prabha Sarma SII - Second Prize
3. M. Krishna Rao - Third Prize

AASUBHASHANAM

1. Siva Sankar Hota AI - First Prize
2. M. Revathi Supraja AII – Second Prize
3. Vidyasudha SI - Third Prize

Sanskrit Song

1. Sri Kameswari D AI – First Prize
2. Vidyasudha SI – Second Prize
3. Ramatirumalla Reddy AI – Third Prize

LIST OF PRIZE WINNERS – EXTERNAL COMPETITIONS

School Level:

Group I

1. Bhawik, II Class A Section – Bharatiya Vidyabhavan"s SVVidyalaya, Tirupati - First Prize
2. Deekshita, III Class B Section - Bharatiya Vidyabhavan"s SVVidyalaya, Tirupati - Second Prize
3. K. Sravani – III Class – Seshachala Primary School, Tirupati – Third Prize

Group II

1. K. Purnima – V Class – Marg Chinmaya Vidyalaya – First Prize
2. Veda Karthikeya–IV Class,C Section -Bharatiya Vidyabhavan"s SVVidyalaya, Tirupati–Second Prize
3. V. Karthikeya- V Class – RK Model School, KANIPAKAM – III Prize

Group III

1. A. Ramya Sri – VII Class – SV High School (TTD)- First Prize
2. VJ Vishnu – VII Class, C Section - Bharatiya Vidyabhavan"s SVVidyalaya, Tirupati – Second Prize
3. R. Hiranmayee – VII Class, B Section - Bharatiya Vidyabhavan"s SVVidyalaya, Tirupati – Third Prize

Group IV

1. M. Ramya Sree – IX Class – Bhashyam High School – First Prize
2. L. Chaitanya – IX Class – B Section – SV High School – Second Prize
3. A. Sateesh – VIII Class – SV High School – Third Prize
4. G. Chiranjeevi – IX – Brilliant High School – Third Prize

COLLEGE LEVEL

a) INTERMEDIATE LEVEL

ELOCUTION

1. D. Subhasri Kavaya – Inter II Year, Sri Chaitanya Institutions – First Prize

ESSAY WRITING

1. D. Subhasri Kavaya – Inter II Year, Sri Chaitanya Institutions – First Prize

b) DEGREE LEVEL

ELOCUTION

1. Ankura Vatsa – Sastri II – SVVedic University – First Prize

ESSAY WRITING

1. Ankura Vatsa – Sastri II – SVVedic University – First Prize
2. Subhangama Mishra, Sastri I - SVVedic University – Second Prize
3. Ajaya Diskshit – Sastri III - SVVedic University – Third Prize

c) UNIVERSITY LEVEL

ELOCUTION

1. Ballalanath Kulkarni – Acharya I year - SVVedic University – First Prize
2. D. Chaitanya Krishna – Acharya II Year - SVVedic University – Second Prize

ESSAY WRITING

1. D. Chaitanya Krishna – Acharya II Year - SVVedic University – First Prize
2. I. Madhava Sarma – Acharya II Year - SVVedic University – Second Prize
3. Ballalanath Kulkarni – Acharya I year - SVVedic University – Third Prize



SAMSKRITA KATHAVITHIKA on 31-08-2015

The Unique program of the year is Samskrita Kathavithika convened by **Dr. Ch. Nagaraju**. This program is meant for proving that writing social short stories in Sanskrit is possible with contemporary themes. Totally 17 stories were written and presented by the following participants.

Sl. No	Name of the Story	Name of the Participant
01	Vaalavihiinah Srgaalah	Prof. C. Lalitha Rani
02	Svaartha Parityaagah	Dr. Balichakravarthi
03	Vrksho'ham Tava Jivanam	Dr. Bharata Bhushan Rath
04	Silaa Vaishishtyam	Dr. K. Leena Chandra
05	Sangatih	Dr. Svetha Padma Satapathy
06	Aho Buddhikushalataa	Dr. Kamakshamma
07	Lalaata Likhita Rekhaa	Dr. C. Ranganathan
08	Murkhah Vaanarah	Dr. Rajashri Paadhi
09	Paraninda Naiva Kartavyaa	Dr. Tapan Kumar Gadhayi
10	Aparyaptah Samayah	Dr. Rani Sadasiva Murty
11	Ekakriya Dvyarthakarii	Dr. Ch. Nagaraju
12	Saapta Maaturah	Mr. G. Lakshmi Narayana
13	Ashaktah Kim Prabhur Bhavet?	Miss. Suranchika Rana
14	Svedajah Sansthaa	Dr. P. Srinivasa Krishna
15	Bharate Nirmitam	Dr. Rajagopal
16	Iyam eka Katha	Dr. Narayanan Nampoothiri TN
17	Paropakari Vrkshah	Hemantha Behara



VALEDICTORY on 01-09-2015

The Seven Day festival was grandly ended with the Valedictory where Prize Distribution for all the winners in various competitions held during the week was a memorable event through the golden hands of **Prof. KE Devanathan**, Vice Chancellor, Sri Venkateswara Vedic University, Tirupati who was the Chief Guest of the day. **Prof. S. Sudarsana Sarma**, Dean of Sahitya and Samskriti presided over the function.

The Valedictory function began with the Detailed Report of the Sanskrit Week Celebrations presented by **Dr. Rani Sadasiva Murty**, the Coordinator of the Week Day Program.

Prof. KE Devanathan, the Chief Guest of the day, in his speech gave a message that Sanskrit will influence and guide all spheres of Indian Life of all times as long as the Vedic and Sastra tradition in Sanskrit is well protected. For protecting that ageless tradition festivals of this kind would create all necessary awareness among the people.

Prof. S. Sudarsana Sarma in his presidential address congratulated all the prize winners. He further added that Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeetha, Tirupati will always in the forefront in the field of Sanskrit world to lead all with striving enthusiasm for the good of the society, country and even the entire Globe through spreading the Sanskrit learning in all directions.

Prof. Satyanarayan Acharya convened the Valedictory Function.







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