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Report on the

Celebration of Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaja Jayanti

Date: - 19th February 2025

Venue: - Dr. Deepak Patil Ayurvedic Medical College and Research Center, Borpadale.

Organized by: - NSS Unit of Dr. Deepak Patil Ayurvedic Medical College and Research Center, Borpadale.

Introduction

Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaja, a revered figure in Indian history, is celebrated for his valiant leadership, progressive administration, and unwavering commitment to safeguarding the rights of his people. To commemorate his birth anniversary, the NSS (National Service Scheme) Unit of Dr. Deepak Patil Ayurvedic Medical College and Research Center, Borpadale, organized a grand event on 19th February 2025. This event aimed not only to honour the legacy of Shivaji Maharaj but also to inspire the students and staff with his ideals of courage, justice, and social welfare.

Objective of the Event

The primary objectives of the event were:

- 1. To celebrate the birth anniversary of Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj and acknowledge his contribution to the nation.
- 2. To instill the values of leadership, integrity, and service to society, following the footsteps of the great ruler.
- 3. To enhance the awareness of the significance of Shivaji Maharaj's role in Indian history among students and staff.
- 4. To encourage cultural and social activities that reflects the rich heritage of India.

Event Highlights

1. Welcome Address

The event began with a warm welcome of Shiva Palakhi and Shiva jyoti brought by the students with the Grand Marching which was started from Panhala Fort to the college campus address by Honourable Chairman of collage Dr. Swati Patil madam and Dr. Smita Patil madam. Principal Hon. Dr. Nitin Apple sic and college faculties were also present to give their Heart full gratitude towards the greatest King of all time Rajshri Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaja.

2. Floral Tribute

The all students, Honourable members of college, faculty, and NSS volunteers gathered in front of the Statue of Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj, where a heartfelt floral tribute was offered. This ceremony symbolized respect and gratitude for the leader's contributions to the nation.

3. Speech on the Life and Legacy of Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj

A notable speech was delivered by Dr. Swati Patil, Chairman and senior faculty member at the college, who gave a detailed account of Shivaji Maharaj's life, focusing on his early years, his military tactics, his governance, and the social reforms he initiated. The speech aimed to inspire the attendees by reminding them of the ruler's foresight in promoting justice and equality.

4. Cultural Program

A cultural program was organized by the NSS Unit and Cultural secretory of collage, featuring performances that showcased the rich Maratha culture. The students performed traditional dances, patriotic songs, and skits that depicted important events from Shivaji Maharaj's life. The special event called 'Palana Sohala' was beautifully performed and celebrated by Ladies Faculty and Girls of collage. The performances were a blend of entertainment and education, ensuring that the younger generation could relate to the historical significance of the day.

Conclusion

The Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Jayanti celebration at Dr. Deepak Patil Ayurvedic Medical College and Research Center was a grand success. The event served as a reminder of the greatness of Shivaji Maharaj and his significant contribution to the history and culture of India. The NSS Unit's efforts to organize such a meaningful event have left a lasting impact on the participants, inspiring them to uphold the values of bravery, integrity, and public service.

The celebration was not just an academic observance but also a cultural and social initiative that united students, faculty, and the local community in reverence for a national hero. Through this event, the NSS Unit has succeeded in bringing together the youth to reflect upon the principles that can guide them toward a prosperous and just future.

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