

Rayat Shikshan Sanstha's

(Autonomous)

**International Women's Day Celebration**

**Organized by Women Empowerment Cell, Internal Complaint Cell, Antiragging and Antisexual Harassment Cell**

(Under the aegis of RUSA Component 8)

7 March 2024

International Women's Day Celebration is organized by Women Empowerment Cell, Internal Complaint Cell, Anti ragging and Antisexual Harassment Cell under the aegis of RUSA component 8 on 7<sup>th</sup> March 2024. The theme for this year's women's day celebration is Inspire Inclusion. The main objective behind organizing this event is to 'Spark Her Potential'. This program includes various competition for ladies staff such as Elocution competition, Singing Competition, Poetry competition and Rangoli competition. The essay competition and elocution competition was organized for girls. To celebrate the womanhood, to enhance the skills and to develop the qualities of woman is the main aim behind organization of this program. Overall the program provided a comprehensive approach towards Women Empowerment.

The program is organized in 2 sessions.

- i) First session- Competition for ladies staff and girls students (Time 10 am to 2 pm)
- ii) Second session- Chief Guest lecture and Prize distribution ceremony ( 3 pm to 5.30 pm)

**First Session – Various Competition**

This year International Women's Day is celebrated in our college on the theme Spark Her Potential on the theme Inspire Inclusion. On this occasion we have organized various competitions for ladies staff such as Elocution competition, Singing competition, Poetry competition and Rangoli competition. For girls essay competition and elocution competition is organized. To enhance the presentation skill and performing skill of all the ladies is the main purpose behind organizing this competition. More than 50 participants from a ladies staff and more than 60 participants from a girls students participated in this event. For each event we have invited examiner. Dr. Vidyulatta Pandhare Madam, Principal of Uma Education College, Dr.Nagin Sarvgod Madam from Uma College, Sau. Aruna Haridas, Mr.Sitaram Sawant Sir worked as a examiner for the various competitions organized for ladies staff. Further a separate panel of examiners is also established for the evaluation of essay and elocution competitions for the girls students. The evaluation sheet and score cards are provided to all the examiners.



The rubrics for evaluation sheet are as follows i) Presentation skills ii) Time length iii) Communication skills iv) As per theme v) Overall impact. These rubrics are decided as per discussion with all examiners. All the topics given for the competition are theme based and Women related. For all the winners cash prize, certificates and trophy is given. The cash prizes worth Rs. 2100, Rs. 1100 and Rs. 501 were announced for 1<sup>st</sup> rank, 2<sup>nd</sup> rank and 3<sup>rd</sup> rank respectively for ladies staff competition. The cash prize worth Rs. 1100, Rs.750 and Rs. 501 were announced for 1<sup>st</sup> rank, 2<sup>nd</sup> rank and 3<sup>rd</sup> rank respectively for girls students.

### **Second Session – Chief Guest Lecture and Prize Distribution**

The International Women's Day is celebrated on 7<sup>th</sup> March 2024. Hon'ble Ms. Varsha Chopade, Liaison officer, Rajgiri college of Social Sciences, Kochi, Kerala is the chief guest for Inaugural function. Hon'ble Dr.Mrs. Varsha Surendra Kane from Dr.Kane's Gayatri superspeciality Hospital, Pandharpur. The program begins with welcome address given by Hon'ble Principal Dr. C. J. Khilare Saheb. He has mentioned the contribution of a Woman in the economy of world. He also stated the contribution of a woman in the field of science and technology. He explained that education is a powerful tool that can equip women with the knowledge and skills they need to succeed in their personal and professional lives. Further he welcomed today's chief guest and president of the function. Further introductory speech is given by Dr. N.D.Desai, Chairman of Women Empowerment Cell. She has given introduction of chief guest and president. Further she stated the importance of International Women's Day and explained the theme i.e. Inspire Inclusion. After this felicitation of the guest, president was done by the hands of Hon'ble principal with shawl and Vitthal murti. On the occasion of International Women's Day felicitation of all the teaching and non teaching ladies staff is done with pen and diary as a token of gratitude. When the felicitation program was over all the prize winners of various competitions were announced. Both the lady's faculty members as well as girls students were given cash prize, certificates and trophy. The Chief guest Mrs. Varsha Chopade madam shared her experiences while working at Kerala. She also mentioned her views about tourism and culture in Kerala. According to her Kerala is female dominated state. She further added that women should respect women. We should stay away from black magic. Further she stated that good education and hardworking nature is the key towards success. Dr. Mrs. Varsha Kane has given the presidential address for the function she stated that men & women should be treated equally. Only women has capacity to give new life. At the end of function Prof. Dr. F. S. Bijapure has given vote of thanks.



**Principal Dr. C. J. Khilare giving welcome address**



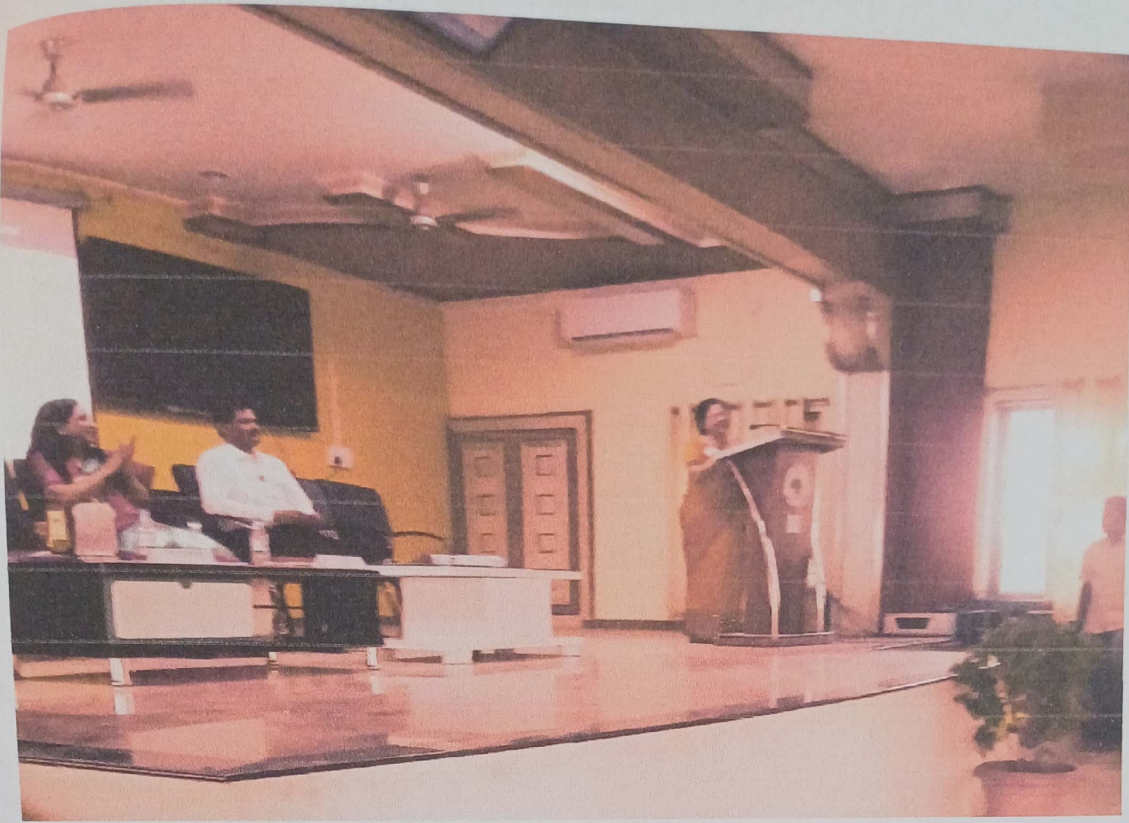
**Dr. N. D. Desai giving introduction of chief guest & president**



**Felicitation of Chief-guest Mrs. Varsha Chopade**



**Mrs. Varsha Chopade ( Chief guest) addressing to audience**



**Mrs. Dr. Varsha Kane ( President) addressing to audience**



**All Ladies Staff at K. B. P .M. Pandharpur**

**Co-Ordinator**

Chairman  
Women Empowerment Cell  
Karmaveer Bhaurao Patil Mahavidyalaya,  
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