Annual report of the celebrations and commemorative events: 2021

Continuation of the pandemic during the greater part of 2021 forced the college to conduct celebrations and cultural programmes online.

Two online cultural programmes were organized to celebrate the birth anniversary of Rabindranath Tagore and the death anniversary of Pandit Sivanath Sastri.

The 160th birth anniversary of Rabindranath Tagore was celebrated on 9th May 2021.

The programme included performances by students and teachers. The programme was directed by Mrs Sarbari Nandi, faculty, Department of Bengali and conducted by Dr. Sipra Roy, also of the same Department.

The programme commenced with a poster presentation by Saramita Haldar and followed by a recitation by Sreejita Saha and a song sung by Ritasree Mukherjee, all students of Bengali Honours. Performances by teachers consisted of songs by Madhulika Ghosh (Department of Geography), Tilottama Roy Banerjee (Department of English), Seema Banerjee (Department of Education) and a recitation by Mousumi Bandyopadhyay (Department of History)

Other student performances were a recitation by Snigdha Majumdar student of Bengali Honours and a song by Jhinuk Bakshi of the same department. The programme was concluded with a dance performance by Nisha Das. The programme was attended by 120 students and uploaded on official Face book page of the college.

Link on Official Face book Page of the College-

1. <u>https://youtu.be/DIf7y-3C3x0</u>

2. https://fb.watch/5nshrH7Uqu/

The college also paid tribute to the social reformer Sivanath Sastri, the legacy of whom the college commemorates, by arranging a cultural programme on his death anniversary on 30 th September, 2021. The programme was conducted by Prof. Sipra Roy. The Principal Dr. Runa Biswas delivered the introductory speech which included a brief sketch of the life history of Sivanath Sastri, highlighting his contributions. This was followed by a brahma sangeet sung by Smt Madhulika Ghosh. Other performances included songs by Smt, Prof. Shankhamala Ray,, Prof. SharbariNandi, and recitation by Prof. Mousumi Badyopadhyay. Students Jhinuk Baksi, and Somrita Sarkar (Department of Bengali) also sang songs. The programme was attended by 115 students .

Link on YouTube-

https://youtu.be/L_IBSNbYzE4