



Audyogik Shikshan Mandal's

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International Women's Day

Date: 09th March 2025

Time: 02:00 pm to 04:00 pm

Venue: IPS Auditorium

Introduction:

International Women's Day is celebrated across the world on 8 March to recognize the achievements, strength, and contributions of women in society. It is an occasion to appreciate the role women play in every field and to promote equality, respect, and empowerment.

ASM IPS College celebrated Women's Day with great enthusiasm and respect to honor the women staff members who contribute significantly to the institution's growth and development. The celebration was organized by the male faculty members of ASM IPS, which made the event even more special and meaningful.

The program was graced by distinguished dignitaries including Dr. Sudhakar Bokephode Sir, Dr. Lalit Kanore Sir, Dr. D. D. Balsaraf Sir, Dr. Daniel Penkar Sir, and Dr. Vikas Barbate Sir, whose presence added value and inspiration to the event. The celebration aimed to acknowledge the dedication, hard work, and achievements of women and to create awareness about the importance of respecting and empowering them. The program turned out to be a very emotional and memorable moment for all the women staff members of the college.

Objective:

The main objectives of celebrating Women's Day at ASM IPS College were:

- To honor and appreciate the contribution of women faculty and staff members in the institution.
- To create awareness about women's empowerment, equality, and respect in society.
- To encourage women to believe in their abilities and take independent decisions in life.
- To recognize the efforts of not only faculty members but also supporting staff such as housekeeping staff.
- To promote a culture of respect, dignity, and support for women within the college community.

Speaker: Dr. Daniel Penkar Sir

Report:

The Women's Day celebration at ASM IPS College was organized with great enthusiasm, respect, and emotional warmth to honor the contribution of women in the institution. The entire event was thoughtfully organized by the male faculty members of ASM IPS, which made the celebration even more special and meaningful for all the women staff members present.

The program began with the Saraswati Vandana, creating a spiritual and positive environment for the event. This was followed by the lamp lighting ceremony dedicated to Savitribai Phule, symbolizing knowledge, empowerment, and the inspirational role she played in the field of women's education. The ceremony highlighted the importance of educating and empowering women in society.

The program was graced by respected dignitaries including Dr. Sudhakar Bokephode Sir, Dr. Lalit Kanore Sir, Dr. D. D. Balsaraf Sir, Dr. Daniel Penkar Sir, and Dr. Vikas Barbate Sir. Their presence added value and encouragement to the celebration and inspired everyone present in the program.

During the event, Dr. Daniel Penkar Sir delivered an inspiring speech about the strength and importance of women in society. He emphasized that women should always feel safe, confident, and empowered to make their own decisions. He highlighted that women are capable of achieving great success in every field and should always be respected and supported. While explaining this, he shared the example of Jhasi Ki Rani, whose courage and determination proved that women are strong and capable of doing anything when they believe in themselves. His words motivated the audience and strengthened the message of women empowerment.

Adding further meaning to the program, CSIT faculty member Swati More Madam shared a beautiful charoli based on women. Through her expressive words, she highlighted the strength, patience, and emotional depth of women. Her charoli beautifully described how women manage multiple roles in life while still spreading positivity and strength around them. Her words deeply touched the audience and created a thoughtful and emotional atmosphere in the hall.

After this, Isha Madam from IPS also shared her views and experiences about women's strength and resilience. She spoke about how women have the ability to handle every situation in life with courage and patience. She expressed that she feels truly blessed to have such supportive colleagues and friends at ASM IPS College. She mentioned that in any difficult situation, her colleagues always stand by her and support her like a family.

She also compared the situation of women in today's world, where many women often feel unsafe or unsupported. However, she expressed that in ASM IPS College she feels safe, comfortable, and respected because of the supportive environment created by the male staff

members. She shared that the trust and support among the staff members. Her heartfelt words reflected the strong sense of unity, respect, and cooperation that exists within the institution.

To make the celebration even more memorable, one of the CSIT faculty members presented a beautiful Marathi song titled “Rakhumai.” The soulful performance created a deeply emotional moment for everyone present in the hall. The song symbolized devotion, strength, and emotional connection, which resonated strongly with the theme of the event.

A special felicitation ceremony was also organized during the program. All women faculty members, administrative staff, and housekeeping staff were felicitated as a token of appreciation for their dedication and valuable contribution to the institution. This gesture made all the women feel respected and valued. The moment was very emotional and filled with gratitude, as every woman present felt honored and recognized for her efforts.

The entire celebration reflected a spirit of appreciation, unity, and respect for women. The program not only honored the achievements and contributions of women but also highlighted the importance of creating a safe, supportive, and encouraging environment for them. The Women’s Day celebration at ASM IPS College truly became a memorable and heartwarming event for everyone present.

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Outcomes:

The Women's Day celebration at ASM IPS College was highly successful and meaningful. The event helped in recognizing the valuable contribution of women in the institution and boosted their confidence and morale.

The program strengthened the message that women are capable of achieving great success and should always be respected and supported. It also encouraged a culture of appreciation and equality within the college community.

Overall, the celebration created a memorable and emotional experience for all the women staff members and reinforced the importance of empowerment, respect, and recognition of women in society.