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Report on

Swami Vivekananda's Birth Anniversary Celebration at New Horizon College of Engineering

Date: 12th January 2025

Event: Swami Vivekananda's Birth Anniversary Celebration (National Youth Day)

Organized by: NSS Unit Cell and NCC, New Horizon College of Engineering, Bangalore

Venue: Swami Vivekananda Block

On January 12th, 2025, the NSS Unit Cell and NCC of New Horizon College of Engineering celebrated the birth anniversary of Swami Vivekananda, which is observed as National Youth Day in India. The event aimed to honor the contributions of Swami Vivekananda, whose teachings continue to inspire the youth of India towards self-awareness, service, and nation-building.

The celebration saw active participation from the NSS and NCC volunteers, the NSS Programme Officer, the NCC Caretaker, the Hostel Warden, and the hostel residents. The program commenced with a traditional and respectful garlanding of the photo of Swami Vivekananda, followed by a worship ceremony, which set the tone for the occasion.

The NSS Programme Officer addressed the gathering, emphasizing the importance of Swami Vivekananda's philosophy in the modern world, particularly his teachings on strength, character, and the empowerment of youth. The speech inspired the volunteers and attendees to follow his path of self-realization and national service.

Following the address, the event continued with a series of motivational quotes from Swami Vivekananda, which were recited by the volunteers. These quotes highlighted values such as courage, determination, and the role of youth in shaping the future of the nation.

One of the key moments of the celebration was the taking of the Swami Vivekananda Pledge by the volunteers. The pledge encouraged them to follow the ideals set by Vivekananda, contributing positively to society and fostering the development of their inner strength.

The event concluded with a heartfelt vote of thanks, acknowledging the volunteers' participation and the success of the event. As a symbol of unity and goodwill, Anna Prasad (a meal offering) was distributed among the participants, further strengthening the sense of community and service.

Quotes by Swami Vivekananda

- ❖ "Arise, awake, and stop not till the goal is reached"
- ❖ "Take risks in your life. If you win, you can lead! If you lose, you can guide!"
- ❖ "Strength is life, weakness is death."
- ❖ "The greatest sin is to think yourself weak."
- ❖ "All power is within you; you can do anything and everything."
- ❖ "You cannot believe in God until you believe in yourself."
- ❖ "Talk to yourself once a day; otherwise, you may miss meeting an excellent person in this world."
- ❖ "The world is the great gymnasium where we come to make ourselves strong."
- ❖ "Do one thing at a time, and while doing it, put your whole soul into it to the exclusion of all else."
- ❖ "Purity, patience, and perseverance are the three essentials to success, and above all, love."

Swami Vivekananda Pledge

"I believe in myself and in the power of youth to shape the future of the nation.

I pledge to follow the ideals of Swami Vivekananda and strive for self-development, strength, and self-reliance.

I will work for the upliftment of my society and nation with a spirit of service, sacrifice, and dedication.

I will dedicate myself to the service of humanity, cultivate discipline and character, and foster a spirit of unity and love.

I promise to work with determination and enthusiasm to bring about positive change in the world around me.

I will always remember that the future of my nation lies in the hands of its youth,

and I will strive to be a responsible and contributing citizen of India."

Photo Gallery



