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REPORT ON PRAVEGA-2023

Title	PRAVEGA 2023, Intracollegiate Cultural Fiesta
Date of Event	September 7 & 8, 2023 (Thursday & Friday)
Time of the event	9.00 am onwards
Department/Association	Postgraduate Centre
Venue	Closed Auditorium
Number of participants	210
Target Audience	PG Students
Chief Guest	Ms. Anumapa M A, is a playback singer, lyricist, music director and an actor. By profession Ms. Anupama has been working as Asst. Professor at NMKRV and SSMRV Colleges, Bangalore. She has completed her MCom and MBA. She has rendered around 1800 songs for devotional cassettes and folk cassettes in 15 different languages.

Cultural fests enrich the educational experience by offering students opportunities for personal and cultural growth, skill development, and a sense of belonging and community. They contribute to a well-rounded education and help prepare students for future endeavors, both academically and professionally. It gives an opportunity to compete with their peers and to have a feel of the 'real competitive world.' Cultural events give students an opportunity to explore their talents and a podium to showcase them. It also imbites team spirit and a sense of belongingness among students. PRAVEGA, the Intra Collegiate Cultural fest of the ST. Francis De Sales College, Postgraduate centre is organized every year with an aim to provide a platform for students to showcase their innovative ideas, talents. It is a fest in which various cultural competitions are organized for PG students.

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DETAILED REPORT OF PRAVEGA, 2022

The cultural fest Pravega was conducted on September 7 & 8, 2023 (Thursday & Friday), 2023 by the PG Cultural Committee for the PG students. Initially all the PG students were divided into four house teams and each house team had two animators as mentioned below.

1. Spartans (Team Color-Blue)- Dr. Thanapackiam & Dr. Mahesh N V
2. Titans (Team Color-Pink)- Dr. Siny Philip & Dr. R Shenbagavalli
3. Scythians (Team Color-Yellow)- Mr. Kevin Rozario & Ms. Roopa J
4. Akkadians (Team Color-Green)- Dr. Maria Priya & Dr. Roseline Jayanthi

The animators played a quintessential role in being the point of contact between students and the Cultural committee. Animators' predominant role was to conduct meetings with the house team members to explain the different events being conducted for the fest, its rules and to encourage participation. They had the responsibility to take the registrations and coordinate with the cultural committee. A total of eight events were conducted and each event was assigned an in-charge for the smooth execution of the event. The event in-charges had to prepare the judging criteria, scoring sheet, assign chest numbers for the participants, coordinate with "Judge arranging committee" and ensure smooth conduction of event. They also had to coordinate with participants and cultural committee.

The list of events, event in-charges, rules, instructions, and schedule of events are further attached with the report.

The Chief Guest for the fest, Pravega was Ms. Anupama M A, who is a playback singer, lyricist, music director and an actor. By profession Ms. Anupama has been working as Asst. Professor at NMKRV and SSMRV Colleges, Bangalore. She has completed her MCom and MBA. Her passion lies in music industry yet she has been actively taking part in academic activities too. She has participated and presented papers at various national and international conference. She has also been publishing many research articles. She has rendered around 1800 songs for devotional cassettes and folk cassettes in 15 different languages. She has been the playback singer for more than 30 sandalwood movies, 1 tamil and 3 lambani movies. She is the All-India Radio artist. She has sung at various National Festivals for the Excellency Governor of Karnataka at Rajbhavan. She is the Music Director and lyricist for the Album Manmohanaa. She has written for lyrics for the Kannada movie, Savaari 2. She has also acted in TV serial titled Mahaparvaa directed by T N Seetaram. She has also

given music score and directed several dramas like padaka, tamboori meetida jipuna, purndaradasa and many more. She has hosted a show for Smriti Irani, Hon. HRD Minister at Adamya Chetana Seva Utsava 2016.

The inaugural function took place in the Closed Auditorium on Sep 8, 2023 from 9:00 am onwards. Respected Principal, Vice Principal and Administrator Fr. Robin graced the event. The inaugural function began with a prayer song and lighting the lamp. For declaration of Pravega 2023 open, few students with cheerleader pompom created the alphabets with pompoms. After creating all letters, the Chief guest was invited and asked to declare the event open through a scroll. Later, the Guest sang a few melodious songs for the students. Following the speech of the principal, the chief guest was felicitated and the event was concluded with the vote of thanks. For each of these events there were two judges. Event in-charges took responsibility to invite the pre-determined judges for the events and ensured smooth functioning of event. All the events were completed by 1:30 pm which was followed by Valedictory function.

For the Valedictory function and prize distribution, honorable Principal, Vice principal and Administrator were invited. The winners were given prizes and much awaited Cultural championship and Individual championship was announced by both the fathers. Alwin Raj K from the house team Spartans was announced Individual Cultural Champion for the year 2023-24. The house team Spartans were declared as the Cultural champions for the year 2023-24. Both the Individual Cultural Champion and Cultural championship was bagged the house team Spartans. A tabulation was done to arrive at this decision of championship's which is attached in this report, further. Following this, Vice principal declared the closure of Pravega-2023-24.

The fest was completed by 3:00pm and all the PG students actively participated. Students performed graciously and this was a platform which provided them an opportunity to discover their talents, potentials, and skills. The fest was fun filled, and source of joy and enjoyment to students along with giving a spirit of competition.

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