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Report on

Celebration of 77th Independence Day of India at Kalyani Regional Centre, NSOU

Held on 15th August, Tuesday, 2023, 11.00 AM

Venue: NSOU Kalyani Regional Centre Premises

Attendees: Faculties, Officers, staff, and other employees of the University

Relevance of the Celebration:

Independence Day is not just a day of commemoration; it's a day of unity. The tricolor flag soaring high evokes a sense of pride and belonging, instilling a shared responsibility to uphold the values that define us as a nation. In a rapidly changing world, the relevance of Independence Day remains unwavering. It is a day to cherish our sovereignty, celebrate our cultural heritage, and renew our dedication to building a better India for generations to come. The 77th Independence Day of India was celebrated with great enthusiasm and patriotic fervor at Kalyani Regional Centre, NSOU. The event aimed to commemorate the historic day when India gained freedom from British colonial rule. The celebration brought together officers, faculties, staff, and guests in a display of unity and reverence for the nation.

National Flag Hoisting Ceremony:

The day began with a solemn flag hoisting ceremony at the central courtyard of the campus. The tricolor national flag was unfurled by Dr. Premananda Jana, Regional Director, Kalyani Regional Centre, NSOU in the presence of faculty, staff, and other dignitaries. People honored the flag and the photo of Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose by placing flowers at the Kalyani Regional Centre. Once the respects were paid and the flag was hoisted, everyone together enthusiastically chanted "Vande Mataram" slogan.

Following the flag hoisting, Dr. Jana delivered an inspiring speech, highlighting the significance of India's independence struggle and the responsibility of the youth in shaping the nation's future. The speech emphasized the values of unity, diversity, and progress that define India.

The celebration continued beautiful patriotic song "O Amar Desher Mati.." sung by Dr. Madhusri Ghosh, Deputy Librarian, NSOU that paid tribute to the rich heritage of India. Dr. Ghosh delivered nice speech on the freedom struggle, showcasing the sacrifices made by the freedom fighters.

Mr. Mrinal Nath, Assistant Professor of Computer Science presented a brief speech on the contribution of freedom fighter in the context of Indian freedom movement. He highlighted the importance of comprehending and adopting our values as a crucial aspect of being responsible citizens of India.



Dr. Sintu Ganai, Assistant Professor of Chemistry, gave a short speech about the importance of the day and the pride of having a free and wonderful country. He strongly emphasized the roles and duties of the academic community and those involved with the university in advancing its growth and progress.



Dr. Parimal Halder, Assistant Professor of Education, shared his valuable thoughts on the importance of this day. He emphasized that understanding and embracing our values are essential for being responsible citizens of India.



Dr. Jana delivered the end note address culminating all the speeches. Dr. Jana thanked all for being a part of this national festival and making it eventful.

The celebration concluded with harmonic national anthem sung by one and all present in the event. This was followed by group photo, tea, and small refreshment.

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