

GOVT. DEGREE COLLEGE (BOYS) ANANTNAG

REPORT

REPORT OF SEMINAR: CELEBRATION OF ICONIC WEEK UNDER THE BANNER 'AZADI KA AMRIT MAHOTSAV' 75TH ANNIVERSARY OF INDIA'S INDEPENDENCE

Title: Sheikh-Ul-Alam & Kashmiri Language

Date & Time of the Seminar: **24TH OCTOBER, 2021; Timing: 11AM – 4.00 PM**

Organizing Body: **Debates and Seminar Committee Govt. Degree College, NSS & NCC**

Number of participants: 130 from different colleges of District Anantang

Organizers

1. Prof. (Dr.) Muzaffar Ahmad Bhat, Principal GDC, Anantnag (Patron)	2. Prof. Farooq Ahmad, Head Deptt. of Pol. Science (Convener) Debates and Seminar Committee
2. All Members of Debate and Seminar Committee	3. NSS Member
4. NCC Members	5. Protocol Committee

Guests Invited:

1. **Mr. Muneer Ahmad Mir, Composer/Singer, All India Radio**
2. **Prof (Dr.) Shafkat Altaf, Sr. Assistant Prof. Deptt of Kashmiri, Kashmir University**

Programme Schedule

Name of the Item	Time	Name of the Faculty/Guest	Remarks
Morning Session			
Start of the Programme & Opening Remarks	11 AM	Dr. Imtiyaz Ahmad, AP Urdu	-
Welcome Address	11.10AM	Prof. (Dr.) Muzafar Ahmad Bhat, Principal GDC, Anantnag (Patron)	-

Recitation of Sheikh Shruekh	11.30AM	Mr. Muneer Ahmad Mir	Lots of Cheers & Applause
Concluding Remarks	12.30AM	Prof. Farooq Ahmad Malik	-
Vote of Thanks	12.45 PM	Dr. Ummer Zargar	-
Lunch Break			
Evening Session			
Start of the Programme & Opening Remarks	2 PM	Dr. Imtiyaz Ahmad, AP Urdu	-
Welcome Address	2.10AM	Dr. Masroofa Qadir	
Lecture on Sheikh-Ul-Alam & Kashmiri Language	2.30AM	Prof (Dr.) Shafkat Altaf, Sr. Assistant Prof. Deptt of Kashmiri, Kashmir University	Interactive Session
Qawali Mehfil	3.15PM	Mr. Muneer Ahmed Mir	Lots of Cheers & Applause
Concluding Remarks	3.30PM	Mr. Ishfaq Ahmed Malik	-
Vote of Thanks	3.45PM	Dr. Waheed Ahmad Khanday	-

Proceedings:

The Iconic Week under the banner of 'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav' celebrated at Govt. Degree College Boys, Anantnag. Anantnag 24 October Sunday: J&K's one of the premier institute Govt. Degree College Boys, Anantnag celebrated Iconic week under the banner 'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav' 75th anniversary of India's Independence. Mr. Muneer Ah Mir (singer and composer) and Prof. Shafkat Altaf University of Kashmir, Dept. Of Kashmiri were the chief guests on the occasion. Both the guests highlighted the contributions of Sheik ul Alam. All the employees of the college and students/faculty of different college of district Anantnag participated in the event. Prof. Muzzafar Ahmad Bhat Principal presented the welcome address and inaugurated the event. Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav is an intensive, countrywide campaign that focuses on citizen participation and encourages small changes at the local level to add up to significant national gains. The theme of Independence Day for the current year is 'Nation First, Always First'. The Dept. Of Higher Education was highly praised by one and all for providing the platform to UT colleges.

The highlight of the first session was the musical concert by Iconic singer, Mr. Muneer Ahmad Mir, who sang the 'Sheikh Shruekh' of Great Sufi saint Sheik-ul-Alam which was highly appreciated by the participants. He rejuvenated the spiritually of the participants by reciting different 'Shrueks' from Sheikhs Sayings. The convener of the programme, Prof. Farooq Ahmad Malik, explained the relevance of Noor Ud Din Wali by simple Kashmiri examples and

analogues. He impressed upon the participants to adopt the way of life of Sheikh Noor-ud-din in order to resolve the current problems which we face today.

The highlight of the second session was the scholastic lecture by Prof (Dr.) Shafkat Altaf, Sr. Assistant Prof. Deptt of Kashmiri, Kashmir University. In his address, he first explained basics of languages and its concept. He explained that Sheikh Noor ud din was a multi lingual scholar and brought different words from Sanskrit to compose his great sayings. As per scholar, the 'Sheikh Shrueks' are relevant in the 21st century and concluded that he was one of best scholar of this region who highlighted the issues which have universal significance. Prof (Dr.) Shafkat Altaf concluded by impressing upon students and participants to inculcate the values of Noor Ud Din Wali in letter and Spirit so that universal brotherhood and peace is achieved across the globe.

The programme was concluded with the note that all of should practice the teachings of the Great Sufi Scholar in letter and spirit.



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