

Teacher's Day Celebration

"A teacher takes a hand, opens a mind and touches the heart."

In India, Teacher's Day is celebrated on the birth anniversary of Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan, the first vice-president of India. He was a staunch educationalist, renowned diplomat and above all, a great teacher.

Once, some of his students requested him to allow them to celebrate his birthday. But Dr. Radhakrishnan replied, "Instead of celebrating my birthday, it would be my proud privilege if 5th September would be observed as Teachers' Day". Since then, Teachers' Day is celebrated to express admiration for teachers for their special contribution to the society.

Teacher's day was celebrated by the students of Rollwala Computer Center, Department of Computer Science, Gujarat University. The event was held on 9th September, 2019 in Gujarat University Senate Hall. The event was organized and managed by Sem-III students of MCA, under the guidance of faculty members. The students of MCA, M.Sc., M.Tech and PGDCA participated in the celebration. The event was beautifully hosted by two sem-III students, Aqueed and Ankita. The event started at 10:00 AM and lasted till 2:00 PM, followed by cake cutting and snacks in the seminar hall. The event started with the University song, followed by lamp lighting and saraswati vandana. The lamp lighting was done by all faculty members. The Saraswati vandana was sung by MCA sem-1 students. Prayer dance was performed by semester 1 students.

All the teachers were given mementoes as token of appreciation. Dr. Savita Gandhi, HOD Department of Computer Science guided the students with her precious words. She enlightened them by making them understand the role of teachers in building a nation. It was followed by a melodious prayer by Dr. Jyoti Pareek. Ms. Hetaxi Sodha of MCA-V shared her thoughts and experiences during her tenure in Rollwala.

It was followed by a song performance by Subham Rathode from MCA-I. A skit was performed depicting social issues by MCA-I students which showcased issues like gender inequality, harassments faced by women at public places and noise pollution. They showed us that to bring a change the society firstly we have to change ourselves by taking a stand if something like this happens around us.

Prashant Kumbhare from MSc. AI-I took us back in past by singing timeless melodies. Then there was group dance of MCA-I students followed by mimicry by Pratik Awasthi of MCA-I followed by another melodious song performance by Hemang and Linson from MCA-I. There was a solo dance performance by Chetan from MCA-V. Vivek from MCA-V gave a speech on his journey in Rollwala.

Students invited all teachers to play Antakshari and Garba. Teachers enjoyed a lot. Last but not the least the event was wrapped up by a vote of thanks to all the teachers. Cake was cut and idli sambhar were served as refreshments.