

Report on the Commemoration of Savitribai Phule's Birth Anniversary

Date : January 3, 2025

Venue: Andhra Mahila Sabha Arts and science college for women.

On 3rd January 2025, our college's Women's Cell organized a commemorative event to honor the birth anniversary of Savitribai Phule, trailblazer in women's education and empowerment in India in association with the "Jana vignana vedika".

The Guest Speakers for the seminar were

1. Dr. Namaju balachari, Secretary Telangana Sahitya Academy.

2. Smt .C. Vanaja, Senior Journalist

Event Highlights:

Welcome Address: The program commenced with a warm welcome to the Secretary & Correspondent, Principal, esteemed guests, Academic coordinator, IQAC coordinator, faculty members and students by Jerripothu Meghana and U.Akhila as the anchors for welcoming the guest and further proceedings.

Dr. Namaju Bala Chary, The Guest lecturer, spoke about the importance of continuing Savitribai Phule's mission. He announced plans to ****conduct coaching programs for competitive exams****, aiming to empower students and uphold Phule's vision of accessible education.

Smt.C. Vanaja, The Guest speaker shared her recent academic achievement, proudly mentioning her completion of law studies with a gold medal.Her story served as a motivational example for aspiring students to pursue their dreams relentlessly.

Prof. Samatha, The Guest lecturer presented insights from her research article on Savitribai Phule, highlighting the reformer's enduring influence on contemporary movements for equality and education.

Dr.P.Rajani, Secretary & Correspondent AMSASCW, shed light on the importance of celebrating Savitribai Phule's birth anniversary as **"Women Teachers' Day."**She lauded Savitribai's resilience in founding **three schools by the age of 17** despite societal challenges.

Dr.K. Jhansi Rani, Principal I/C AMSASCW, highlighted Savitribai's contributions as a social reformer, champion of women's education, fighter for equality and also said that She remains a guiding light for all those fighting against inequality and discrimination.

Dr. K Karuna devi, Academic Coordinator AMSASCW, underscored the revolutionary spirit of Savitribai and Jyotirao Phule, describing their partnership as a beacon of change.Karuna Mam also highlighted Savitribai's literary contributions, noting her 41 poems that championed education and social reform.

Smt. G.Himabindu, Convener of Women's cell has affirmed the Women cell's Commitment to Gender Equality and its dedication and support initiatives that uplift women in all spheres of life. The convener called for collective effort and shared responsibility from all attendees to achieve these goals. She had delivered an inspiring speech, highlighting Savitribai Phule's role as India's first female teacher and her relentless efforts against social discrimination. She has emphasized the importance of embodying

Savitribai's values to create an environment where every girl and woman feels empowered, educated, and respected.

Dr. A.Pramila, IQAC Coordinator AMSASCW,

has concluded the program with a vote of thanks. who expressed gratitude to all the participants, speakers, and organizers for their valuable contributions. She emphasized the need to honor Savitribai Phule's ideals by continuing efforts to make education accessible to all sections of society.

CONCLUSION:The event concluded with a reflection on Savitribai Phule's powerful words: "Awake, arise, and educate. Smash traditions – liberate!" Attendees were encouraged to let her vision guide their actions toward building a society based on equality, respect, and justice. The commemoration was attended by senior faculty members, colleagues and students from different streams making it a meaningful tribute to Savitribai Phule's legacy, inspiring participants to actively contribute to the cause of women's empowerment and education.