

### **Punyashlok Lokmata Ahilyabai Holkar, Tricentenary Birth year celebration**

Activity- A lecture and prize distribution ceremony was organized by organizing committee of Raipur city on 28 February 2025 at auditorium of Government Nagarjuna PG College of Science. Chief speaker of the day was Shri Toplal Verma ji (Prant sanchalak of RSS Cg region) and chairperson for this program was Shri Ganesh Shankar Mishra ji (Former IAS and Collector). Program began with welcome of guests by Principal of Science college Dr. Amitabh Banerjee. Dr. Banerjee inspired all students and staff with his words and told that this celebration is meant for praising our unsung heroes of history. Followed by lecture of Shri Ganesh Shankar Mishra ji, he told how they are working for raising awareness regarding our heroes of past in youth. He emphasized that every student must have literature related to Ahilya bai, how she contributed to architecture, economy, infrastructure, education and women empowerment. After this session next lecture was given Shri Toplal ji Verma he shared many incidences related to Punyashlok Mata Ahilyabai.

Various competitions were organized in Government Nagarjuna PG science College during 03.01.25 to 07.01.25, which includes essay writing, slogan writing, quiz competition, poster making and Rangoli making competition. Students very enthusiastically participated in these events and secured first second and third positions. Prize distribution was done during this program in form of certificates and medals.

First event was essay writing-

1. Sakshi Verma, M.Sc. III Sem (Chemistry)
2. Khemvarsha Thakur, B.Sc. III Sem (CBZ)
3. Yogita Gore, B.Sc. V Sem (CBZ)

Second was slogan writing

1. Satyabhama Korram, B.Sc V Sem
2. Yachna Sarfhe, B.Sc. V Sem
3. Yogita Gore, B.Sc.V Sem

Third was Quiz competition

#### **First:**

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| Shraddha Nishad      | MSc III Sem | Zoology  |
| Mohit Sahu           | BSc 5th Sem | B1: CBBT |
| Dhiraj Kumar Kashyap | BSc 5th Sem | B3 CBZ   |
| Dipti Dhruw          | BSC 3rd Sem | CBMB     |
| Ishan Mahobia        | MSc III Sem | Botany   |
| Ghanshyam Manjhi     | MSc III Sem | Zoology  |

Fourth was Poster making

1. Sakshi Verma M.Sc III sem Chemistry and

2.Tulja Awasthi B.Sc. III SEM (CBD)

3. Shraddha Nishad M.Sc. III Sem Zoology

Fifth was Rangoli making competition

1.Teejan Bernal- B.Sc V Sem CBZ

2. Nikita Pandey (BCA I Sem) and

3.Ashutosh Soni(M.Sc III SEM Chemistry)

These students were felicitated on that day.

During next section of the event our college family has arranged a literature booklet related to Devi Ahilya bai which covered her life journey and accomplishments.

Entire event's program conduction was done by Dr. Bhuwal Singh Thakur and Dr. Saroj Sharma. This was a very fruitful program which enhanced our knowledge regarding Ahilya bai.



