

D.A.V. PUBLIC SCHOOL, THANE
SESSION: 2024 – 2025

REPORT ON ANNUAL DAY 2024-2025

“Coming together is a beginning, staying together is progress, and working together is success.” - Henry Ford

DAV Public School, Thane, celebrated its Annual Day, ‘**3NUBHAV-Incredible India**’ on 22nd January 2025 at the Kashinath Ghanekar Auditorium. The event was an awe-inspiring celebration of patriotism, designed to instill a deep sense of love, respect, and pride for the nation, emphasizing how experiences shape one's understanding and connection to their country.

The function commenced with the lighting of the ceremonial lamp, followed by the chanting of the Gayatri Mantra and the DAV Gaan. A series of soulful Bhajans, performed by the students, set a serene atmosphere, which was further enhanced by ‘Sur - Sangam,’ a mesmerizing musical orchestra. The welcome dance, rich in traditional fervor, set a patriotic tone for the evening.

The event was honored by the presence of the esteemed principals of various DAV schools, including **Madam Hema Nair(DAV International School, Mulund)** **Mr. Sumant Ghosh(DAV School, Panvel)**, and **Madam Suman Pradhan(DAV School, Airoli)**. The chief guest of the event was **Mr. Hrushikesh Kharosekar**, a renowned neurosurgeon at JJ Hospital, Mumbai. The guests of honor included distinguished dignitaries such as **Dr. Radhakrishnan Pillai**, author of the book ‘Chanakya’, **Mr. Mahadev Jagtap**, Deputy Officer in the Education Department, TMC Thane; **Mr. Sachin Sangle**, Deputy Commissioner of Education, TMC Thane; **Dr. Pranita Baisane**, TMC Hospital, Vartak Nagar; **Mr. Rajendra Sharma**, formerly associated with the Embassy of Japan. A ceremonial green welcome and felicitation of the guests were conducted with great reverence.

In her welcome address, the Principal, Mrs. Simmi Juneja, highlighted the importance of nurturing patriotism among students. She expressed gratitude to parents for their unwavering support and conveyed pride in the students' academic and extracurricular achievements, including accolades earned in various interschool, zonal, and national competitions.

The cultural performances, themed around patriotism, were the highlight of the evening, offering a visual and emotional treat for the audience. Students presented diverse traditional and contemporary dance forms, including patriotic songs, folk dances, and vibrant performances depicting India's freedom struggle and its heroes. A mime act poignantly portrayed the sacrifices of soldiers and freedom fighters, while the Hindi Kavi Sammelan on 'Veer Ras' featured students reciting powerful patriotic poems, expressing their love for the country and their commitment to its progress.

An engaging skit titled ‘Chatur Chanakya’ showcased the strategies and ideals of Chanakya, emphasizing the need for a unified nation, leaving the audience deeply inspired. A mesmerizing yoga display instilled pride and awe among the spectators, demonstrating the flexibility and focus that yoga fosters. The energy and vigor of an energetic Zumba performance underscored the importance of maintaining enthusiasm and physical fitness.

The event also recognized students for their outstanding achievements in national sports and in-house competitions, celebrating their dedication and perseverance.

The chief guest and the special guests delivered inspirational talks, sharing their insights and experiences, motivating students to strive for excellence and contribute meaningfully to society.

The event concluded with a heartfelt rendition of the Maharashtra Rajyagaan, followed by a vote of thanks.

The theme ‘अनुभव- Incredible India’ resonated throughout the evening, reminding everyone that love for the country is not just an emotion but an experience to be lived and cherished. The Annual Function of 2025 served as a fitting tribute to India’s enduring spirit, unity, and the promise of a brighter future.

Glimpses of the Event



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