

Rashtriya Ekta Diwas commemorated in Rajiv Gandhi University with 'Run for Unity' and celebrate 146th Birth Anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel

Rajiv Gandhi University celebrates 146th Birth Anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel and Rashtriya Ekta Diwas (National Unity Day) on 31st October 2021 to commemorate Late Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, one of the most prominent figures in our freedom struggle. On this very special occasion, RGU Organized Special cleanliness drives as part of Swachhta Mission at Doimukh market place and nearby area. The program started at 6:00 am after completing the cleanliness program A 'Run for Unity' was organized and flagged off from the Doimukh Taxi stand and ends at Wall of Heroes, RGU, saw the participation of a more 300 people, including sports personalities, students of NSS & NCC cell, RGU Faculty fraternities, administrative staff and students of RGU among others. There were displays of placards which call upon citizens to bring in unity, peace and brotherhood by following the ideals of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel. The run culminated in the Wall of Heroes, RGU where a function was organized to commemorate the day. After reaching RGU Campus a floral tribute at wall of Heroes, RGU was organized and patriotic songs were sung by students of Department of Music, RGU

Prof. Saket Kushwaha Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Rajiv Gandhi University, Arunachal Pradesh along with Dr. N.T. Rikam, Registrar, Rajiv Gandhi University, Prof. P. K. Panigrahi, Prof. R. C. Parida, Prof. S. N. Singh, Prof. Sumpam Tangajing, Prof. Oken Lego, Dr. David Pertin, Dr. Anil Mili, Dr. Vivek Singh, teaching faculties from various departments, employees from all the branch of RGU & students from NCC, NSS paid floral tributes to Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel at wall of Heroes.

In the beginning Dr. Sambhu Prasad, coordinator of the programme presented a talk on the life and contributions of Loh Purush, Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel.

Speaking on the occasion the Registrar of RGU, Dr. N.T. Rikam highlighted the values and ideologies of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel are also reflected in the recent Aatma Nirbhar Bharat Abhiyan launched by the Government of India in 2020. The day is based on Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel's massive success in uniting India by bringing together 565 different princely states scattered all over India.

Prof. Saket Kushwaha, Vice-Chancellor of Rajiv Gandhi University in his speech highlighted his immense contribution towards India's freedom struggle and national integration. This day imparts the message to protect the unity, integrity and security of our country at any cost.

The programme concluded with vote of thanks by Dr. Vivek Singh, from NCC Cell, RGU.

The programme was jointly organized by EK Bharat Shrestha Bharat, NCC, NSS Cell and Department of Physical Education of the University. It was organized maintaining all mandated SOPs laid down by the Government.





