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Report on One Day Cultural Program on Celebration of "RABINDRA NAZRUL CHETANA" (On line Mode) on 31.05.2024 (Friday) at 6:00pm-8:00pm. Organized by Dept. of Special Education in Collaboration with Centre for Disability Studies and Educational Research (CDSER), Under the School of Education (SoE), Netaji Subhas Open University, Kolkata, West Bengal.

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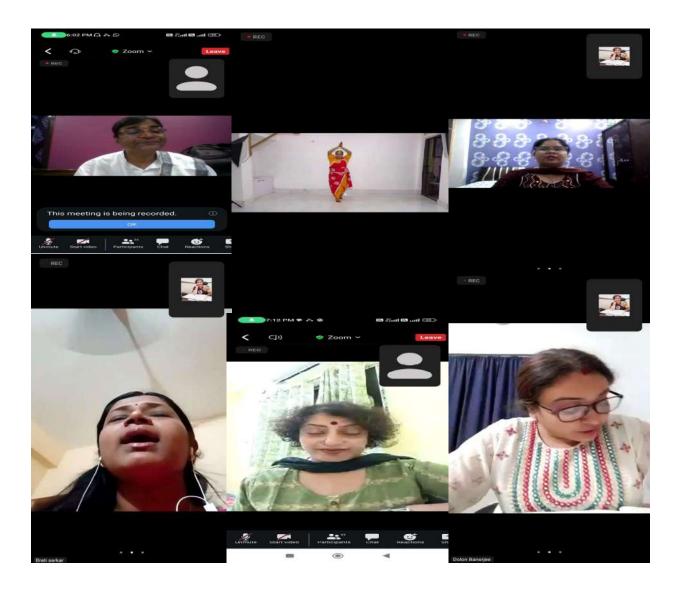
Programme Flyer

Programme Schedule





Programme Picture



Participants: 41

Programme Report

Preview:

"Rabindra Nazrul Chetana" is a concept that celebrates the confluence of the philosophies and contributions of two iconic figures in Bengali literature and culture: Rabindranath Tagore and Kazi Nazrul Islam. Both poets, though from different backgrounds and ideologies, significantly shaped the literary and cultural landscape of Bengal and beyond. Rabindranath Tagore, a Nobel laureate, is renowned for his profound poetry, novels, plays, and songs that embody a deep spiritual and philosophical outlook. His works emphasize universal humanism, nature, and the profound connections between individuals and the cosmos. Kazi Nazrul Islam, often referred to as the "Rebel Poet," is celebrated for his fiery and passionate poetry that champions freedom, justice, and equality. Nazrul's writings often address social issues, oppression, and the fight against colonialism, blending Hindu and Islamic themes to promote communal harmony. "Rabindra Nazrul Chetana" encapsulates

the shared values of these two luminaries: the pursuit of freedom, cultural unity, and a profound love for humanity. This concept encourages reflection on their combined legacy and promotes a synthesis of their teachings to inspire future generations towards a more just, inclusive, and enlightened society.

In alignment with this mission, the School of Education, Department of Special Education at NSOU embraced the idea of commemorating the ""Rabindra Nazrul Chetana" through the organization of a culture programme. This event took place on May 31st, 2024 at 6:00 PM, conducted online via the Zoom platform

Objective of the Programme

- To educate the community, especially the youth, about the lives, works, and philosophies of Rabindranath Tagore and Kazi Nazrul Islam.
- To use the teachings and works of Tagore and Nazrul to promote cultural integration and unity among diverse communities.
- To celebrate the rich cultural heritage of Bengal and its impact on Indian and global literature and arts.
- To encourage artistic and literary pursuits among residents by organizing workshops, competitions, and exhibitions.
- To provide a platform for local artists, poets, and musicians to showcase their talents inspired by Tagore and Nazrul.
- To involve community members in various cultural activities and events, fostering a sense of belonging and pride in their cultural heritage.
- To engage schools, colleges, and local organizations in the program to ensure wide participation and impact.

Session arrangements:

Opening:



The event commenced with Dr. Abhedananda Panigrahi B.Ed. Coordinator, SoE,NSOU extending a warm welcome to the esteemed speakers and all attendees, conveying the well wishes from Honorable Vice-Chancellor, NSOU, Prof. Indrajit Lahiri, and the Director of School of Education, NSOU Dr. Atindranath Dev.

Welcome Address:

Smt. Mandira Chakrabortty, Asst. Professor of Special Education, SoE, NSOU, delivered the Welcome Address and Smt. Chakrabortty explain the artistic and literary pursuits among residents by organizing workshops, competitions, and exhibitions and also she explain a platform for local artists, poets, and musicians to showcase their talents inspired by Tagore and Nazrul



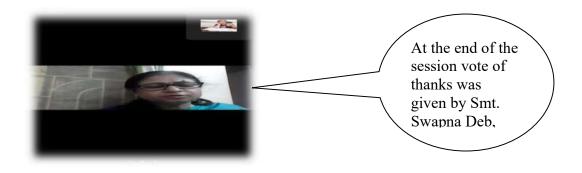
Antara Choudhury, Assistant Professor of Special Education, eloquently elaborated on the program's theme. She spoke about the legacy of the two literary giants of Bengal - Rabindranath Tagore and Kazi Nazrul Islam. Also she express about threw light on the educational views of both and how their thoughts and views have impacted the education system.



Technical Session

Session	Topic	Speakers	Details Description	
I	Rabindranath thought about Woman Education	Susan James		Susan James, M.Ed. (IDD)Learner, she spoke about Rabindanath's journey of creating awareness among the masses about women's rights, freedom, and their liberation from superstitions and oppression
II	RabindraNittya (Dance)	Dolon Bandhopadhhaya		Dolon Bandhopadhhayay B.Ed. (IDD)Learner, Presented a dance (choreographed by her) gracefully on Rabindra Sangeet.
III	Rabindranath thought about Primary Education	Komal Sukla	333 S	Komal Sukla, M.Ed. (HI)Learner, she spoke about Rabindranath Tagore's thoughts on Primary Education. Threw light on the Shantiniketan system of Education as well as Biswabharati. Also she spoke about Tagore's contribution as a revolutionary poet and educationist.
IV	Rabindra Sangeet (Song)	Bratti Sarkar	**************************************	Bratti Sarkar, B.Ed. (IDD)Learner, she sing a song in Rabindra-Sangeet and Nazrul Geeti
V	Nazrul Geeti (Song)		atta week salas & Salas &	

VI	Nazrul Thought About Education	Anuja Roy	Of 2000 V	Anuja Roy, B.Ed. (IDD)Learner, Speech on Kazi Nazrul Islam's thoughts and views on Education. She highlighted about his pioneering works as Bidrohi Kobi. Also she spoke about the objectives and goals of education according to Nazrul Islam, his views on the Education system and the revolutionary ideas he had to reform the education system of a nation.
VII	Nazrul Nittya (Dance)	Madhumita Sharma		Madhumita Sharma, B.Ed. (HI) Learner, Presented a dance (choreographed by her) gracefully on Nazrul Nittya



Mr. Biswajit Dhar, Asst. Prof and Mr. Prabir Naskar Asst. Prof. acted as rapporteurs of the session

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