Rayat Shikshan Sanstha's

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Department of Library: 2020-21 "National Librarian Day Report"



Name of the Activity: "National Librarian Day"

Introduction:

National Librarians' Day is observed on 12 August every year to commemorate the birth anniversary of Padmashri Dr. S. R. Ranganathan (1892-1972), who is considered as father of library science in India. Dr. Ranganathan dedicated his entire life to library profession in India leaving a rich legacy. On 128th birth anniversary of Dr. S. R. Ranganathan, the Library of Savitribai Phule Mahila Mahavidyalaya, Satara celebrated National Librarian's Day on 12 August 2020. Ranganathan born on 9 August 1892 in the small town of Shiyali (now known as Sirkazhi), in the state of Tamil Nadu in southern India. Ranganathan began his professional life as a mathematician; he earned B.A. and M.A. degrees in mathematics from Madras Christian College in his home province. Due to COVID-19 pandemic, this year, National Librarian day goes virtual. The program was organized by IQAC and Department of Library at 11:30 am. Librarian Mrs. Asha Jirage addressed the students of the thoughts and explained the importance of the programme on how we access more of internet which has taken place more than anything in our lives. Libraries are important for research, information, knowledge and pleasure of reading. Libraries provide perfect environment to enjoy read peacefully.

Objectives:

- 1. To celebrate the National Librarian Day Program.
- 2. To Creating awareness on how library plays a very important role in the life of any individual whether young or old.
- 3. To inform about Dr. S.R. Ranganathan's social and educational contribution.

Resource Person:

Principal Dr. Shivling Menkudale, Auditor, Rayat Shikshan Sanstha's Satara.

The resource person Shivling Menkudale said that, "It is very important to know the importance of the library science in the modern scenario. A library is not the only a collection of books but is a way to transform life and society. We as people representing the library science know that researches or motivation by us can change student's life and future. In the world which is changing rapidly with time, it is important that we market ourselves so that people can understand the importance. Also, it is time that we change the policy of keeping students quiet in

the library. Rather than that we should encourage them and should give them space for good discussions."

A small video in honour of Dr S. K. Ranganathan was screened on this occasion as a token of tribute.

Beneficiaries:

All Teaching and Non-teaching Staff and students participated in this programme.

Outcomes:

A library is a place where students, staff, and often, parents of a public or private school or college and educational institutions have access to a variety of resources. The goal of the library media center is to ensure that all members of community have equitable access "to books and reading, to information, and to information technology. A library media center uses all types of media... are automated, and utilize the Internet [as well as books] for information gathering. Libraries are distinct from public libraries because they serve as learner-oriented laboratories which support, extend, and individualize the school's curriculum. A library serves as the center and coordinating agency for all material used in the college.



Floral honour to Idol of Dr. S. R. Ranganthan

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