

Press Release (12.08.2022)

National Librarian's Day and International Youth Day was celebrated at Aggarwal College Ballabgarh on 12th August, 2022 to commemorate the birth anniversary of Padmashri Dr. S. R. Ranganathan (1892-1972). He is considered as the Father of Library Science in India. Dr. Ranganathan dedicated his entire life to library profession in India leaving a rich legacy. The Chief Guest of the event was Dr. Krishan Kant Gupta, Principal of Aggarwal College Ballabgarh. He spoke about library as the temple of learning and gaining knowledge . He even considered library as one of the main pillars of education. He cited the father of library science Dr. S.R. Ranganathan as a leader and a source of inspiration. He also spoke in detail about the relevance of International Youth Day wherein Youth plays a significant role in shaping the destiny of the country. The Speaker of the event was Prof. Dr. Panday S.K. Sharma, Formerly, Principal Library and Information Officer, UGC, New Delhi. He spoke about Aristotle's Laws of Association of ideas and how library and librarian are equally significant in contemporary times. He analysed and explained the theme of International Youth Day : Integrational Solidarity: Creating a world of all ages; Cooperation and Harmony between all ages. He also discussed the concepts of child labor,old age homes and hence the need to create a world for all ages people. The event was held under the able guidance of Principal Dr. Krishan Kant Gupta. The convenors of the event were Dr. Sanjeev Gupta, Department of Physics and Dr. Ram Chander, Librarian at Aggarwal College Ballabgarh. The event was attended by around 150 students from NSS, Youth Red Cross, Swaachta Senani Cell, St. John Ambulance Club, NCC, Red Ribbon Club of the college. Aggarwal College keeps organising such events from time to time to make the students aware about the relevance of such events. The college is also celebrating Har Ghar Tiranga initiative of the government to instill the students with patriotism under which various activities are being held.