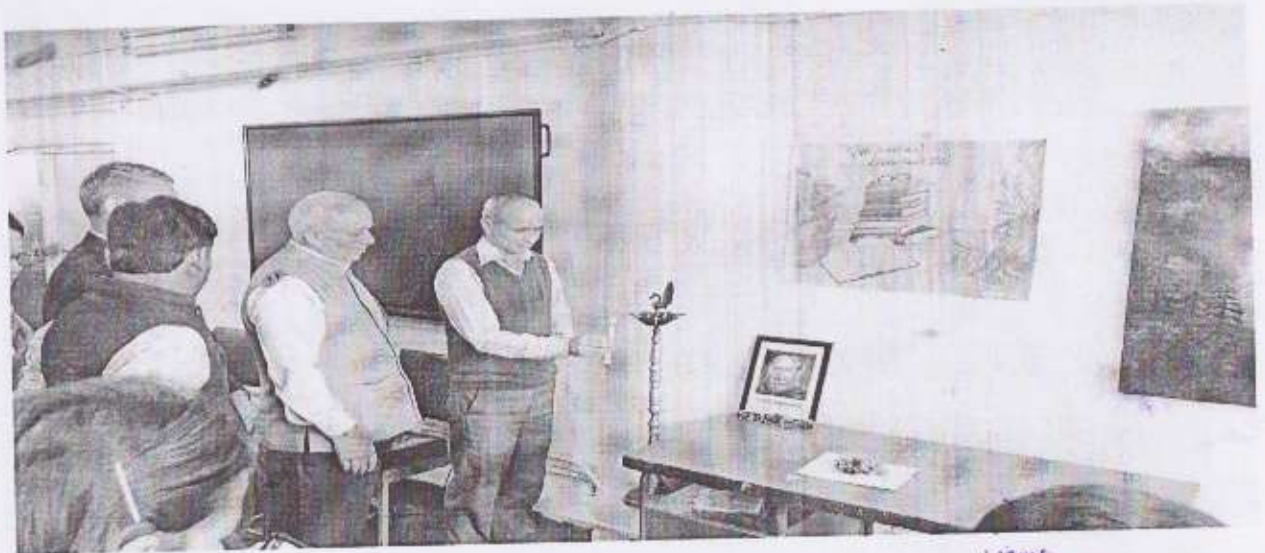


Report on the Celebration of National Library Day

Date: 12th August 2024

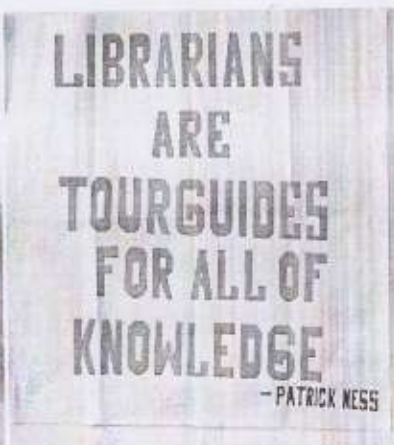
The Department of Library and Information Science, Himachal Pradesh University celebrated National Library Day on 12th August 2024 with great enthusiasm. The event was graced by Mr. Rajinder Singh Thakur, Assistant Librarian, Main Library HPU, who served as the Chief Guest.

The program commenced with the lighting of the lamp in front of the photograph of Dr. S.R. Ranganathan, the father of Library Science in India. The ceremony was conducted by the Chairman of the department, the Chief Guest, and the faculty and staff members. Following the lamp lighting, floral tributes were offered to Dr. Ranganathan.



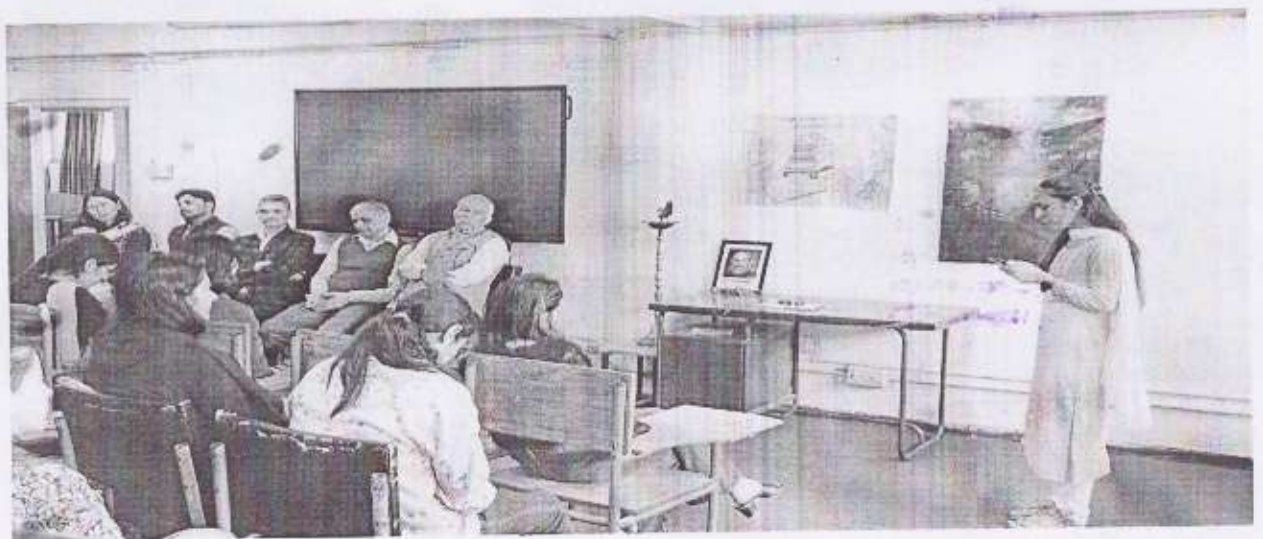
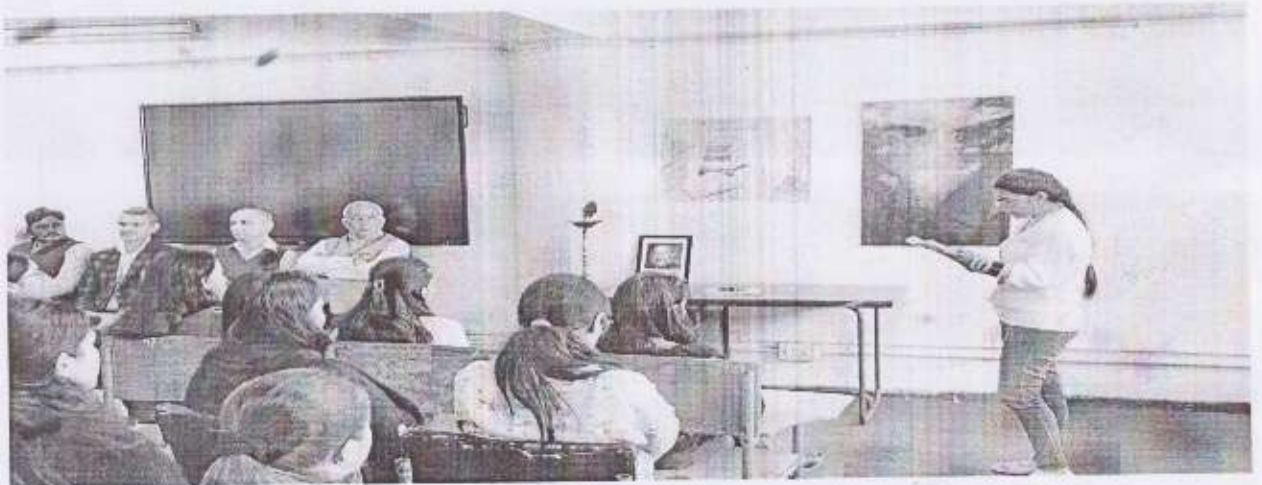
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Ms. Manika, a student of the M.Lib.I.Sc program, skillfully hosted the event. The celebration included various activities that highlighted the significance of libraries and Dr. Ranganathan's contributions. The students actively participated in a poster-making that focused on themes related to National Library Day.



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Ms. Girija Sandal, a B.Lib.I.Sc student, delivered an insightful speech on the life and contributions of Dr. S.R. Ranganathan, emphasizing his role in shaping modern library science in India. Following this, Ms. Amrita Rana, another student from the B.Lib.I.Sc program, recited a beautiful poem that captured the essence and importance of libraries in society.



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The Chairman and the Chief Guest addressed the students of both B.Lib.I.Sc and M.Lib.I.Sc programs, providing them with valuable guidance and advice for their academic and professional futures. Their words of wisdom were greatly appreciated by the students, who felt encouraged and motivated to excel in their studies and future careers.



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The program concluded with a vote of thanks delivered by Mrs. Tanya Bodh, a faculty member of the department. She expressed gratitude to the Chief Guest, students, and all those who contributed to making the event a success.



After the formal proceedings, refreshments were served to all the attendees, marking the end of a successful and memorable celebration of National Library Day.


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