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GANDHI JAYANTI 2 OCTOBER- 2018



Gandhi Jayanti is an event celebrated in India to mark the birthday of mahatma Gandhi. It is celebrated annually on 2 October, and it is one of the three national holidays of India. The un general assembly announced on 15 June 2007 that it adopted a resolution that declared that 2 October will be celebrated as the International Day of Non-violence

Government Degree College, Seethanagaram observed Gandhi Jayanti on 02 October 2018. The programme was designed by Sri.S. Rajendra Prasad, Head, Department of Political Science. Sri S. Subrahmanyam, the Principal of the college led the programme. Speaking on the occasion, he described the significance of Gandhi Jayanti. He briefly explained the history of the K.G.N.M Trust Seethanagaram. Sri. S. Rajendra Prasad, the Head of Political Science, delivered a lecture on this occasion. He described the role of Mahatama Gandhi in freedom movement. Sri. V. Narayana Moorthy, the Vice Principal, the other staff, and the students participated in the programme.

Brief History

The clarion call of Mahatma Gandhi to free our country from the clutches of British rule was gaining momentum throughout the country. Seethanagaram, a small village in East Godavari District of Andhra Pradesh exhibited a very good patriotic spirit in the non-co-operation movement. Inspired by this fervor for freedom struggle, veteran freedom fighter this Dr. BRAHMA JYOTSULA SUBRAHMANYAM Garu grounded Gowthami satyagraha Ashram on 9th Nov.1924. The foundation stone for the Ashram was laid by Sri Bulusu Sambamurthy Garu. This Ashram became a nucleus hub for Freedom Movement. GANDHIJI visited this Ashram on two occasions and stayed for more than three days. The place where Bapuji along with Kasturba stayed has been aptly named as BAPU KUTTER, which even today stands as a testimony to their visit.

After the demise of Kasturba Gandhi at Aga khan palace, Pune, under detention in 1944, the Kasturba Gandhi National Memorial Trust was established in 1945 under the Chairmanship of Mahatma Gandhi with its headquarters in Kasturbagram, Indore, M.P. Gandhiji wished that this Trust should work for the upliftment of women and children in rural India. The Trust established 22 State branches all over the Country. Due to this SeethanagaramAsharam became a park of Kasturba Gandhi National Memorial Trust encompassing all properties and activities.





“See no evil, Hear no evil, Speak no evil”





