

### **7.1.11 - Institution celebrates, organizes national and international commemorative days, events and festivals**

**Karnatak Science College, Dharwad** is one of the premier higher education institutions in the Northern part of Karnataka, which is fulfilling the educational needs of the rural and economically backward sections of the society. This institution has produced many national and international legends and Jnanapeeta awardees, including Late Dr. V. K. Gokak, Late Dr. Girish Karnad, film makers like Suresh Heblikar, software legends like Nandan Neelekani among many others. Our college enthusiastically celebrates days of National and International importance, every year. All staff members and students gather in the college to celebrate these occasions. Every culture has a number of festivals, and a celebration of the same has become a vital activity. Celebration of cultural and constitutional festivals is an integral part of the college's co-curricular activities. Throughout the year, different days are celebrated by students with the guidance of teachers, which help them to know about different cultures and to cognitively imagine India as a nation. The academic calendar is brimming with important events, which demonstrates the enthusiasm of this institution in celebrating many national as well as international days, as well as commemorative events and festivals.

**Republic day:** It is celebrated in the college on 26th of January every year, with great enthusiasm and pride. It is a day to remember, when India's constitution came into force (on 26th January 1950), thereby completing the country's transition towards becoming an independent republic. A function is organized in the college campus, during which all the staff members and students share their thoughts about the importance of this day in the history of our nation, and to pay tribute to all freedom fighters who sacrificed their lives in order to gain the freedom for India.

**Independence Day:** Independence Day is celebrated on 15th August in the college. It is celebrated on 15th August every year, commemorating the nation's independence from Britishers on 15th August 1947. It is a day when all staff members and students pay homage to their leaders and those who fought for India's freedom in the past. Besides these two national days, a number of other national and international days are also celebrated in our institution, so that students get knowledge about the great personalities in our political, social, cultural and scientific history, such as Mahatma Gandhi, Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel and Lal Bahadur Shastri.

**International Women day:** International Women day is celebrated in our college on 8th March every year. The day is used to recognize women who have made significant contribution to the advancement of their gender. The day is celebrated under auspices of women cell (AKKA) of the college.

**International Yoga day:** International Yoga day is also celebrated on 21st June every year in the college. The day aims to raise awareness of many benefits of practicing yoga. It is celebrated to spread awareness about importance and effects of yoga on the health of the people. In this activity, both students and the staff participate. They perform yoga scientifically in the open theatre of the college, under the guidance of a Yoga trainer from the college. Every year, in this activity, about 130 to 150 students participate.

**Kannada Rajyotsava:** Every year, students and staff of the college celebrate Kannada Rajyotsava on the 1st November, in commemoration of renaming the state as KARNATAKA in 1973. It is celebrated as **Karnataka Formation Day**. This was the day in 1956 when all the Kannadalanguage-speaking regions of south western India were merged to form the state of Karnataka.

**Teacher's day:** Teacher's day is celebrated on 5th September every year to commemorate the birth anniversary of Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan, former President of India, to promote the values and principles of a true and dedicated teacher. On this occasion, the college has a tradition of felicitating the retired and retiring teachers who have served the institution.

**Mahatma Gandhi Jayanti:** The birthday of Mahatma Gandhi and Lal Bahadur Shastri on 2nd October is celebrated as Swachhta Diwas. "Swachh Bharat Abhiyan" was launched on 2nd October in order to honour Mahatma Gandhi's vision of a clean India. It served as a great initiative to make students aware of the importance of cleanliness. Lal Bahadur Shastri's slogan **Jai Jawan Jai Kisan** reverberates even today through the length and breadth of the country. Underlying this is the inner-most sentiments 'Jai Hindustan'. The war of 1965 was fought and won for our self-respect and our national prestige.

**National Constitution day:** 26th November is also celebrated as National Constitution day to commemorate the adoption of the constitution of India by the constituent assembly of India. On this day, Dr. B. R. Ambedkar, the creator of the constitution is remembered. In fact, on the 19th November 2015, the Government of India announced that 26th of November

will be celebrated as constitution day, every year. Thereby, the students are provided with an opportunity to have an insight into the event, and they understand the struggle and the sacrifices made to achieve this.

**National Youth Day:** National Youth Day is celebrated on 12th January of every year in commemoration of the birth anniversary of Swami Vivekananda. On this day, the students are encouraged to speak about the views of Swami Vivekananda towards building a strong and healthy nation and the responsibilities of the present day youth. The slogan “**Arise, awake, and stop not till the goal is reached**” is remembered on the occasion.===



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**International Women's Day Celebration**



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### **Celebration of International Yoga Day on 21st June 2020**

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### **Celebration of Kannada Rajyostava Day on 01 November**

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**Felicitation to retired teacher Mrs. & Prof. Yardi**

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**Celebration of Mahatma Gandhi Birth Anniversary on October 2<sup>nd</sup>**





### **Celebration of Lal Bahadur Shastri Birth Anniversary on October 2<sup>nd</sup>**

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**Celebration of National Youth Day**