

Ancient Studies Gains Glory



Ancient Studies gained glory at the first convocation ceremony of Sri Swami Dayananda Veda Patasala. 7 Students have passed out well versed in Vaikhanasa Agama and were awarded the certificates with the benign blessings of H.H. 46th Pattam Srimadh Azhagiyasingar of Srimadh Ahobila Mutt at the Sri Vaikhanasa Agama Pattamalippu Peruvizha held at Raya's Thirumana Mahal, Kumbakonam on September 12, 2014.

The Ceremony began with Perumal Thirukalyana Mahotsavam. Teachers, Senior

Vaikhanasa Archakas were honoured during the function. The Special Invitees who addressed the gathering with valuable inputs include Dr. R. Krishnamurthy Sastrigal, Former Principal, The Madras Sanskrit College, Mylapore, Shri. U. Ve. Ramakrishna Dikshitalu, Thirumala Thirupathi Devasthanam, Shri. U. Ve. Navalpakkam Vasudevachariar, Associate Professor, Sri Sankaracharya Sanskrit Sarvakalasila, Thiruvananthapuram, Shri. U. Ve. Devanarvilagam Padmanabhachariar, HOD-Sanskrit, Madras University,







Srikariyam Sri Ahobila Mutt, Shri. Dr. S. Muthu Bhattar, Associate Professor, Vivekananda College Chennai, Shri. U. Ve. Shriraman Bhattachar, and Shri. U. Ve. N.R. Venkatesa Bhattachar.

During the Convocation address, His Holiness Srimadh Azhagiyasingar of Srimadh Ahobila Mutt lauded the vedic scholars for taking up this noble education. He informed that studies of Veda and Vedanta are the supreme form of education and it has travelled many centuries to reach them. He advised that every vedic graduate should take up the cause of promoting

vedic knowledge and each one should train more scholars to uphold the glory of ancient India and thereby elevate the rich culture and heritage of India. He praised Smt. Sheela Balaji, Managing Trustee and Secretary who worked tirelessly for realizing this noble cause. He said “In spite of many religions of the world having come and gone away without a trace, Indian culture still continues to exist and leaders like Smt. Sheela Balaji contribute to this.”

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks by Smt. Sheela Balaji, Managing Trustee and Secretary of Swami Dayananda Veda Pada Sala.