

Fifth Convocation at Swami Dayananda College of Arts & Science, Manjakkudi

The Fifth Convocation at Swami Dayananda College of Arts & Science was held at Manjakkudi college campus on 31st Jan.2009.

Ms. Sheela Balaji, Secretary of the College welcomed the gathering.

Dr.T.N. Pranatharthi Haran, Principal of the college presented a report on the achievements of the college.

Dr.S.V.Balasubramanian Chairman, Bannari Amman Groups, Sathyamangalam was the Chief Guest of the function.

Sri. Gopal Srinivasan, Industrialist, Chennai, Sri.Piyush Shah and Smt. Abantika from USA were the special invitees for the Convocation.

Pujya Sri Swami Dayananda Saraswati distributed the degrees and blessed the graduates.

Pujya Swamiji, in his convocation address said, the College was affiliated to Bharathidasan University, Trichy and celebrated the fifth annual Convocation. Most of the rural and deep rural students were getting their degrees. He said for the past 50 years, the urban students were alone qualifying themselves for degrees and it had

become history now with the establishment of a college in this small village to educate the rural students in the higher education. The strength of graduates this year had increased by over 50% and this showed the development of higher education in rural areas.

Pujya Swamiji exhorted the new graduates to try for the right opportunities at right places and go in for any job, be it private or Government and contribute their mite to boost the country's economy. The modern environment, he said, provided them with many obstacles and they ought to have spiritual strength to overcome them.

Sri G. Ramachandran, Correspondent proposed the vote of thanks.

DETAILS OF PHOTOGRAPHS :

1. Ms.B. Anitha of B.Sc., (Physics) got University I Rank and got prizes and medals from Pujya Swamiji
2. Address by our Swamiji



3. Principal Dr.T.N. Pranatharthi Haran presented the achievements of the college
4. Address by Mr. Pyushshah, devotee of Swamiji from USA
5. Address by Mr. Gopal Srinivasan, Industrialist
6. Convocation address by the Chief Guest Dr.S.V. Balasubramaniam, Chairman, Bannari Amman Group, Coimbatore

“VALUES FOR LIVING”

Pujya Swamiji conducted a three-day workshop on “Values for Living” from the 28th to 30th of January 2009 for teachers of elementary, secondary, higher secondary and collegiate levels at Swami Dayananda College of Arts & Science, Manjakkudi.

Smt. Sheela Balaji, Secretary of the college welcomed the gathering.

Sri.S.Vaidhyasubramaniam, Dean, Planning & Development, SASTRA, Thanjavur inaugurated the workshop.

Dr. Kudavayil Balasubramanian, an archeologist delivered a talk and picturized the values of Chola Period for the benefit of the academic community.

Sri. S. Balasubramanian, Chairman, City Union Bank, Kumbakonam delivered the valedictory address and distributed certificates to all the participants who had come from Thanjavur, Tiruvarur and Nagapattinam Districts.

Earlier, Dr.T.N. Pranatharthi Haran, Principal introduced the scope of the workshop.

Sri. G. Ramachandran, Correspondent proposed a vote of thanks.

