



# Cultural Activities 2025

## **Cultural Activities**

Education is not just confined to imparting academic knowledge to the students. However, it is more about holistic development.

The University engages the students in various cultural activities throughout the year. There are numerous committees in the college which perform different functions. The importance of social and cultural activities lies in preparing students for real life and strengthening their skills. Social/cultural activities not only help students to identify themselves with the University but also assist students to develop themselves in the desired field and also improve skills such as organizational, presentation, leadership and interpersonal communication.

As social and cultural activities are of paramount importance, the University encourages all extra-curricular activities that are both in line with the educational objectives of the institution and meet the needs of the students.

Culture can be defined as the arts as well as the intangible shared beliefs, values, and practices of a community. Students participate in arts and culture at varying levels of skill and engagement. Some create, while others listen to, watch, teach, critique, or learn a cultural activity, art form, or expression. Some are professional artists, designers, and inventors, while others engage informally in expressive activities or create innovative tools, relationships, or products.

Universities encourage participation in cultural activities to promote creative expression, team building, and holistic development. Different types of cultural activities can give different exposure to students. These instill confidence in students and foster a better understanding of the surroundings. The cultural activities also instill life skills and social skills in the students.

Cultural activities facilitate the holistic development of students. With these, the students no longer remain bookworms. They study, participate in different activities and follow their passion.

The University organized orientation programme for freshers and we have been celebrating National Festivals, Kannada Rajyostsava, Yoga Day and World Environment Day.

# **World Environment Day**

The University celebrated **World Environment Day on June 5, 2025**, in collaboration with the students and faculty with great enthusiasm and dedication. The event was organized to raise awareness about environmental protection and promote sustainable practices with the theme **"Beat Plastic Pollution "** – highlighting the impact of plastic pollution on the ecosystem and advocating sustainable development through principles of "reduce, reuse and recycle". Faculties and students participated in tree Plantation Drive by planting saplings in the university campus. The honorable Vice-Chancellor briefed the students and faculty about the need to protect and conserve our mother nature and about the adverse effects of plastic pollution.

This year's program focuses on the pressing need to eradicate plastic waste, a widespread environmental problem that impacts ecosystems and human health all around the globe. The World Environment Day celebration was a huge success, raising awareness about environmental protection and promoting sustainable practices. The event demonstrated the student's commitment to serving the nation and protecting the environment.

# World Yoga Day

The University celebrated **World Yoga Day on June 21, 2025**, our students participated in the International Yoga Day event. The celebration began with a group yoga session led by skilled instructors, guiding us through asanas and breathing exercises that promoted physical vitality and inner calm. Our honorable Vice-Chancellor explained us the importance and benefits of incorporating Yoga into our daily life.

We also gained insightful knowledge about the philosophy of yoga and its benefits for mental and emotional well-being. The event fostered a strong sense of unity and mindfulness, allowing us to connect deeply with ourselves and our peers.

It was a memorable experience that left us refreshed, inspired, and grateful for the practice of yoga.

# **Independence Day**

The University celebrated the 79th **Independence Day on June 21, 2025**, our students participated in the Independence Day event with pride, inspiration, cultural and traditional attire united by the spirit of patriotism. The programme commenced with the ceremonial flag hoisting by the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, who addressed the gathering and inspired everyone with his words on the significance of freedom and the responsibilities of youth in nation-building was followed by singing the national anthem. In his address the Vice-Chancellor reminding us of the sacrifices of our freedom fighters, values, unity, pride and vision for the future India.

This Independence Day, we celebrated our glorious past and emphasized on the vision of building a developed nation by 2047 under the Viksit Bharat Mission with values of freedom, equality, and progress, motivating young minds to contribute meaningfully towards shaping a stronger and self-reliant India. The day was marked by patriotic atmosphere and cultural vibrancy.

The program concluded with the distribution of sweets and breakfast to all students and staff.

# Kannada Rajyotsava

The University celebrated **Kannada Rajyotsava** Celebrations from 10<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup> November 2025, focusing on the linguistic and cultural heritage of Karnataka. The programme opened on 10<sup>th</sup> November by Sports inauguration by our Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, who addressed the gathering and inspired everyone with his words on Kannada Rajyotsava and its importance.

Over the course of the week, the University hosted several sports events. These included Football, e-Sports, Volleyball and Kabaddi.

The Kannada Rajyotsava Day celebration commenced on 14<sup>th</sup> November 2025 with a flag hoisting ceremony held at University Main Lawn near Admin Block. The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor hoisted the flag after offering floral tribute to Goddess Bhuvaneshwari. The Kannada Naadageethe was presented on this occasion, marking a respectful beginning to the day.

The valedictory programme on 14 November 2025 featured our Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor as Chief Guest, and Registrar Guest of Honour and the departmental heads lighting the lamp with the song *Hacchevu Kannadada Deepa*. The guests were received in a traditional procession. The Vice-Chancellor In his address, spoke about the significance of expressing emotions in one's mother tongue and emphasized the importance of preserving Kannada by encouraging its wider use.

Students presented cultural performances, including solo and croup dances related to Karnataka. Prize winners from the various competitions held during the celebrations were felicitated. The celebrations concluded with the completion of all scheduled events and the distribution of prizes.

A Vote of Thanks was proposed by Mr. Pavan, followed by the singing of the Vande Mataram. The celebration concluded on a sweet note with the distribution of sweets and lunch to all students and staff, marking the commemoration of a truly splendid and culturally rich celebration of the 70<sup>th</sup> Kannada Rajyotsava.



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### World Environment Day

World Environment Day is celebrated on June  $S^{\pm}$  every year to mark the importance of nature and environment. The main aim of the celebrations is to encourage worldwide awareness and action to protect our environment.

This is to inform that on the occasion of World Environment Day-5<sup>th</sup> June 2025, the University will be celebrating World Environment Day (WED), as an extension activity.

The theme for the Word Environment Day 2025 is 'Ending Plastic Pollution' with the slogan of '#Beat Plastic Pollution'.

In this regard, all the faculties and students are hereby informed to attend the "Tree Plantation Drive" program as per the below mentioned schedule:

Time: 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM

Venue: Admin Block

Theme: Ending Plastic Pollution

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## Celebration of International Yoga Day

It is hereby notified that the 11th International Yoga Day (IYD) will be celebrated on 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2025 in the University campus under the unifying theme:

## "Yoga for One Earth, One Health."

All faculty, staff and students are required to:

- · Be dressed in white attire or a tracksuit.
- Assemble in the Auditorium by 9:45 AM.

Details of the Event:

- Date: 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2025
- Time: 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM
- · Venue: Auditorium
- Yoga Expert: Mr. Avitesh Kumar Gupta

All Heads of Departments (HoDs) are requested to ensure active student participation in the

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#### Invitation to Independence Day Celebration - RTU

Dear All,

We are delighted to invite you to join us in celebrating the 79th Independence Day of India at our University premises. Let us come together to honor the spirit of freedom and pay tribute to our nation.

Date: 15th August 2025

Time: 9:15 AM onwards

Venue: University Main Lawn (Front of M1 Block)

The celebration will include the flag hoisting ceremony. We encourage everyone to participate and make this event memorable.

Kindly be present on time and join us in showing our pride and unity as a community.

We look forward to your enthusiastic participation!

Best regards,

**HR** Department



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