

Ganeshotsav Mandal



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This year was the 78th year of Podar Ganeshotsav Mandal. The celebrations began by students showing their creativity in different competitions like essay writing, poster making, online photography, elocution etc. The topics were related to theme 'Rich Culture of India' and the students of the college showed good participation in all competitions.

Like every year, for one and half days, i.e. on 13th & 14th September, 2018, Lord Ganesha was our campus. The decorations were in line with the decided theme and were completely eco-friendly. The college auditorium was turned into the Natraj Temple. On the first day, Lord Ganesha's idol was brought in the college with the traditional 'Dhol-tasha'. This was followed by Pooja and Aarti, after which many devotees came to take the blessings of their Bappa. On the second day, theme-based cultural events were held in the college. Students showcased their talent in like drama, singing and dance. After the program, Mahaprasad was arranged for everyone. After Mahaprasad, it was time for Ganesha's visarjan. This year the Ganesha idol brought was made of natural glue and paper which causes least possible harm to the environment. The Visarjan was done in the campus itself in an eco-friendly way.

The Ganeshotsav Mandal also undertook a noble initiative to contribute a part of their funds raised to the 'Little More' NGO which works for cancer patients and to volunteer at various health check-up camps organised for these patients.