

NATIONAL YOUTH CONVENTION, TAARUNYA'24

The NSS unit of Zakir Husain Delhi College organized its seventh edition of the National Youth Convention, TAARUNYA'24, on March 21, 2024. The event was graced by reputed personalities who imparted valuable life lessons to the students. The inaugural session comprised lamp lighting followed by addresses by the College Principal, Prof. Narendra Singh, with great enthusiasm, urged the students to embrace discipline as a way of life and inspired them to strive for excellence. The College NSS Programme Officer, Prof. Mukesh Kumar Jain, who stressed the importance of NSS in the personal development of young individuals and the significance of helping others for positive social change. The Chief Guest of the event, Shri Anurag Singh Thakur, the Hon'ble Union Minister for Information & Broadcasting and Minister of Youth Affairs & Sports, Government of India, emphasized on variety of subjects, including Vikshit Bharat, digital India, startups in India, and India becoming a manufacturing hub while addressing the gathering. Guest of Honor, Shri Ajay Choudhary, Special Commissioner, Delhi Police, shared his experience with the audience about the importance and value of college education, and he also discussed the significance of caste, religious, and gender equality among all. Distinguished Guest, Mr. Rakshit Tandon, a revolutionary in cybersecurity and renowned cybersecurity expert, had an interactive and lively session with the students as he focused upon cyber hygiene for everyone, especially young people. He also discussed several defense strategies against cyber crimes and safeguarding ourselves with the help of cyber law.

The inaugural session was followed by plenary sessions wherein eminent speakers, including Mr. Swami Prem Parivartan, popularly known as PEEPAL BABA, a devoted environmentalist, Ms. Ayushi Mathur, an adept entrepreneur and founder and CEO of Pick Better Marketing, Singer Tejas, Mr. Sudhanshu Ranjan, the esteemed ex-Additional Director General of Door Darshan, Mr. C Samuel, the Deputy Program Advisor of NSS, Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, and Dr. Narender Kumar Bishnoi, Programme Coordinator, NSS of the University of Delhi shared their valuable experiences and highlighted the imperative contributions the youth could make in different fields and ensure sustainable progress of the country.

The day witnessed enthusiastic responses from the audience and beneficial takeaways from the various enlightening sessions. The event concluded with the vote of thanks and the national anthem.