## <u>REPORT ON SPRING CELEBRATION</u> <u>"VASANT UTSAV"</u>

The School of Biotechnology, Devi Ahilya University, Indore conducted a delightful cultural event "Vasant Utsav" to celebrate the season of spring with high spirits on 26<sup>th</sup> Feb. 2022, 11.30 AM to 2.30 PM in Seminar hall of SBT.

After being closed for 2 years, the School of Biotechnology, DAVV, broke the wistful atmosphere by celebrating the auspicious festival of "Vasant Utsav" which symbolizes rejuvenation and renewal. The event was collectively organized by the students of all courses of School of Biotechnology, Devi Ahilya University, Indore. The auditorium was embellished with beautiful spring-themed decor. An aesthetic rangoli was prepared to delineate Maa Sarasvati, Goddess of Knowledge.

The event started with welcoming everyone followed by a lamp lighting ceremony which was accompanied by mesmerizing "Sarasvati Vandana".

An enchanting speech was given by respected **Dr. Anjana Jajoo**, **Head of the department of biotechnology.** She flawlessly carved her words to explain to students that to live life fully we should celebrate our rich Indian culture joyously which act as stress busters. She also encouraged the students to get involved in extra-curricular activities as it gives life long learning and develop qualities like leadership, management skills, team work, handling last moment challenges etc.

Students performed various arts like dancing, singing, and poetry. Fun games were organized by research scholars of the School of Biotechnology, DAVV, Indore.

The highlight of the show was a piece of Punjabi folk music named, "Paar chanaa de". The story of the famous, "Sohni-Mahiwal" of Punjab was magnificently depicted through this song.

The event was a pure depiction of new and positive energy like the spring season brings in life. It marked the end of the pandemic and restart of normal life. The event also helped the students to showcase their best talents on stage and overcome their fears.

The programme was successfully concluded with the words of respected **Dr. Hamendra Singh Parmar**, who motivated students with his enthusiastic speech. A vote of thanks was given to each one who was a part of the event.

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## Glimpse of the event:-





























