Department of Marine Biotechnology School of Marine Sciences, Bharathidasan University Tiruchirappalli-620024 YOUTH AWAKENING DAY

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The Youth Awakening Day was celebrated in the Department of Marine Biotechnology, Bharathidasan University on 13th October, Birthday of **Dr.APJ Abdul kalam**, whose recent journey to the eternal world has left the whole nation in tears. The function took place at the Department of Marine Biotechnology from 10.30 am to 1.30 pm.

The Dignities of the day included Dr.K.Anbarasu, Professor and Head, Department of Marine Biotechnology, Dr.S.Rajakumar, Assistant Professor, Department of Marine Biotechnology, and the Guest Faculty members Dr.A.Indhumathi, Dr.R.Pradeepa and Dr.K.Senthilkumar. The function was hosted by Monisha selvakumar (1st M.Sc) and Arunabha Sen (2nd M.Sc).

The welcome address was given by Dr.K.Anbarasu, H.O.D, Department of Marine Biotechnology. He welcomed the dignitaries and students. He informed that as per the Tamil Nadu Government Higher Education Department circular we are here to celebrate the birthday of Dr.Kalam (15th October) be celebrated as "Youth Awakening day. "The life of Dr.Kalam serves to be a perfect example of how a human should develop into an individual and then into an influential leader" he said. He added that Dr.Kalam's transformation got facilitated with the help of education as the basic tool. He used education to develop personality and to contribute to the society. He said about the Dr.Kalam's struggles and achievements both in the field of science and technology and politics. His simplicity has inspired many talented youngsters to reach great heights in their lives to get more and more awards.

After his welcome address, Abantika Chatterjee (1st M.Sc) giving an excellent speech about The Life of Dr.APJ Abdul Kalam. Then a video was played about the struggles and achievements of Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam, that was prepared by 1st M.Sc Marine Biotechnology students.

Followed that, intra-departmental competition like Quiz, Poster presentation, and Photography was held from 11.30 am to 1.30 pm. I M.Sc and II M.Sc. students were participated in this competition. Research scholars were conducted this Programs. After 1.30 pm the prize was distributed by the Head of the Department and other faculties for the winners and congratulate all the participants, organizers and judges.

Finally, Dr.A.Indhumathi delivered the vote of thanks. She expressed the joy in celebrating the day with the bright young community. She thanked all the people who made their august presence in the hall at the end.



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