

PROGRAMME REPORT: WORLD SAREE DAY CELEBRATION

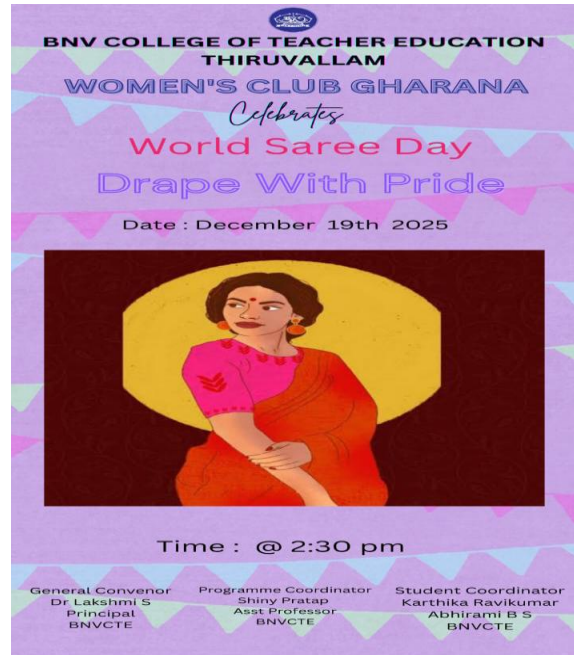
WOMEN'S CLUB "GHARANA" BNV COLLEGE OF TEACHER EDUCATION,
THIRUVALLAM

DATE: December 19, 2025

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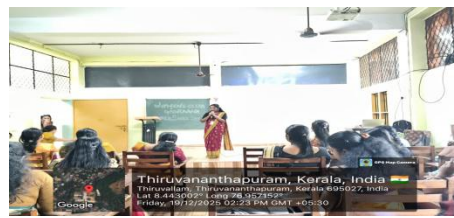
VENUE: ET LAB

As part of its cultural and heritage-oriented initiatives, the Women's Club "Gharana" of BNV College of Teacher Education, Thiruvallam, successfully organized the World Saree Day Celebration titled "Drape With Pride" on December 19, 2025 at 2:30 PM in the ET Lab. The programme aimed to highlight the cultural significance, elegance, and timeless beauty of the saree, while also encouraging creativity and confidence among students. The programme was conducted under the guidance of Ms. Shiny Pratap, Assistant Professor, BNVCTE, and the esteemed supervision of the General Convenor, Dr. Lakshmi S, Principal, BNVCTE. The celebration included an awareness session on the importance of World Saree Day, a saree draping demonstration class, and a Saree Draping Competition. The programme aimed to highlight the cultural significance, elegance, and versatility of the saree while fostering creativity, confidence, and cultural pride among students.



The programme witnessed enthusiastic participation from students across different classes, whose active involvement, creativity, and confident presentations added great vibrancy to the event. Their keen interest and teamwork contributed significantly to the smooth conduct of the sessions and reflected a strong sense of collaboration and cultural appreciation among the student community. The lively atmosphere transformed the programme from a formal celebration into a colourful expression of tradition, creativity, and learning, leaving a lasting impression on all those who were present.

INAUGURATION AND WELCOME



The programme commenced at 2:30 PM in the ET Lab with a warm welcome to all the dignitaries, faculty members, and students. The event was gracefully hosted by Aswini, who introduced the purpose of the programme and set a positive tone for the celebration.

GUIDANCE AND LEADERSHIP



The programme was organized under the guidance of Ms. Shiny Pratap, Assistant Professor, BNVCTE, with the esteemed supervision of the General Convenor, Dr. Lakshmi S, Principal, BNVCTE. Their support and encouragement played a vital role in the successful planning and execution of the programme.

EXPLANATION OF RULES AND REGULATIONS



The rules and regulations of the Saree Draping Competition were clearly explained by Shani. The guidelines ensured fair participation and helped the teams understand the judging criteria, contributing to the smooth conduct of the competition.

IMPORTANCE OF WORLD SAREE DAY



An informative session on the importance of World Saree Day was presented by Remya. She highlighted that World Saree Day is observed on December 21 and has been celebrated since 2009, emphasizing the saree as a symbol of Indian culture, tradition, dignity, and empowerment.

SAREE DRAPING DEMONSTRATION CLASS



A saree draping demonstration class was conducted by Ms. Meera Ma'am, Academic Director, BNVCTE. The session was highly informative and practical, where she demonstrated different methods of draping a saree and explained the significance of proper draping techniques. The class helped students understand the elegance, versatility, and cultural importance of the saree, making the session both educational and engaging.

SAREE DRAPING COMPETITION



A Saree Draping Competition was conducted to identify the Best Drapist and Best Model, where participants competed as a team. The competition showcased creativity, coordination, confidence, and presentation skills of the participants. Following , a Walk of the Model and Drapist was conducted. During this session, each team explained the choice of saree, the draping style, makeup used, and the overall theme. This segment added grace and depth to the programme by combining explanation with presentation. The competition was judged by Janu Ma'am, Principal, BNV School, and Dhanya Ma'am. Their keen observation and fair evaluation

ensured unbiased judgment of the participants' performances. After the walk, the judges addressed the gathering with encouraging and motivating words. They appreciated the creativity, confidence, and cultural awareness displayed by the participants and motivated students to continue celebrating traditional values.

PRIZE DISTRIBUTION



The winners of the Best Drapist and Best Model awards were announced. The prizes were distributed by Ms. Meera Ma'am, Academic Director, and Dr. Lakshmi S, Principal, BNVCTE, marking a proud and memorable moment for the participants.

VOTE OF THANKS

The programme concluded with a heartfelt vote of thanks delivered by Aleema, who expressed sincere gratitude to the management, dignitaries, faculty members, judges, coordinators, participants, and all those who contributed to the success of the event.

CONCLUSION:



The World Saree Day Celebration organized by the Women’s Club “Gharana” was a grand success. The programme effectively blended tradition with creativity, fostering cultural pride and self-expression among students. The enthusiastic participation and coordinated efforts of the organizing team made the event memorable and meaningful. The celebration reaffirmed the importance of preserving cultural heritage while empowering young minds to carry it forward with pride and confidence.