

# The Women's Day celebration at Good Shepherd Convent, Sandanaplaya,

The Women's Day celebration at Good Shepherd Convent, Sandanaplaya, on 12th March 2025, was a vibrant and joyous event that brought together 480 women from our working areas. The atmosphere was filled with excitement and energy as women of all ages came together to celebrate the essence of womanhood.



The distinguished chief guests for the day were Smt. Shilpa Nag C.T., IAS, District Commissioner Officer, and Smt. Mona Roat, IAS, Chief Executive Officer, who added grace and significance to the occasion. Special invitees included Fr. Arokiaraj Leonard, Parish Priest of Sandanaplaya, Mrs. Marynirmala, a teacher from Kollegal, Mrs. Maria from the De-addiction Centre in Mysore, Mrs. Radha from Hanur, and leaders from Martalli Panjathu, Mr. Innacimuthu (President) and Mr. Ramaliga/Nadiya (Vice Presidents).



The day's festivities began with lively games designed to bring out the competitive spirit of the women. Three exciting games—*Bombing the City*, *Passing the Ball*, and *Bucketing the Ball*—saw active participation from most of the attendees. The women displayed great enthusiasm, showcasing their playful side and making the games a delightful start to the celebration.



The cultural program that followed was the heart of the day, filled with creativity, color, and talent. The program featured a variety of performances, including traditional dances, songs, and entertaining skits. The women shone on stage, sharing their incredible talents and making the event truly memorable. The program was organized and conducted by the Sisters and staff, who ensured that the celebrations ran smoothly. The celebrations ended, with all the women enjoying a delicious meal of vegetable biryani and curd, adding a special touch to the occasion.

The Women's Day celebration at Good Shepherd Convent was a beautiful reflection of the



strength, unity, and creativity of the women in Sandanaplaya. It was a day filled with joy, laughter, and empowerment, where every woman felt celebrated and

appreciated. The event was a powerful reminder of the importance of honouring and uplifting women, not just on Women's Day but every day.