

# College of Agricultural Engineering & Technology Anand Agricultural University, Godhra - 389001

The College of Agricultural Engineering and Technology, AAU, Godhra organized different Cultural programs and celebrated different National days at college level to inculcate social and patriotic values among students. In Year 2019-20, 7 such events were organized.

# **Cultural Activities conducted in Year 2019-20**

Sr. No.	Different Events Celebration	Date
1.	Guru Purnima	16 <sup>th</sup> July, 2019
2.	Ganesh Mahotsav	2 <sup>nd</sup> to 8 <sup>th</sup> September, 2019
3.	Teacher's Day	5 <sup>th</sup> September, 2019
4.	Fresher's Party	17 <sup>th</sup> September, 2019
5.	Sharad Purnima	13 <sup>th</sup> October, 2019
6.	Annual Day	22 <sup>nd</sup> October, 2019
7.	Agricultural Education Day	3 <sup>rd</sup> December, 2019

# Details about cultural programs conducted at college level

#### 1) Gurupurnima

On the auspicious day of "Gurupurnima", 16<sup>th</sup> July, 2019 the students of the College of Agricultural Engineering and Technology, AAU, Godhra were organized the "Gurupurnima Function" to pay their respect to all distinguished Teaches and Staff of the college. The program was started with the lighting of the lamp and performing Sarswati puja. Dr. R. C. Salunkhe, Assistant Professor and Chiarman welcomed In-charge Principal, all HOD's, teaching and non-teaching staff and students for their graceful presence in the function and also highlighted the importance of the celebration of Guru Purnima and Guru's in our life. All present Staff members were felicitated by offering flowers as a token of respect. Three students delivered the speech and share the information regarding the Guru Purnima and expressed their due respect to all teachers. Dr. Pankaj Gupta, In-charge Principal and Professor & Head, in his speech guided the students about high values in our life and inspired the students to do their study more keenly & attentively and gave his best wishes to all.



#### 2) Ganesh Mahotsav

To seek the blessing of lord Ganesha ,Students , faculty & staff of College of Agricultural Engineering & Technology, Godhara Celebrated Ganesh Mahotsav at Auditorium with Ganpati Sthapana on 2<sup>nd</sup> September, 2019 (Ganesh Chaturthi) to 8<sup>th</sup> September, 2019. Maha-Aarati was done on the fourth day of the sthapana. "Chappan Bhog Pooja" was organized at last day. During Ganesh Mahotsav every evening students played Garba and enjoyed the festival in different way.



#### 3) Teacher's day

The students of the College celebrated the Teacher's day on 5<sup>th</sup> September, 2019 to pay their tribute to Dr. S. Radhakrishnan and to pay their respect to all distinguished Teachers and Staff of the college. The program was started with the lighting of the lamp, performing Sarswati puja and singing the University *Prerangeet*. Mr. Ankit Nimavat, the final year student welcomed Dr. R. Subbaiah, Principal and Dean, all HOD's, Teaching and Non-teaching staff and students for their graceful presence in the function and also highlighted the importance of the celebration of 'Teacher's Day'. All present Staff members were felicitated by offering flowers as a token of respect. Mr. Gelani Karan, 2<sup>nd</sup> year student

and Miss. Chandra Sakshi, 1<sup>st</sup> year student delivered the speeches on memoirs of Dr. S. Radhakrishnan and their wholehearted feelings about "Teacher". Some of the staff members and HOD's expressed their views about 'Teacher's Day'. Dr. R. Subbaiah, Principal and Dean, elaborated the relationship between Teacher and Students in Professional and Higher education Institute. Mr. Naimish Desai, General Secretary of the college expressed his thanks to one and all present in the function.



## 4) Fresher Party

The students of the College welcomed all the First Year students of B. Tech, M.Tech and Ph.D by organizing Fresher's party "AAVKAR-2K19" on Tuesday, 17<sup>th</sup> September, 2019. The program was started with the lighting of the lamp, performing Sarswati puja and singing the University Prerangeet. Dr. R. C. Salunkhe, Asstt. Prof. and Chairman, SRC formally welcomed Dr. R. Subbaiah, Principal and Dean, all HOD's, Teaching and Nonteaching staff and students for their graceful presence in the function and forwarded his best wishes for all new comers for their happy and pleasant stay in CAET's, green and clean Campus. The students performed welcome dance, solo dance, solo songs and standup comedy like events to make the evening more joyful and memorable.



### 5) Sharad Poornima

The Garaba Night was organized by College of Agricultural Engineering & Technology on 13<sup>th</sup> October, 2019 on the day of Sharad Poornima. On the occasion of "Garaba Night", all students of the college participated played Garaba in traditional dress and prizes were given to best Garaba performers.



#### 6) Agricultural Education Day

An "Agricultural Education Day" was on Celebrated on Tuesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> December, 2019 on the occasion of Birth Anniversary of Bharat Ratna, Dr. Rajendra Prasad, First Union Agriculture Minister in 1946 and First President of independent India, 1947. The function was started with lightning the lamp by the Dr. Pankaj Gupta, I/C Principal and Professor & Head, Deptt. of SWCE, along with Dr. Navneet Kumar, Associate Prof. & Head, Deptt. of PFE, Dr. D. K. Vyas, Associate Prof. & Head, Deptt. of REE, Er. Kapil Mandloi, Assistant Professor & Head, Deptt. of BEAS and Dr. R. C. Salunkhe, Assistant Prof & Chairman, SRC followed by University *Prerana Song*. Dr. R. C. Salunkhe briefed about the objectives behind celebration of "Agricultural Education Day" and welcomed all staff and students present in the function.

Two students, Mr. Yash Vyas, and Miss. Sakshi Chandra, highlighted the importance of agricultural Education in building of nation and also summarized great contribution made by Bharat Ratna, Dr. Rajendra Prasad in Indian Agriculture. Dr. Pankaj Gupta, in his speech, emphasized on the need of spreading awareness about agricultural education in the society and informed about new emerging disciplines in agricultural education like Drone Technology, artificial intelligence, GIS & Remote sensing etc.



# 7) Annual Function- AgETech-2019

The College of Agricultural Engineering and Technology, AAU, Godhra Celebrated an Annual Day, "AgETech-2019" on Tuesday, 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2019. Dr. R. Subbaiah, Principal & Dean, CAET, Godhra welcomed and introduced the Chief Guest of the Function, Er. Vijay Rathod, Head, Business Development, Netafim Irrigation India Pvt. Ltd and Guest of Honor of the function Dr. Dr. D.H. Patel, Director of Students Welfare, AAU, Anand

After floral welcome, College 'Annual Progress Report-2018-19' and College Magazine 'Rivista' was released by the dignitaries on the Dias. Dr. R. Subbaiah presented the progress report of the college through PPT. Dr. D. H. Patel highlighted the importance of the Annual Day celebration in college life where the students are appreciated for their performance which gives inspiration to the other students to perform better for next year. The important and most awaited part of the program i.e. certificates distribution to all the winners who participated in various sports and cultural activities at college and university level was done by the hand of dignitaries on the dais.

Er. Vijay Rathod, Chief Guest of the function, highlighted the blooming scope of Agricultural Engineering in Industrial sector and same time he made aware the students about

threats of competition in those areas. He advised to students to prepare themselves and be ready to fight at Global competition. As a token of love, Dr. R. Subbaiah applauds all dignitaries with a College Memento.

The program was anchored by Mr. Hardik Sharma, Assistant Prof. and Mrs. Hetal Tanna, Assistant Prof., BEAS Deptt. Dr. R. C. Salunkhe, Assistant Professor and Chairman, SRC delivered his vote of thanks to all who were present in the function and who were taken efforts and helped to make this function successful. The program was ended with singing National Anthem.

The main attraction of the evening was the colorful cultural program which was started just after high tea. The cultural program began with a classical dance. The students performed the events like group dance, pyramid, Patriotic Drama, mime, solo songs with full of energy and high level of entertainment. The evening was become more memorable due delicious and tempting garden dinner.









































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