GOVERNMENT ENGINEERING COLLEGE - PATAN

A REPORT ON CELEBRATION OF **"SWAVALAMBAN DAY"** ON 17TH OF MARCH

AT GEC PATAN'S CAMPUS

EVENT NAME: SWAVALAMBAN DAY

EVENT DATE: 17TH MARCH 2023

EVENT PLACE: SEMINAR HALL ELECTRICAL DEPARTMENT

INTRODUCTION:

The Swavalamban Abhiyan was a campaign launched by the Government of India in 2016 to promote entrepreneurship and self-employment among youth in the country.

The program aimed to provide training, guidance, and financial assistance to aspiring entrepreneurs, particularly in rural and underdeveloped areas. It also sought to create a culture of innovation and self-reliance by encouraging young people to take up entrepreneurship as a viable career option.

EVENT DESCRPTION:

Swavalamban Day is an event dedicated to promoting entrepreneurship and self-reliance among young people in India under G20 celebration. The event will take place on March 17th, 2023 at the Seminar Hall of the Electrical Department. It will begin at 11:00 am with a welcome ceremony for guests, followed by an opening address from the organizers.

The day began with a performance of the **"Saraswati Vandana"** and the **"Swavalambhi Bharat Abhiyan" anthem,** which was sung by Kailash Kher. Following this, **Professor D.K. Patel** delivered a speech in which he welcomed the chief guests and expressed his gratitude to the students for their participation in the program. He shared his thoughts on the Swavalambhi Bharat Abhiyan and shared his personal experiences.

Next, **Shree Kamalbhai Modh, the convener of Swadeshi Jagran Manch**, spoke about the Swavalamban movement taking place in India, and gave a brief history of India. **Shree Vijaykumar Thakkar, the CEO of FotonVR**, and **Shree Dr. Hiren Khatri, the Director of Tarushi Formulation LLP**, also gave speeches in which they shared their experiences and stories related to entrepreneurship.

Dr. Hiren Khatri also provided the audience with some valuable life lessons in the form of stories. The program concluded with the singing of the national anthem of India. In the end juice of sugarcane is presented to all the students and chief guests.

Overall, it was a meaningful event that aimed to encourage self-reliance and entrepreneurship among young people in India.

After that an Open House on Innovative Project presentation was conducted in which 7 different teams participated (list is attached below along with the program attendance sheet).

PHOTOGRAPHS:
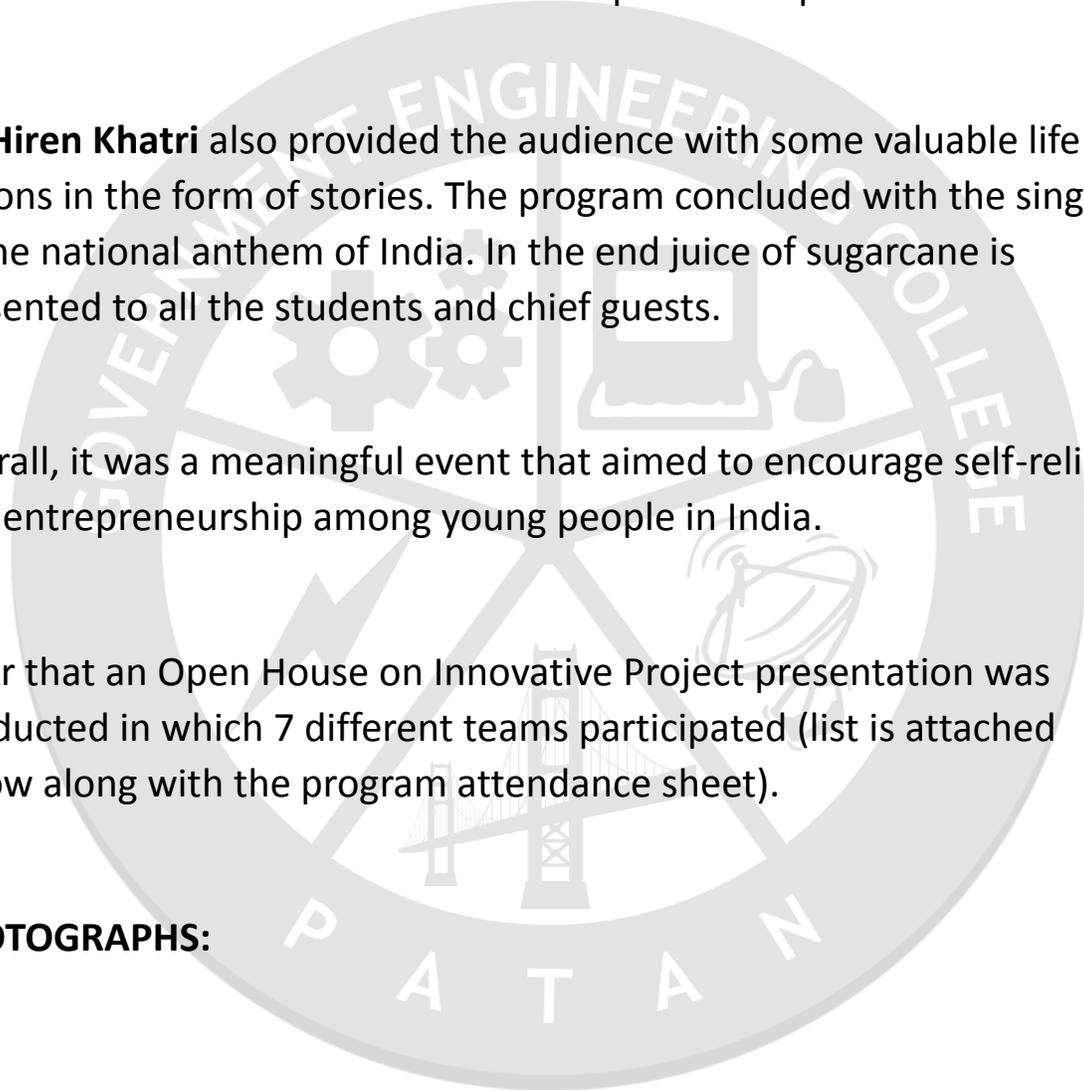
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