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## Department of Library RISHI BANKIM LIBRARY

Name of the Activity: Celebration of "National Librarians' Day, 2023 and Staff

Development Programme"

Category of the Activity: National Librarians' Day, 2023

Date and Time: 10<sup>th</sup> August, 2023 at 5.30 P. M.

Venue: Rishi Bankim Library

**Objectives:** The objectives of this programme are as follows:

• To aware the library users about the facilities and role of the library.

• To aware the library users about the library resources.

• To aware the library users about the use of electronic sources.

**Resource Person:** Dr. Sudipta Biswas, Librarian, R.K.Mission Vivekananda Centenary College, Rahara, North 24 Parganas

Special Guest: Mr. Kanailal Acharyya, President, G. B.

**Number of Participants: 59** 

**Brief Description:** On occasion of the celebration of 131st Birth anniversary of Padmasri Dr. Shiyali Ramamrita Ranganathan, the Rishi Bankim Library in collaboration with the Teachers' Council and IQAC of Rishi Bankim Chandra Evening College (RBCEC), Naihati organized the celebration of National Librarians' Day, 2023 on 10th August, 2023 at Rishi Bankim Library. Teachers, non-teaching staffs, including some students were present in this programme.

The Patron of this Librarians' Day Dr. Debasish Bhowmick, Principal, RBCEC inaugurated the programme with the wearing a garland on the photo of Dr. S. R. Ranganathan following by a Welcome address. Dr. Bhowmick in his welcome address discussed the role of Library and Librarians in the education society. To access the right book at the right time from the redundancy of published books and journals, Librarians play very important role. He also expended some words about Dr. S. R. Ranganathan. According to him, the value of Librarians is same as teachers.

Mr. Kanailal Acharyya, President, G. B. was graced the occasion as special guest and delivered speech following welcome address. President in his speech discussed the importance of librarians in the society and according to him "Librarians are the Teacher of the Teachers". He has also discussed about the importance of Library in education society. He elaborately discussed how Librarians can help a Teacher or a student or a scholar to develop their study or research.

Resource person Dr. Sudipta Biswas discussed about different electronic devices which are important for information management and resource management of library.

Dr. Santosh Kumar Tunga, Joint Convener of this programme delivered a speech following the lecture of special guest. Dr. Tunga in his speech discussed about the life of Father of Library Science Dr. S. R. Ranganathan, development of Rishi Bankim Library, different sections of the library, services, etc.

Dr. Laksman Sarkar, Convener of the Librarians' Day, 2023 celebration programme delivered a speech following the speech of Dr. Tunga. Dr. Sarkar in his speech discussed the life, education and service career of Dr. Ranganathan. He also discussed the some works of Ranganathan. Following these he discussed the development of Rishi Bankim Library from traditional to digital stage. Different digital facilities like searching NLIST for e-books, e-journals and availability of digital version of syllabus and university question papers on the website have discussed by Dr. Sarkar.

During this programme all Library staffs including Librarians have been celebrated by the College authority for their interrupted services in the library.

After the end of Dr. Sarkar's lecture vote of thanks proposed by the Prof. Chandranath Adhikary, HOD, Department of English and declared the end of the programme.

**Outcomes:** Participants of this programme have gained the knowledge on Library functions and its importance on educational development. Participants also came to know the sources of E-resources which they can access through Library.



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Respected Sir/Madam

To celebrate the 131st birth anniversary of Father of Library Science Padmasree Prof. S. R. Ranganathan, Rishi Bankim Library (Central Library) in collaboration with IQAC is going to organize National Librarians' Day, 2023 and Staff Development Programme on "ICT use and utilities in Academic Libraries" on 10th August, 2023 (Thursday) at 6.30 p.m. at the Seminar Hall.

The National Librarians' Day and Staff Development Programme will be inaugurated by Dr. Debasish Bhowmick, Principal, R. B. C. Evening College, Naihati. Valuable lectures on the topic will be delivered by the Resource Person Dr. Sudipta Biswas, College Librarian, Ramakrishna Mission Vivekananda Centenary College, Rahara, North 24 Parganas. Mr. Kanai Lal Acharyya, President, G. B. will grace the occasion as Special Guest.

All the Students, Teaching and non-Teaching staffs are cordially invited to attend this programme.

## PROGRAMME

6.30 PM: Inauguration by the Principal, RBCEC

6.40 PM: Speech by the President, G. B. 6.50 PM: Speech by the Resource Person

7.50 PM: Vote of Thanks

Demis Dr. Debasish Bhowmick (Principal)

(Coordinator, IQAC)

Dr. Laksman Sarkar (Librarian)

