







# **GOVERNMENT DEGREE COLLEGE, GUMMALAKSHMIPURAM**

## **Event Report: Sarojini Naidu Birth Anniversary Celebration**

-  **Date:** 13-02-2024
-  **Venue:** Government Degree College, Gummalakshmipuram
-  **Department:** History
-  **Lecturers Attended:** 10
-  **Students Participated:** 24
-  **Resource Person:** Dr. T. Sreevaram, Principal

### **Purpose of the Event:**

The Department of History organized a special program on **13th February 2024** to commemorate the **birth anniversary of Sarojini Naidu**, celebrated nationally as **National Women's Day**. The event aimed to educate and inspire students by highlighting the life, legacy, and remarkable contributions of Sarojini Naidu to India's political, literary, and social landscape.





### Highlights of the Event:

The chief guest and speaker for the occasion, **Dr. T. Sreevaram**, Principal of the college, addressed the gathering and delivered a motivational talk on the **life history and achievements of Sarojini Naidu**. She emphasized her multifaceted personality—an acclaimed **poet, freedom fighter, and women's rights activist**—and elaborated on her role as:

- **The first Indian woman to become President of the Indian National Congress**
- **The first woman to serve as Governor of an Indian state (Uttar Pradesh)**
- **A prominent voice in India's freedom struggle**
- **A powerful advocate for women's empowerment**







In addition to the Principal's address, **staff members from the Departments of History and Political Science** also shared their insights and reflections on Sarojini Naidu's impactful role in shaping **India's political identity and advocating for women's empowerment**. Their speeches highlighted her legacy as a symbol of strength, intellect, and patriotism.





### **Student Engagement:**

The event saw active participation from students who shared thoughts and information about Sarojini Naidu's political activism and literary genius. It provided them with an opportunity to deepen their understanding of her role in shaping modern India and to reflect on the continuing relevance of her ideals in today's society.







### Conclusion:

The event concluded on a high note, with faculty and students alike gaining valuable insights into the **life and legacy of Sarojini Naidu**. It successfully served its purpose of honoring her memory and inspiring the younger generation to learn from her pathbreaking contributions to the nation.