

## ***CELEBRATION OF COMMEMORATIVE DAYS, EVENTS AND FESTIVALS***

### **Department of Hotel Management**

University enthusiastically celebrate all national and international commemorative days, events and festivals. National festivals are very important to celebrate the zeal of Nationalism and Patriotism and to acquaint the students to rich legacy of India.

To maintain harmony and healthy work atmosphere and to make the learners aware of the national pride and rich cultural heritage, the National/International commemorative days are regularly being celebrated and observed at The University.

Independence Day and Republic day are celebrated every year with pride and grandeur. Reminiscing the glory of all the great leaders, these days are celebrated with patriotism in hearts. Enthusiastic preparations of Independence Day are done to pay tribute to national heroes who sacrificed their life for the nation. Flag hosting ceremony is integral part of republic day and Independence Day celebration in our department.

Every year on Republic Day, students participate and present something creative and novel to honour our nation with various patriotic cultural performances organised in the form of competitions.

We do celebrate Gandhi Jayanti to mark the birthday of Mahatma Gandhi and his selfless contribution for India's freedom struggle. It is a day to remember special person, the person who is the Father of our nation, who taught the world the lesson of non-violence, so that same values can be incorporated in the students.

To honour the foundation of generations, Teacher's Day is celebrated on 5th September on Dr Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan's birth anniversary. Celebrating Teacher's Day at our department is one of the finest memories. Beginning to the celebration is with all the decorations along with cultural event that leaves a mark in the memory.

Ethnic festivals of Punjab viz., Lohri (with the lure of Punjabi folk dances along with bonfire) are celebrated, where the students perform various dance and singing items to preserve and practice Indian culture.

Fresher's Party is organised to welcome fresh students. Students participate in groups to perform various performances like dances, skits, shows, etc followed by a feast which allows Fresher students to get to know their Seniors well.