

1. Name of the Programme : **A Special lecture arrange on the occasion of Folk-culturalist, Researcher, Scholar Dr. Nabin Chandra Sharma Birthday Anniversary.**
2. Date : **21.06.2021**
3. In connection with observation of ..... Day (If any) : Dr. Nabin Chandra Sharma's Birthday Celebration.
4. Organized by : Folklore Society of Dhubri and in Collaboration with Dhubri Zila Sahitya Sabha, Department of Assamese, Dhubri Bholanath College.
5. Name of Resource person/judges :
  1. Dr. Upen Rabha Hakasam, Professor, Assamese Department, Guwahati University.
  2. Dr. Upendrajit Sarma, Head of the Department of Assamese, B.N. College, Dhubri.
  3. Tarani Kanta Rai, President Dhubri,Zila Sahitya Sabha.
  4. Debendra Nath Sharma, President, Folklore Society of Dhubri.
  5. Dr. Bipin Chandra Kalita, eminent writer , former President of Nalbari Zila Sahitya Sabha, Executive Member, Asam Sahitya Sabha.
6. Number of participants/students : 111

7. Name, Class, Roll no of the winners : N/A
8. A brief write up of the programme (with web snaps/photos):

On June 21, The birthday of renowned folk-culturalist, researcher, Professor of Ameriters Dr. Nabin Chandra Sharma was celebrated through Google Meet under the Organized of Dhubri Janakristi Samaj and in collaboration with Dhubri Zila Sahitya Sabha, Assamese Department of Dhubri Bholanath College. A special solemn lecture programme was organized under the guidance of Dr. Upendrajit Sarma, Magazine Editor, Asam Sahitya Sabha and Head of the Department of Assamese, Bholanath College.

The meeting began with a Goalparaia folk song performed by child artists Mayuri Sarma and Prasenderjit Sarma. Zila Sahitya Sabha secretary Azad Ali Ahmed explained the purpose of the meeting and introduced of Dr. Nabin Chandra Sharma. The welcome address was delivered by Dhubri Janakristi Samaj President Debendra Nath Sharma. The meeting was inaugurated by Jai Singh Tokbe, Secretary, Diphu Regional Office, Assam Sahitya Sabha. In the speech context, Tokbe highlighted the erudition of Dr. Nabin Chandra Sharma along with some lines on Karbi culture.

At the beginning of the programme, Meeting Director and Magazine Editor of Asam Sahitya Sabha Dr. Upendrajit Sarma said that Dr. Nabin Chandra Sharma is a man of multifaceted erudition. Without his book studies, it is impossible students to graduate, post graduate in Assamese subjects and pursue degrees in folk culture. The scholar of this rare erudition did not get much recognition by measuring talent. The meeting proposed that the Assam government should soon put together the entire book and publish in the name of 'Dr. Nabin Chandra Sharma Rachanavali'. Individuals participating from different parts of Assam supported the proposal and requested the government to take appropriate action in this regard.

Speaking on the theme "Axomot lokosanskriti chorchha aru Dr. Nabin Chandra Sharma", former President of Nalbari Zila Sahitya Sabha, Executive Member, Asam Sahitya Sabha, eminent writer Dr. Bipin Chandra Kalita. In the context of the speech, Dr. Kalita highlights various aspects of assam's folk culture and explains Dr. Nabin chandra sharma's method of studying folk culture in details.

Dr. Upen Rabha Hakasam, Professor, Assamese Department, Guwahati University, attended the programme as the Chief Guest. In the context of the speech, Dr. Hakasam underlined the scholar's versatility and advocated his impeccable creation. Majuli's new generation poets-writers Shanku Siddha Nath and Papu Bora congratulated the pandit on his birthday with poetry lessons. Indira Paw Gogoi from Jorhat wishing the pandit a happy birthday with a Mising Oinitom.

Dr. Mohini Goswami from Mangaldai, Dr. Rajita Kalita Morol from Nagaon, Dr. Prasanna Kumar Nath from Sipajhar, Deben Kakati from Dipu, Goalpara Zila Sahitya Sabha secretary Jitumoni Das, Darang Zila Sahitya Sabha secretary Gautamanand Goswami, Nalbari Zila Sahitya Sabha secretary Pankaj Bezboruah, Mihir Das from Dhubri, Tilak Prasad from Chapar gave a congratulatory message on birthday to Dr. Nabin Chandra Sharma.

Artist Mukut Chandra Hazarika performed 'Byash ojaipali and Nangeli geet' at the programme. Hemlata Kakati and Milan Devi singing a 'Biya geet' on his Birthday. Dhubri Zila Sahitya Sabha President Tarani Kanta Rai recalled his closeproximity to Dr. Nabin Chandra Sharma in the content work of folk culture throughout goalpara-dhubri region starting from his education life. Dr. Nabin Chandra Sharma's consort Basanti Devi thanked the people of Assam for the meeting. District Secretary Azad Ali Ahmed expressed his gratitude for the meeting. This programme is attended by professors, students of Dhubri Bholanath College, and people from different parts of Assam. The meeting concludes with a national anthem performance.



