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INTERNATIONAL MOTHER LANGUAGE DAY 2025

Date : 21st February 2025

Venue : LR II , Department Of Statistics

Time : 03:00 P.M. – 05:00 P.M.

The Heritage Club ,Department of Statistics ,University of Delhi celebrated International Mother Language Day on February 21,2025 with great zeal and enthusiasm. With its roots engraved in history, the origin of International Mother Language Day dates back to 1952 Bengali Language Movement in Bangladesh which was then approved at the 1999 UNESCO General Conference. This celebration was a testament to the club's dedication to honouring cultural and linguistic diversity and the university's steadfast commitment of preserving and promoting all languages for an inclusive and sustainable society.

The celebration kicked off with Prof. Ranjita Pandey delivering an insightful speech, shedding light on the importance of languages ,not merely as means of communication but also how they serve as a powerful reflection on cultural identity. She highlighted how languages preserve traditions, shape perspectives and stimulates a deep sense of belonging, making them an essential pillar of human heritage and diversity. The celebration was then marked by a vibrant array of fun filled activities . From exciting quiz ,to engaging tongue twisters in various languages each activity contributed to highlighting the importance of preserving mother languages while adding an element of fun. Through the translation challenge ,attendees were encouraged to learn and appreciate different linguistic traditions fostering a deep understanding of various cultures .

The event concluded with a fun filled Chinese whisper challenge which saw an active participation of the professors , PhD scholars of our department along with MSc students. The highlight of this event was the active participation of our professors and PhD scholars which made this event a great success and reaffirmed department's commitment to promoting linguistic diversity and cultural exchange.

The event was a resounding success fostering awareness about linguistic diversity and the significance of preserving native languages. The event not only honoured the richness of different native languages but also reinforced the importance of multilingualism in promoting inclusivity and global understanding . The event also highlighted the importance of taking initiatives such as these in order to ensure that linguistic diversity remains a cherished aspect of our society.

(Pictures of the event are attached below:)





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