

**HON'BLE GOVERNOR OF TAMIL NADU THIRU R.N.RAVI
INAUGURATED THE THEMATIC EXHIBITION – “VANDHE
MATHARAM” AND RELEASED BOOK “FORGOTTEN FREEDOM
FIGHTERS’ IN FUNCTION CELEBRATING 75 YEARS OF INDIA’S
INDEPENDENCE AT N.K.T.NATIONAL COLLEGE OF EDUCATION
FOR WOMEN, TRIPLICANE, CHENNAI**

Hon'ble Governor of Tamil Nadu, Thiru R.N.Ravi today (13.08.2022) inaugurated the Thematic Exhibition - “Vandhe Matharam” with light and sound show and released book “Forgotten Freedom Fighters” written by Dr.K.Sridhar in function celebrating 75 years of India's Independence, organised by Srinivas Young Men's Association at N.K.T.National College of Education for Women, Triplicane, Chennai.

Hon'ble Governor in his presidential address, hailed the immense sacrifices and sufferings of Indian Freedom Fighters from Tamil Nadu. We, the people will always be grateful to those who gave their lives for restoring glory of India. He elaborated how highly prosperous and advanced India in all fields from agriculture to science and medicine before colonisation. It's our responsibility to fulfil their dreams by contributing individually and collectively for all inclusive development and to re-build great Nation.

India is marching ahead with new and confidence to be the Vishwa Guru, the world leader. Rise of Bharat necessary for the World as Bharat never lived for self but for the world as a family, Vasuthaiva Kutumbakkam. India is having comprehensive approach to save the mother Earth by providing sustainable and inclusive development. India is showing way to the world in harnessing solar power, reducing our dependency on hydrocarbon based energy sources and promoting international alliance for clean and green energy for good cause of humanity.

He urged the people specially the youth to grow, achieve and excel in their pursuit but carry the sense that their every accomplishment is strengthening the Nation with a sentiment of serving our great Nation.

Hon'ble Governor felicitated Thiru.Rajkumar Bharathi, the great Carnatic Vocalist and Grandson of Mahakavi Subramanya Bharathiar. Thiru.T.A.Sampathkumar, President, Srinivas Young Men's Association, Dr.M.Arumugam, Secretary, N.K.T. National College for Women, Functionaries of Srinivas Young Men's Association, distinguished invitees, dignitaries and college students participated in the function.

Flag Distribution to School Students at Raj Bhavan

Hon'ble Governor greeted the children from Takkar Bapa Vidyalaya, Chennai, who dressed up like Mahatma Gandhi, Nethaji Subash Chandra Bose, Mahakavi Subramaniya Bharathi, Sarojini Devi, Swami Vivekananda and many others, in the National Flag Distribution function held at Raj Bhavan today.

He distributed the National Flag to the Children and the teachers Under 'Har Ghar Trianga' campaign, to hoist Tricolour, expressing our sincere gratitude to those who fought for restoring glory of our Nation.

He urged the teachers to take responsibilities of passing on not just information but also the Bhav (sentiment) on the true associates of thousands of freedom fighters to India's freedom movement.

Today we are enjoying precious fruits because of their sacrifices. He also urged every teachers and the students to hoist National Flag at their houses to live with 'Veeduthorum Moovannakodi' with pride and celebrate 75 years of India's Independence.

On this occasion, Dr. S. Pandiyan, President Takkar Baba Vidyalaya, Chennai, Thiru.P.Maruti, State Preisident, Harijan Sewa Sangh, dignitaries, officials and staff of Raj Bhavan participated.

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