

Dispur College celebrates 46th foundation day

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GUWAHATI, Aug 31: Dispur College celebrated the 46th foundation day on its campus with a day-long programme.

Dr Balendra Kumar Das, president of the governing body, hoisted the flag along with Dr Navajyoti Borah, principal of Dispur College.

Dr Sunita Agarwalla paid a formal tribute to the martyrs at the newly built Swahid *bedi* statue on the college premises. This was followed by the inauguration of the wall magazine *Prerona*, designed by the college's magazine section.

In the open meeting, noted actor Pranjali Saikia urged the students not to be deterred by obstacles once they set their goals.

He emphasized that one can build a successful career through a strong sense of self-confidence, which also plays a crucial role in creating a better and safer society.

Addressing the gathering, principal Dr Borah paid homage to those whose sacrifices

and initiatives have contributed to making the college a reputed institution in the State and the North East region today.

He also emphasized the importance of integrating knowledge and skills with creative culture, stating that the college endeavours to build strong human resources.

During the meeting, the dignitaries on the dais released 'Nikahat-Ye-Mohabbat,' a poetry collection by Yana Sharma, a BA 5th semester student. A newsletter from the Department of English, *Ink Stains*, was also released.

Meanwhile, the freshers' social event was held on the same stage.

The principal urged the newcomers to focus on building their character while also developing various skills.

The event was coordinated by Dr Himangshu Kalita and anchored by Barnali Bora.

The day-long programme concluded with the lighting of an earthen lamp by the principal and senior professor Dr Jyotish Goswami.