

POORNIMA FOUNDATION

GAYATRI GIRLS HOSTEL

Date: October 6, 2016

Dandiya Night

Gayatri Gils Hostel celebrates the festival of navratri with full zeal and enthusiasm, it is a festival dedicated to the worship of the Hindu Goddess Durga. The word Navaratri means 'nine nights', in Sanskrit 'nava' meaning nine and 'ratri' meaning nights. During these nine nights, nine forms of Devi are worshipped. Navaratri is an important festival for Gayatrians and so to make it more exciting and vibrant, Hostel organizes a Dandiya Night on **Thursday October 6, 2016** to enjoy and feel the bright colors of Navaratri.

The planning & proper execution of dandiya night was the responsibility of mentors, they deliberate the night and discussed all the requirements to the chief Warden, GGH like the sound & light system etc and the hostel administration arranged all necessary things to make Dandiya night a triumph.

The venue of dandiya night was **Porch, PCE** which was decorated with red drapes and flowers and temple was also decorated for worship. The celebration started at 7:45 PM with pooja of Devi maa which was accompanied by Chief Guests **Mrs. Renu Singhi, Advisor, PAA & Sh. Ashwinilata, Warden-In-Chief, PF** with Mrs. Sudha Jain, Chief-warden, GGH.

The girls started the dandiya after the opening prayers of night and more than 300 girls participated and danced on beats of graba and bollywood songs. Initially the night started slowly but after 8:30 PM the area was full of girls dancing and the same passion and energy was there till 10:00 PM when sound was off.

To encourage the motivation of girls, hostel announces the award for best traditional costume and Ms. SwapnilDikshit of First year won this award and in the last to make it more memorable Ice-Cream was distribute among the girls as a token of gratitude.

Gayatri Girls Hostel



