

## Inaugural Function of Students' Activities 2011-12



K. L. E Society's P.C. Jabin Science College held the Inaugural Function of Students' Activities for the Academic year 2011-12 on 30<sup>th</sup> August 2011. Chief Guest of the function Dr. D. R. Gaonkar, Joint Director of Collegiate Education, Regional office, Dharwad, gave a scintillating speech to motivate students to begin their Academic activities grandly. He called upon the students to be honest, humanistic and have civic sense so that they can excel in their academics. He opined, "Professionalism coupled with philosophical strength will lead to the overall growth and can bring desired change in our Educational system." He gave an insight into the present living conditions of Indians and said, "Philosophy is the best solution for elevating our lives."

He referred to the great personalities like Vivekananda, Gandhiji and so on and said that they can be the best role models for us. He appealed to the audience to read Gandhiji's Autobiography, Veer Sanyashi Vivekananda, D.V.G's Mankutimmana Kagga, Sarvajna's Vachanas and Basavanna's Vachanas which have the world knowledge. He urged the students to be optimistic in their deeds because, "No poison can kill positive thinkers and no medicine can cure negative thinkers." "Do not think you are nothing. Do not think you are everything. But think that you are something. Then only you can succeed", he added.

Shri. J. P. Jabin, Guest of Honor of the function, advised the students to believe in "well begun is half done". He asked the students to read the books of great personalities to achieve their desired goal.

Shri. V. B. Hiremath, President of the function, felt that “Dr. Gaonkar added the fragrance of mysticism to the golden flower of Science to make it precious.” He strongly believed that the audience was spell bound with his philosophic, relevant and value-oriented knowledge.

The function began with an invocation by Miss. Divya and group. Dr. M I Sambrani, Vice-Principal, welcomed the dignitaries and the audience. Shri. S. B. Nadagoud introduced the Chief Guest. Smt. S. S. Belavadi proposed vote of thanks. Dr. (Smt) A. M. Jalawadi compered the programme. All the members of the college staff and students were present at the function.