

## A REPORT

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The bright and fresh morning of 20<sup>th</sup> March, 2015 marked the arrival of Annual Fest, LA-Kermesse 2015. As like previous years the festival started with a bang exactly at 10AM in the guidance of Mrs. Rajeswari, Mrs. Monika & me, Dr. Archana Sehgal. The premises of MERI witnessed a sizeable number of crowd pouring in, 9.30AM onwards, although the preparation for the D day had been on, since past month and a half. The complete Auditorium was decorated with marigold flowers and cardboard panels that gave it a 'Royal & Different' look. The inaugural ceremony was marked by the lamp lighting session by the stalwarts of MERI management, Prof. Lalit Aggarwal, Mr. S K Aggarwal, Prof Y L Grover & Prof A K Aggarwal. The auspicious lamp lighting was followed by the fusion- Ganapati- Vandana by an MCA student, Sweetie Saha. This was further followed by a mime show & couple of inaugural dance numbers before the beginning of main events.

20<sup>th</sup> March, 2015, the first day of the fest witnessed several events like Solo Dance, Rangoli, Quiz, Lan Gaming, Just a minute, Fashion Show, Arm Wrestling, Solo Singing, Creative Writing and Dump Charades in the auditorium and other classrooms simultaneously. A reasonable participation from other D U and I P University Colleges was there which culminated in a fair awarding for the first three positions by the judges. All the external judges were provided with the lunch. After the whole day's rigmarole, the cash prizes along with free food vouchers and certificates were distributed to the winners there itself.

This was followed by a DJ evening that was eagerly awaited by all the students alike. Finally, the event ended up with a happening and joyous musical DJ night which was a concoction of Hindi, English and Punjabi, high energy songs enjoyed as much by our french students as by our Indian students. 21<sup>st</sup> March, 2015, the second day of the festival witnessed events like Group Dance, Chess, Creating Punch Lines, Web Master, Minute to win, On the Spot Painting, Jodi Damaka, Table Tennis, Street Play and the Band Performance. As like the first day, fair judgment was made by the judges for all the events. Also this day was equally hectic and happening like the previous day. It also ended up with the DJ evening that made the complete lot of students dance madly to its tunes. The La-kermesse 2015 finally came to an end on a happy & hopeful note wishing for the future festival to be even more gala and happening. Lots of thanks are reserved for all our sponsors like 'VolksWagen Motors, Eatery Royale, Punjabi Haveli, Chawla chick Inn and Wow Dining'. We thank them for trusting in us and wish them all the best for future.

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