Report on World Tribal Day Celebration

Date: 9 August 2025

Venue: St. Xavier's College, Simdega

Organized by: ST/SC Cell & AICUF

The ST/SC Cell, in collaboration with AICUF, celebrated World Tribal Day to honor and preserve tribal culture and heritage. The program began with a traditional welcome using Parighana, the lighting of the lamp, and floral tributes to Desum Guru Sibu Soreng for his contributions to the tribal community.





Key Highlights:

Welcome Address: Ms. Priti Kerketta (AICUF).

Chief Guest: Ms. Josima Xaxa emphasized dance, attire, and customs as the identity of Adivasi people.

Main Speech: Mr. Ajay Ekka called for tribal unity and cultural preservation.

Special Address: Principal Dr. Fr. Roshan Baa encouraged students to value their roots; Ms.

Nillima Bando discussed tribal ideology.

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Cultural Dance Competition:

1st Prize: U.C. High School Hostel, Samtoli

2nd Prize: Ursuline Inter College, Samtoli

3rd Prize: St. Mary's Inter College, Simdega

Nukkad Natak: U.C. Hostel students performed a play on tribal issues.

Active participation from AICUF members, Ursuline Anjela Hostel, Adivasi Hostel, and St. Anne's Hostel (B).

The event concluded with a vote of thanks by Dr. Sunil Kerketta.

The ST/SC Cell reaffirmed its commitment to empowering tribal students and preserving tribal heritage for future generations.





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