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A view of the Freshers' Reception Program

On Friday 09 March 2018 Freshers' Reception Program was held for the newly enrolled students of different Undergraduate and Graduate Programs of Spring Semester-2018 at the permanent campus of the University at 114/116, Mazar Road, Mirpur-1, Dhaka.

Prof Dr M Abdus Sobhan, Vice-Chancellor, Prime University presided over the program and Mir Shahabuddin, Chairman Board of Trustees was present as Chief Guest. Md Ashraf Ali, Senior Vice Chairman, Nripen Maitra, Vice Chairman, Ashfaque U Chowdhury, Member, Board of Trustees, Md Arshad Ali, Treasurer, M A Jaber, Registrar, Deans of different Faculties, Controller of Examinations, Heads, faculties, executives, students of the University and Guests also were present in the function.

Mir Shahabuddin, Chairman, Board of Trustees advised the newly enrolled students to attend the classes regularly and to study attentively to enlighten their career and the society. He told that the permanent campus is equipped with all the modern amenities and as such he suggested the freshers to take full advantage of those facilities rendered by the University.

Prof Dr M Abdus Sobhan focused on education in the light of science and asked the students to develop themselves with a creative outlook as this is important for development and prosperity of the country. The Registrar MA Jaber delivered welcome speech. In his speech he emphasized that private sector had created huge opportunities for developing the nation by imparting quality education and producing good professionals.

In the program the Treasurer, the Deans of different Faculties, the Controller of Examinations of the University also welcomed the new-comers and suggested them to follow their duties, cultivate moral and ethical values in their lives to become worthy citizens of the nation. They also emphasized the need to maintain academic atmosphere properly.

On the occasion, the academic and extra-curricular activities of the university were explained to the students. Finally the program ended with a colorful cultural show organized by the Cultural Committee and participated by the students and faculty members.

Prime University Observes International Mother Language Day

Prime University observed the Martyrs Day and International Mother Language Day to pay tribute to the martyrs of the language movement on 21 February 2018. To observe the day Prime University chalked out elaborate programs including rally, placing wreaths, discussion session and cultural program. The Vice Chancellor Prof Dr M Abdus Sobhan and all high officials, faculty members, officers and students brought out a procession and gathered at the Shaheed Minar to place floral wreaths. Prime University Cultural Committee organized a discussion program at Prime University campus where Mir Shahabuddin, Chairman, Board of trustees of the university was present as the Chief Guest and the Vice Chancellor presided over the meeting. In the discussion, all the speakers including Md Ashraf Ali, Senior Vice Chairman, Ashfaq U Chowdhury, Member, Board of Trustees said that the spirit of Ekushey February should be upheld to create a better atmosphere for future Generations. Among others Registrar MA Jabber, Treasurer Md Arshad Ali and Controller of Examinations Nur Hossain Talukder expressed their solidarity to the victims of language movement who lost their lives during 1952. A Cultural program was also arranged where the students of the university rendered patriotic songs on the occasion which went down exceedingly well with the audience.



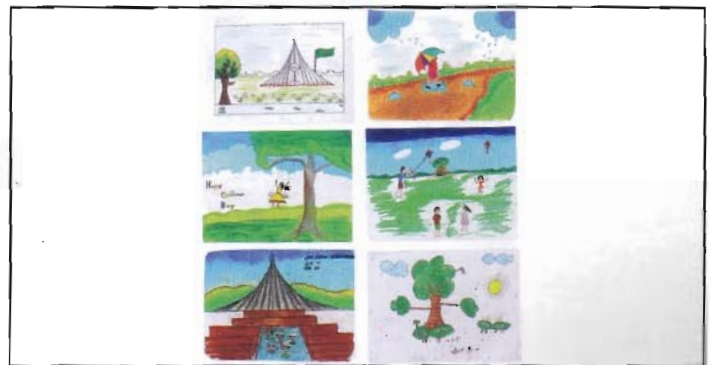
Chairman, Senior Vice Chairman and Member, BOT, Vice Chancellor, Treasurer, Dean and Controller of Examinations sitting on the dais during the program

The Birth Anniversary of the Father of the Nation Commemorated

Prime University observed the 99th birth anniversary of the Father of the Nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman and the National Children's Day on 17th March 2018 in a befitting manner. On this occasion elaborate programs were undertaken including children's art competition, discussion session and cultural program. The program started with art



Students and Faculty Members presenting patriotic song on the Birth Anniversary of the Father of the Nation (left), some of the photos drawn by the participants of the art competition (right)



competition for the children. Cake was cut as part of Bangabandhu's birthday celebration program. The discussion program took place at 11:00 AM. Different glorified aspects of the life of Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman were recalled in the program.

Mir Shahabuddin, Chairman Board of Trustees graced the occasion as the chief guest while Prof Dr M A Sobhan, Vice Chancellor of Prime University chaired the discussion program. Treasurer, Deans, Registrar, Controller of Examinations, Heads of different departments, faculty members, executives, staff and students of the University attended the program with respect and enthusiasm.

Prof Dr M Abdus Sobhan, illustrated how dynamic leadership of Bangabandhu had organized a nation to fight against Pakistani rulers. In his speech, Mir Shahabuddin, talked about the significance of Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman's role behind the foundation of independent Bangladesh. M Arshad Ali solemnly remembered the initiatives Bangabandhu had taken for the Bengali nation to fight against Pakistani occupation forces. Later, the program ended with distribution of prizes among the winners of the art competition and presentation of a colorful cultural show organized by the Cultural Committee.

Prime University Observed 48th Independence Day



The Proctorial Body placing floral wreath at the national mausoleum

Prime University observed the 48th Independence and National Day of Bangladesh on 26th March 2018 with various events and great enthusiasm. To celebrate the day Prime University organised a daylong event titled 'Mohan Swadhinota O Jatiya Dibosh-2018' in the university permanent campus at 114/116, Mazar Road, Mirpur-1. To mark the historic day, the program started at 07.50 AM with the hoisting of the national flag by Prof Dr ASA Noor, Dean, Faculty of Engineering and Nrepen Mairta, Vice Chairman of Board of Trustees, Prime University.

The program included discussion session, cultural show and special monajat. Mir Shahabuddin, Chairman, Board of Trustees was the chief guest while the Vice Chancellor Prof Dr M Abdus Sobhan presided over the program. Md Ashraf Ali, Senior Vice Chairman, Board of Trustees was also present in the occasion. Treasurer, Controller of Examinations, Deans of different faculties, Registrar, faculty members, administrative officials and students of the university participated in the event. Later, certificates and awards of different competitions were distributed among the winners and a mind blowing cultural show was also arranged on the occasion.

Annual General Meeting of Board of Governors of Prime Foundation

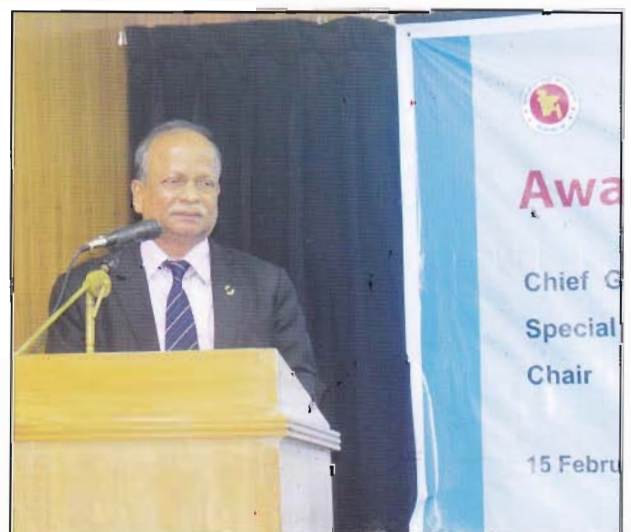
The Annual General Meeting (AGM) of Board of Governors of Prime Foundation was held on 15.03.2018 at the Board Room of the University. Nrepen Maitra, Vice Chairman, Board of Governors presided over the meeting. Election of the office bearers of the Board of Governors of Prime Foundation was held in the AGM. Adv. Abul Kalam Azad, Nrepen Maitra, Asia Zaman, Md Ashraf Ali and Firoj Mahmud Hossain were elected Chairman, Sr Vice Chairman, Vice Chairman, Secretary General and Treasurer respectively.



A view of the meeting

Awareness Building Program on UGC Digital Library (UDL) held in Prime University

An awareness program on UGC Digital Library (UDL) was held on the 15th February 2018 at the conference room of the University. The program was chaired by Prof Dr M Abdus Sobhan, Vice Chancellor of Prime University. Prof Dr Md Akhtar Hossain, Member, UGC attended as the Chief Guest while Dr Gauranga Chandra Mohanta, nde, Project Director (Additional Secretary), HEQEP graced the program as the Special Guest. MA Jabber, Registrar, Prime University delivered the address of welcome. Nushrat Sharita, Program Officer, UDL gave an introduction to UDL while Dr Md Anwarul Islam, Librarian of Sher-e-Bangla Agricultural University made his presentation on e-resources. Deans, executives, faculty members as well as the students participated in the question-answer session. It was hoped that through this awareness program the utilization of UGC Digital Library would increase in Prime University and researchers, teachers and students would highly benefit.



Prof Dr Md Akhtar Hossain, Member, UGC addressing the audience in the awareness building program on UDL

Seminars Organized

The Centre for Research, HRD and Publications of the University takes initiative to conduct seminars individually or in collaboration with other departments throughout the year. Accordingly 06 seminars were held by the Centre on different dates in Spring 2018 semester where different renowned persons of the country delivered speeches for the audience.

Seminar on “বাংলাদেশের স্বায়ত্তশাসন ও স্বাধিকার আন্দোলন : ১৯৪৭-৭১”:



Syed Abul Maksud Presenting Keynote paper during the seminar

Renowned journalist, columnist, research scholar, essayist, and writer Syed Abul Maksud presented his talk in a seminar on “বাংলাদেশের স্বায়ত্তশাসন ও স্বাধিকার আন্দোলন : ১৯৪৭-৭১” at Prime University on 6 February 2018. In his lucid language and simple style he explained the historical facts of the emergence of Bangladesh and importance of autonomy movement for the quest of national identity. The Chairperson of the seminar and Chairman of Governing Council, CRHP, Mir Shahabuddin in his speech expressed his gratitude to the speaker for his presence and sharing thoughts among students, faculty members and staff of Prime University. He also shared his views being a valiant freedom fighter as he risked his life in line with the spirit of many freedom fighters to bring the country into existence. He spoke about the current challenges

and future prospect of the country and remembered the great sacrifice of Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman. He urged all students and young faculty members to know the true history of Bangladesh. At the end, the Chairperson of the program handed over the crest to the keynote speaker Syed Abul Maksud as the token of appreciation of his precious speech to the audience.

Seminar on 'Google Classroom':

Faculty of Engineering and CRHP jointly organized a seminar on 'Google Classroom on 19.02.2018 (Monday) at 03:00 PM in the conference room of the University. The seminar was chaired by Prof Dr Md Abdus Sobhan, Vice Chancellor of the University. Mir Shahabuddin, Chairman, Board of Trustees graced the seminar as the Chief Guest. Dr Gazi Mohammad Sharif, Assistant Professor (Visiting), Department of Computer Science and Engineering (CSE) presented the keynote paper in the seminar. The seminar was a very fruitful one for the faculty members who learned how to disseminate knowledge to their students through Google classroom.



A view of the dais during the seminar



A view of the dais during the seminar

Seminar on 'Optical Signal Processing Using Nonlinear Phenomena':

A seminar on 'Optical Signal Processing Using Nonlinear Phenomena' was held on 26.02.2018 (Monday) at 03:00 PM in the conference room of Prime University. It was jointly organized by the Department of CSE and the Centre for Research, HRD and Publications of the university. The seminar was chaired by Prof Dr M Abdus Sobhan, Vice Chancellor of the University. The keynote speaker of the seminar was Dr Gazi Mohammad Sharif, Assistant Professor (visiting), Department of Computer Science and Engineering (CSE). Optical communication system has tremendous

advantages compared to other communication systems. However, due to some unexpected effects like nonlinearity, the signal is affected. These nonlinear effects can be used for optical signal processing to improve the network systems. The speaker showed how optical signal is processed using nonlinear phenomena.

Seminar on 'Post Modernism:

A Seminar entitled 'Post Modernism: An Introduction' was held on 11.03.2018, Sunday at 10:30 AM in the conference room-2 of Prime University. The seminar was jointly organized by Department of English and Centre for Research, HRD & Publications (CRHP), Prime University. Mir Shahabuddin, Chairman, BOT graced the occasion as the Chief Guest while Prof Dr M Abdus Sobhan, Vice Chancellor of the University was the Special Guest of the session. Eminent academician and writer Prof Dr Syed Manzoorul Islam, former Professor, Department of English, University of Dhaka was the keynote speaker of the seminar. The seminar was chaired by Prof M Arshad Ali, Treasurer and Head, Department of English, Prime University.



Prof Dr Syed Manzoorul Islam receiving crest from the Vice Chancellor

Seminar on 'Human Rights Culture and Bangladesh':



BOT Members, Vice Chancellor and Head, Dept of Law along with the speaker of the seminar on the dais

A seminar entitled, 'Human Rights Culture and Bangladesh' was held on 26.04.2018 at 03:00 PM in the University premises. It was jointly organized by Department of Law and Centre for Research, HRD & Publications (CRHP), Prime University. Mir Shahabuddin, Chairman, BOT graced the occasion as the Chief Guest while Md Ashraf Ali, Senior Vice Chairman, BOT and Prof Dr M Abdus Sobhan, Vice Chancellor of the University was the Special Guest of the session. Eminent lawyer and Human Rights Activist Advocate Sultana Kamal, former Advisor of the Caretaker Government of Bangladesh and President of Manobadiker Sanskriti Foundation (MSF) was the keynote speaker of the seminar. The seminar was chaired by Golam Sarowar, Head, Department of Law, Prime University. The keynote speaker focused on human rights related laws and rights which are inserted in our constitution as well as overall human rights situation in Bangladesh. The speaker also highlighted the responsibilities of the authority for the protection and promotion of human rights in our society.

Seminar on 'Contemporary Issues of the Banking Industry of Bangladesh':

A seminar entitled, "Contemporary Issues of the Banking Industry of Bangladesh" was organized by the Department of Business Administration with the collaboration of Centre for Research, HRD and Publications (CRHP), Prime University on 16 May 2018 at 3:00 PM. Mohammed Nurul Amin, Advisor iPay Systems Limited, former President, Association of Bankers Bangladesh and former Managing Director of NCC Bank Ltd and Meghna Bank Ltd was the keynote speaker of the seminar.



The chief guest Prof Dr M Abdus Sobhan delivering speech during the seminar

The Vice Chancellor of the University Prof Dr M Abdus Sobhan graced the session as the Chief Guest while Sr Vice Chairman of BOT Md Ashraf Ali and Vice Chairman Nrepen Maitra ornamented the program as the Guests of Honor and Prof Dr Jahangir Alam, Dean, Faculty of Business Studies chaired the program. Prof Dr Abdur Rahman, Head, Department of Business

Administration and Proctor of the University welcomed the guests and participants of the occasion. On the session, the keynote speaker presented the overall landscape with major advancements and challenges of the industry. He highlighted that good governance and non-performing loans are the burning issues in the current banking sector. He stressed on ensuring good governance and developing powerful security measures in the sector to protect the funds of the depositors in particular and the wealth of the nation at large.

Seminar on the Prospects of Learning Japanese Language

On 04 March 2018 Prime University Language School (PULS) arranged a seminar entitled, "Prospects of Learning Japanese Language". In the seminar the Chief Guest Prof Dr M Abdus Sobhan, Vice Chancellor of Prime University

emphasized the significance of learning languages. Mir Shahabuddin, Director of PULS and Chairman, Board of Trustees chaired the program. The Chairperson expressed his desire to facilitate the teaching of different foreign languages in the university by establishing a Language Institute. In his motivational speech he stated that the students can enhance their employability through learning languages. Dr Gazi Mohammad Sharif, Assistant Professor (visiting), Department of Computer Science and Engineering (CSE), Prime University and SM Khaleque-uz-zaman, Lecturer, Japanese Language, Prime University Language School presented the Keynote paper. In their presentations they highlighted Japanese culture, tradition, lifestyle, food habit and the opportunities of studying and working in Japan. At present Prime University Language School is offering English, Japanese, Chinese and French language courses. Any interested candidate having HSC can enroll in the programs at an affordable cost.

Workshop on 'Data Management and Self-Assessment Report Writing'

IQAC of Prime University organized a day long workshop on "Data Management and Self-Assessment Report Writing" on 5th February 2018 at the conference room of Prime University. Prof Dr M Abdus Sobhan, Vice Chancellor of the University chaired the session while Mir Shahabuddin, Chairman, BOT was the Chief Guest. Md Ashraf Ali, Senior Vice Chairman and Prof Arshad Ali, Treasurer were the Special Guests while M A Jabber, Registrar of the University, Md Jahidul Azad, Additional Director of IQAC, Md Shahiduzzaman Wasim, Asst. Director (Accounts) and members of Self-Assessment Committee (SAC) of different entities were also present. Dr Ahmed Tazmeen and Dr Mahbub Ahsan Khan, Quality Assurance Specialists, Quality Assurance Unit (QAU), Higher Education Quality Enhancement Project (HEQEP), University Grants Commission (UGC) were the keynote speakers of the workshop.



Chairman, BOT, Prime University and Chief Guest of the program, Mir Shahabuddin delivering speech

Training of the New Faculty Members



Trainees listening attentively to Prof Dr M Abdus Sobhan during the training session

A training program of the newly recruited faculty members of Prime University was held at the University premises. The training program started on 12.03.2018 and consisted of five sessions followed by demo presentations by the trainee teachers. The training program was organized by the Centre for Research, HRD and Publications (CRHP) of the University. It was the 11th training program for the new faculty members of the University. The main objective of the training program was to develop the personal, academic and professional skills of the new faculty members. Newly recruited Lecturers of different departments attended the training sessions.

Training on 'Research Hypothesis and Hypothesis Testing'

A three day training on 'Research Hypothesis and Hypothesis Testing' was held from 22nd to 24th April 2018 at the University campus by the Centre for Research HRD & Publications (CRHP) of the University. Prof Dr Md Jahangir Alam, Dean, Faculty of Business Studies was the speaker of the training sessions. Twenty four Faculty Members of different departments took part in the training program.

Training of the Executives

A day long training program consisting two sessions was held for the executives on 8th May 2018, Tuesday at 2:30 PM in the room no 805 of the University. The Training program was organized by the Centre for Research HRD & Publications (CRHP). Mir Shahabuddin, Chairman, BOT as well as Chairman, Governing Council, CRHP and MA Jabber, Registrar of the University delivered their speeches for the trainees. Newly recruited and promoted executives of the University attended the session.

Inauguration Program on Freelancing and Outsourcing

An Inauguration Program on Freelancing and Outsourcing was held at Prime University on May 27, 2018 to start the program under the banner of Prime IT Solutions. Md Abu Zaman, Head, Department of CSE, presided over the program while Mir Shahabuddin, Chairman, Board of Trustees, Prime University, was present as the Chief Guest. Welcoming the newly enrolled students of Prime IT Solutions, Mir Sahabuddin told a story about a freelancer which encouraged him to start outsourcing program for the students in Prime University. He explained the aim of this course and how it would help the students in their life to be self-dependent in the society as an entrepreneur. Professor Dr M Abdus Sobhan, Vice Chancellor, Prime University, pledged that the University would provide the students with the environment to unleash and maximize their potential. He opined that learning and earning could help the students financially.

Md Ashraf Ali, Senior Vice Chairman, Board of Trustees, raised expectation about some young people who are working as freelancer in recent years will become successful to earn money through internet. Mohammad Arshad Ali, Treasurer, Prime University, promised that we would help the students who want to be successful in IT profession. Professor Abu Saleh Abdun Noor, Dean, Faculty of Engineering, Prime University, advised the students to seize the opportunity and make them efficient in life. Registrar MA Jabber encouraged students to join the course to achieve the knowledge of IT as it has a great future in the IT industry. Md Abu Zaman, Head of Department of CSE, said to the students that Prime IT Solutions was a sign of strength and they were lucky that they had got a course like this in their campus. Deans of different Faculties, Heads, Faculty Members, executives, staffs and students of the University were present in the program.

Quiz Competition Held in Prime University

On the Occasion of Independence Day Prime University arranged a Quiz Competition entitled "Quiz for Quest: Spring-2018" which took place on the 25th of March, 2018 at 3.30 pm, at the conference room of the University. Mir Sahabuddin, Chairman, Board of Trustees of the University graced the program as the Chief Guest, Prof Dr M Abdus Sobhan, Vice Chancellor of the University was the special guest and Head of the Department of English Prof Mohammad Arshad Ali chaired the session. Students, Heads of different departments and faculties were present in the competition. At the end, names of the winners of the competition were announced and the Chairperson concluded the session. The Prize giving ceremony was held next day on 26th of March at the Independence Day Program organized by the University.



Participants of the quiz competition with BOT Members, Vice Chancellor, Treasurer, Judges, Mentors and Faculty Members

Talent Hunt Program for Debating Held at Prime University

On 28 February 2018, Prime University Debate Committee organized a "Talent Hunt Program for Debating, Spring-2018" program for the students of 45 to 47 batches of all departments. The intent of organizing such program was to find out potential debaters who would represent Prime University in different debating arenas. Among 62 participants 28 were selected in the Talent Hunt Program. Later on, these 28 selected participants would undergo an intense training through workshop to join the mainstream debaters.

Md Jahidul Azad, Additional Director of IQAC is Enlisted as the External Peer Reviewer by Quality Assurance Unit (QAU), UGC

External peer reviewing HEQEP project is one of the internationally accepted components of quality assurance process. A panel of experts selected by the Quality Assurance Unit (QAU), UGC takes part in reviewing the self-assessment process as well as Self-Assessment Report (SAR) of any program of an institution. This panel is generally known as External Peer Review team (EPRT). The host university or Quality Assurance (QA) unit invites the peer reviewers beyond the university to review the academic process as reflected in the Self-Assessment Report. In response, the peer review team shares internationally accepted standard and good practices, their experiences and observations as the outcomes of an onsite visit and critical review.

The visit by the review team gives the program offering entity an opportunity to discuss and find ways of consolidating and improving the academic environment for the accreditation of the program. To be an enlisted as an External Peer Reviewer, certain criteria are required to be fulfilled by the person involved in quality assurance process. Md Jahidul Azad, Additional Director of IQAC and Assistant Professor of Dept. of English brought glory for the university on being enlisted as an External Peer Reviewer by Quality Assurance Unit (QAU), UGC on 30.04.2018.

Professor Dr Yogendera Prasad Yadav and Professor Dr Dan Raj Regmi of Tribhuvan University of Nepal Visited Prime University Campus on 25.02.2018

A delegation comprising Professor Dr Yogendera Prasad Yadav and Professor Dr Dan Raj Regmi of the Department of Linguistics of Tribhuvan University of Nepal visited Prime University Campus on 25.02.2018. The officials of Prime University International Desk received the distinguished guests in the University campus. Afterwards there was an exchange of views in the Conference Room of the University where Prof Dr M Abdus Sobhan, Vice Chancellor, led the Prime University delegation. He proposed about the viability of collaboration with the Universities of Nepal with Prime University and requested the delegation members to encourage the students of Nepal to come to Prime University for their higher studies in graduate and post graduate levels at affordable cost. He also proposed about the student



Glimpse of exchanging memento between Prime University, Bangladesh and Tribhuvan University, Nepal at the PU campus

and faculty exchange program with Nepali Universities, especially with Tribhuvan University. The delegation members thanked Prime University for arranging their visit to Prime University and agreed to the proposal of the Vice Chancellor, Prime University. A proposal of joint research collaboration with Prime University to start PhD Program specially on Linguistics raised by Professor Dr Dan Raj Regmi. The research program would be jointly supervised by the two Universities but it would be registered in Tribhuvan University. During the discussion Treasurer, Deans of different Faculties, Registrar, Controller of Examinations, and officials of International Desk were present. Prof Dr M Abdus Sobhan handed over crests and memento to the distinguished guests and thanked them for their visit to Prime University. The delegation members thanked the Vice Chancellor of Prime University and his team for their hospitality.

Prime University Participated in the Rally against Drug, Terrorism, Militancy and Corruption



Faculty members, executives, staff and students at the rally

On 31st March 2018 Prime University participated in a joint rally against drug, terrorism, militancy and corruption organized by civil society and various educational institutions of Mirpur area. Faculty members, executives, staff and students with special banners, placards, t-shirts and umbrellas where different slogans against drug, terrorism, militancy and corruption were printed, joined the procession. It was followed by a huge gathering at Mirpur-1 where civil society leaders and heads of prominent institutions delivered their speech against drug, terrorism, militancy and corruption. Prof Dr M Abdus Sobhan, Vice Chancellor of the University delivered his remarkable speech in

the gathering. Registrar MA Jabber, Proctor and Head of Department of Business Administration Prof Dr Abdur Rahman also joined the procession. The occasion was patronized by Mr Aslamul Haque, M P of Dhaka-14 constituency.

Prime University Protested the Attack on the Eminent Writer Educationist Professor Zafar Iqbal

Thousands of students of Prime University formed a Human Chain in front of the campus at 11:30AM. Faculty Members, students, executives and staffs attended the procession at Mazar Road, Mirpur -1 to condemn the cowardly attack on the eminent writer Professor Dr Muhammad Zafar Iqbal. Mir Sahabuddin, Chairman, Board of Trustees said, "The attack is an assault on the core of free-thinking and on the spirit of the Liberation War. The Vice Chancellor of Prime University



Chairman and Vice Chairman, BOT, Vice Chancellor, Treasurer, Deans, Controller of Examinations, executives and students are seen in the human chain

Prof Dr M Abdus Sobhan urged that the masterminds and those involved in the attack should be identified and punished without any mercy. Nrepen Maitra, Vice Chairman, Board of Trustees, Treasurer Mohammad Arshad Ali, Deans of different faculties, Registrar MA Jabber and Controller of Examinations Md Nur Hossain Talukder, were also present on the occasion. Dr Zafar Iqbal, a noted writer and a staunch advocate of secularism, was injured in a knife attack by a youth on SUST campus on 3rd March 2018.

PU Cricket Team Glazed in the Clemon Indoor Uni Cricket-2018

Prime University Cricket Team participated in the 5th edition of the Clemon Indoor Uni Cricket-2018 for the 4th time along with other thirty one public and private universities of the country held in Shaheed Sohrwardi National Indoor Stadium, Mirpur from May 07, 2018 to May 12, 2018. All the matches of the tournament were live telecast on the GAZI TV. Prime University

Cricket Team played against American International University-Bangladesh (AIUB), University of Information Technology & Sciences (UITS) and Dhaka International University (DIU) under the Group-H. Prime University Cricket Team showed their cricket talents and won two matches out of three against University of Information Technology & Sciences (UITS) and Dhaka International University (DIU).

In the first match Prime University Cricket Team was unexpectedly defeated to AIUB by only 11 runs.

In the second match Prime University Cricket Team beat University of Information Technology & Sciences (UITS) by 56 runs. Prime University scored 136 runs for 4 wickets. University of Information

Technology & Sciences (UITS) could manage only 80 runs at the cost of all wickets. Dashing Batsman Arman Abdullah was selected as the man of the match for his outstanding batting performance of 52 runs just from 11 balls.

In the last group match Prime University Cricket Team also kept the winning race beating Dhaka International University (DIU) by 4 wickets. Dhaka International University (DIU) batted first and scored 134 runs. Prime University easily chased the target losing only 3 wickets and keeping 1 ball spare. Mokammel Ali who scored 53 runs and took 1 wicket was awarded as the man of the match for his all-round performance.



The winning team with the Vice Chancellor and faculty members

The Department of Education Warmly Welcomed the Students of 47th Batch (Spring-2018) of BED and MED Programs

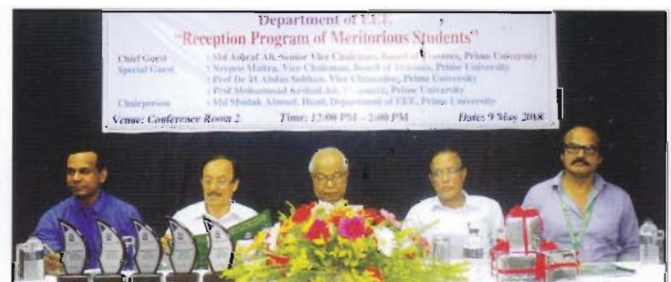


Students and faculty members with Registrar at the orientation program

The Department of Education of Prime University warmly welcomed the students of 47th batch (Spring-2018) of BED and MED program. The Registrar, MA Jabber and the faculty members of Department of Education were present at the orientation program and they received students with flowers. The faculties explained the rules and regulation, curriculum and teaching-learning process to the students. The registrar delivered a speech covering the background and current status of the university. In addition, he encouraged new students to carry on their regular studies and maximize the use of resources of the university. The session ended with taking group photographs.

Reception Program of Meritorious Students Held in EEE Department

EEE Department of the University organized a "Reception Program of Meritorious Students" on 9 May 2018 at the Conference Room to recognize the academic achievements of top performers of EEE Department who have obtained the highest CGPA in the three semesters of 2017 among all day batch students. Senior Vice Chairman of BOT, Md Ashraf Ali was present as the Chief Guest, on



Respected guests in the reception program of meritorious students of EEE Department

the other hand, Nrepen Maitra, Vice Chairman of BOT, and Prof Dr M Abdus Sobhan, Vice Chancellor graced the program as the Special Guests. Registrar M A Jabber and Controller of Examinations, Md Nur Hossain Talukder were also present there as the special invitees. The session was chaired by the Head of EEE Department, Md Mostak Ahmed. A discussion session took place at the very beginning. After the discussion session, respected guests handed over the crest, certificates and gifts to the meritorious students.

Career Counseling and Course Completion Program of Diploma Students Held at Prime University

TEX BD Training Center (TBTC) and Global Information and Technology (GIT) jointly organized a Career Counseling and Rag Day - 2018 program on 25 April 2018 for the outgoing students of different Diploma Institutions. Prime University provided the logistic support by giving the venue. The occasion was divided into two parts. 1st Part of the program includes, the discussion and crest giving session was chaired by the Chairman of TBTC and GIT, Engr Sayfullah Al Mamun. Vice Chairman of Board of Trustees of Prime University and Nripen Maitra graced the session as the Guests of Honor while Prof Engr Dr M Abdus Sobhan, Vice Chancellor of Prime University was the Chief Guest. Prof Dr Abdur Rahaman, Dean, Faculty of Law and Head of



Respected guests handing over crest and certificate to a meritorious student

Business Administration, Md Abu Zaman, Head of CSE Department, Md Mostak Ahmed, Head of EEE Department, Prime University and Engr Md Abu Darda Mali, Head of the Department of Electronics Technology, Bhola Polytechnic Institute were present as the Special Guests. Shuvodip Das, Assistant Professor, Department of EEE of Prime University presented his paper on Career Opportunity of Diploma graduates and Importance of Higher Studies. Masud Alam Rubel, Coordinator of GIT moderated the entire program.

Engr Sayfullah Al Mamun in his welcome speech welcomed the students of 8th semester and conveyed his gratitude to the guests for their gracious presence. Md Abu Zaman and Md Mostak Ahmed, Head of CSE and EEE Department of Prime University respectively urged the outgoing students to pursue higher education for their prosperous future. They also introduced unique features of Prime University. Moreover, Prof Dr Abdur Rahman in an amicable manner made the budding students comprehend the various aspects of life and importance of pursuing bachelor degree from a reputed university that ensures quality education.

Afterwards, Chief Guests, respected Guest of Honor, and Special Guests presented crests to topper students of different batches and handed over certificates to all the students upon successful completion of 3 months' course. Prof Dr M Abdus Sobhan encouraged the students to work hard and not to make excuses about study. He said that difficulties are the part of life but success embraces those who show courage, confidence and dedication to their work. Organizing authority (TBTC and GIT) handed over the crest to the respected guests. Guest of Honor, Nrepen Maitra in his speech congratulated the students and hoped that they would establish themselves in their respective career and achieve reputation in the engineering sector. After the discussion session, a brief cultural program was held. The cultural program over organizing authority distributed refreshment packets among the students and guests of the program. The program venue was abuzz with the excitement and enthusiasm of outgoing students. It was a day of thrill and great fiesta to everyone especially for the outgoing students.

Iftar and Doa Mahfil Held in the Department of English and CSE



Views of the Iftar and Doa Mahfil

The holy month of Ramadan arrived at the end of the Spring Semester 2018. Departments of English and Computer Science and Engineering arranged iftar parties and doa mahfils individually in their respective departments on 24.05.2018 and 25.05.2018 respectively. Mir Shahabuddin, Chairman, BOT was the main focus of the iftar parties organized by the departments. Professor Dr M Abdus Sobhan, Vice Chancellor graced both the iftar parties along with Treasurer, Deans of different faculties, Registrar, Heads of different departments, faculty members, executives and staff and a large number of students.

Celebration of Basanta Baran and Pitha Utsab

To give the urban people a taste of traditional Bengali Pithas, Prime University celebrated a day long Basantabaron 1424 and Pitha Utsab on the premises of its permanent campus at Mazar Road, Mirpur-1. The University has organized the event with a view to upholding the tradition of different pithas (cakes). The inauguration ceremony of the festival was held on Friday morning where Mrs Lata Sahabuddin was present as the Chief guest and Mir Sahabuddin, Chairman of BOT presided over the program. Prof Dr M Abdus Sobhan, Vice Chancellor, Md Ashraf Ali, Senior Vice Chairman, Ashfaque U Chowdhury, Member BOT, Treasurer, Registrar, Controller of Examinations of the University were present on the occasion. After the inauguration, a cultural programme was also held at the open stage. At the program, artistes of different departments performed dance, solo music, recited poems and rendered group dance along with musical troupe. The festival featured about 100 types of pithas of different parts of the country. Among the various pithas, Malpoya, Bhapa, Kuli, Rosh Khejur Finni, Bhajapuri, Kola Pitha, Pati Sapta, Nakshi Pitha, Jhinuk Pitha, Puli Pitha, Dudh Chitai, Hriday Haran were the main attractions in the utsab.



BOT Members, Vice Chancellor, Treasurer, Deans, Controller of Examinations and Faculty Members along with the Chief Guest of the program



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Prime University Celebrated Bangla New Year 1425



Guests, faculty members, executives and students in a festive mood during the celebration program of Bangla New Year

'Nababarsha', the Bangla New Year 1425 was celebrated by Prime University Cultural Club on 17 April 2018 at the Prime University Permanent Campus. On the occasion a vibrant cultural program was arranged to celebrate the program.

The function was presided over by Prof Dr M Abdus Sobhan, Vice Chancellor of Prime University while Mir Sahabuddin, Chairman, Board of Trustees was present as the Chief Guest. Md Ashraf Ali, Senior Vice Chairman and Nrepen Maitra, Vice Chairman, Board of Trustees were present as special guests. Among others Prof Mohammad Arshad Ali, Treasurer, Nur Hossain Talukder, Controller of

Examinations and M A Jabber, Registrar, Deans and Heads of all Faculties were present. The program was attended by the Faculty Members, executives and students of the University.

The festivities began at 3.00 PM with singing Tagore's famous song 'Esho Hey Boishakh, esho, esho (Come O Boishakh come). As part of the celebration with traditional festive mood of Bangla New Year, spontaneous participation and remarkable events were highly enjoyed by the audience.

The objective of the program was to represent the enriched culture, tradition and heritage through various forms of performance including song, dance and fashion show. The students also participated in a Boishakhi Fair at the campus.

The students of Prime University from various faculties have participated in the Boishakhi mela to sell different types of Bengali traditional foods such as fuchka, malai, hawaimithai etc.

New Dean and Faculty Members Joined the University

Professor Dr Md Jahangir Alam joined as the Dean of the Faculty of Business Studies on 1st February 2018. Before joining Prime University, Professor Alam has served as the Chairperson of MBA program, executive editor of IBA Journal, Warden/Provost of IBA students' hostel and the Chairperson of Computer Center of the Institute of Business Administration (IBA) of the University of Dhaka. Besides, he is one of the directors of the Board of Directors of Islamic Finance and Investment Limited.

On the other hand, three Lecturers joined the University in the spring semester 2018. They are: Ikra Shams Chowdhury in the Department of English along with Atoshi Majumder and Md Humayun Kabir in the Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering (EEE).



Professor Dr Md Jahangir Alam



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