



WAVES-2015

31st South Zone Inter University Youth Festival



January 18, 2016

“WAVES -2015” takes off at Mangalore Varsity

Mangalagangothri, Jan 18: Yakshagana scholar Dr. M. Prabhakar Joshi inaugurated 31st South Zone Inter University Youth Festival “WAVES-2015” here at Mangalore University.

In his inaugural address Dr. Joshi said, it is necessary to preserve and promote Indian culture and traditions, and for that such festivals are necessary.

It is a misconception to say that youth are not interested in culture, but in reality youth are interested in such cultural festivals. he added

Chief guest Yenepoya Abdulla Kunhi, Chancellor, Yenepoya University, Mangalore said that youth festivals are the need of the hour as such festivals promote communal harmony, national



Noted Yakshagana scholar Dr. M. Prabhakar Joshi inaugurating the 31st South Zone Inter University Youth Festival “Waves-2015” at Mangalore University campus Mangalagangothri and other dignitaries look on.

integration and brotherhood.

Sri Samson David, Joint Secretary, AIU, New Delhi in his introductory address said, “Every year two lakh students participate in youth festival directly or in-

directly. The main purpose is to promote human values through culture and language.”

Prof. T P M Pakkala, Vice-Chancellor(i/c), Mangalore University in his presidential address said that India

has the largest number of youth and the whole world is looking at this vast potential for future use.

Prof. Arun Patil, Observer, AIU, Prof. T. D. Kemparaju, Registrar, Mangalore University. Prof. P. L. Dharma, Convener, SZYF

2015, Prof. K. M. Lokesh, Organising Secretary, were present. Prof. A. M. Khan, Registrar (Evaluation) proposed a vote of thanks.

Mangalore University

ty is hosting the 31st South Zone Inter University Youth Festival – WAVES 2015 in association with the Association of Indian Universities (AIU) and the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Government of India, New Delhi from January. 18 to 22, 2016 at Mangalagangothri Campus.

About 1500 participants from 23 universities of states of Andhra Pradesh, Telangana, Tamilnadu, Kerala, Karnataka and Pondicherry are participating in the youth festival.

Mimicry, Mime, Group song (Western), Classical vocal solo, Quiz, On the spot painting / Photography events will be held tomorrow. Eminent Jurists will evaluate the performances.

Participants in the inaugural procession displaying their unique culture and traditions



Competition Venues

About 25 competitions will be simultaneously held at five stages named after five well known literary figures of Dakshina Kannada at Mangalagangothri Campus. The five stages are:

STAGE 1

Mangala Auditorium-1
Dr. Shivarama Karantha Vedike

STAGE 2

Mangala Auditorium-2
Dr. Kayyara Kinjanna Rai Vedike

STAGE 3

Science Quadrangle
Giribale Vedike

STAGE 4

Old Senate Hall
Panje Mangesha Rao Vedike

STAGE 5

Humanities Block - Sri B. M. Iddinabba Vedike



Participants at the registration counters