

## **NCL Organizes Grand Painting Exhibition on Gandhi Jayanti**

In a unique initiative, NCL organized grand painting exhibition on occasion of Gandhi Jayanti to spread the message of Bapu's vision of Clean India far and wide. The Director (Technical/Operations) NCL Shri Gunadhar Pandey graced the occasion as Chief Guest and inaugurated the exhibition on Tuesday at Officer's Club Jayant. On the occasion, the Director (Technical/Project & Planning) NCL Shri P.M.Prasad was present as guest of honour. The guests, alongwith the event attendees, paid floral tributes to Mahatma Gandhi.

More than 5000 paintings made on cleanliness were displayed in the exhibition. Organised in open-to-all format, the exhibition witnessed more than 5000 paintings submitted by students, employees & families and people from across the Singrauli. The exhibition also showcased pencil drawings, models and other germane crafts.

Applauding the exhibition, Chief Guest Shri Pandey said that there is hardly any aspect about cleanliness which has not been presented in creations exhibited. Highly appreciating the thought process and paintings made by school children, he gave them warm greetings for a bright future.

Appreciating the scale and immensity of the exhibition, Shri Prasad said he will remember the exhibition as one of the firsts where such large number of presentations is rendered under a single theme.

For the message of cleanliness to spread extensively, the painting exhibition will remain open for throughout the day on Tuesday. In the evening, the CMD NCL Shri P.K. Sinha will grace the exhibition has Chief Guest of the closing ceremony. Best paintings will be rewarded in the closing ceremony.

Notably, NCL invited thematic paintings on cleanliness under 'Swachhta Hi Sewa' campaign from employees and non-employees with special focus on school children.

The whole idea behind the concept was to mobilize masses up close and personal by creating an immersive atmosphere in homes. This was done by focusing more on participation of children as their participation would essentially involve their parents right from arranging paraphernalia to finality of submissions thereby ensuring cleanliness message etched on minds.





