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## REPORT ON SVEEP ACTIVITY

On 7<sup>th</sup> September, 2024, the Electoral Literacy Club of GDC Handwara in collaboration with the NSS Units and NCC Cadets of GDC Handwara and the District Administration Handwara, organized a

Voters Awareness Programme under Systematic Voter Education and Electoral Participation (SVEEP) at the Auditorium Hall of the College. The programme aimed to promote awareness among students about the significance of voting and their responsibilities as citizens in a democratic society.

The event was inaugurated by the Worthy Principal Prof. G R Ganai, who delivered an insightful speech on the importance of SVEEP and its role in empowering voters through education. He emphasized the need for every eligible voter to actively participate in elections to ensure the health of democracy. The event

was moderated by Prof. Ali Mohammad Pir, who guided the proceedings very smoothly.

Several distinguished guests attended the Additional including programme Commissioner (ADC) Handwara, Mr. Aziz Ahmad who addressed the audience, stressing the critical role young voters play in shaping the future of the nation. Tehsildar Handwara Mr. Zeshan Ahmad Khan, followed with a detailed talk on the technical aspects of voting, including voter registration procedures and emphasized the importance of ethical voting. Additionally, Zonal Education Officer Shamus-Din Samon spoke on the role of educational institutions in fostering informed voters.





A notable highlight of the event was a musical performance by a group of college students, who performed a song cantered on the theme of voter awareness. This musical performance, under the supervision of Dr. Waseem Ahmad Bhat, Head of the Department of Music, added an artistic and engaging element to the programme. The students of GDC Handwara also actively contributed to the event, celebrating the importance of SVEEP through their speeches.

The programme concluded with a heartfelt vote of thanks by Prof. Ajaz Ahmad, who expressed gratitude to the District Administration, the distinguished guests and the students for their participation. He reiterated the college's commitment to fostering electoral awareness and encouraging civic engagement among its students.

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