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Report on Beti Bachao Beti Padhao Awareness Programme held at GDC Handwara

A significant event was organized by the District Social Welfare Department Kupwara, in collaboration with the NSS Units of Government Degree College Handwara on 25th of March 2024, under the aegis of the "Beti Bachao Beti Padhao" scheme. The programme took place at Hall No. 2 of GDC Handwara and comprised an awareness session followed by a felicitation ceremony.

The event commenced with a warm welcome address by the moderator. The esteemed Principal of GDC Handwara, Prof. G R Ganai, delivered an insightful address, emphasizing the critical importance of raising awareness about the Beti Bachao Beti Padhao scheme. He provided an overview of its objectives and highlighted various government initiatives aimed at empowering and supporting the girl child. Prof. Rehana Abdulla, the resource person, delivered a comprehensive deliberation on the theme of "Beti Bachao Beti Padhao." She eloquently explained the significance of the scheme, launched by the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India on the 22nd of January 2015, to address the declining child sex ratio and promote girl child education. Her presentation served to deepen the audience's understanding of the scheme's purpose and impact. Mr. Mushtaq Ahmad Khan (Sports Zone Incharge, Handwara), also shared his valuable insights on the importance of the event. He stressed the need for collective efforts in promoting gender equality and encouraging girls' education. Khalida Yaseen also deliberated on the various social welfare schemes available for females in the Kupwara District.

A special highlight of the event was the felicitation ceremony, where two meritorious students namely Saima Lateef and Posha Bano from GDC Handwara, were honoured for their outstanding academic achievements. Additionally, female workers from the Youth Department, National Rural Livelihood Mission (NRLM) and ASHA workers were also recognized for their commendable contributions to society.





The event concluded with a heartfelt vote of thanks delivered by Shri Rakesh Kumar (Tehsil Social Welfare Officer Handwara), acknowledging the valuable contributions of all participants and collaborators in making the event a success. The programme served as an inspiring platform to promote the objectives of the "Beti Bachao Beti Padhao" scheme and celebrate the achievements of women and girls in the community.


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