

Tricolor unfurled at SMVDU



Katra, 26 January: In connection with the 61st Republic day of India, an impressive and colorful function was held at Shri Mata Vaishno Devi University. The Vice Chancellor Prof. R.N K Bamezai unfurled the Tricolor. In his address, Prof. Bamezai greeted the faculty, staff and students at the Republic day and highlighted the genesis of this historic day from Puran Swaraj to enshrining of the Constitution and the oath taking ceremony of the First president of Democratic India in 1949. Referring to the Constitution of India and highlighting it in the Gandhian perspective, Prof. Bamezai mentioned that the fundamental rights enshrined in the Constitution of India should not be expected by the Citizens without performing their duties. He expected that every teacher and student, who is aware of his rights, will realize his duties as the citizen of India as well. He advised teachers to think beyond teaching as their duty and not to restrict their selves to teaching but to the building of the institution, research and society at large. Prof Bamezai urged everyone to have a thought and work tirelessly to convert that thought into action.

On this occasion, a scintillating and a sparkling cultural programme was also presented by the students which included musical extravaganza, patriotic songs and group/ folk dances.