Recent Programmes

IAEA President's meeting with Vice Chancellor In-Charge of University of North Bengal

Shri K.C. Choudhary, President along with Dr.V.Mohankumar, Director and Smt. Kalpana Kaushik, Deputy Director met Prof. Sanchari Ray Mukherjee, Vice Chancellor Incharge and Dr. Dilip Kumar Sarkar, Registrar, University of North Bengal on May 28, 2018 and had preliminary discussion regarding organization of 63rd All India Adult Education Conference collaboration with in the Department of Lifelong Learning and Extension, University of North Bengal at



This meeting was followed by another meeting with Shri M.U. Alam, Head, Department of Lifelong Learning and Extension in which Dr. Arun K. Jana, Professor, Department of Political



Siliguri.

Science, Dr. Ranadhir Chakraborty, Professor. Department of Bio-Technology, Dr. Ratna Sarkar and Dasgupta, Assistant Manasree Professors, Department of Lifelong Learning and Extension were also present.

President, IAEA and his team also visited different conference halls and guest houses within the university campus and outside to finalize the venue for conducting

the sessions and accommodating the delegates and guests.

President, Reading Association of India visited IAEA



Dr. Priti Sachdev, President, Reading Association of India (RAI) visited IAEA on May 11, 2018 and discussed with Prof. S.Y.Shah, Executive President of RAI about programmes to be organized and convening the meeting of the Governing Board of RAI. Dr.V.Mohankumar, Director and Smt. Kalpana Kaushik, Deputy Director were also present.

Visit of Director Centre for Continuing Adult Education & Extension, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh to IAEA

Prof. Mohammad Gulrez, Director, Centre for Continuing Adult Education & Extension,

Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh visited IAEA on May 14, 2018 along with Dr. Aysha Munira Rasheed, Deputy Director and Dr. Samim Akhtar and Ms. Musharraf Jahan, Assistant Professors and discussed with Dr. V.Mohankumar, Director on the programmes that can be organized to strengthen the activities of the Centre including collaborative efforts with IAEA. Prof. Gulrez and his colleagues also had a courtesy call on Shri K.C.Choudhary, President.



Kerala State Branch of IAEA organized seminar on "Mother and Family"

On the occasion of Mother's Day on May 13th and Family Day on May 15th the State resource Centre Kerala in collaboration with Kerala State Branch of Indian Adult Education



Association and Dr. K. Sivadasan Pillai Foundation organized a seminar on the topic 'Mother and Family' on May 26, 2018 in which 35 persons participated. Dr. V. Reghu, Chairperson, Kerala State Branch of IAEA moderated the session while Dr. K. Rajeswary, Associate Professor, Government College of Teacher Education, Kozhikkod was the Resource Person.

Course on Library Science

IAEA being an Accredited Vocational Institute (AVI) of National Institute of Open Schooling (NIOS) admits students for Certificate Course in Library Science. During the reporting

period NIOS released the results of Library Science Examination conducted in October-November 2017 in which our 5 students (out of 6 in 14th batch) have secured high marks.

During the same reporting period practical examination was conducted for 14 students of 15th batch in IAEA Headquarters on May



4, 2018. These students have already completed their theory examinations by May 2, 2018. The practical examination was conducted by Shri M.L.Sharma, Assistant Director and Shri Jai Bhagwan, AVI Coordinator, NIOS.

Vice President of India Conferred Nehru and Tagore Literacy Awards



The Hon'ble Vice President of India, Shri M. Venkaiah Naidu conferred Nehru and Tagore Literacy Awards for the year 2016, 2017 and 2018 in a function held at Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel Conference Hall, Vice President House, New Delhi on July 30, 2018. The recipients are:

Nehru Literacy Award



2016 - State Resource Centre, Hyderabad, Telangana



2017 – Shri Bhaskar Chatterjee, former Secretary to Govt. of India, Department of Public Enterprises & former Director General, National Literacy Mission



2018 – Prof. Nageshwar Rao, Vice Chancellor, Uttarakhand Open University, Haldwani, Nainital

Tagore Literacy Award



2016 - Dr. K.Parthasarathy, former Director, Centre for Adult, Continuing Education & Extension and Institute for Entrepreneurship and Career Development, Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli, Tamil Nadu



2017 - Jan Shikshan Sansthan, Malappuram, Kerala



2018 - Dr. Vandana Chakrabarti, Director, Department of Lifelong Learning and Extension, SNDT Women's University, Mumbai, Maharashtra



Book released by the Vice President of India



IAEA published a book titled *Indian Adult Education Association – Some Glimpses* covering the events from 1939 to 2014. The authors are Prof. S.Y.Shah and Shri K.C.Choudhary. The book is a coffee table one and has 228 pages with a lot of photographs. This book was released by the Hon'ble Vice President of India Shri M. Venkaiah Naidu on July 30, 2018 in the function to confer Nehru and Tagore Literacy Awards.

Executive Committee meeting held on July 30, 2018





The Executive Committee meeting of IAEA was held on July 30, 2018 which was presided over by Shri K.C.Choudhary, President in the august presence of Prof. B.S. Garg, Patron. In all 23 members attended the meeting.

The Committee apart from approving the minutes of the previous meeting held on December 12, 2017 at Tirupati, noted the action taken on the minutes of the previous meeting, approved the Annual Report of the year 2017, Audited Statement of Accounts of the Association for the year 2017-18, report of the programmes and activities of the Association organized during the period December 2017 to June 2018, decided the date and agenda of the next General Body and Council meetings, approved amendments in the Rules & Regulations under 6 (c) and given clearance for accepting the applications for Life and Institutional membership.

Fourth Coming Events

63rd All India Adult Education Conference at Siliguri

The 63rd All India Adult Education Conference will be held at Siliguri from November 27-29, 2018 in collaboration with the Department of Lifelong Learning & Extension, University of North Bengal, Siliguri, Darjeeling. The theme of the conference is Lifelong Learning and Rural Development: National Perspectives in the context of Sustainable Development Goals 2030.

The sub-themes are:

- 1. Lifelong Learning and Women Empowerment
- 2. Role of SHGs in Micro Financing
- 3. Rural Housing Scheme: A Boon for Assured Shelter for Socially/Economically Backward Sections
- 4. Gram Sadak Yojana: A Route for better Connectivity
- 5. Role of Panchayats in Village Development
- 6. Importance of Financial Literacy in Micro Managing Economic Activities
- 7. Grundtvig and his contribution in the field of Adult Education and Rural Development

For presenting thematic papers submission of **Abstract** through e-mail <u>directoriaea@gmail.com</u> not exceeding 500 words is on or before **August 31, 2018**. **Full paper** through e-mail <u>directoriaea@gmail.com</u> (MS Word, Font - New Times Roman, Font Size – 12, Spacing – one and half) is on or before **October 15, 2018**.

Registration fee for out station participants (subsidized boarding & lodging and conference kit) is Rs.1000/- (non-refundable). Registration fee for local participants including students and research scholars (for working lunch only & conference kit) is Rs.500/- (non-refundable). Mode of Payment: Through Demand Draft drawn in favour of "Indian Adult Education Association" payable at New Delhi.

All are cordially invited to attend the conference.

Kindly confirm your participation to IAEA by sending your complete postal address with pin code (both personal and official), e-mail ID, telephone number (including STD Code), mobile number through e-mail: iaeadelhi@gmail.com

The demand draft for the registration fee may be sent by post to General Secretary, Indian Adult Education Association, 17-B, Indraprastha Estate, New Delhi – 110 002.

The month of **November will be winter** and hence, participants attending the conference may **come with adequate woolen clothing for proper protection**.