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Presents

DATE 20TH & 21ST FEBRUARY 2015
CELEBRATION OF 1ST ANNIVERSARY OF
CLASSICAL STATUS TO ODIA LANGUAGE &
WORLD MOTHER TONGUE DAY.

VENUE:
CONSTITUTION CLUB, RAFI MARG, NEW DELHI
&
SHREE JAGANNATH MANDIR, THYAGRAJ NAGAR

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An International Conclave of Odia Language

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The Odia language traces its roots back to 4th Century BC. Odisha was the first state to be carved out as a separate state on the basis of the language. The dawn of 20th February 2014 was a proud moment for all Odias as Odia language was accorded the ‘Classical language’ status of our country and occupied the 6th position. This achievement was due to the relentless effort of many scholars and activists. Now it becomes the responsibility of all the Odias to preserve, propagate and carry forward the legacy of the Odia language which is spoken by around 40 million people in India and around 45 million people globally. We will see that a day will come when it will be used as the first language in all government offices for official communications.

THE INTELLECTS, a forum of progressive individuals and intellectuals in Delhi, believes it as an utmost duty and responsibility to promote Odia identity in India and abroad. In its bid to impart our language to Pravasi Odias living in and around Delhi, THE INTELLECTS is on a missionary zeal. It has started its mission called “ASA SIKHIBA AMARI BHASHA” in National Capital region.

And now, the forum in association with SHRI JAGANNATH MANDIR, TYAGRAJNAGAR is organizing a two days conclave, on 20th & 21st February 2015, to celebrate the 1st anniversary of Classical status to Odia language & the World Mother tongue Day with a special focus on our mother tongue Odia.

**THE EVENT:** ("ଆମରି ଭାଷା ପେଥ")

**INTERNATIONAL CONCLAVE OF ODIA LANGUAGE:**

The event will be a two days festival showcasing the Odia identity in the national Capital and bringing some best minds of the country to discuss on various issues of immense need on language and culture of Odisha. Around 200 eminent people from across the world including many renowned experts from various walks of life are the invited speakers.

It will be our proud privilege to have you with us for the occasion.

With Kind Regards

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PROGRAMME:
Celebration of 1st Anniversary of Classical status of Odia language

Date: 20th February, Friday, Time: 6pm to 9pm

Venue: Constitution Club, Rafi Marg, New Delhi.

Welcome
Inauguration of Conclave
Inauguration of Special Report on the Conclave
Felicitation of prominent personalities for their contribution to Odia language
Addresses
Vote of Thanks
Cultural Programme
Dinner

21st Feb 2015 – Day – SATURDAY (World Mother Tongue Day)

Venue: Conference Hall, Shree Jagannath Mandir, Thyagraj Nagar

9.00am-10.00am - Registration
Audio Visual Presentation: “ASA SIKHIBA AMRI BHASHA”

10.00am-12.00pm - Panel Discussion
‘Classical Language and the Responsibilities for future
(ଶାରାପାସାରା ଚାରାପାରା ଇ ଝଲ ମିହିରା)

12.00 – 1.30pm - Panel Discussion
‘Non-Resident Odias in propagation of Odia Language’
(ଭାଷା ସୁରୋରେର ବାସୀ ଓଡ଼ିଆ)

1.30-2.30pm - Prasad Sevan
2.30pm – 3.00pm - Audio Visual messages of Eminent Odias
3.00pm-3.15pm - TEA Break
3.15 pm – 4.30 PM - Panel Discussion
Digitization problem in Odia language

4.45pm – 6.15pm - Panel Discussion
Role of Media in protecting Odia language
(ଗଣମାଧ୍ୟ୍ୟର ଭୂମିକା ଓଡ଼ିଆ ଭାଷାର ଗତି)

6.15pm – 6.30pm - Tea Break
6.30pm – 7.30pm - Multimedia presentation on evolution of Odia language’

7.30pm-8.45pm - Poetry recitation (ପୋଇଟ୍ର ପାଠ୍ଯ),
8.45 pm-9.30pm - Concluding Session
Felicitation,
Photo Session
Vote of Thanks

9.30pm - Prasad Sevan