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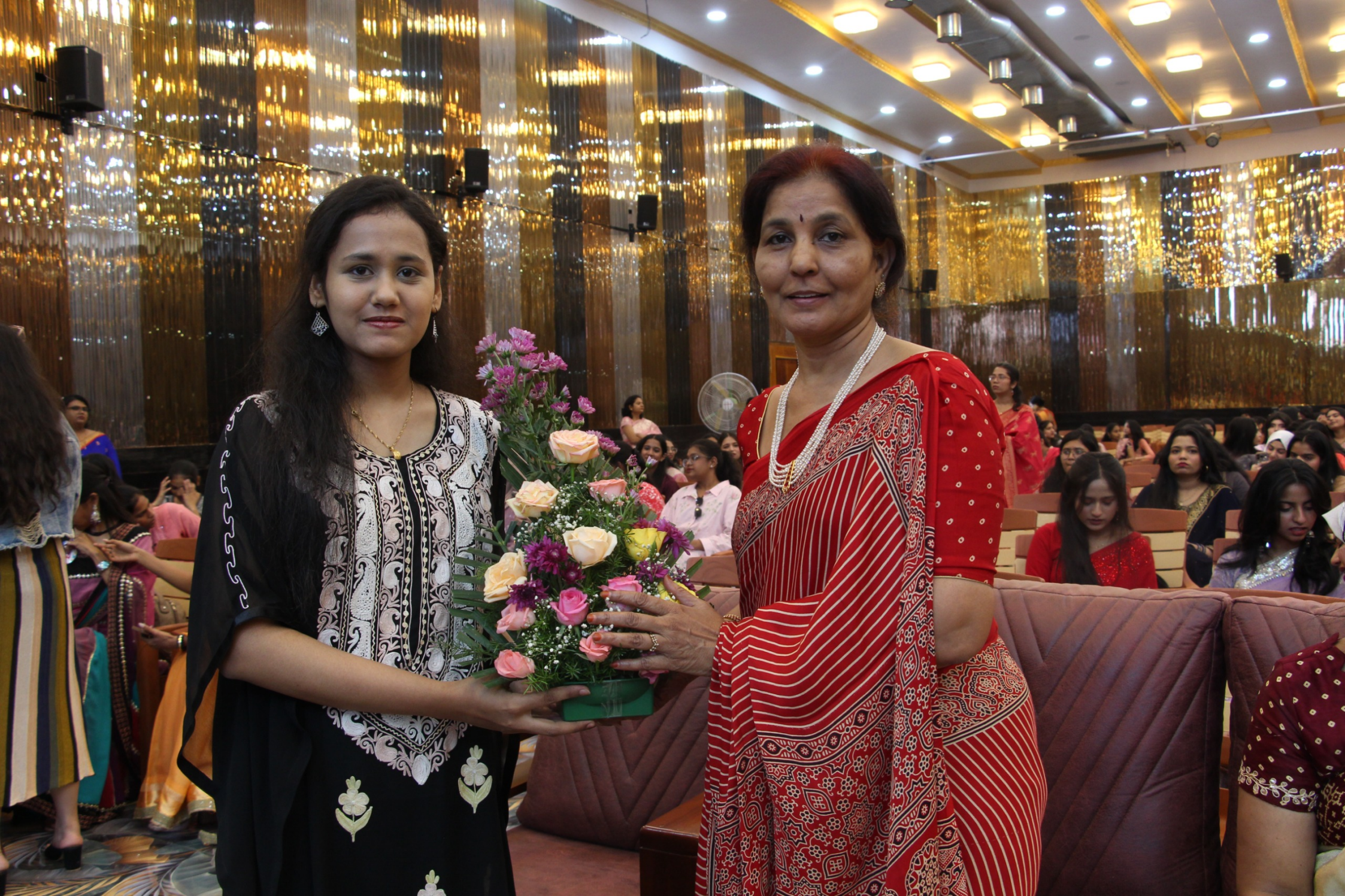




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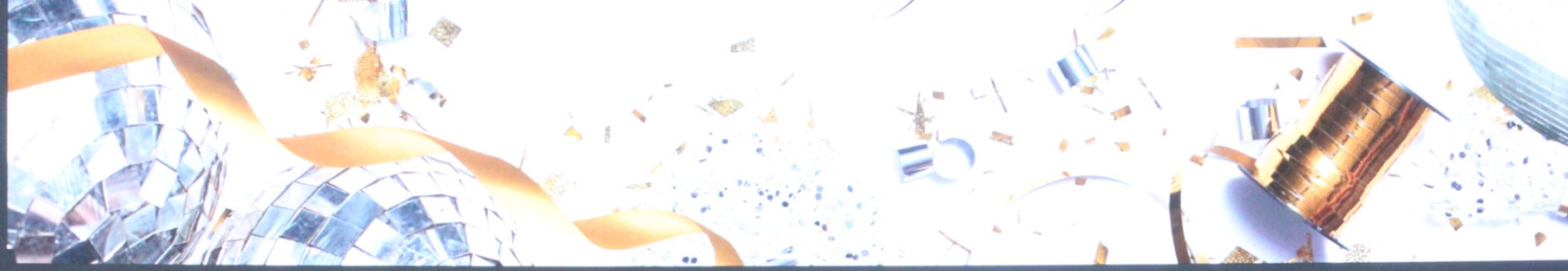




VILLA MARIE COLLEGE FOR WOMEN

The image shows three women on a stage. Two women are positioned behind a dark wood podium with a white sign that reads "VILLA MARIE COLLEGE FOR WOMEN". The woman on the left is wearing a purple and pink sequined dress and glasses, holding a microphone. The woman in the center is wearing a brown and gold saree, glasses, and a bindi, also holding a microphone. The woman on the right is wearing a light blue hijab and a matching light blue outfit with gold jewelry, standing with her hands clasped. The background consists of vertical wooden slats.





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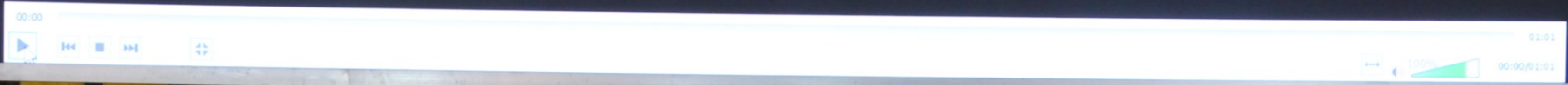












































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# సందడిగా వీడ్కోలు వేడుక

సోమాజిగూడ, న్యూస్ టుడే: సోమాజిగూడ లోని విల్లామేరీ మహిళా కళాశాల డిగ్రీ విద్యార్థినులకు వీడ్కోలు వేడుక సందడిగా జరిగింది. విద్యార్థినుల సాంస్కృతిక ప్రదర్శనలు అలరించాయి. 'మిస్ విల్లా మేరీ' పోటీలు ప్రధాన ఆకర్షణగా నిలిచాయి. ఆయా రంగాల్లో ప్రతిభ చూపిన విద్యార్థినులను కళాశాల వ్యవస్థాపకురాలు డా. ఫిలోమినా, కార్యదర్శి చిన్నమ్మ, సంయుక్త కార్యదర్శి శ్రీనివాస్ రావు సత్కరించారు.



**నృత్యం చేస్తున్న విద్యార్థినులు**

చారు. కళాశాల వీడి వెళుతున్న విద్యార్థినులు ఉన్నత శిఖరాలు చేరాలని ఆకాంక్షించారు. ప్రిన్సిపల్ రేవతి దేవి మాధుర్, అధ్యాపకులు పాల్గొన్నారు.



# సాక్షి

## ఉల్లాసంగా..ఉత్సాహంగా..

పంజగుట్ట: విల్లామేరీ మహిళా డిగ్రీ కాలేజీలో డిగ్రీ పూర్తి చేసిన విద్యార్థినులకు వీడ్కోలు కార్యక్రమం సోమవారం ఉత్సాహంగా నిర్వహించారు. కాలేజీ మొదటి, రెండో సంవత్సరం విద్యార్థినులు డిగ్రీ ఫైనల్ ఇయర్ పూర్తి చేసుకుని వెళ్లిపోతున్న విద్యార్థినులకు ఫెర్వెల్ పార్టీ ఇచ్చారు. ఈ సందర్భంగా ఫస్ట్, సెకండ్ ఇయర్ విద్యార్థినులు డ్యాన్సులతో పండగ వాతావరణం చేశారు. ఫైనల్ ఇయర్ విద్యార్థినులకు మిస్ విల్లామేరీ పోటీలు నిర్వహించారు. ఈ పోటీల్లో 40 మంది విద్యార్థినులు టైటిల్ కోసం



పోటీ పడ్డారు. కాలేజీ వ్యవస్థాపక డైరెక్టర్ డాక్టర్ ఫిల్లోమినా, కార్యదర్శి చిన్నమ్మ, సంయుక్త కార్యదర్శి శ్రీనివాసరావు, ప్రిన్సిపాల్ రేవతి దేవి మాధుర్ హాజరయ్యారు.

# Day 19 Program: Part of the "Telangana Folk Arts" 99-Day Cultural Festival



Hyderabad April, 20 (Telangana Reuters): As part of the "Praja Palana - Pragathi Pranalika" (People's Administration - Progress Plan) initiative, and under the aegis of the Department of Language and Culture, Government of Telangana, a cultural program was held today—Sunday, April 19, 2026—at the "Palkuriki Somanna Moola" stage within Ravindra Bharathi. The

performances presented today, as part of the ongoing "Telangana Folk Arts" 99-day cultural festival, left the audience spellbound.

Art Forms Presented by the Sri Graha Saraswathi Government College of Music and Dance, Nizamabad:

1. Kathak Dance: Performed by the disciples of Sri Ravinder Raju, featuring compositions such as Shantakaram, Sargam, Sufi Kathak, and Tarana.
2. Perini Lasyam: Performed by the disciples of Sri P. Santhosh; this performance captivated the audience with segments including Puspanjali, Vinayaka Gadya, Sandhya Tandavam, and Dasharatha Rama.

From the Government College of Music and Dance, Manthani:

A devotional music program titled "Vaggeyakara Vaibhavam" (The Glory of Composers) was presented. The Carnatic music repertoire—featuring compositions such as Vaitapi Ganapatim Bhaje (a Krti by Muthuswami Dikshitar), Janaki Ramana (in Nata Raga, a Keerthana by Ramadasu), Srimannarayana (in Bouli Raga, a Keerthana by Annamacharya), Boonaya Mamakamam (Tangam), and Inalala Tilaka—deeply impressed the audience. The program concluded with a particularly captivating performance of Kuchipudi dance set to the Manduka Shabdham composition, Paluke Bangaramayene. All these cultural programs were exceptionally entertaining and truly uplifting.

Serving as the Chief Guest for the occasion, Dr. Emagu Narasimha Reddy, I.A.S.—Director of the Department of Language and Culture, Telangana—felicitated the music and dance gurus.

During the event, Field Officer Mr. Narasimhulu and Dr. Vijay Kumar—Administrative Officer of the Telangana Cultural Sarathi—honored the performing artists.

As the commentator for the program, Mr. Vidyandachari made the proceedings even more lively and engaging through his eloquent commentary, interspersed with folk songs. The Department of Language and Culture is committed to encouraging talented amateur artists on a daily basis. Artists specializing in folk songs, socially conscious songs, mythological poetry, mimicry, magic, and similar art forms are invited to contact the Public Relations Officer (PRO).

# Farewell Party 2025-2026



Hyderabad April, 20 (Telangana Reuters): Villa Marie Degree College for Women Bids a Heartfelt Farewell to Outgoing Students

Villa Marie Degree College for Women hosted a heartfelt Farewell Party at St. Joseph's Auditorium on 20th April 2026 from 10:00 AM onwards, celebrating and honouring its outgoing students. The event was an emotional blend of gratitude, joy, and cherished memories, marking the culmination of a significant chapter in the students' academic journey.

The distinguished gathering was graced by the presence of Honourable Founder, Director & Correspondent Dr. Philomena, Secretary Ms. Chinnamma, and Joint Secretary Mr. Srinivas Rao. The management, Principal, Heads of Departments, faculty and students extended their best wishes to the graduating batch, acknowledging their remarkable contributions and achievements in academics, leadership, networking, and outreach activities.

The programme was impeccably coordinated by Ms. Revati Devi Mathur, Principal, along with a dedicated team of faculty and students. The entire Villa Marie fraternity—comprising management, faculty and students—came together to witness a vibrant day filled with engaging cultural performances, fun activities and heartfelt speeches. Students took the opportunity to express their sincere gratitude towards the institution and their mentors.

The celebrations featured lively dance performances by first- and second-year students, captivating the audience and adding to the festive spirit. A major highlight of the event was the Ms. Villa Marie Contest, where 40 final-year students competed for the prestigious title. The contestants were evaluated across three exciting rounds—1. ME, MYSELF; THINK TANK; and 2. MINUTE TO WIN IT—showcasing their confidence, intellect, and spontaneity.

In addition, the Best Outgoing Students from each department were honoured in recognition of their excellence in academics, co-curricular and extracurricular achievements.

The event concluded on a high note with a DJ and dance session, followed by a celebratory lunch. It served as a beautiful platform for seniors and juniors to connect, celebrate their journey and look forward to new beginnings beyond college life. The farewell was not just a goodbye, but a celebration of growth, memories and the promise of a bright future ahead.

# Taekwondo Premier League Season 2 - Leg 1 (Male) Concludes Successfully in Hyderabad with Thrilling Performances

Hyderabad April, 20 (Telangana Reuters): The inaugural leg of the Taekwondo Premier League (TPL) Season 2 - Male Category concluded on a high note at Hotel The Park, Somajiguda, Hyderabad, witnessing an electrifying showcase of talent, discipline, and competitive spirit from some of India's finest Taekwondo athletes.

The event commenced by Distinguished Guests Addanki Dayakar- MLC, V Harmantharao- Former Member of Rajya Sabha, Madhu sudhana chary- MLC, Banda Prakash MLC Telangana State, along with TPL Founder Ganesh Duvvuri, Co- Founder Venkata K Ganjam and Mrs. Navneetha Bachu and Chairman for this season League HIGHNESS RAJNAQ YAR KHAN 9th Nizam of the ASAF JAHI DYNASTY of Hyderabad and Telangana Raisers Founder Sandeep Jain initiative together top national and state-level players who delivered power-packed bouts, captivating the audience with their agility, precision, and sportsmanship.

The league featured intense competition among participating teams, including:

North East Heroes, Telangana Risers, Gujarat Thunders, Bengal Tigers, Delhi Warriors, Maharashtra Avengers, Haryana Hunters, and Rajasthan Rebels, each showcasing exceptional skill and fighting spirit throughout the event.

The evening began with a vibrant opening ceremony and team introductions, setting the tone for an action-packed competition. The presence of eminent sports personalities and officials added prestige to the event and encouraged participants to perform at their best.

Each team displayed remarkable determination and strategy, making every bout highly competitive and engaging, further establishing the Taekwondo Premier League as a premier platform for nurturing and showcasing talent in India.



The event concluded with a grand award ceremony, where winners of Leg 1 were felicitated for their outstanding performances, marking a significant milestone in their sporting journey.

Speaking on the success of the event, Ganesh Duvvuri, Founder Director of Taekwondo Premier League, expressed his satisfaction with the overwhelming response and the high level of competition witnessed. Venkata K Ganjam, Co-Founder stated that he reiterated the league's commitment to promoting Taekwondo at the grassroots level and providing athletes with greater opportunities to excel on national and international stages. Mrs. Navneetha Bachu, Co-Founder expressed that the League is supporting women for self defense and TPL is providing free Training through this League.

The successful execution of Leg 1 sets a strong tone for the upcoming legs of Season 2, promising even more excitement and participation in the days ahead. This is also the Gateway to participate in Manali, Philippines in Global League in coming months. The Taekwondo Premier League continues to grow as a dynamic sporting platform, inspiring young athletes and contributing significantly to the development of martial arts in India. The Season 2 Leg One sponsors are POWERADE Sports Drink, Svar Gems, KKL HITECH EV, Renova Hospitals, Taekwon Vila, Glan of Travellers, MSA Self Drive Cars, COL Photography, Tejaswi Vidyananya, WayChamp.

# Under the aegis of Nada Prabha, Vara Veena Music Academy presents "The Call of Spring—Pervasive melodies, Omnipresent Rama.



Hyderabad April, 20 (Telangana Reuters): Smt. Shanti Chandrika, Director of the Vara Veena Music Academy, along with her ensemble of disciples, pre-

sented a captivating concert featuring both Veena instrumental music and vocal renditions.

Through their performance, they explored the Navarasa (nine emotions) inherent in nature, while also rendering Kritis (compositions) dedicated to Lord Shiva and Lord Rama—deities who embody the Purusha (masculine principle).

They also conveyed a significant social message: that the responsibility to protect nature rests with everyone.

On the Veena, they performed compositions such as Annapurni, Mata Malayadhwa, and Amma Ananda Dayini, alongside various Tillanas. Meanwhile, the vocal segment featured renditions of Kritis including Bho Shambho, Nada Tanumanisham, and Samagana Lolane.



# Villa Marie Degree College for Women to Launch "Venture Vault" Incubation Centre

Hyderabad April, 20 (Telangana Reuters): Villa Marie Degree College for Women is set to mark a significant milestone in its journey of empowering young women by inaugurating the Venture Vault Incubation Centre on 21st April 2026 at 10 am at its campus in Somajiguda, Hyderabad. Driven by the visionary leadership of Honourable Founder, Director & Correspondent Dr. Philomena, the institution has consistently championed innovation, leadership and holistic development among its students. The Venture Vault Incubation Centre is a pioneering initiative aimed at nurturing sustainable, scalable and investment-ready ventures led by aspiring women entrepreneurs. In this regard, Villa Marie Degree College for Women has entered into a Memorandum of Understanding with the TGIC (Telangana Innovation Cell).

The inauguration ceremony will be graced by Shri. Jayesh Ranjan, IAS - Special Chief Secretary, Municipal Administration & Urban Development, Sports and Youth Services, Government of Telangana, who will serve as the Chief Guest. He will formally inaugurate the centre and deliver the inaugural address. Mr. Meraj Faheem, CEO, Telangana Innovation Cell will attend as the Guest of Honour and present the keynote address. Mr. Sahil Suman, Lead - Marketing and Communications, Telangana Innovation Cell will moderate the panel discussion.

The distinguished gathering will also be honoured by the presence of Founder, Director & Correspondent Dr. Philomena, Secretary Ms. Chinnamma, and Joint Secretary Mr. Srinivas Rao, along with members of the management, faculty and student community. The programme promises to be intellectually enriching and forward-looking, featuring two engaging panel discussions: "The Future of Women-led Start-ups" and "From Campus to Company: Women Who Built Their Own Path". These sessions will bring together thought leaders and entrepreneurs to share insights, experiences and opportunities in the evolving start-up ecosystem.

A key highlight of the event will be the student start-up pitch session, where the students from Villa Marie Degree College will present their business ideas before a panel of invited investors, opening doors to mentorship, funding and real-world exposure. The Venture Vault Incubation Centre aims to provide continuous support to selected start-ups by facilitating funding and creating opportunities for investor engagement and growth. The event is being meticulously organized under the leadership of Ms. Revati Devi Mathur, Principal, along with the dedicated efforts of the faculty team. This landmark initiative is poised to position Villa Marie Degree College for Women as a hub for innovation and entrepreneurship, inspiring young women to transform ideas into impactful ventures.

# Femina Mahila Seva Mandali inaugurated at Shadnagar



Hyderabad April, 20 (Telangana Reuters): Sri. Mohd Obedulla Kothwal Sahab, Honble Chairman, Telangana Minorities Finance Corporation (TGMFC), inaugurated the new training centre of Femina Mahila Seva Mandali at Shadnagar.

The centre has been established under the TGMFC Skill Development Training Program and will provide free training to unemployed women from minority communities in tailoring, mehndi designing, and beautician courses. The Hon'ble Chairman congratulated Smt. Aliya, owner of Femina Mahila Seva Mandali, for her initiative in empowering women through skill development. He stated that such centres are crucial for creating self-employment opportunities and financial independence among minority women. In this program Sri. A Baswam garu Municipal Chairman, Janab Mohd Babar Sahab Vice chairman marketing committee, Janab Sarwar Pasha, Counsel, Janab Maharak Ali Khan sahab working present, Sr. Shreekanth Ward member, Smt. Sabiha Sultana Garu, Advocate public prosecution, other Local dignitaries and TGMFC staff were present during the inauguration program.

# Coffee shops should have CCTV surveillance.

High Court clarifies Hyderabad April, 20 (Telangana Reuters): The court has ordered that coffee shops should have continuous CCTV surveillance. It has made it clear that the police can take action if the rules are not followed. The High Court on Thursday quashed the case registered by the local police against Lucifer Buy HP Coffee Lounge, which operates in Banjara Hills. In this context, the court has issued key guidelines.

The court has clarified that the coffee lounge should have continuous CCTV surveillance and that only those who have completed 21 years of age should be allowed in. The court quashed the case registered against Lucifer by HP by Panjagutta police in February this year on the 16th of the same month. Then recently, the Banjara Hills police Raided another branch of the same company and Registered a case. The customers who were there at that time were also detained. The case was challenged in the High Court by the shop owner Lekha raj Yadav, but the court quashed the FIR on Thursday. The court made it clear that the petitioner must strictly implement the provisions of the COTPA Act. To this extent, permission was granted to operate the coffee lounge.