

## Swami Vivekananda Ji's Birthday Celebration - 12<sup>th</sup> January, 2018

Vivekananda Institute of Professional Studies commemorated Swami Vivekananda Ji's birthday on 12<sup>th</sup> January, 2018. Swamiji was a spiritual genius of commanding intellect and power who embraced the spiritualism and harmony of religions of the East with the agnostic philosophies and materialism of the western world. He had launched a revolution that still resonates around the world today. His birthday is also celebrated as National Youth Day across India to inspire the youth towards the philosophy of Swamiji's ideals and interminable values. This year the celebration created a dynamic aura in every corner of the sprawling campus with perennial spirituality as everyone's ears were lent to the hymns and chants recited by young soldiers of Swamiji's brigade, members of our music society. The faculty, staff and students sitting in the audience also felt exulted as they witnessed a small video clip on life teachings by renowned yogi and mystic, Sadhguru Jaggi Vasudev.

Mr. Suneet Vats, Vice Chairman, VIPS, expressed his gratitude towards Swamiji and he also reminisced his childhood memories of listening to Swamiji's Aarti. The event came to an end with the precious words on integrity and core value system by the visionary behind VIPS, Dr. S.C. Vats, Chairman VIPS.

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