International Women's Day

The International Women's day is a day of celebration, celebration of womanhood and their greatness. On this day, women just not empower other women of the country, but the entire world dedicates this auspicious day to the womenand honours them for their commendable contributions to the society.

To stand tall with one another, shoulder to shoulder, to encourage andmotivate the young women of our country, the India Peace Centre in partnership with the Tirpude College of Social Work Nagpur, conducted a one-day workshop on the topic "Breaking Stereotypes" on the 8th of March, 2018. The workshop took place at the Tirpude College of Social Work.Speakers and facilitators included Guest Speaker- Ms. UrmiChakravorty, Guest of Honour- Mrs. VanitaTirpude (Working President of Yuganter Education Society), Dr. K. S. Patil (Principal at Tirpude College Nagpur), Mrs. Asma Banu, and Mr. Kasta Dip (Director, India Peace Centre).



The workshop was taken by Prof. UrmiChakravorty, she shared the motivational and struggleful stories of her life, some incidents that turned her motivation down and the times when her moral was at all-time low, but proudly she shares despite all the hindrances, she was able to win it all with courage and self-motivation. Mrs. Urmi also believes in equality between men and women, involved herself in promoting the idea of motivating each other in this complicated walk of life and how one can overcome the difficulties faced. Adding to the ideas shared by Mrs. Urmi, Mr. Kasta shared his own ideas and expressions on how a woman contributes to the society and educates her following legacy through a beautiful story which helped to convey the message and agenda of the workshop to the audience effectively.

He challenged the patriarchal mind-set that builds stereotypes and limit the participation of women in different areas of work and life. All the speakers called for change in attitude towards women to build a just and peaceful society.

