Name of the event : Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav

Date :05th March, 2022 **Venue :** Online (YouTube)

YouTube link: Maha Utsav - Marathi Movie in Maharashtra -Day9 | EBSB VESIT

The EBSB-VESIT team conducted the event 'Maha Utsav' under the "Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav" from 24th February, 2022 to 15th March, 2022. The objective of the event was to share information about various aspects of Maharashtra such as cuisine, cities, religious and historic places, etc. The event was conducted under the guidance of Dr.Geeta Ajit (assistant professor, department of H&AS and faculty coordinator, EBSB-VESIT).

The ninth day of the event was on 05th March, 2022. The topic of the event was 'Marathi Movies of Maharashtra'. The speaker of the day was Suleman Mathekar (D10A) who talked about a famous marathi movie named 'Natsamrat'.

The speaker first introduced the movie which included the release date, director, writer, runtime and box office of the movie. Next, the cast of the movie along with images was presented. The cast included -

- Nana Patekar as Ganpat Ramchandra Belwalkar/ Natsamrat/ Appa (alias)/Baba
- Medha Manjrekar as Kaveri Ganpat Belwalkar/Sarkar
- Vikram Gokhale as Rambhau
- Mrunmayee Deshpande as Vidya Ganpat Belwalkar/Vidya Rahul Barve, Ganpat's daughter
- Ajit Parab as Makrand Ganpat Belwalkar, Ganpat's son
- Neha Pendse as Neha Makrand Belwalkar
- Sunil Barve as Rahul Barve / Vidya's husband
- Sarang Sathaye as Siddharth

Further, the storyline or plot of the movie was explained which put a light on how a respected stage artist Ganpatrao Belwalkar after his phase of golden glory faced the adversities of the world during his old age.

The speaker also threw light on the accolades received by the movie which included -

- Best Marathi Film Award
- Filmfare Marathi Awards
- Nana Patekar Best Actor Nominated
- Medha Manjrekar Best Actress Nominated.
- Vikram Gokhale Best Supporting Actor
- Zee Gaurav Puraskar
- Best Director Mahesh Manjrekar

• Best Actor – Nana Patekar

Overall, the session covered the movie's details like cast, description, box office, storyline and accolades.

The day ended with a vote of thanks given by Nandita Jadia(D8).

Speaker-Suleman Mathekar(D10A)