Name of the Fest: ESPERANZA

Theme: Technical and Cultural

Date: 10th & 11th May 2019

Venue: Dayananda Sagar Academy of Technology & Management

Cultural Secretary: Prof. P Girish (Faculty – Civil Engg.) & Mr. Richul N Prasad (Student – Information Science Engg.)

Total Students Gathered for the Fest: 3000 Students (Students both internal and external)

Esperanza is an annual inter-collegiate technical and cultural fest organized by Dayananda Sagar Academy of Technology & Management, Bangalore. This annual extravaganza is celebrated to bring out the best practices and hidden talents in the students.

Esperanza celebrates Literature, Fine Arts, Theater, Dance, Music and exhibitions of various themes which are showcased and displayed students of our own institutions and colleges across Bangalore.

Esperanza enables students of Dayananda Sagar Academy of Technology & Management to interact and exchange ideas and goals with students from various other institutes in Bangalore.

The Techno-Cultural fest is spread over 2 days where students are encouraged to participate in various events and activities exhibiting their talents.

Day 1: 10th May 2019

- **National Conference on Convergence of Science, Technology & Management** is a platform for Exchange of Technical knowledge, sharing of innovative thoughts & Idea by the Guest and the session chairs who evaluated each presentation on the basis of Rubrics provided by each Department.
- The chief guest of the program was Dr. Ranjith Krishna Pai who briefed about the vision mission of DST. He threw light on the Efforts, Programs and Initiation taken by DST in promoting Green Energy from Solar & Wind power in an attempt to enhance the carbon sink. He highlighted the various projects at offer to individuals, Institutions, Research centres & Industry, who can come up with affordable and viable products generating Green Energy.
The cultural fest was inaugurated by Vice Principal & Head of the Department Computer Science Engg., Dr. C Nandhini; Dean of Academics and Head of the Department Information Science Engg., Dr. Sumitra Devi K A & Head of the Deapartment MBA., Dr. Geetha Reddy in the presence of Mr. Darshan (Managing Director – Maxlite Constructions) & Dr. Ravi Ohja (CMD – Bros App) our sponsors for the fest.

The dignitaries were felicitated by the management and inauguration was concluded by speeches from all the dignitaries on the dais.

The cultural activities started with Solo Signing & Solo Dance and many other competitions followed by Fashion show

The main event for the 1st day was a comedy show by Mr. Kenny Sebastian (International comedy artist) who entertained the crowd for more than an hour

This was followed by a band performance by Tatvamasi Team. The events and activities for the 1st day was completed by 10pm

Day 2: 11th May 2019

The 2nd day started with the Group Dance Competitions which was then followed by the fashion show

The main event for the 2nd day was the Band performance from Mr. Sanjith Hegde and team who entrained the crowd for more than 2 hours

The Events and the fest was concluded with the band performance

The various prize winners for all the events were announced

A lot of fun events and entertainment was organized for the students