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## A report on "Celebration of Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Jayanti"

On 19<sup>th</sup> February 2020, Ek Bharat Shreshta Bharat Club celebrated Birth Anniversary of "**Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj**" at the Dr. D. Y. Patil Institute of Technology, Pimpri, Pune-18. Shivaji Jayanti is the birth anniversary of great Maratha ruler Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj. Shivaji Jayanti is celebrated every year on February 19 with much splendour and zeal in the entire state of Maharashtra.On the occasion of Shivaji Jayanti, several processions are taken out and students dress up like Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj and his associates. There are processions and dramas enacted on the life of Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj and speeches made on Shivaji Jayanti.

Students carried out various programs on this day. The program started with procession of "Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj's Palakhi". During this procession, students wearing Maharashtrian traditional clothes, cheered on the beat of *Dhol-Tasha*. Later, a cultural play on life of the "Great Maratha King – Raje Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj" was organized by the students. Following are some glimpses of the program:



Hon'ble Chairman Dr. P. D. Patil sir with studennts lighting a torch for "Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj's Palkhi"



Students in a play on the life of "Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj"



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