

# QASIDA' 2019-20

## MEHFIL-E-QASIDA

“Qasida” organized **Mehfil-e-Qasida'19** on 29<sup>th</sup> March 2019 at **Rajendra Bhawan** , near ITO Metro Station. With this event “Qasida” became the first society to organize its annual fest outside the college premises.

In yet another unparalleled feat, the event was embraced with guest speakers from Bareilly, Gwalior, Meerut and other Places.



**Mehfil-e-Qasida** was an inclusive poetry event which had Open Mic Competition, Mushaiyra by eminent shayars and Sham-e-Ghazal by Urdu academy lined up.

The event commenced with presenting a token of respect to all the judges as well as the shayars namely Madan Mohan Danish, Shariq Kaifi, Azhar Iqbal, Imtiyaz Khan and Namita Naman. The event then proceeded to the first part of the event i.e. the Open Mic Competition which had riveting entries from poets of several colleges from around the city. These invoice poets spoke of several topics varying from family, love, self-identification to loss and sadness and the poetry style also varied with some using free verse while others going with traditional style of poetry such as ghazals. The winners of the event were Abhishek Tiwari, Rahul Solanki, and Prashant Jaiswal.

This was followed by the esteemed judges reciting their own works mesmerizing the audience leading goosebumps to some receiving a huge applause from the audience.



Qasida's convener Ms. Sujata Tewatia and team members Abhay Oberoi and Manish Kumar joined in on the fun and recited some of their own poetry. The event saw a full house which speak of its success. The evening was also graced by the guest of honor of the event RJ Sayema from Radio Mirchi, who graced the audience with her experiences.

The final session of the evening was a musical performance sponsored by Urdu Academy with ghazals by an esteemed singer Saif Naeem Ali. Their serene classical sound and ghazal was an apt ending to a day of festivities. After this soothing performance the event came to an end with a small speech by the convener of the society Mr. Abbassudin Tapadar and a small photo session with all the esteemed jury. The happiness and calmness on the faces of audience as well as the judges spoke all about the success of the event.



With the end of the year and the success of Mehfil-e-Qasida'19 ignited the spirits and filled up with motivation to work more harder and with more innovation to grow the society and its name even more and sore more heights.

# **TEAM 2019-20**

## **Teacher Coordinators:**

- Dr. Sujata Tewatia
- Mr. Abbas Tapadar

## **Students' Core Team:**

- Ridhima Sharma
- Radhika Kundalia
- Madhuri Kalra
- Bhavya Aggarwal
- Manish Raj