



**Annual Report
2022-23**

- **Celebration of Bhartiya Bhasha Utsav at VECC**

VECC celebrated the Bhartiya Bhasha Utsav to mark the birth anniversary of Mahakabi Subramaniam Bharati. Dr. Sumit Som, Director-VECC inaugurated the event with the opening of a multi-lingual exhibition with a display of books in different Indian languages (Sanskrit, Bengali, Odiya, Santhali, Hindi, Marathi, Tamil, Telegu, Kashmiri, and English among others) and a beautiful flower-rangoli & alpna depicting Indian tradition of unity in diversity. The event saw enthusiastic participation from HBNI students and faculty members who took part in a multilingual cultural afternoon which saw the reverberations of songs, poetry recitations and skits in different Indian languages. The event was indeed a celebration of India's rich linguistic harmony among diversity.



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- **Diamond Jubilee Celebration of Institute of Mathematical Sciences - IMSc 60**

The Institute of Mathematical Sciences (IMSc.) a constituent institution of HBNI, is celebrating its 60th foundation year in 2022-2023. To commemorate this momentous occasion, a virtual event, “IMSc60 celebration” was organized by IMSc. during Jan 2-5, 2023 with an aim to celebrate all areas of science and bring together the scientific community encompassing scientists, nation-builders, policy-makers and research scholars not only to honor and recognize remarkable scientific contributions from the past but also to strengthen India's scientific vision for the next decade and help India lead the global research landscape. The event was inaugurated by Prof. V Ravindran, Director of the Institute on January 2, 2023. The four day event included lectures by eminent scientists on wide variety of topics encompassing mathematics, theoretical physics, theoretical computer science and computational biology, conferences and academic events across all research groups. A poster session, release of special stamp to commemorate IMSc60, release of special volumes of the Tamil Nadu Science Forum (TNSF) science outreach magazines Thulir and Jantar Mantar featuring the contributions of IMSc members over the years, panel discussions and a cultural dance event were also part of the celebrations.