

Meet and Greet the Author Program

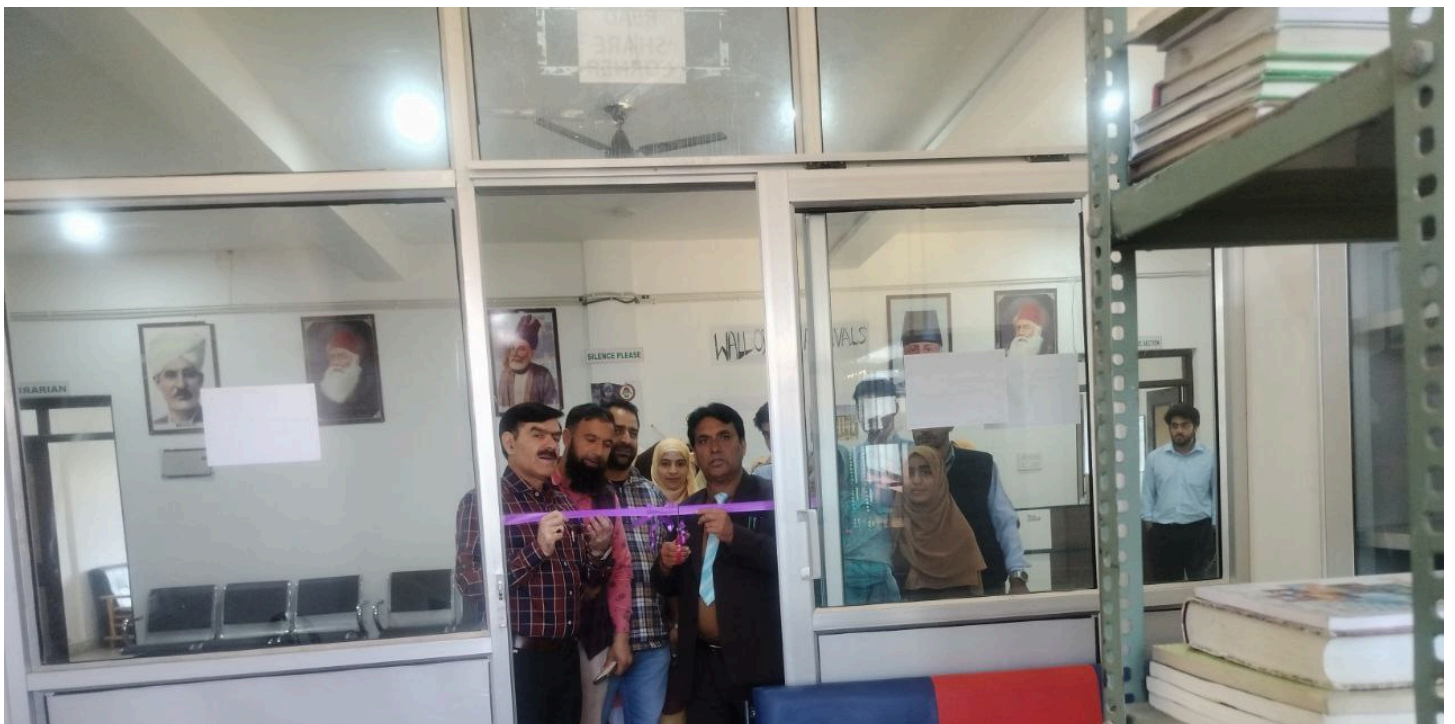
Promoting literacy and community engagement

Event Overview

The Central Library in collaboration with the NSS Wing of Government Degree College Shopian, successfully organized the 'Meet and Greet the Author' program on 24th September 2025. The event witnessed enthusiastic participation from faculty, students and staff fostering a vibrant atmosphere of intellectual exchange and literary appreciation.

Inauguration of 'Read and Share Corner'

The program commenced with the inauguration of the 'Read and Share Corner' by Principal Prof. Mohd Shafi. In his Patron's Address, Prof. Shafi emphasized the invaluable role of books and reading in personal and intellectual growth. He highlighted the library's commitment to providing resources and opportunities for students to engage with literature.



Introductory Speech

Dr. Murad Hussain, Librarian, delivered an insightful introductory speech, underscoring the significance of libraries in the 21st century. He articulated the library's mission to connect readers with authors and cultivate a culture of lifelong learning.



Author's Address

Prof. Nazir Ahmad, Head of Education, graced the occasion as the author and delivered a compelling address on the transformative power of reading and education. Prof. Ahmad shared personal anecdotes and emphasized the importance of critical thinking, creativity and empathy fostered through literature. His words resonated deeply with the audience, inspiring them to embrace the habit of reading.



Vote of Thanks

Prof. Ishaq, Program Officer NSS, delivered a heartfelt vote of thanks, expressing gratitude to all the dignitaries, participants and organizers for their contributions to the success of the program. He acknowledged the collaborative efforts of the Central Library and the NSS Wing in promoting literacy and intellectual engagement within the college community.



Impact and Conclusion

The 'Meet and Greet the Author' program proved to be a resounding success, achieving its objective of fostering a culture of book sharing and strengthening the reader-writer bond within the community. The inauguration of the 'Read and Share Corner' marked a significant step towards enhancing the library's role as a hub for intellectual exploration and community engagement. The event left a lasting impression on all attendees, inspiring them to embark on a journey of lifelong learning and literary appreciation. The program served as a testament to the power of collaboration between the Central Library and the NSS Wing of Government Degree College Shopian, in promoting literacy and intellectual growth.



