SPIC-MACAY Dibrugarh Chapter and M.D.K.G. College

Screening of

THE MAKING OF THE MAHATMA

And

In conversation with Shri Rajit Kapur

SPIC-MACAY Dibrugarh Chapter and M.D.K.G. College presented Cinema Classic Module where the screening of the movie "The Making of the Mahatma" took place on 14th March, 2024. The programme was sponsored by SRF and supported by the Ministry of Education, Ministry of Culture, Ministry of Tourism, Ministry of Ayush, Ministry of Youth and Sports Affairs. The programme started with an introductory speech regarding SPIC-MACAY by Dr. Rajee Konwarh, Chairperson of SPIC-MACAY Dibrugarh Chapter where she highlighted its importance in today's world. After her speech, a small clipping called "Anubhav" was shown which reflected on the various initiatives taken up by SPIC-MACAY.The screening took place in the auditorium of M.D.K.G. College from 2:45 PM which was attended by the Principal and President of M.D.K.G. College, invited guests, faculty members and students of D.H.S.K. College and M.D.K.G. College. The movie depicted the life and struggles of Mahatma Gandhi during his stay at South Africa and how his experiences there ultimately moulded him into the 'Mahatma' that we know today. After the screening of the movie, Shri Rajit Kapur, the actor who essayed the role of 'Mahatma' in the movie interacted with the audience. The Principal of M.D.K.G. College, Dr. Nibedita Phukan, in her welcome speech spoke about the role of SPIC-MACAY in enlightening the young minds regarding culture, art, and tradition of India and the great honour of Dibrugarh and M.D.K.G. College in having an eminent personality like Shri Rajit Kapur in our midst. The interactive session was hosted by Prajakta Nandi and Sreeja Dev, 2nd semester students of PG, English, D.H.S.K. College. The moderators for the evening from M.D.K.G. College were Khusboo Sonowal and Gracy Das, 6th Semester, Department of Political Science, and Srinkhala Sengupta 6th Semester, Department of English. Moderators from D.H.S.K. College were Akashitara Kalita 4th semester student of PG, English and Anisha Ghosh 6th Semester, Department of Political Science. The audience had an animated discussion with the Shri Rajit Kapur where he shared his life experiences along with various anecdotes while shooting the movie. One of the greatest aftermaths of the evening was his enquiry into what the audience carried forward after watching the movie and the fact that we should be hopeful that Mahatma Gandhi will not become redundant in the increasingly fast-paced changing India. The memorable evening ended with the vote of thanks by Gracy Das.



Lighting of the Ceremonial lamp by the Principal, MDKG College, Dr. Nibedita Phukan



Hosts for the evening in conversation with Shri Rajit Kapur





A still from the movie

Welcome Speech by the Principal



Members of the Audience



Audience in rapt attention



Students singing Raghupati Raghav