

47th Engineers Day Celebrated by IEI Goa State Center.

The **47th Engineers' day** was celebrated by the Goa State Centre of the Institution of Engineers (India) on 20th September, 2014. Er. S.T. Nadkarni, Chairman, Goa State Centre, Institution of Engineers (India), welcomed the gathering and stressed a need for increasing membership and acquisition of suitable premises for the Goa State Center.

While congratulating the Engineers on the 47th Engineers' Day in commemoration of 154th birth anniversary of **Bharat Ratna Sir Mokshagundam Visvesvaraya, Shri Laxmikant Y. Parsekar, Hon'ble Minister for Health, Govt. of Goa State** called upon the Engineers to make use of the innovations available. He appreciated the activities carried out by the State Centre including the conduct of AMIE Examination and said that learning is a continuous process. He urged the Engineers from various sectors to imbibe the qualities of Bharat Ratna Sir M.Visvesvaraya.

Er. Rajan J. Bhatikar, an eminent IIT educated Engineer was the keynote speaker who spoke on the theme **“Making Indian Engineering World-Class”**. While talking on the subject, he narrated his experiences during his career. He said that building world-class engineering capability is a **continuous** process and **demands** commitment for **continuous** learning by the Engineering Organization and its Employees. He put before the audience the various engineering aspects for making Indian Engineering World-Class which can make India a world leader in the Technology

A presentation by Bagalkot Cements detailing latest innovations in cement industry including use of slag cement was presented to the gathering by Shri Vinayak Koneri, Sr. Vice-President of Bagalkot Cements & Industries.

On this occasion eminent Engineer, Er. Ramchandra G. Deo, Consulting Engineer, & past Chairman of Goa State Centre, was felicitated at the hands of the Chief Guest, Shri Laxmikant Parsekar for the outstanding performance in engineering activities during his career.

Er. G.M. Naik Parrikar, Hon. Secretary, proposed the vote of thanks and Er. Komala Soares ably compered the program. The celebration were well attended by prominent Engineers from Government Departments, Private Sectors and Practicing Engineers.



Lighting of lamp to mark inauguration of 47th Engineers` Day Celebrations



Chief guest Shri Laxmikant Parsekar, Hon. Minister for Health, Govt. of Goa garlanding the photo of Bharat Ratna Sir Mokshagundam Visvesvaraya



Welcome address by Chairman, Institution of Engineers (India), Goa State Centre



Felicitations of Er. R. G. Deo, Eminent Engineer on the occasion



50th issue of Enginews released on this occasion



Shri Laxmikant Y. Parsekar, Hon'ble Minister for Health, Govt. of Goa State speaking on the occasion



Mr. Rajan Bhatiker, Keynote Speaker gave presentation on “Making Engineering World-Class”



A view of Audience.



Special memento for Er. Siddharth Borkar (Board of Scrutineer) for the process of Election of Managing Committee 2014-16.



Er. Ashton Godinho (Editor of Enginews) receiving a Memento.



Convenor of Activities (Er. Anwar Khan, Er. G. D'Mello, Er. G. M. N. Parrikar, Er. Yogesh Bhobe and Er. D. Sahakari) receiving Mementoes



Chief guest and keynote Speaker with Managing Committee Members



Vote of Thanks by Hon. Secretary