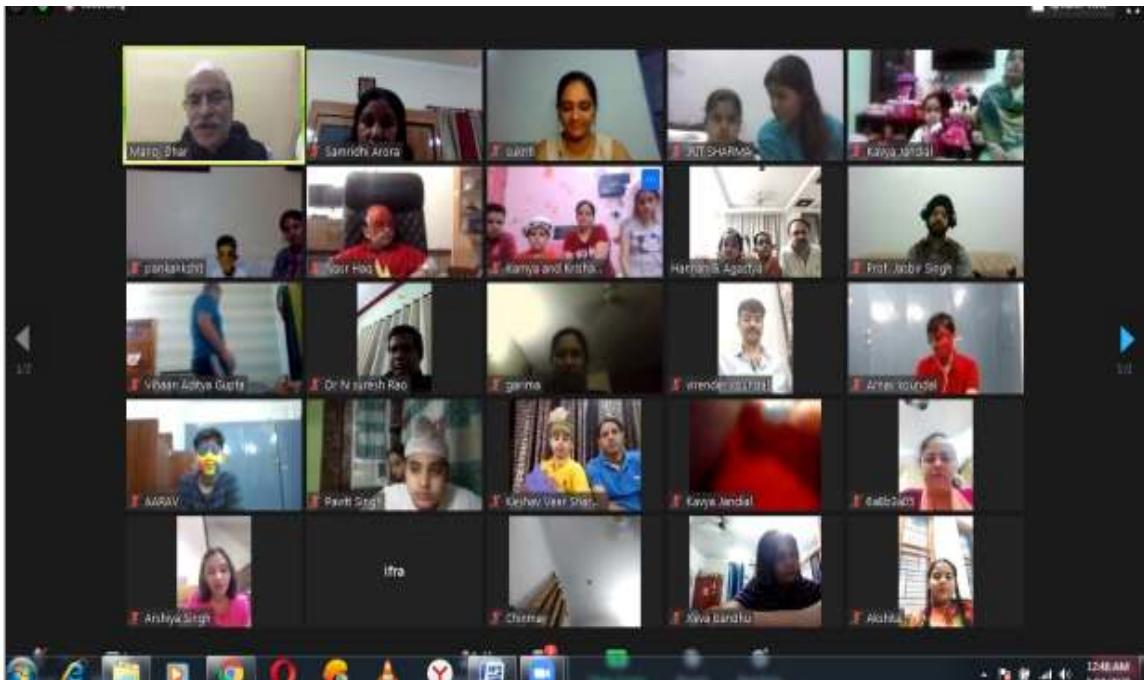


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JU organizes online Children Theatre Workshop



The Department of Students Welfare, University of Jammu organized two-day Online Children Theatre Workshop which concluded with online presentation of impressive solo acts by the participating children. The workshop which generated much interest and enthusiasm amongst the children was organized for the wards of the employees of the University of Jammu and was conducted by Ms. Sukriti Khurana from New Delhi who has done Masters in Performance Studies and is an expert in doing theatre with Children. Prof. Manoj K. Dhar, Vice Chancellor University of Jammu was the Chief Guest at the culmination of the workshop.

Prof. Manoj K. Dhar complimented Dean Students Welfare, Prof. Jasbir Singh and his entire team for coming forward with a series of events for almost every stakeholder and said that such events provide great opportunity to young minds to channelize their energies because Covid-19 crisis has imposed restrictions on outdoor and group activities. Therefore, such programmes are the only viable medium to break their monotony and

charge-up their creativity. He also interacted with children and lucidly explained the importance of social distancing.

In his welcome address, Dean Students Welfare, Prof. Jasbir Singh informed that during such training programmes, children get exposure and platform to enhance their talent and gain confidence and these workshops leave a lasting impression on the young minds which help in shaping their overall personalities. He spoke about the idea of conducting such a unique workshop during Covid-19 situation which was certainly very effective in making children use their time in a productive manner.

Prof. Samridhi Arora, Co-chairperson, Campus Cultural Committee presented the vote of thanks and also attended the sessions to encourage the children. Those who participated in the workshop included Pitunia, Stuti Saigal, Kamya Langer, Vihaan Aditya Gupta, Chinmay Pandita, Jigisha Thusoo, Aarav Koundal, Arnav Koundal, Nasr Haq, Krishang Langer, Parishrut Chahal, Keshav Veer Sharma, Hannah, Agastya, Suhasini Jasrotia, Priyamvada Singh, Kavya Jandial, Irit Sharma, Parikankshit Chahal, Vanshaj V Sharma, Pavitt Singh, Arshiya Singh, Xeva Bandhu, Akshita, Rushank Tripathi, Daneen Kaur, Angel Sharma, Sabal Chargotra, Samrath Singh, Aahil Sharma, Ishaan Sharma and Shambhavi Sharma. Members of Campus Cultural Committee and staff of DSW office joined the parents of the participating children in witnessing their performances. The workshop was coordinated by Ms. Ifra Kak, Cultural Officer and supported by Ms. Mansi Mantoo, Media Officer and Mr. Sumeet Sharma, Drama Instructor and Arif Paul rendered technical support.