







## **Independence Day celebration at PRL**

The 77<sup>th</sup> Independence Day was celebrated with the great enthusiasm at PRL Main campus, Library lawn on 15<sup>th</sup> August 2023 (Tuesday) under the 'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav'.

Dr. Anil Bhardwaj, Director, PRL hoisted the National flag, which was followed by the National Anthem. As per protocol, a Parade was done by CISF, PRL which signifies methodology and perseverance. Dr. Anil Bhardwaj had delivered an enriching and patriotic speech to the audience, showcasing PRL's Scientific & other activities undertaken during the year. This was followed by merit and service awards to CISF Cadets.

Thereafter, the prize distribution for various competitions held under the AKAM was carried out i.e. Tug-of-War, Treasure Hunt, Yoga, Badminton and Table Tennis competition. Tri-color balloons were also released by the children to mark the day of Independence followed by the tree plantation by PRL members and their family members.

Followed by this, the cultural programme was organized at K R Ramanathan auditorium in which instrumental song (piano), solo singing, dance and Mime act, were performed by the PRL members and their family members. Their performances spread the feeling of proud patriotism in everyone's heart and everyone enjoyed a lot.

At the end, a screening of the film "The Journey of ISRO" (directed by Shri KS Sridhar and produced by Films Division) was telecast in the K.R. Ramanathan auditorium. The film briefly depicted the entire voyage of ISRO from the beginning till today.'



Glimpses of the event