## **Bonalu Celebrations**

The Bonalu festival, a significant cultural and religious event, was celebrated with great fervour and devotion on the morning of July 27th. The event was



morning of July 27th. The event was meticulously organized to ensure that students not only participated but also understood its significance. The venue was decorated with traditional motifs and vibrant colors, creating a festive atmosphere.

The pooja was the central part of the celebration, conducted with a deep sense of reverence and devotion. Principal Mrs. Chebolu Uma performed the pooja accompanied by the Vice-principal, coordinators, teachers and students who actively participated in the offerings and prayers, seeking blessings for prosperity and well-being. The pooja included traditional rituals such as lighting lamps, chanting mantras, and offering Bonam to the goddess.

Students, teachers, and staff members wore traditional attire, adding to the

cultural ambiance of the celebration.

Subsequently, The celebrations continued with a traditional procession. Students carried Bonam pots, beautifully decorated with flowers and neem leaves, symbolizing offerings to the goddess The procession was accompanied by traditional music and dance, creating an energetic and joyful start to the day. A song and dance performed by class VII students added zeal to the program.

Parents and guardians were also invited to join the celebration, making it a more inclusive and enriching experience for everyone involved.

The event not only allowed everyone to immerse themselves in the cultural traditions but also reinforced the values of devotion, community, and cultural pride. It was a day filled with joy, learning, and a deep sense of reverence, making it a memorable occasion for all.