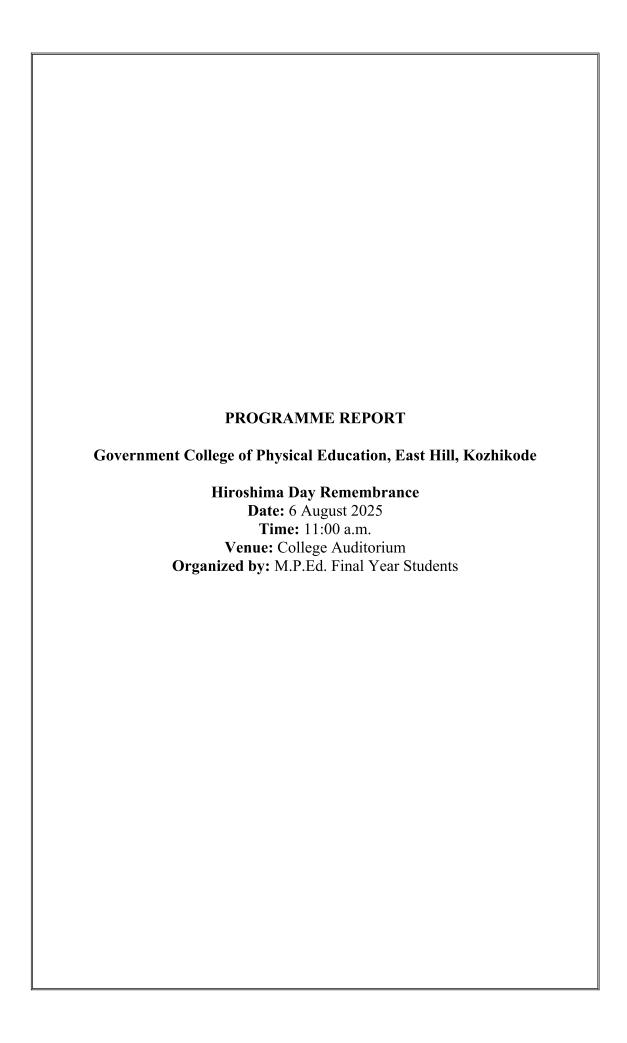


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Hiroshima Day Remembrance

On 6 August 2025, the Government College of Physical Education, East Hill, Kozhikode, observed **Hiroshima Day Remembrance** to pay homage to the victims of the atomic bombing of Hiroshima in 1945 and to promote the ideals of peace, tolerance, and global harmony. The programme, held at 11:00 a.m. in the college auditorium, was organized by the M.P.Ed. final year students and brought together faculty, students, and guests in a solemn yet inspiring atmosphere.

The event commenced with a **welcome address** by **Ms. Krishna Mole E.K.**, who warmly greeted the gathering and outlined the significance of Hiroshima Day as a reminder of the devastating consequences of war and the urgent need for nuclear

disarmament. She emphasized the role of education in fostering a culture of peace understanding and among future generations. This was followed by the Presidential Address delivered by Mr. Nithin Rajan, Programme Convenor. He relevance about the commemorating Hiroshima Day in an academic setting, urging the audience to reflect on the lessons of history and to actively engage in peace-building efforts within their communities.

The **Hiroshima Day Message** was presented by **Professor Dr. Bijulona K**, Principal (In-Charge). Her address highlighted the human suffering caused by the atomic bombings, the resilience of the



survivors (Hibakusha), and the global movements advocating for a world free from nuclear weapons. She encouraged students to become ambassadors of peace, combining professional excellence with a humanitarian outlook.



The **felicitation** segment was led by **Dr. Sunil Alphonse**, Head of the PG Department. He lauded the initiative of the M.P.Ed. final year students for organizing such a meaningful programme and stressed the importance of moral responsibility in shaping a better future.

A poignant **documentary presentation** followed, portraying the events of August 6, 1945, the aftermath of the bombing, and the rebuilding of Hiroshima as a "City of Peace." The visual narrative deeply moved the audience, fostering a sense of empathy and global citizenship.

The programme then proceeded to the **candle lighting ceremony**, symbolizing hope, remembrance, and the collective resolve to work towards a peaceful world. The sight of the audience holding candles in silent tribute created a powerful and emotional moment, underscoring the shared commitment to peace.



To engage the participants actively, a **quiz competition** on the themes of world peace, nuclear disarmament, and historical facts related to Hiroshima and Nagasaki was conducted. The competition saw enthusiastic participation, with students demonstrating commendable awareness and interest in the topic.

The event concluded with a **vote of thanks** by **Mr. Sanal S. Mithran**, who expressed gratitude to the Principal, faculty members, invited guests, participants, and all those who contributed to the success of the programme. The Hiroshima Day Remembrance at the Government College of Physical Education served not only as a solemn memorial to the victims of war but also as an educational and inspirational platform for cultivating the values of peace, compassion, and international understanding within the college community.



Programme convenor NITHIN RAJAN