

# Mahavir International, Vadodara

## Mahavir Foundation Trust

### Annual Cultural Evening - December, 2018

Annual Cultural Evening was organized by MI Vadodara on **19<sup>th</sup> December, 2018** at Sayaji Nagar Gruh. This is an Annual event organized every year to give a platform to the adopted School students. The theme of this year was “देश एक, रूप अनेक”



The program started with a five minute video clip on the activities of MI, Vadodara. ‘Gayatri Mantra’ and ‘Vande Mataram’ followed. MI prayer was then recited by Kayakalp students and MI Viras. Deep Pragatya was performed by Apex dignitaries. We had privilege of the presence of International President, Shri Vijay Bapna, Founder Member, Shri R S Kumat, International General Secretary, Shri M K Jain, our Founder Chairman, Shri V S Kothari and large number of sponsors of our activities.



Saraswati Vandana was performed by artists from Milind group, a renowned dance group. This was followed by non-competitive performances by Kayakalp and Asha Deep students. Competitive dances from seven adopted schools enthralled everyone. The theme included Folk dances from various states from Kashmir to Kanya Kumari. These included Punjabi

Bhangara, Rajsthani dance, Adivasi dance from M P, Hudo dance from Gujarat, Bihu dance from Assam etc. Asha Deep Mentor-sponsor children presented a skit and Cube Construction beneficiaries also gave an exciting performance.



The competitive dances were judged by two prominent Judges, Mrs Madhuri Bhavne and Dr. Seema Bedi. Cash prizes were given to all the participating students and schools were awarded for different categories, including Overall Winner and two Runner-ups. The overall winner was also honoured with a rotating shield (in addition to attractive cash prizes for all winning schools).

The program was applauded by everyone present for its outstanding quality, given the very limited time for preparation. The evening was concluded by National Anthem and group photo session of all the MI Members.