



**Savitribai Phule Pune University
School of Education
Department of Education and
Extension**



"Saptak" Musical Cultural Program

Two days "Kojagiri Dandiya Workshop"

Date: 10th & 11th October 2019

Time: 4 to 6 pm

Venue:

School of Education

Savitribai Phule Pune University, Pune

School of Education conducted 2 days' workshop on Dandiya for the students, and SOE members on the occasion of Kojagiri. The workshop aims to develop the skill performing Dandiya with different formations. The workshop started with keynote speech of Prof. Sanjeev Sonawane. The resource person for the workshop was Ms. Sanika Bam.

Opening Keynote

Prof. Sanjeev Sonawane

(Director of School of Education, SPPU)

He elaborated the following points in his speech-

He said Dandiya is the form of Folk dance in India. It is performed in the festival of Navratri. Folk music and folk dance embody fundamental values of great worth to our culture, our nation, and our children. To perform any kind of dance you need to

practice day by day to make yourself flexible and active. For that purpose we are conducting Dandiya workshop.

Dandiya Workshop -

Ms. Sanika Bam

In first day of workshop Ms. Sanika Bam explained the meaning and significance of Dandiya to all the students. She demonstrates the steps, facial expressions, lags-arms movements, and coordination. She taught basic dandiya steps and the importance of coordination with music. In second day of workshop she taught standing steps, sitting steps, and final practice for the participants.