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Variable Energy Cyclotron Centre Kolkata

7.4 Events & Other Activities

1. VECC has conducted several outreach programs and interacted with school and college students such as Mahatma Gandhi Memorial School Barasat, Jukia High School, Medinipur, Kalupur Panchpota School, Bongaon, Chandannagar, Nadia, Pachberia Ramchandra Sriti Sikha Mandir, Raniganj Girl's college, etc. throughout the year.



2. VECC also participated in several exhibitions and represented DAE in 30th State Science and Technology Congress at Science city, Acharya Satyendranath Basu Smarak Bijnan "O" Prajukti Mela, Hedua Park, 108th Indian Science Congress at Nagpur, Maharashtra, Ras Utsav and Science Exhibition cum fair 2022 at Jabda, Purba Medinipur.





3. National Science Day 2022 was celebrated by VECC, Kolkata, on Feb 08, 2023. Around 100 students and teachers participated in the celebration, in particular from schools from remote rural areas were invited, with an emphasis to reach students of schools far away from the city. the students visited room temperature cyclotron, superconducting cyclotron, experimental beam lines, data acquisition lab, electronics control and instrumentation lab, GRID computing facility and Photon Multiplicity Detector (PMD) lab for CERN experiments at VECC. After the lunch they all participated in debate session and they were awarded prizes. The students left VECC with great joy and inspiration.



4. Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav was an initiative of the Government of India to celebrate and commemorate 75 years of independence and the glorious history of it's people, culture and achievements. In VECC, the Public Awareness Cell had arranged a day long programme on 25th august, 2022 involving students from schools and colleges in and around Kolkata to mark this event and to promote science & scientific thinking.





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