

Academy celebrates World Theatre Day; 4 plays staged, recited

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To commemorate the World Theatre Day, J&K Academy of Art, Culture & Languages today held a special function *Natya Path* at the K L Saigal Hall here during which two plays, one each in Dogri and Hindi, namely *O Koan Tha* by N D Jamwal and *Teen Seerhian* by Prof. Rita Jitindra were recited and two short stories of famous author Prem Chand, *Bhare Bhai Sahab* and *Guli Danda* were staged.



The function was presided over by noted Dogri author Prof. N D Sharma while Anjali Sharma, In-charge Station Director, Doordarshan Kendra Jammu was the chief guest.

The plays were appreciated by the audience who were present in good numbers. Prominent artists who participated include Abhishek Sharma, Surbi Balgotra, Shashi Bhushan, Naresh Kumar, Rakesh Dogra, Abhishek Bharti and Usha Slathia. The play *Teen Seerhian* was read out by Prof. Rita Jitindra.

Pertinent to recall that on March 27, every year the World Theatre Day is observed worldwide. It was established in 1961 by the International Theatre Institution. Various theatre events are organized to mark this occasion
