

CHAPTER-VII

GLIMPSES OF AIACE 10TH FOUNDATION DAY CELEBRATIONS ACROSS BRANCHES



Schedule of AIACE 10th Foundation day function, 2025	
16/5/25-- Bengaluru	26/5/25- Asansol
16/5/25- Bhopal	27/5/25- Durgapur
17/5/25 - Kerala	4/6/25- Varanasi
18/5/25- Nagpur	6/6/25- Patna
20/5/25- Delhi	7/6/25 - Jamshedpur
21/5/25 - Pune -Mumbai	8/6/25- Ranchi
23/5/25- Korba	10/6/25- Guwahati
25/5/25- Kolkata	11/6/25- Raipur-Durg
15/6/25- Bilaspur	

MESSAGE FROM THE CONVENOR

It is heartening to know that 10th Foundation Day of AIACE is being celebrated at all Branches of our Association. During the last decade we have achieved several milestones with your co-operation and active participation. We will honour our esteemed members who are aged 80 years and above and also those members who have completed 10 years of membership.

AIACE & AICPA have been demanding reforms in the working of CMPFO and for enhancement of pension. It is happy to note that CIL has increased its contribution to the Pension Fund from Rs.10 to Rs.20/Tonne of non-coking coal and Rs.20/tonne of coking coal to augment the Fund. This will pave the way for revision of pension. The work is progressing in the right direction and it is expected that CMPS,1998 will be amended in the current Parliament session to link DA with pension.

CMPFO has issued a Standard Operating Procedure for starting widow pension. AIACE & AICPA has suggested methods to improve the procedure that is not giving adequate results, but the Coal Companies and CMPFO have not shown a positive intent. There are many errors in Revised PPOs. We have asked the authorities to consider our suggestions seriously.

Our struggles continue to resolve the pay conflict of executives vis-à-vis non-executives, revision of pension and streamlining of medical treatment and reimbursement. Resolution of pay conflict has become sub-judice and will take some time to be resolved.

AIACE not only raises and resolves issues related to coal sector employees but also brings them and their families together on a social platform of Coal Clubs which organise get-togethers to create good relationships.

Best wishes to all our members on this joyous occasion.



P K Singh Rathor

BENGALURU



BHOPAL

10th Foundation Day celebration of our AIACE Bhopal Branch was celebrated on 16th May 2025 at Motimahal Restaurant, Ashima Mall in the presence of the following members

Sri Anjani Kumar with spouse

Sri Moin Khan with spouse

Sri S K Mishra with spouse

Sri R S Pal with spouse

Sri A K Shukla with spouse

Sri R B Prasad with spouse

Sri Sudhir Jain.

Sri Malviya.

Sri Anjani, Moin Khan and Malviya were honoured with Shreefal, garland and shawl. Every member were given a momento. Cultural programme was also held and after lunch. The programme ended with vote of thanks.

R B Prasad

President





KERALA

Report on the 10th Foundation Day Celebration – AIACE, Kerala Branch Held at YMCA International House, Chittoor Road, Ernakulam

Highlights of Discussions and Key Concerns of Members

1. Restoration of Pension

- The issue regarding the pensions of Smt. Sreelekha and Smt. Annamma has been amicably resolved, thanks to the dedicated efforts of Sri B.K. Srivastav.

2. Revised PPOs

- Members sought clearer guidelines due to prevailing confusion surrounding the revised PPOs.

3. Pension Revision

- Strong calls were made for continued engagement with higher management and government authorities to expedite pension revision.

4. Medical Reimbursement under CPRMSE Reimbursement Based on Actual Bills

- Members highlighted the inadequacy of outdated CGHS rates and requested reimbursement based on actual expenses incurred.
- Pending Bills for Specialized Treatment Particularly regarding the CPRMSE-related CCL Ranchi case.

5. Hospital Empanelment in Kerala

- Requests were made to explore partnerships with hospitals in Kerala at negotiated rates as the hospitals are not ready to accept CGHS rates.

6. Payment of withheld PRP

- A few cases of PRP payments are with-held that need to be reviewed and payment made at the earliest.

7. Proposed Actions

- AIACE Central to issue detailed guidelines on revised PPOs.
- Sustained advocacy for early pension revision.
- Urging CIL management to minimize delays in medical reimbursements.
- Pending specialized treatment bills: Regarding the reimbursement case of Sri V.V. Phalgunan Pillai, the matter requires immediate escalation to higher authorities. Although the bills have been received and logged by the CMO, CCL, the physical documents are currently untraceable. Pending specialized treatment bills have to be re-sent as duplicates to the CMO, CCL for payment.
- Priority to be given to empanelling hospitals in Kerala at competitive negotiated rates.











NAGPUR


AIACE Nagpur Branch celebrated 10th Foundation Day of AIACE on 18-5-2025 at Community Hall of WCL, HQ Nagpur. D (T/Op), WCL Shri Anil Kumar Singh and D(F), WCL Shri H S Pande graced the occasion which was presided over by Shri P. K. Singh Rathor, AIACE Principal General Secretary.

All dignitaries were felicitated by Shawl, Sreefal, Bouquet and Memento followed by release of AIACE-Foundation Day Booklet of Nagpur branch. The "AIACE-Foundation Day-Booklet" was also distributed to all the dignitaries and among all the members in the hall. Shri B. G. Bahoria, GS, AIACE Nagpur Branch, spoke about activities and achievement of AIACE Nagpur Branch. Sri P. K. Singh Rathor presented details of activities of AIACE since inception. He highlighted the present status towards revision of CMPS-1998 Pension. D(T/Op) and D(F), WCL appreciated the activities and achievement of AIACE. They assured to extend all possible help to AIACE in future. Felicitations of 4 Senior Members above 80 years of age and 10 yrs of membership in AIACE were felicitated by Shawl and Sreefal.

Melodious songs on Harmoium, Tabla, Synthesizer, Mouth Argon were presented by retd. executives and Coal Club Members, namely, Shri Alakhniranjan Kundu, Shri Dipak Rairker, Mrs. Rairker, Shri B.B Sharma, Shri Jiwan Khobragade, Dr.(Mrs) Anuradha Basu, Mrs. Ganguli and other members of CIEWA. Group dance by the Ladies and Gents participants was star attraction. All the Cultural event participants were awarded Gifts by Shri P. K. Singh Rathor and other dignitaries. Vote of thanks was proposed by Shri Nagula Satyanarayan.

B.G.Bahoria

G.S.

Nagpur branch. 







DELHI-NCR





MUMBAI-PUNE

A meeting of AIACE Mumbai Pune is held on 21.05.2025 at Gazibo Veg. Hotel, Pune under the Presidentship of Mr.Vellai Chamy to celebrate the 10th Foundation Day of AIACE.

In the event, the participants were Mr. Vellai Chamy Swami, Rajiv Lochan Singh, Rakesh Kumar Jain, Prakash Nigam, A.K.Kinwar, S.A.Yadav, B.P.Rai.Dilip Kamble, M.D.padnekar, Mantosh Nath, S.K.Vatsa, ,M.C.,Das, Janardan Prasad, Chandan Prasad, Arun Kumar, S.K.Selka, R.S.Mishra, Santosh Trehan, Anita Bansal.

Garlanding of dignitaries present on the Dias i.e. Mr Swami, Mr.Kinwar, Mr.Jain & Mr. Singh was followed by welcome address by Mr. Rakesh Kr. Jain.

History and Journey of AIACE, Function and role of Central Body Committee of AIACE, Achievement of AIACE, Challenges Ahead and some local & individual issues were discussed.

All presentation and programs were conducted by Mr. A. K. Kinwar.

Mr.Rajiv Lochan Singh proposed the Vote of Thanks which was followed by lunch.





KORBA







KOLKATA

Many congratulations to AIACE, Kolkata for such a successfully organised Foundation Day Celebration on 25.5.2025 at Rabindra Tirtha Auditorium, New Town, Kolkata.

The program was graced by the august presence of Honorable Sri Parha Sarathi Bhattacharyya, former Chairman, CIL, Sri PKS Rathore, Principal General Secretary and Convenor AIACE and other dignitaries.

The function was rich in entertainment, cultural activities, a lively interaction and felicitations to the octogenarian and founder members.

The icing on the cake was the anchoring of the function by none other than the Cultural Secretary, Kolkata Coal Club Smt. Nabanita Das. She conducted the entire program with unparalleled grace, eloquence and richness of her oratory. The entire audience including the dignitaries were spellbound with her performance.

Congratulations and thanks to the dear children, ladies and gentlemen for their active participation.

The food and accompaniments were also excellent.

We look up to many more of such wonderful programs in future.

Long live AIACE.

- Nilanjan Adhikary, President, AIACE Asansol Durgapur







ASANSOL AND DURGAPUR

Many congratulations to AIACE, Durgapur Branch for such a successfully solemnized Foundation Day Celebration on 27.5.2025 at Hotel Shoilpik, Durgapur.

Sri PKS Rathore, Principal General Secretary and Convenor AIACE and Dr. BK Srivastav, Vice President, Central Body, AIACE graced the occasion with their august presence.

The asthetic and charming function was rich in entertainment, cultural activities, a lively interaction and felicitations to the octogenarian and founder members. The excellent musical team of singers and accompanysts and also the reciters deserve a special mention.

Many thanks and congratulations to the respected ladies and gentlemen for their active and lively participation.

The food and accompaniments were also very delicious and well served.

We look up to many more of such wonderful programs in the days to come.

Long live AIACE.

- Nilanjan Adhikary, President, AIACE Asansol Durgapur













VARANASI





PATNA

Foundation Day Program, held at Patna in Red Velvet Hotel on 06/06/25, was a grand success. During grievance redressal session an issue of widow pension was raised by one member. During course of giving suitable advice in meeting, Sri Rathor was requested to Post a Copy of the SARAL from in the group to for the knowledge and timely help of the respected members. He was again requested to kindly do the needful.

During foundation day celebration, a booklet on AIACE was given to everyone present. The small booklet contains important information of interest to AIACE members. Many of our members are in habit of traveling a lot. Unfortunate situation comes during the tour where immediate help is required. Sri D. N. Pandey suggested to circulate contact numbers AIACE officials at Branch level and Central Body level.

Participation of following members ,with family members, made the event memorable:

1.R K SINHA	2.SRI SL RASTOGI	3.SRI RB TIWARI
4.DR. RS SINGH	5.SRI CD SINGH	6.SRI SANJAY PRASAD
7.SRI BP SINGH NO.1	8.DR. ANIL SINGH	9.SRI BP SINGH NO.2
10.SRI RS ROY	11.SRI P N THAKUR	12.SRI SEOKI SINGH
13.SRI RAMESHWAR OJHA	14.SRI BP SINGH NO3	15.SRI RAM SAH
16.SRI VIJAY KUMAR	17.SRI SK THAKUR	18.SRI SR PANDEY
19.SRI SP SINGH	20.SRI NANAK GOPE	21.SRI IBK VERMA
22.SRI KN SINGH	23.SRI RK SRIVASTAVA	24.SRI RAMJI SINGH
25.SRI PK MISHRA	26.SRI ANAND KR BHAGTA	27.SRI MK SINGH
28.SRI SASHIDHARAN	29.SRI UK SINGH	30.SRI DN PANDEY







JAMSHEDPUR (RANCHI BRANCH)





RANCHI







GUWAHATI





RAIPUR-DURG









BILASPUR

Many congratulations to AIACE, Bilaspur Branch for such a successfully solemnized the concluding Final day of 10th Foundation Day Celebration on 15.6.2025 at Hotel East Park, Bilaspur.

Sri PKS Rathore, Principal General Secretary and Convenor AIACE and Dr. BK Srivastav, Vice President, Central Body, AIACE graced the occasion with their august presence. The attendees, with family, in the programme were:

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| 1.Sri P K Singh Rathor | 2.Sri Pradeep Kumar Singh |
| 3.Sri A K Sharma | 4.Sri K K Dutta |
| 5.Sri Ranjan Sah | 6.Dr A M Mohan |
| 7.Sri S C Sinha | 8.Sri H K Gour |
| 9.Sri N K Sharma | 10.Sri G M Singh |
| 11.Sri Brahmadeo Modi | 12.Sri Akhileshwar Pd |
| 13. Sri S S Sinha | 14.Sri Raja Ram Chourasia |
| 15.Sri TK Banerjee | 16 Sri N K Choudhary |
| 17.Sri J S Manchanda | 18.Sri Sudeep Banerjee |
| 19.Sri Umesh Gupta | 20 Sri P K Acharya |
| 21 Sri U P Sharma | 22. Sri R N Roy |
| 23.Sri S K Singh | 24.Sri Sudhir Tripathi |
| 25 Sri Rajendra Kumar | 26.Sri S K Roy |
| 27Sri R S Greene | 28 Dr S Dantare |
| 29.Sri Sanjeev Agrawal | 30.Sri D K Saha |
| 31.Sri Y N Shukla | 32 Sri P K Tapadar |
| 33.Sri A K Gupta | 34 Sri G K Mishra |
| 35 Sri R K Das | 36 Sri J Choudhury |
| 37 Sri Mihir Bose | 38 Sri R S Mahto |
| 39 Sri A K Mishra | 40 Sri Asgar Ali |
| 41 Sri Bhishm Singh | 42 Sri S K Sarkar |
| 43 Sri Arun Kumar | 44 Sri V D Soni |
| 45 Sri Navin Kumar | 46 Sri R P Sinha |
| 47 Sri B P Sahu | 48 Sri S B Mishra |
| 49 Sri S K Ray | 50 Sri Ramesh Chandra |

Before start of the cultural programme, the General Body meeting unanimously decided to change the address of AIACE to a new location and function from this place as soon as possible. Accordingly, the following changes were deemed to have been adopted:

>Bye-laws 5.2 Registered Office: It was unanimously agreed to change the official address of the Association from 302, Block no-4, Rama Krishna Enclave, Sarkanda, Bilaspur to 307, Pooja Paradise, Seepat Road, Bilaspur.

The aesthetic and charming function was rich in entertainment, cultural activities, a lively interaction and felicitations to the octogenarian and founder members. I have never seen any woman present such a beautiful, smooth and decent stage presentation in a sweet voice, it was done by Mrs. Padma Mohan ji, I have never heard or seen it before, Mrs. Padma ji really captivated everyone, she truly deserves my thanks and congratulations, the advice and direction by Mr. Rathore sahab, Dr. Mohan ji is very commendable, by giving proper responsibility to everyone, they added to the grandeur of the program, all the programs were presented very beautifully by all the men and women, which is worthy of praise, songs by Mr. Mathur, Mr. Gaur, Mr. Ashok Singh, dance by Mr. Sahu ji, puppet show presentation, drama, all the programs were captivating, in the end I seek forgiveness from all those whose names I forgot to mention, I am grateful to all those who attended and made this AiACE a success.

Many thanks and congratulations to the respected ladies and gentlemen for their active and lively participation.

Dr A M Mohan
President
AIACE, Bilaspur branch





