

Press Note

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Today, in connection with the International Day of older persons, a function was organized by Federation of Senior Citizens Welfare Organization Chandigarh Regd. and Sh. R. P. Upadhyay, IPS, IGP Chandigarh was the chief Guest. Several renowned poets, singers and folk dance artists of Dev Samaj College, Sector-36, Chandigarh gave their performance during the function.



Speaking on the occasion federation chairman Sh. S.D. Kalia said elderly people are facing major problems like loss of social status after retirement, loss of companionship after the death of spouse and loss of income at the end of working life so Government must checkout integrated programme for edged persons. He also said that society

must take steps to empower and improve the quality of life of elderly persons.

Sh. R.P. Upadhyay IPS, IGP, Chandigarh appreciated the role of Federation for the weak especially among the deprive section. He called upon youngsters to hold the senior citizens for dissemination of awareness among youth about communal harmony. He also assured that all sincere efforts will be made to redress the problems/grievances of Senior Citizens.

Sh. K.P. Bhagtiar pattern thanks IGP/Chandigarh for acceptance of their invitation without any second thought. At the end Sh. R.P. Upadhyay IPS, IGP, Chandigarh honoured five Senior Citizens with the surprise gifts on this special occasion.

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