

### **Krishi Purva 2k26: A Vibrant Tribute to India's Agrarian Roots**

Krishi Purva 2k26 was celebrated with great vibrancy and cultural pride on 29 January 2026 at the MSR Sports Ground, M.S. Ramaiah College of Arts, Science and Commerce (Autonomous). The campus transformed into a lively rural landscape with a traditional pooja, desi games, and colourful festive stalls, creating an authentic harvest ambience. Indian Knowledge Systems (IKS) were meaningfully integrated through curated displays of books and posters highlighting the cultural and agrarian significance of Sankranti. A total of 28 stalls by local and indigenous vendors, along with student-led stalls, showcased organic products, festive delicacies, and innovative ideas, reflecting students' entrepreneurial spirit and enthusiasm. The cultural highlight of Krishi Purva 2k26 was the captivating performance by the Om Shakti Folklore Troupe, Haveri, whose energetic and authentic folk presentation beautifully reflected the richness of Indian agrarian traditions. Enthralling student cultural performances and the active participation of faculty, staff, and students made the celebration grand, engaging, and truly memorable.

