# Navratri Ramzat 2024 Celebration Report

The Navratri Ramzat 2024 celebration is set to take place on October 5, 2024, with active participation from both faculty members and students. This annual festival celebrates the spirit of Navratri, a nine-day Hindu festival dedicated to worshipping Goddess Durga in her various forms, and serves as an occasion for the entire community to come together in devotion and celebration.

#### **Event Details:**

Date: October 5, 2024Venue: Boys' Hostel

Participants: Faculty and StudentsSpecial Feature: Aarti of Ambe Maa

### **Starting with Aarti of Ambe Maa:**

The celebration will begin with the **Aarti of Ambe Maa**, a traditional Hindu ritual performed to honour and invoke the blessings of the goddess. The Aarti will take place at the **Boys' Hostel**, where participants will gather to sing devotional songs and offer prayers to the goddess. This opening ceremony sets the spiritual tone for the event, fostering a sense of unity and devotion among all attendees.

# **Cultural Significance:**

Navratri is a festival deeply rooted in the cultural and religious traditions of India. It signifies the triumph of good over evil and the power of the feminine divine. The first day of Navratri is especially auspicious, and celebrating it with an Aarti for Ambe Maa is a way of seeking blessings for strength, prosperity, and success.

### **Community Participation:**

Both faculty and students will be actively involved in the celebration, highlighting the event as not just a religious observance but also a cultural gathering that strengthens the bonds within the campus community. The mix of faculty and students ensures that the event is inclusive and promotes a spirit of togetherness, beyond academic and professional boundaries.

## **Festive Atmosphere:**

Following the Aarti, the evening will be filled with joyous celebrations, where participants will engage in traditional Garba and Dandiya Raas dances, dressed in colourful ethnic attire. The hostel grounds will be decorated to reflect the vibrant and festive spirit of Navratri, making the event a night of cultural expression and shared joy.

The Navratri Ramzat 2024 promises to be a memorable occasion that not only honour's tradition but also fosters community spirit and cultural pride among the faculty and students. It serves as a wonderful opportunity to celebrate the goddess and the cultural richness of Navratri together.