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IQAC & NSS UNIT

Organized

June 12-World Day against Child Labour-2023

**Theme: “Week of Action against Child Labour
Social Justice for All-End Child Labour”**



Date: 12-06-2023

Room No: 9

All Are Cordially Welcome

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Report of Sadbhavana Diwas-2023

The IQAC and NSS unit of VVLC has organised **World Day against Child Labour-2023 Programme** on 12-06-2023 at Room No-9. Dr. Deepu. P., Principal introduced the speaker of the programme Prof. Vasudeva. K. B., Director of Legal Studies. Prof. Vasudeva. K.B while addressing the students they expressed the significance of day and its theme 'Social Justice for all. End the child labour'. They said that, the ILO is organizing a high level side event during the 111th session of the International Labour Conference on 12 June to mark World Day against Child Labour and this event has aims and objectives to explore the connection between social justice and the eradication of child labour. Since 2000, for nearly two decades, the world had been making steady progress in reducing child labour. But over fast few years, conflicts, crises and the Covid-19 pandemic, makes more families to fall into poverty and also forced millions of children into child labour.

As of now 160 million children are still engaged in child labour and that is almost one in ten children worldwide. Africa ranks highest in the percentage of child labour that is one fifth and 72 million. Asia and the pacific ranks second highest that is 7% of all children. The remaining child labour population is divided among the Americas 5% of children are in child labour. Europe and central Areas 4% of children are in child labour Arab States 3% of children are in child labour. Further they said every child has the right to health, right to education and protection and every society has a stake in expanding children's opportunities in life. In 1959, the UN General Assembly adopted the Declaration of the rights of child, which defines children's rights to protection, education, healthcare, shelter and good nutrition. They further said that, the UNICEF's work is guided by the convention on the Rights of the child 198. The convention is the most rapidly and widely ratified international human rights treaty in history. The convention changed the way children are viewed and treated. There is also child labour restriction under Art 24 of the constitution. Apart from this there are other legislations to prevent child labour and to promote their future. Thus such programmes will help to educate all of us for better work for children. The programme was meaningful and successful. More than 100 students were attended. Finally, Co-ordinator of the programme Dr. Kumara. N.J, rendered the vote of thanks.

