

RUET celebrates 19th founding anniversary

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Rajshahi University of Engineering and Technology's acting vice-chancellor, along with students, teachers, and staff, inaugurates University Day, marking the 19th founding anniversary of RUET, on the campus in Rajshahi on Thursday. — Press release

The authorities of Rajshahi University of Engineering and Technology celebrated the university's 19th founding anniversary on Thursday.

The university vice-chancellor (additional-charge) Md Sazzad Hossain inaugurated the day's events at 10:00am in front of the university administrative building by hoisting the national and the university flags, and releasing pigeons and balloons.

Later, the vice-chancellor along with other officials placed wreaths at the graves of the martyred students of the university.

The vice-chancellor also planted olive and safeda saplings on the university campus.

Among others, electrical and computer engineering faculty dean professor Nazrul Islam Mandal, registrar professor Md Selim Hossain, student welfare director Md Rabiul Awal, and IQAC director Muhammad Abdul Goffar Khan were present at the inaugural ceremony.

A colourful procession with banners and festoons led by the vice-chancellor was brought out on the campus in which the university teachers, students and staff took part.

A special prayer was arranged at the central Jame mosque of the university after zuhr prayer wishing for progress of the university and welfare of the nation.

RUET was established in 1964 as Rajshahi Engineering College with three Engineering departments namely Mechanical Engineering, Electrical and Electronic Engineering and Civil Engineering and only 122 students.

Later, it was converted to Bangladesh Institute of Technology, Rajshahi in 1986 and was upgraded to Rajshahi University of Engineering and Technology in September, 2003 to promote and enhance the technical education and research.

At present, the university has four faculties, 18 departments, two institutes, 351 teachers, over 3000 students, and 17 residence halls.



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