## PSTU celebrates 4th university day

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Pirojpur Science and Technology University vice-chancellor Professor Md Shahidul Islam, among others, participates in a rally to mark the 4th university day on the PSTU campus in Pirojpur on Sunday. | Press release photo

Pirojpur Science and Technology University celebrated the fourth university day with various arrangements on the university campus in Pirojpur on Sunday.

The celebration began with hoisting the national and university flags on the administrative building premises, said a press release.

Barisal University vice-chancellor Professor Shuchita Sharmin and PSTU syndicate member Barrister M Sarwar Hossain were present as invited guests at the event.

PSTU vice-chancellor Professor Md Shahidul Islam inaugurated the university day by releasing balloons and cutting a cake with the guests.

Shahidul Islam said that this university was established with the aim of developing professional skills in science and technology education and maintaining harmony with the advancing world, achieving equality and creating opportunities in science and technology education and research at the national level.

'There is no alternative to science and technology education to keep pace with the world,' he said.

He also said that all the changes that had taken place in the world were due to science and technology. 'How we use science and technology depends on us. If our intentions are good, we can use science and technology for public welfare. Therefore, our main objective is to create good people through this institution.'

Suchita Sharmin said, 'I am very happy to be present at this event of Pirojpur Science and Technology University. I wish this new university continued success and prosperity.'

Sarwar Hossain said, 'I sincerely thank those who worked behind the establishment of this university in the southern region. At the same time, I also thank those who are taking the university forward.'

Sheikh Rafiqul Islam, principal of Pirojpur Government Women's College, said, '[I expect that the overall activities of this university will be more dynamic with the dedicated efforts of the current administration.'

Md Muniruzzaman Nasim Ali, head of Pirojpur bureau of Dailyt Ittefaq, said, 'More than a hundred new souls have arrived in this city through the start of academic activities of the university.'

The event was attended by Panna Lal Roy, principal of Government Suhrawardy College, Pirojpur; Ziaul Ahsan, Pirojpur correspondent of the Daily Observer; and students, teachers, officials and employees of the university.