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Nari Chetna

with Leena Malhotra Rao, Anju Sharma and Savita Pathak during

Delhi International Arts Festival (16-30 December 2022)

New Delhi, Tuesday, 20 December 2022, as part of Delhi International Arts Festival from 16-30 December 2022, Sahitya Akademi is organizing various literary programmes in New Delhi, viz., Nari Chetna with Leena Malhotra Rao, Anju Sharma and Savita Pathak on 20 December, Kavisandhi with Hemant Kukreti on 21 December, Literary Forum with Rita Malhotra, Uttaran Dasgupta and Shuma Raha on 23 December, Yuva Sahiti with Sughosh, Nikhil Anand Giri and Anupam Singh on 26 December, Kathasandhi with Kusum Ansal on 27 December, Literary Forum with Vivek Mishra, Sonali Mishra, Hiralal Rajasthani on 28 December and Multilingual Readings with Mitali Phukan, Sathya Askokan and Salim Saleem on 29 December 2022.

Today during the Nari Chetna programme, Anupam Tiwari, Editor (Hindi), Sahitya Akademi, welcomed the participants and the august gathering of eminent writers and scholars. He said such programmes enhance a better understanding of a piece of writing as they give opportunity to hear the writers and poets directly. The first participant, Anju Sharma, eminent Hindi writer, read her story Ek Meel Hazar Sapne. The second participant, an eminent Hindi poet, recited a number of poems, a few among which were Pratiksha Ke Paon The, Adhuri Kavitaon Ki Pratiksha, Meri Yatra Ka Naya Saman. The third and last speaker, another eminent Hindi writer, Savita Pathak, read her emotional story Papa Ke live Chitthi. All the stories and poetry were exceedingly enjoyed by the audience.

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