

Ganesh Idol Making workshop

As Ganesh Chaturthi started approaching lot of discussions occur in newspapers and now a days on what's app groups about pollution due to larger idols of plaster of Paris and many smaller idols getting immersed in water bodies. Keeping this view in mind it was thought that we can as well train people for making Shadu idols of smaller size. This can bring awareness about environment, give joy of creativity, being smaller can be immersed in small bucket at home avoiding pollution and can give an idea of start up for those who wish to start something of their own.

Hence 'Ganesh Idol Making' workshop was conducted on 27.8.2019, in which eight people participated. Resource person was Mrs. Aditi Date, Expert in the field and taking workshops for last 10 years. Shadumati properly mixed was provided to all of them and it was explained how to make the idol. Every participant made the idol as per their thoughts. It was a surprise for all of us that how our brain observes and stores minute details of whatever we see, because without any idol in front just with their own imagination beautiful, realistic and up to the mark idols were made by each participant in just two hours. It was unbelievable to say that they have touched Shadumati first time,

How to do painting of idol was also taught to them. After the idols dried participants did beautiful painting.

Many a times when we try something new we understand our own hidden potential., which happened even with the participants. The idols made by them were so beautiful that they themselves did not believe their creation. It was a great joy and fun. All worshiped their own creation at home.



