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The Embassy of India in South Sudan Celebrated Pravasi Bharatiya Divas, for the first time ever, on 09 January 2016 at Indian Community Meeting Hall in Juba. The event was inaugurated by Ambassador Shri Srikumar Menon and attended by about 50 prominent Indian businessmen, professionals and members of the Indian expatriate community.

In his opening remarks Ambassador highlighted the importance of Pravasi Bharatiya Divas and underscored the significant role being played by the Indian community in South Sudan in developing India – South Sudan relations.

Ambassador said that the Comprehensive Peace Agreement was signed in 2005 in South Sudan. In spite of many challenges in this country, the Indian community has achieved success in South Sudan due to their hard work, sincerity and dedication. They have been largely seen as successful immigrants contributing to the land of their adoption. Indians were among the first to open hotels, borehole companies, printing press and departmental stores in Juba early in 2006.

Ambassador has also underscored the supportive role being played by the Indian Community towards organizing Medical and Blood Donation Camps for the benefit of the South Sudanese People though the participation of doctors from India.

The event concluded with an interactive session with the Members of Indian Community, also sharing their personal experiences in South Sudan.





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