
58th Birthday ceremony of Khyber College of Dentistry

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The Khyber College of Dentistry (KCD) is the oldest and arguably the best dental college in KP, with a large community of dentists across the country. However, there was a lack of connection among them until the 19th of August, when the 'Humans of KCD' team organized a successful mega reunion. The reunion brought together dentists from the first batch of KCD in 1968, which had only 14 members, to the current batch of 2023. The event was held at a luxurious venue with delicious food.

The reunion started with the recitation of the Holy Quran and the formal inauguration by Professor Dr. Mohammad Saleem. The first Principal of KCD, Professor Dr. Ahmad Iqbal, could not attend the event due to health reasons, but he sent a written message that was read by Professor Dr. Shaheed Iqbal. A 15-minute video was played to show the history and achievements of KCD since its establishment. A tribute was paid to the deceased members of KCD with a minute of silence and cold fire sticks, which created a beautiful atmosphere. The first batch student of KCD, Brigadier Rifat Hussain Shah took the stage and praised the organizing team and the progress of KCD over the years. He paid rich tributes to the founder teachers, Professor Ahmad Iqbal, Professor Umeed Akhtar Khan and Dr. Gohar Zaman. A game of Tombola was played to lighten the mood and to bridge the gap between the senior and junior dentists. The winners received prizes.

The first female orthodontist of KP, Prof. Tallat Firdos, spoke about the role of women in dentistry. The sweetheart couple of 1979, who met at KCD, participated in a fun rapid fire session. The distinguished alumni of KCD were honored with shields for their contributions to dentistry. The core team of Humans of KCD were also awarded with shields and certificates for their efforts in making the reunion possible and uniting KCD. The event also raised funds from the alumni to support the needy and deserving students of KCD. The sponsors of the event, Dr. Divot and ZedART Prosthetics, were thanked for their collaboration and generosity in helping the event achieve its goals. The reunion was a flawless and memorable event for all who attended.



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