Museum 2019

Far from the hustle and bustle of the city in the lush green fields of Nilgunge with beautiful ponds and brick kilns all around stands the majestic West Bengal State University. Sometimes if you look outside the windows you see a pretty Kingfisher sitting on a tree top waiting to catch her prey or a few 'Pankowries' swimming blissfully in the pond. Every season can be felt distinctly over here – dark clouds cover the sky in the monsoons and golden rays of the sunken sun play beautifully in the terrace of the University in autumn. Spring brings with it the 'Amer bol' (mango buds) in the premises and the huge 'Simul' tree greets with its red flowers. Nature and mind plays its own games over here.

Within the campus the museum Ballads of Bengal was set up in June 2019. The North 24 Parganas and Bengal has a very rich, glorious past. The museum was build to preserve this rich heritage and reinforce the cause of education in young minds. This is a journey from ancient port town of Chandrakrtugarh to modern day Bengal politics and education. The essence of Bengal's cultural and educational legacy is beautifully portrayed within the walls of the museum.

Many students of the University come from frontier regions of Bengal and most of them are first generation learners. Their lives are very different from the city-bred students. With all their challenges they are marching forward in the lap of nature. The museum aims to help the students to feel proud of their past glory and heritage and move forward in the battles of life with integrity, pride and fearlessness.

Regulations and Rules

1. The museum is open on Mondays ,Wednesdays and Fridays every week.
2. The timings are from 2 to 4 pm.
3. Tickets of rs 10 to be purchased from accounts department of the university.
4. Please do not touch the photographs or other artefacts.
5. Remove your shoes before entering the door of the museum.
6. No photograph or material can be used in any form in any media without the prior approval of the university.