

Cinema Day is back with a vengeance

One of the most anticipated events of the year at SCMC - Cinema Day, which is a subset of the larger cinematic event, The East Side Story – was celebrated with by far more than the usual pomp and fervour this year. The event hadn't happened for the last two years, thanks to the lockdown during the pandemic.

So, on 27 April, students and faculty members dressed up as their favourite Hollywood or Bollywood characters. Right from choosing their best-loved characters to perfecting their outfits, they didn't leave a single stone unturned to get the right look.

Aryaa Sharma from Batch 2022 and Akshaj Joshi from Batch 2024, respectively dressed as Chhote Pandit from Bhoolaiyaa and Gabbar from Sholay, were adjudged as Best Dressed. "My idea was honestly very last minute but I knew I wanted to go for a quirky, easy, and fun character. I went to a small shop near a mandir in Tingre Nagar and got gulaal, flower garland, and rudraksh maala. The hair was an issue but my friends helped me and we successfully fixed it," said Aryaa, on her choice of character.

"Unmatched storytelling of Salim-Javed has immortalized the antagonist Gabbar from Sholay, my instant choice of character for Cinema Day. From sourcing accessories from dress-walaha and practising his iconic dialogues, I gave it my all. Thank God. Maine Gabbar ka naam mitti mein nahi milaya," joked Akshaj.

AV Club Heads, R Shweta and Amoli Birewar said, "Cinema Day was something we had been planning to do for a while. While we were very excited to organise it, logistically it was a challenge since we were working on a tight deadline and it was very hot outdoors; but we knew how enthusiastic everyone was about it, so we tried to make it a fun-filled event, which everyone thoroughly enjoyed."

Other events like Film Quiz, Dumb Charades and Open Mic performances along with game stalls kept everyone's spirits high, reports AARYA TRIVEDI



Colour, costume and drama were the highlights of Cinema Day 2022



Suhani Kumar as Manjulika left everyone with chills with her performance



The Best Dressed awards went to Aryaa Sharma (Chhote Pandit) (R), Akshaj Joshi (Gabbar)



From L to R - Devashri Nambiar, Manasvini Sekar, and Divya Jimmy, recreated the iconic wedding scene from 'Three Idiots'.



Encanto Magic- Siddhi Pattnaik (Luisa) (L), Sakshi Singh (Mirabel)



The Ek Do Teen Chaar girl - Manya Lingareddy as Mohini



Lights, Camera, Action! Film themed props took the centre stage at Cinema Day 2022.