



Award ceremony within the framework of the project "National Literary Prize 2023"



News from Moscow:

More than 60 writers, scientists, and cultural workers from different countries united by Russian tradition and the Russian language gathered at the Central office of the All-Russian public organization "Labor Valor of Russia" at the Award Ceremony "Golden Pen of Russia". The President of the organization Mr. Levin A.G., opened the ceremony. He said that the organizations "Labor Valor of Russia" and "Golden pen of Russia" have held many joint conferences and congresses for 15 years.



Mr. Levin A.G., President of the All-Russian public organization "Labor Valor of Russia", welcomes the participants of the award ceremony



Mr. Masalov V.I., Chairman of the literary circle "Otdushina" of the Russian Foreign Ministry is reading on the occasion



Ms. Soldatkina L.A., Member of the Commission of the State Council of the Russian Federation in the sphere of culture, the head of the non-profit organization for the support of creative initiatives "Art Formula", is making an introductory speech

The official greeting of the Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation Mr. Sergey Lavrov was read: "Writing is similar to the diplomatic service, since the main tool of diplomats is the word and the pen". "I am sure that the competition will contribute to the development of cultural diplomacy of the Russian Federation".

The representatives of Vietnam, China, India, Kyrgyzstan, Kazakhstan, Tajikistan, Belarus, Bulgaria, Tatarstan and others expressed their sincere and warm love for Russia. Dr. Vijay, Brahma Kumaris, Moscow extended congratulations to all those who received special awards and also thanked the organization for awarding him a special statuette named "NOBILITY", in the nomination of Public Relations. He highly praised the ever-trustworthy relations between India and Russia.

National books translated into Russian and from Russian got a chance to present China, Vietnam, India, Germany, Israel, Belarus, Kyrgyzstan, Kazakhstan, Tajikistan, America, Palestine, Syria, Bulgaria – more than 30 countries.

Lively communication was characterized by musical performances, recitation of poems, brilliant extemporization, and national clothes and cuisine.



Dr. BK Vijay flanked by **Mr. S.S. Antipov**, Chairman of the Moscow Regional Writers' Union (left)



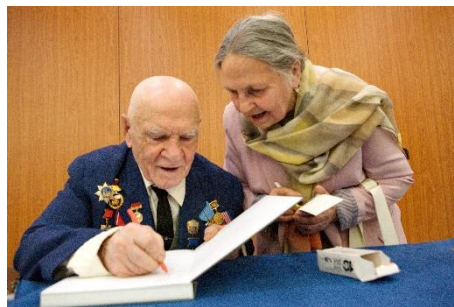
From left: **Ms. Namestnikova O.V.**, Director of the music school, **Pham Duc Hai**, Member of the Political party "United Russia", President of the National Center for the Development and Strengthening of the Vietnamese Community, **Dr. BK Vijay**, Brahma Kumaris, General **Mohamed Dadali**, **Ms. May Lin**, Member of the Society of Vietnamese Women in Russia



Ms. Savitskaya S.V., writer, chairman of the organizing committee "Golden Pen of Russia"

Brahma Kumaris were invited at another programme "Labour Valor is Heroism Beyond Time" - a Forum which was organized in honor of the 85th Anniversary of the establishment of the title of Hero of Socialist Labour and the 10th Anniversary of the title of Hero of Labour of the Russian

Federation. Heroes of various professions from different regions of the big country gathered for the festival. BK Nadezhda Ganikovskaya, (82 years old) along with other BKs met personally and congratulated Heroes of Great Nation.



BK Nadezhda is meeting the Heroes of the Nation