

Obituary, Prof. R. M. Dharkar - an IAPT veteran



We have received with a big shock and grief, on December 8, the sad news of the sudden demise of Prof. R. M. Dharkar a senior respected member of our IAPT family, at his residence in Pune.

He was a veteran and our legacy to the times of Dr. D. P. Khandelwal. Prof. Dharkar devoted his life to IAPT and worked with zeal and zest for the voluntary exams, in those days when conducting exams and evaluation etc used to be a much more laborious task. He continued to provide encouragement in the Olympiad programmes actively and also worked as a leading member of our Finance Committee, providing a valuable guidance always. We all last saw him online in the EC and the other Meetings, about six months back. It is indeed a great loss to our Organization. Prof. Dharkar will continue to inspire us in times to come.

We offer our heartfelt condolences to the bereaved family, and pray for the eternal peace of the departed soul.

- K N Joshipura, General Secretary IAPT