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**A REPORT ON
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Shiv Jayanti was started by Mahatma Jyotirao Phule in 1870 with the first ever event being held in Pune. Later Bal Gangadhar Tilak revived the image of Shivaji and worked to unite people against the British Raj through Shiv Jayanti.

Born on February 19, 1630 at Shivneri Fort in Pune, Shivaji managed to expand the influence of the Marathas over India through military forces, capturing and building forts and forming the Maratha navy. The warrior-king not only revived ancient Indian traditions and conventions, but also was instrumental in creating a progressive civil rule. He even promoted the usage of Marathi and Sanskrit, rather than Persian language, in court and administration. The date of his birth is celebrated as Shiv Jayanti every year.

Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Jayanti, which is a festival and public holiday of the Indian state of Maharashtra, sees citizens celebrating the birth of the warrior king through various social and cultural programmes as well as through the organization of processions in his honor.

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