



ST. THOMAS COLLEGE

Ranni, Pathanamthitta, Kerala - 689673

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1.3.1 : Institution integrates crosscutting issues relevant to Professional Ethics, Gender, Human Values, Environment and Sustainability in transacting the Curriculum

Programs addressing crosscutting issues

2019-2020

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CURRICULAR ASPECTS



Programmes related to cross-cutting issues conducted during the academic year 2019-20.

Date	Department/Cell/Club	Name of Programme	Coordinator	Specify the issues dealt with	Crosscutting Issue addressed in the Programme
17/12/2019	IQAC & Women's Cell & Men's Forum	Gender Sensitization Programme "NAAM" Series-I	Dr. Rigy Idiculla, Smt Binimol Mathew Sri Anish M Abraham	Gender Equity	Gender
04/02/2020	IQAC & NSS	Gender Sensitization Programme "NAAM" Series-II	Dr Rigy Idiculla & Dr Sreejaya R	Rights of Transgenders	Gender
27/02/2020	IQAC, English Department & NSS in Association with Haritha Keralam	Workshop on Environment Protection & Waste Management	Dr Rigy Idiculla, Dr Sneha Elcy Jacob & Dr Sreejaya R	Environment Protection & Waste Management	Environment & Sustainability



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28/02/2020	IQAC & English Department	Electronic waste disposal awareness workshop	Dr Rigy Idiculla & Dr Sneha Elcy Jacob	Electronic Waste Management	Professional Ethics
05/03/2020	Physical Education, Women's Cell & IQAC	Self Defence Class for Women 'Fierce Diva'	Captain John M George, Dr Rigy Idiculla & Smt Binimol Mathew	Self Defence Training for Women	Gender
12/02/2020	History	Gender sensitisation programme	Dr Deepa Roselin Joseph, Dr Susha S P	Problems faced by Transgenders	Gender
14/02/2019	Malayalam	Seminar about Gender awareness related to language and literature	Dr. Veena. S, Fr. Dr. Mathews Vazhakunnathu	Gender awareness related to language and literature	Gender
16/09/2019	Botany	Ozone Day Celebration	Dr. Devi Priya M	Ozone Layer Protection	Environment & Sustainability
19/06/2019	Botany	Organic farming	Dr. Francis Mathew	Create positive attitude towards farmers	Environment & Sustainability
02/07/2019	Botany	Star forest	Dr. Devi Priya M.	To set birth star plant garden	Professional Ethics



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02/09/2019	Botany	Exhibition on added products from Coconut	Dr. Vinod KUMar TG	Encourage the use of natural plant products	Professional Ethics
26/06/2019	Botany	Mangrove forest visit	Dr. Devi Priya M	Environment hotspot awareness	Environment & Sustainability
26/11/2019	Botany	One Day workshop on Taxonomy	Dr. Vinod Kumar TG	Biodiversity in the campus	Environment & Sustainability
25/09/2019	Botany	Green protocol- Pledge	Dr. Francis Mathew	To Practice green protocol	Professional Ethics
July 1-7 2019	Botany	Celebration of Vanamaholsava	Dr. Devi Priya M	Planting trees	Environment & Sustainability
11/10/2019	Bhoomitrasena Club & Zoology	Wildlife Week Observance	Dr. Aruna Devy, Swetha C	Wild habitat & Ecosystem	Environment & Sustainability
27/08/2019	Bhoomitrasena Club	Seminar on environmental issues	Dr. Aruna Devy, Swetha C	Emerging environmental issues of 21st century in the context of sustainable development.	Environment & Sustainability
12/02/2020	Physics	Science Day Celebration -based on "Women in Science"	Merin Jose	Women in the field of science	Professional Ethics



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15/12/2019	Zoology	Vermicompost unit in campus	Dr. Aruna Devy	Production of vermicompost by composting technology	Professional Ethics
06/06/2019	NSS	Environmental Day celebration	Dr. Vinod kumar T G & Dr. Sreejaya R	Planting fruit trees in volunteer's home	Environment & Sustainability
14/08/2019	NSS	Flood relief collection of materials to the collection centre	Dr. Vinod kumar T G & Dr. Sreejaya R	Awareness program on values of human life	Human value
26/09/2019	NSS	Organic farming	Dr. Vinod kumar T G & Dr. Sreejaya R	Nature awareness program	Environment & Sustainability
26/09/2019	NSS	Plant a Tree, Plant a Volunteer	Dr. Vinod kumar T G & Dr. Sreejaya R	Nature awareness program	Environment & Sustainability
03/08/2019	NSS	River bank protection initiatives by planting bamboo	Dr. Vinod kumar T G & Dr. Sreejaya R	Nature awareness program	Environment & Sustainability
26/11/2019	NSS	Blood donation camp	Dr. Vinod kumar T G & Dr. Sreejaya R	Awareness program on values of human life	Human value



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07/12/2019 to 12/12/2019	NSS	Clean Pampa Project	Dr.Vinod kumar T G & Dr.Sreejaya R	Awareness program of environment	Environment & Sustainability
21/12/2019	NSS	Anti Narcotic awareness campaign"	Dr.Vinod kumar T G & Dr.Sreejaya R	To emphasis Human values & ethics	Human value
21/12/2019	NSS	Collection and disposal of plastic waste	Dr.Vinod kumar T G & Dr.Sreejaya R	Awareness program of safe disposal of plastic	Professional Ethics
22/12/2019	NSS	Personality development	Dr.Vinod kumar T G & Dr.Sreejaya R	To emphasis human values and personality development	Human value
24/12/2019	NSS	Seminar on "Green Gramam"	Dr.Vinod kumar T G & Dr.Sreejaya R	Nature awareness program	Environment & Sustainability
25/12/2019	NSS	Visit to old age home	Dr.Vinod kumar T G & Dr.Sreejaya R	To emphasis Human values & ethics	Human value



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25/12/2019	NSS	Drug addiction, Personality development and on various new generation thoughts”	Dr.Vinod kumar T G & Dr.Sreejaya R	To emphasis Human values & ethics	Human value
18/12/2019	NCC,NSS, Bhoomitrasena & Nature club	plogging ceremony	Capt. John M George, Dr.Vinod Kumar T G Dr.Sreejaya R, Dr.R Aruna Devy & Mrs Swetha C	Awareness program of safe disposal of plastic	Professional Ethics
07/08/2019	IQAC & Nature Club	"Pralayananthara Pampa"	Swetha C	"Pralayananthara Pampa"	Environment & Sustainability
14/12/2019	WWS	Gender Sensitization	Swetha C	Gender Sensitization	Gender
30/11/2019	WWS	Environment Sensitization	Swetha C	Environment Sensitization	Environment & Sustainability

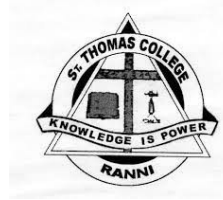


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28/11/2019	IQAC & IEDC	Workshop on Intellectual Property Rights	Dr Rigy Idiculla & Sri Jikku James	Intellectual Property Rights	Professional Ethics
21/01/2020	Dept of Physical Education and IQAC	Free Eye Camp	Captain John M George & Dr Rigy Idiculla	Eye Testing	Human value



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Programs related to crosscutting issues relevant to Professional Ethics, Gender, Human Values, Environment, and Sustainability during the Academic year 2019-20.

Gender sensitization programme for student's series II

On 17th December 2019, a gender sensitization program titled 'NAAM' was organized by IQAC in association with the Men's Forum and Women's Cell at St Thomas College Ranni, the chief resource person of the program was Smt. Soumya. E.K, (one-stop Crisis Centre Administrator, Women, and child development department), it was a two-hour program that was really productive for the students.

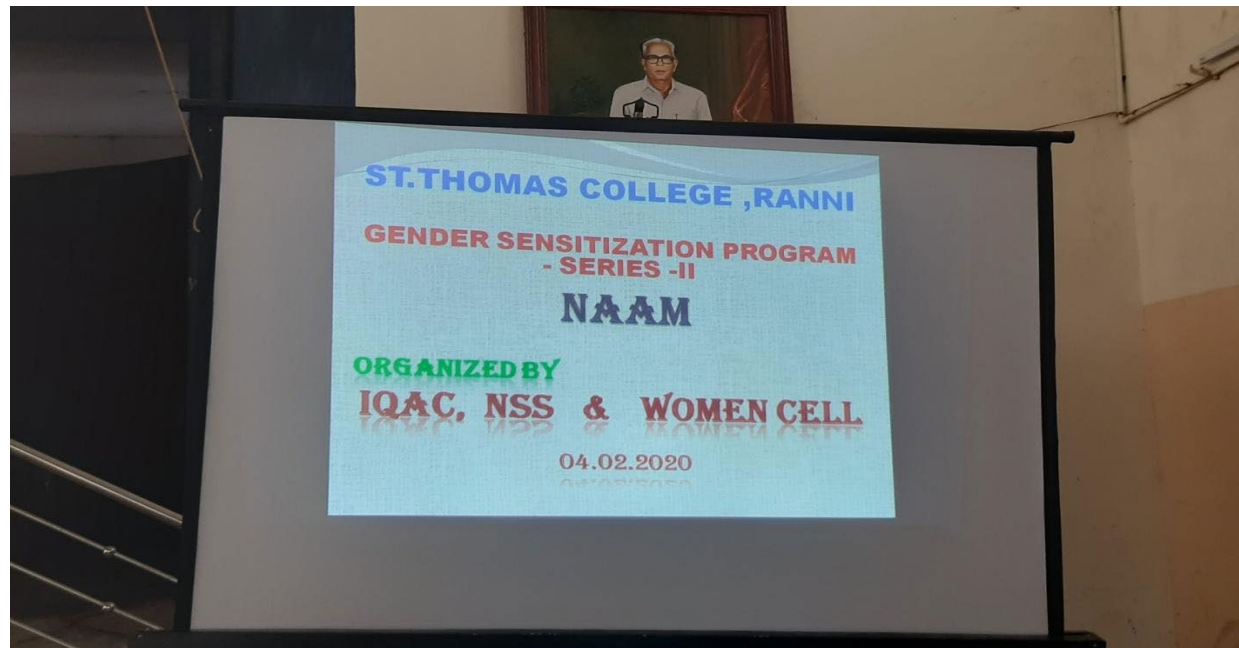


Gender sensitization programme series II

Gender sensitization program ‘NAAM’, series II, was organized by IQAC, in association with NSS and Women’s cell on 04-02-2020, on the occasion keynote address was given by transgender, Nakshatra V Kurup (Gender Justice Board member, Transgender activist Pathanamthitta). Mrs Ramadevi M V (Community Counselor, District level facilitator, Pathanamthitta) and Razia Sujeesh (Snehitha Service provider, Pathanamthitta) took classes for the students.



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Workshop on Environment Protection & Waste Management

St. Thomas college, Ranni IQAC in association with Harithakeralam, Pathanamthitta conducted a seminar in the college auditorium on the topic “Environmental protection and waste management”. An exhibition of the cloth products was conducted in the auditorium. Principal Dr. Lata Marina Varghese presided over the function and Adv. Sakker Hussain, Chairman of the child and welfare society inaugurated the seminar. The clean Kerala company manager M B Dileep Kumar and Royal Associate director Mr. Anil Kumar led the classes on “Bio waste management”. The NSS unit of the college was given the award for the best project proposal for clean and green campus. Dr. Rigy Idiculla, the IQAC coordinator of the college proposed the vote of thanks.



Electronic Waste Disposal Awareness Workshop

An electronic waste disposal awareness workshop was organized by IQAC and the Department of English in association with Green Ambassadors Foundation (an NGO working in the waste management sector) on 28-02-2020 at the seminar hall of the college, the founder of the NGO Mrs Pooja Elizabeth Abraham spoke on the use of scientific methods for disposal of electronic waste, she added that her organisation had collaborated with Karo Sambhav to organise informative and engaging e-waste awareness and collection drives for Bulk Consumers. Welcome address was



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delivered by Dr Rigy Idiculla (IQAC coordinator) and presidential address by Dr Lata Marina Varghese, Principal of our college. Mrs Pooja Elizabeth Abraham took an awareness class for two hours for first year students.



Self Defence Class for Women 'Fierce Diva'

A Self-defence class for women named 'FIERCE DIVA' was conducted by Department of Physical education, Women Cell and IQAC on 05/03/2020 at 3 pm. Honourable Principal Dr Lata Marina Varghese, Captain John M George (Dept of Physical Education), Dr Rigy Idiculla (IQAC Coordinator), Smt Binimol Mathew (Women Cell Coordinator) Spoke on the occasion regarding the importance of self-defence classes for women.



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GENDER SENSITISATION PROGRAMME

PROBLEMS FACED BY TRANSGENDERS

While trans people are increasingly visible in popular culture and in daily life, they still face severe discrimination, stigma and systemic inequality. So to identify the problems faced by transgender, the Department of History conducted a Gender Sensitisation programme with the



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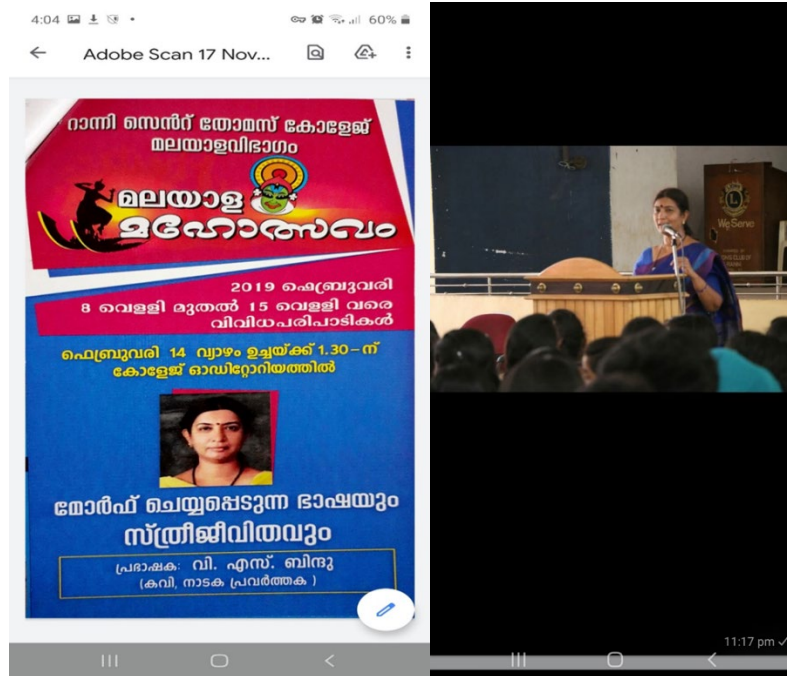
title 'Problems faced by transgender' on 12-02-2020. Students received an opportunity to interact with a transgender. The sort of inequality, unequal protection in work, school, and society in general were the topics covered under the session. 32 final year students participated.





Seminar about Gender awareness related to language and literature

The department of Malayalam conducted a seminar about the 'Feminist Vision in Literature' by V.S Bindu, the famous poet and writer in Malayalam language on February 14, 2019. The Co-Ordinaters are Dr. Veena. S. & Dr. Fr. Mathews Vazhakunnathu.





Report of Ozone Day Celebration (16.09.2019)

Department of Botany has organized the Ozone Day celebration sponsored by Kerala State Council for Science, Technology and Environment in collaboration with Bhoomithrasena Club and the programme was inaugurated by Dr KA Sreejith, Scientist, Kerala Forest Research Institute, Peechi on 16th September 2019. The theme of the programme was “Let’s protect our Ozone Layer for a better tomorrow”. The function was presided over by the Principal, Dr. Lata Marina Varghese. Dr. Devi Priya, Programme co-ordinator made the welcome speech. Dr. Sreejith gave keynote address. Dr. Vinod Kumar (Co-ordinator, NSS) and Dr. Aruna Devy (Co-ordinator, Bhoomithrasena Club) provided felicitation. After that, the technical session started. Dr. Sreejith gave an enlightening speech on the importance and conservation of ozone and its effect on environment. During the interactive session, the audience actively participated. Students raised various queries and he patiently cleared all their doubts. Due to lack of time, the various competitions associated with this celebration have been postponed to 18.09.2019. Students from various departments came and participated in various competitions like Quiz, Slogan writing, Essay writing etc. The winners were given certificate and a cash prize of Rs 500/- each.



Organic Farming:

In order to inculcate the traditional agricultural practices among students, Botany Department has started Organic Farming. The function was inaugurated by our Principal Dr. Lata Marina Varghese on 19th June 2019. Getting students involved in farming will help them to connect with nature and understand the importance of farming. This will also create a positive attitude among children towards farmers. Students also get opportunity to breathe fresh air and these outdoor activities also provide some sort of exercise.



Birth star plant garden:

As per Indian astrology, trees can relieve person from depression, sickness, physical, mental, and social trouble stress by planting a tree/plant relevant to the constellation existing at the time of his/her birth. Each tree keeps giving energy to that particular person/people born during that particular star and regular worship would come to all prosperity in one's life. Moreover, when a tree of any kind is planted, the result would come to the whole world. So the Dept of Botany initiated a program to set up a garden of Birth Star plants.



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The plants were collected with the help of students from various parts of Pathanamthitta. Separate space was provided by the college management to construct a star forest. The planting programme was officially inaugurated by Dr. Abhilash R., winner of Vanamitra Award 2019 hosted by the Department of Forests and Wildlife, Government of Kerala. All the birth star plants were planted in our Star Forest.





Report on value-added products from various parts of the Coconut Exhibition

In order to celebrate World Coconut Day (September 2) Department of Botany has organized an exhibition on added products from various parts of Coconut. The exhibition was inaugurated by our former principal Dr. Babu Joseph. Along with our principal Dr. Lata Marina Varghese, he viewed all the crafts made by the students of botany and appreciated the efforts made by the students. Ms. Aswathy MS (DC III Botany) was the student coordinator. Different types of charts were displayed on the history and uses of coconut. Students and teachers from various departments came and well appreciated the exhibition also the creativity of botany students.





Visit to Mangrove Ecosystem

After visiting Krishnapuram place, an archeologically important palace at Krishnapuram, 25 students and 3 staff from Dept of Botany went to Ayiramthengu for visiting the mangrove ecosystem. Ayiramthengu mangrove (9 06 to 9 08 N:76.28 to 76.29 E) is an important part of the kayamkulam estuary and is situated about 6 km west of Ochira town and the bank of Kayamkulam estuary. Ayiramthengu mangrove forest was declared an environment hot spot after it was ravaged by the Tsunami 2004 and threatened with extinction. We could come across about 9 species of mangrove vegetation. The vivipary nature of mangroves and the occurrence of aerial breathing roots were new experiences to students.





One day workshop on taxonomy

On 26th November 2019 Dept of Botany has organized a one-day workshop on Taxonomic Identification. Dr. ES Santhosh Kumar, Sr. Technical Officer, JNTBGRI, Palode, Trivandrum gave the keynote address. With great proud we can say that he is an alumnus of this Department. In the morning session he took a class on Importance of Taxonomy. Within 2 hours he provided a good outlook on plant identification methods and various naming methods to students. The noon session mainly focused on the hands-on training of taxonomic identification of plants in the college campus. With a group of keenly interested students (botany and zoology), he walked all around the campus and identified all plants and gave details of each plant with cues for rapid identification. The session came to an end at 4.00pm. Students of Botany were highly benefited with this program and the students highly appreciated the way of his presentation and plant identifying methods. In future we would like to conduct such programme as a national level workshop by inviting various eminent personalities like Dr. Santhosh.



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Green Protocol Pledge on 25.09.2019

Being a responsible citizen, we have certain responsibility towards our environment, hence Department of Botany took a pledge on green protocol on 25.09.2019. All the students and faculties in the Department were present for the programme. Green Protocol Coordinator Dr. Francis Mathew explained the methods we have to adopt to improve the environment of college campus. Ms. Gowripriya took the pledge and all repeated it. After the ceremony, a banner was displayed portraying the dos and orders to maintain green protocol in our campus.



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പലയിലും പ്ലാസ്റ്റിക് ബോട്ടിളുകളും നിർമ്മാണ കെട്ടിടങ്ങളിലും വസ്തുക്കളിലും പ്ലാസ്റ്റിക് പാത്രങ്ങൾ ഉപയോഗം പൂർണ്ണമായും ഒഴിവാക്കുകയും, മാലിന്യം പുറംകളിൽ അല്ലെങ്കിൽ പാലായി കൂമ്പിച്ച് ജൈവമാലിന്യം വളമാക്കി മാറ്റുകയും അല്ലെങ്കിൽ മാലിന്യം മാർഗ്ഗരീതിയിൽ സംസ്കരിച്ചും വിടുകയും സ്ഥാപനങ്ങളിലും പൊതുസ്ഥാപനങ്ങളിലും ജലസേചനത്തിനും സുരക്ഷിതമായി സൂക്ഷിക്കുന്നതിനുള്ള പ്രകൃതി സൗഹൃദ പദ്ധതിയാണ് ഗ്രീൻ പ്രോജക്ട്.

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"എന്റെ മാലിന്യം എന്റെ ഉത്തരവാദിത്വം"

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Celebration of Vanamaholsava

Vana Mahotsava is an annual tree-planting festival in the month of July. In this year this all over India, was celebrated on July 01 to 07. Students celebrated this week by planting various types of trees in college campus.



Wildlife Week Observance

A talk on 'Wild Habitat and Ecosystem' was conducted as a part of Wildlife Week Observance, inauguration and Keynote Address were given by Sri.S.Balasankar (Section Officer, Forest Department, Assistant Editor Aranyam magazine) It helped to create awareness and impart knowledge of biodiversity conservation and local environmental issues among students.

As a part of Green Campus Campaign distribution of Cloth carry bags was also inaugurated by presenting cloth bags designed by club members Ms.Arptha (D2 Zoology)and Ms.Rona (D1 Zoology) to Shri.S.Balasankar by Prof.Dr.Lata Marina Varghese Principal, St.Thomas College, Ranni on 11thOctober 2019.



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Seminar on environmental issues

To explore environmental concepts and actions which are beyond the curriculum and syllabus Bhoomitra Club arranged a seminar on the topic Emerging Environmental Issues of 21st century in the context of Sustainable Development on 27th August 2019. Dr. K.P. Joy, Chairman, State Environment Impact Assessment Authority and Retd. Principal of Basilius College Kottayam was the resource person. On behalf of the school it became a new experience to realize the environmental issues and its remedies.



Science Day Celebration -based on "Women in Science"

Science day is celebrated every year on 28th February to commemorate the discovery of the Raman Effect by the great Indian scientist Sir C V Raman. This year, St Thomas College, Ranni celebrated National Science Day on two days- 12th and 14th of February 2020. The National Science Day celebrations were organized by the Department of Physics St. Thomas College, Ranni, sponsored by the Kerala State Council for Science, Technology and Environment, and supported by the Department of Science and Technology, Govt. of India. The theme for this year's National Science Day celebrations was 'Women in Science'. The celebrations included competitions for the students on 12th and formal inaugural function followed by science lectures by eminent guests on 14th of February.



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The official inauguration of National Science Day was held on 14th February 2020. The inauguration was presided by Prof Dr Lata Marina Varghese, Principal of St Thomas College, Ranni. Prof Merin Jose welcomed the dignitaries and audience and Prof Anju Joseph addressed the gathering. Famous Indian scientist, K C Raghunath Pillai, Vehicle Director of Chandrayaan 2 Mission was the Chief Guest of the day who formally inaugurated the event. Ms Milu Susan Idicula proposed the vote of thanks.

The inauguration was followed by technical lecture by K C Raghunath Pillai after which the students were given the opportunity to interact with the eminent scientist. Students from all science departments of the college attended the class with much enthusiasm. His lecture was both interesting and informative.

Dr Pratibha Vasudevan, Assistant Professor in the Department of Physics, St Thomas College, Kozhencherry handled the afternoon session. She gave a lecture for one and a half hour which the students enjoyed thoroughly. The interactive session following the lecture was very much informative for all science lovers. As part of the celebration, caption writing, debate, elocution and drawing competitions were held in which students from various departments in the college participated.

The students of this college benefitted from the celebration of National Science Day. They became aware of the role of science and most importantly the part women play in this field.



WORKSHOP ON “VERMICOMPOSTING”

Workshop on Vermicompost held in the Zoology lab on 15/12/2018, Saturday at 11.00 AM. Dr. Aleyamma Kuruvilla addressed the gathering. Class was taken by M.r Abraham Joseph (Peerumedu development society). Joshi Joseph (Member, Haritha Kerala mission) gave felicitation. In the second session training on vermicompost given by Mr. Abraham Joseph. Zoology and Botany students attended the workshop. Harsha and Ann Mary of Haritha Kerala mission were also present on the occasion.



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ENVIRONMENTAL DAY CELEBRATION

World environmental day was celebrated by the NSS volunteers on 6th June 2019 by cleaning the campus and planting 100 trees. A seminar was conducted in connection with this and the chief guest was Dr, Gigi K Joseph, Assistant professor Nirmala college Muvattupuzha.





Flood relief collection of materials to the collection centre

Active participation of the collection of the flood contribution by the college staff and students and its transportation to the collection centre and reconstruction of the approach road at Erumeli after flood on 14.08.2019 by the volunteers.





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Organic farming

The organic farming unit started on the college campus by NSS volunteers on 26.09.2019 and the crop was harvested in November. As part of the “Plant a Tree, plant a Volunteer” program each volunteer planted a tree.



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River bank protection initiatives by planting bamboo

Planting the bamboo along the Pampa riverside for protecting the river side from flood on 03.08.2019 in association with the pazhavangadi panchayath.





Blood donation camp

A blood donation camp was conducted on the college campus on 26.11.2019 in association with Thaluk hospital Pathanamthitta and HDFC bank and 32 students donated blood to the blood bank.





Clean Pampa Project

Seven volunteers actively engaged in Pampa duty during the period 7.12.2019 to 12.12.2020 as they are deputed from the Pollution control board, Pathanamthitta.



Anti Narcotic awareness campaign

The second-day activity began with the seminar program conducted by Sri. Santhosh Kumar, Preventive officer of the Excise department, Ranni. His talk was on “Drug addiction in youth and how we can identify the addicted persons in our society and the remedial measures which can adopt by the NSS volunteers in our society. He explained the life of the addicted persons with examples and the class was very interactive.



Collection and disposal of plastic waste

St. Thomas High School Ranni, campus was cleaned by the volunteers and the plastic waste was collected for safe disposal at the collection center of the Pazhavangadi Panchayath.



Personality development

Dr. Sajeshkumar N K led the session on the personality development of the volunteer through NSS'. A group discussion was given to the volunteers as an activity on the topic “Contributions of an NSS unit to the College to make the college a Green Clean campus-A Practical Approach”. Each group presented their ideas and views.



Seminar on "Green Gramam"

A talk on the "Green Gramam- Thuruthikkara Panchayath" by Sri. P A Thankachan, Executive Director, Rural Science and Technology Centre, Thuruthikkara Was conducted on 24/12/2019 at 2PM.

Talk by Sri. P A Thankachan was very energetic and students were motivated for the creation of an eco-friendly village. The cloth bags prepared by the stitching training centre at Thuruthikkara was very attractive item. The students were motivated for making such attractive models in future.



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Visit to old age home

In order to create awareness among students about the people residing at orphanage homes and their sorrows, we planned a **visit to an old age home 12 km away from the camp site near Kozhencherry** on Christmas day and spend half a day with them. We selected the old age home “*Govt Old Age Home, Vayalathala P.O , Pathanamthitta district*” and sponsored the breakfast by our NSS unit.

The orphanage consists of 24 men’s and 23 women’s above 60 years of their age. We celebrated Christmas in that esteemed institution along with those parents and conducted the Christmas celebration along with them. The inmates were very happy with the volunteers and they felt sadness on departure. It was a unique experience for most of the volunteers in their life, which they revealed in the feedback session.





Drug addiction, Personality development, and on various new generation thoughts

An interactive session on “Drug addiction, Personality development and on various new generation thoughts”

In order to make **awareness on** various aspects among students, **an orientation** class was arranged on 25/12/2019 at 2 PM. Sri Jacob P Thomas, along with his team including 6 people took classes on ***Drug addiction, Personality development, and on various new generation thoughts***. The class was very attractive, interesting, and informative by the magical session arranged between the talk. Students were motivated and actively participated in the discussion session.



Plogging ceremony

As an awareness about health and the environment “Plogging” was conducted on 18th December 2019 by Bhoomithra Sena club members, NCC and NSS members, and other volunteers of St.Thomas College, Ranni. An awareness talk was also conducted by the BMSC Members.



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Pralayananthara Pampa

Nature Club in collaboration with IQAC and Pampa Parirakshana Samithy (PPS) has organized Environmental Seminar on ‘Pralayananthara Pampa’ on 7th August 2019 in the seminar hall. The function was inaugurated by Mr M Unnikrishnan (Divisional Forest Officer, Ranni). Ms. Rigy Idiculla (IQAC Coordinator) welcomed the gathering. Presidential address was delivered by the Principal, Prof. Dr. Lata Marina Varghese. Mr. N K Sukumaran Nair (General Secretary, PPS) gave the keynote address. Fr. Dr. Bensi Mathew Kizhakethil (Executive Committee Member, PPS) and Capt. John M George (Associate Professor, Physical Education Department gave the felicitation.



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Gender Sensitization

An external mentoring session (Gender Sensitization) of 1.5 hrs was provided for second year students of walk with a scholar programme on 14-th December 2019 by Dr. Sheena Eapen (Former HOD, Department of Hindi, St. Thomas College, Kozhencherry).





Environment Sensitization

A session on Environment Sensitization (1.5 hrs) was given by Dr. Nelson P Abraham (Retd. Teacher, Department of Zoology, St. Thomas College, Kozhencherry) on 30-th November 2019 for second-year students of the walk with a scholar programme.





Workshop on Intellectual Property Rights

Innovation and Entrepreneurship Development Center (IEDC) in collaboration with IQAC organized a workshop on Intellectual property rights (IPR) in the college auditorium on 28/11/2019. The programme was presided over by Dr.Lata Marina Varghese. Lt.Dr.G.Geethika, Assistant Professor, U C College Aluva inaugurated the programme and handled the session on IPR.





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Free Eye Camp





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Department of Physical Education in association with IQAC organized a Free Eye Camp on 21/01/2020, it was a one-day camp that was opened to Students and the Community. More than 150 people attended the camp. Doctors and staff from Allen and Eye Clinic led the camp.

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