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From the Principal's desk.....

A warm greetings from Holy Cross College (Autonomous), Nagercoil. Our college offers, customized curriculum-based course, taking into consideration of international, national, regional and local needs. The persistent effort of our institution has been to unlock all the hidden potentials of the students and hone them as women leaders with all round formation.

The college focuses on the mantra 'Crossian Model' which encompasses inclusion, professionalism, efficiency, time management, innovation, capacity building, accountability and transparency, relationship management, and eco-friendly of which commitment with compassion are the base. Staffs and students have undergone diverse opportunities to explore, excel and empower, the outcome of which is flashed out in the December 2022 issue of IQAC Newsletter.

I appreciate and applaud the members of IQAC, for their fruit of their hard work. Do travel with us in the unexplored journey towards quality education, innovation and entrepreneurship.



Dr. Sr. S. Sahayaselvi

Principal

From the Editorial desk.....

IQAC plays a vital role in developing institution into a quality education centre. It brings forth the achievements of the institution. It standardizes academic activities with the objective of sustained academic growth, identifying the areas that need improvement with novel ideas. This newsletter showcases the achievements of this academic year and documents the efforts of the students and faculty members who have brought laurels to the institution in the academic front and in co-curricular and extracurricular activities. The editorial team brought out this Newsletter with the particulars of important activities of our college carried out from June to December 2022.

“QUALITY NEEDS NO INTRODUCTION, IT SPEAKS FOR ITSELF” – WILLIAM WALSH

Retrospective Glance

A regional level Faculty Development Programme on 'Effective Teaching Strategies for Quality Enhancement in Higher Education Institutions' was organised by IQAC on 14.07.2022 and 15.07.2022. Dr. K. Maran, Professor and Director, Sri Sai Ram Engineering College, Chennai and Dr. S. Thiagarajan, former Head, Department of Economics, Sourashtra College, Madurai were the resource persons.



A six days 'Student Induction Programme' was conducted from 25.07.2022 to 02.08.2022 with the motto of bridging the gap between school and college ambience among first year students. They were given orientation on curriculum, clubs and committees, zumba fitness program, yoga, health and hygiene.



IQAC in collaboration with Crossian Human Resource Development Centre organised an orientation programme on 'Professional Development for Junior Faculty in Higher Education Institutions' on 05.08.2022 and 06.08.2022. This programme was aimed to give orientation on the functioning of our college and prepare them effectively to carry

out the responsibilities and to shoulder as stake holders of this institution.



Campus Animation Team along with the Management, celebrated 'Mother Foundress Day' on 10.08.2022 by conducting various competitions for students, faculty and supportive staff. Prizes were distributed to the winners.



The Inaugural and Investiture ceremony of the Students' Council, Departmental Associations and Clubs and committees for the academic year 2022-2023 was held on 12.08.2022. Mr. R. Mahesh, Mayor, and Mrs. Mary Princy, Deputy Mayor, Nagercoil Municipal Corporation presided over the function.



Independence Day was celebrated on 15th August, 2022 by hoisting the National Flag. Rtn. J. Helen Davidson, Ex. Member of Parliament, Lok Sabha Kanyakumari and Dr. P. Mary Helen, former Head and Associate Professor of History were the guest of honour. The programme came to a close with the National Anthem.



The Campus Animation team of our college had arranged for a Holy Mass on 17.08.2022 to implore God's blessings on our institution. Rev. Fr. Thain Raja, HGN, offered the Eucharistic Prayer.



Holy Cross Bazaar was conducted on 22.08.2022 by the Startup Committee and Institution Innovation Council of our college. Ms. Parveen Matthew, Correspondent, Corpus Christi School, Nagercoil was the chief guest.

The Fine Arts Day was celebrated on 24.08.2022. Ms. Afina Arul, Super Singer Junior was the chief guest of the day. The students enjoyed her musical concert.



Alumnae meet was held on 03.09.2022. The alumnae shared their past experiences in the college. The meet also created a platform to identify the most distinguished alumnae of our college.



Teachers Day was celebrated on 05.09.2022 by the students with respect and love for their teachers. Short documentary videos about their Department teachers were screened by the respective department students.



Onam festival was joyfully celebrated in our college on 07.09.2022. The students made an attractive and beautiful pookolam and presented onam dance. Dr. Sr. Sahayaselvi, the Principal addressed the gathering and wished all the students a Happy Onam.



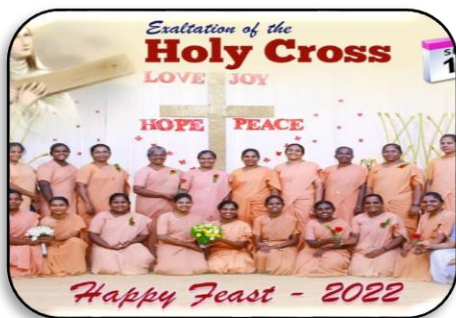
Muthamil Vizha was celebrated on 11.10.2022. Dr. K. Pardhipa Raja, Assistant Professor, Sacred Heart College, Thirupathoor was the chief guest. Variety of programmes were conducted to make the students to get aware of Iyal, Isai and Nadakam.



Holy Cross feast was celebrated on 13.09.2022. The students, faculty and supportive staff gave colourful programmes. The Sisters of the Holy Cross also displayed an eye-capturing programme.



World Students' Day was observed on 15.10.2022 to commemorate the birth anniversary of the late former President, Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam. Dr. Sr. Leema Rose, the Vice-Principal felicitated the gathering.



The Annual Retreat for the outgoing students was held on 27.09.2022 and 28.09.2022. The students were animated by Rev. Fr. Michael Arockiasamy, Rev. Fr. Jeyan Joseph, Rev. Fr. Arul Antony and Rev. Fr. Prabin Soosadimai



On 21.10.2022, Deepawali was celebrated. The programme began with a group song followed by a mesmerizing dance performance by the students. Dr. Sr. Sahaya

selvi, the Principal greeted the students and staff on that auspicious occasion.



On 29.10.2022, the Startup Committee and Institution Innovation Council of our college conducted 'Kaloori Angaadi' in which the students displayed various varieties of food.



The 29th Graduation Day was organised on 05.11.2022. Prof. Dr. N. Chandrasekar, Vice-Chancellor, Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Tirunelveli delivered the Graduation day address and distributed the degree certificates.



Our college in collaboration with Rotary Club of Nagercoil conducted 'Yadhumanaval 12.0', a programme that emphasized on the empowerment of girls on 15.12.2022. Dr. JayanthaSri Balakrishnan, a renowned

motivation speaker addressed the gathering. Rtn. V.R. Muthu, District Governor was the guest of honour.



On 22.12.2022, the Campus Animation Team and Deans of students conducted an interdepartmental Crib competition with the theme 'Balagan Thedum Vidiyal'. The winners and the participants were awarded with trophies.



On 23.12.2022, Christmas Day was celebrated. The celebration included rhythmic performances from students, faculty and supportive staff and an add-on surprise of sweets sprinkled by Santa Claus. The staff and students were completely spellbound with the Christmas gratification. The Christmas message was delivered by the chief guest Rev. Fr. Jeyaseelan, OFM.

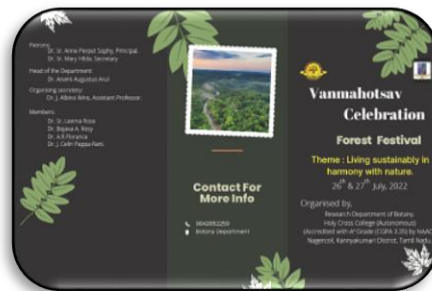


Highlights of the Departments

On 11.07.2022, the Department of Commerce S.F. II organized a 'Digital Poster Making Competition' in which the students gained a valuable experience in accessing the digital platform.



'Van Mahotsav Week' was observed on 26.07.2022 and 27.07.2022 by the Department of Botany. Many competitions like Essay Writing, Slogan Writing, Pencil sketch, Photography and Video Editing were conducted to inculcate the importance of planting trees and preserving forests areas among students.



In connection with the 'World Population Day', the Department of Economics conducted various intradepartmental competitions like Essay writing, Slogan writing and Pencil drawing on 15.07.2022. The competitions brought out the talents of the students.



On 28.07.2022, the Department of History joined hands with the Department of Physical Education, in welcoming the Chess Olympiad which took place in Chennai with their creative chess themed Rangoli.



On 21.07.2022, the Commerce S.F. II organized a 'Paper Bag Competition'. The theme of the event was to instill the awareness of using ecofriendly bags that contribute to environmental protection.



On 02.08.2022, the Department of Botany conducted a meeting on 'Gender Equality in Children'. Ms. D. Catherin Mary, Nodal Co-Ordinator, Childline, Holy Cross College (Autonomous), Nagercoil shared her valuable words with the students and gave awareness on CHILDLINE of Kanniyakumari District.



In Collaboration with IIC, the Department of Computer Science organized a programme on 02.08.2022, titled 'Entrepreneurship in mobile Application Development'. Mr. Ganesh, Project Manager, Hi-Tech Solutions, Nagercoil was the resource person. He motivated the students to develop mobile Apps.



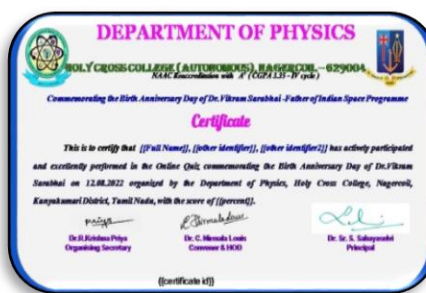
A Regional Level Crash Course on cracking NET/SET Examinations was held on 04.08.2022 and 05.08.2022 by the Department of English. The event was adorned by Mr. Vijay Krishna, Assistant Professor of English, S.T. Hindu College, Nagercoil, Mr. S. Anish Joseph, Assistant Professor of English, S.T. Hindu College, Nagercoil, Ms. Maria Helen Janoba, Assistant Professor of English, Holy Cross College (Autonomous), Nagercoil, Dr. P. Satya, Vice-Principal, Holy Cross College (Autonomous), Nagercoil and Dr. Virgin Nithya Veena, Assistant Professor of English, Holy Cross College (Autonomous), Nagercoil. The programme provided an insight to attempt NET/SET Examinations with confidence.



The Department of Economics organized 'Organic Food Day' on 11.08.2022. Students expressed their interest by selling home-made organic food items inside the college campus. The main theme was to stress the health benefits of organic food.



The Department of Physics conducted online quiz competition on 12.08.2022 to commemorate the birth anniversary of Dr. Vikram Sarabhai—Father of India's Space Programme which stirred up the space thirst among the students.



On 16.08.2022, the Department of Chemistry conducted a 'Logo Contest' to pick out the best logo for the Chemistry Startup. This contest exhibited the creativity and innovation of the students.



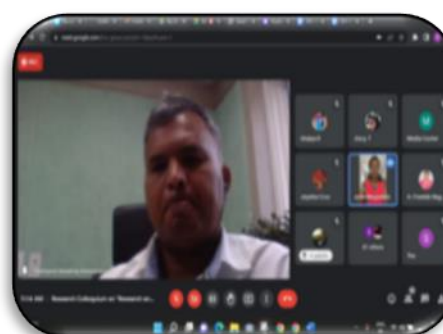
The Department of Zoology organized ‘Sadhavana Diwas’ on 18.08.2022. Various competitions focussing on National Integration were conducted and the students stressed the need for unity in diversity.

A programme titled “Sitirilakkiyankalum Samuga Matrangalum” was organized on 29.08.2022 by the Department of Tamil. Dr. K. Narayanan, Assistant Professor, M.S. University Extension Center, Vadasery, Nagercoil enlightened the students on Sitirilakkiyankal.



‘Chem Clean’ a Startup of the Department of Chemistry was launched on 22.08.2022 to encourage the students to become future entrepreneurs.

An online research colloquium on ‘Research and Publication Ethics’ was organised by the Department of Chemistry on 30.08.2022. Dr. A. Sennyson Savariraj, Department of Advanced Components and Materials, Engineering Sunchon National University, South Korea enlightened the research scholars on ethics for research and publication.



Dr. A. Juliet Selvaraj, Asst. Professor, Dr. J. Jayalalitha, Fisheries University, Parakkai delivered her speech at the ‘Research Colloquium’ conducted by the Department of Zoology on 27.08.2022. The research scholars were enriched with novel ideas on Aquaculture research.

To commemorate the birth anniversary of Dr. Swaminathan, the Department of Botany arranged an organic food Festival on 30.08.2022. Mr. K. Ajith, Proprietor, Organic Farming, Tirunelveli exhibited their organic products for sale.



An association meeting was organized by the Department of Commerce S.F. II on 30.08.2022. Dr. Jesi Isabella, former Head and Associate Professor in Commerce, Holy Cross College (Autonomous), Nagercoil delivered a talk on 'Entrepreneurship and Skill Development'.



The Department of English organized a programme titled 'Literary Theories' on 01.09.2022. Dr. V. Sumitha, Assistant Professor of English, Women's Christian College, Nagercoil enlightened the students with the recent trends in literary theories.



The Department of French organized a webinar on 03.09.2022, titled 'The challenges and Experience of English Assistant in France'. Ms. Swetha Suresh, Catalogue Quality Associate, French Amazon, Chennai was the resource person. She delivered an inspirational speech regarding abroad studies and employment opportunities in France.



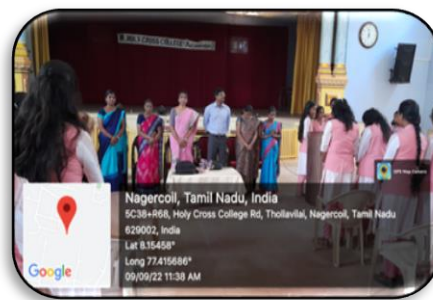
On 03.09.2022, the Department of Commerce S.F. II expressed their joy of sharing by visiting an orphanage. This developed an attitude among the students to support the needy with what they have.



On 06.09.2022, the department of Commerce S.F. I arranged a meeting on 'Digital Marketing'. Mr. N. R. Raghav, Digital Marketing Manager, Vollmond Academy, Dr. P. Lovelin Auguskani, Director of Metat Wealth Pvt. Ltd. created awareness on techniques in digital marketing.



The Department of Computer Science organized a programme on 07.09.2022 titled 'Code With Django'. Mr. N. R. Raghav Narayanan M.B.A., Digital Marketing Manager, Vollmond Academy enriched the students in the field of high-level Python web framework.



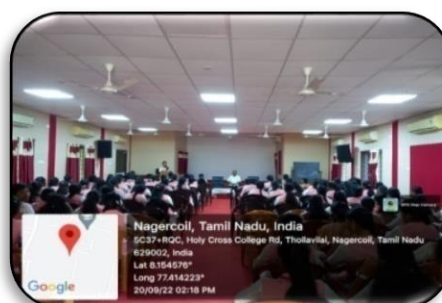
The Department of Tamil S.F. organised a programme related to Transgender community on 09.09.2022. An extensive talk by Dr. Sr. Gerardin Jayam, former Secretary, Holy Cross college, (Autonomous), Nagercoil shed light on the various facets of the problems faced by Transgender community.



On 09.09.2022, the Department of Commerce conducted an orientation programme in which Dr. T. Rita Rebekah, Associate Professor and Controller of Examinations, Department of M.B.A., Xavier's Institute of Business Administration, St. Xavier's College, Tirunelveli and Dr. A. Madhu, Managing Director, Wisdom Academy of Commerce and Business Studies, Tirunelveli motivated the students to take up higher studies like C.A., C.M.A., C.S., etc.



On 20.09.2022, the Department of Botany conducted a green initiative programme, 'Save our Native Rice'. Mr. R. Ponnambalam, Managing Trustee, CREATE, Nagercoil delivered a motivational talk on the values of organic rice and its varieties.



The Departmental Newsletter, 'CHIRPS' of the Department of Zoology was released by Dr. Sr. Mary Hilda, Secretary, Holy Cross College, (Autonomous), Nagercoil on 23.09.2022. The newsletter showcased all the

departmental activities for the academic year 2021-2022.



The Department of Social Work organized a Folk Arts Training programme on 23.09.2022 for the students in which the students enthusiastically learned Folk Arts.



The Department of Mathematics conducted an orientation programme titled 'Future Prospects for Maths Graduates' on 23.09.2022. Mr. Anto Xavier, Founder of 'Turning Point', Nagercoil guided the students in employment opportunities in the field of mathematics.



The Department of Zoology observed 'World River's Day' on 24.09.2022 by removing the plastics and other floated solid waste from a nearby water channel and there by motivated the public not to pollute the water bodies and

stressed the importance of conservation of water and environment.



The Department of History conducted 'TORNUS-2022', an Intercollegiate Quiz competition on Tourism and Current Events on 24.09.2022. Dr. R. Parvathi, former Associate Professor of Mathematics, Holy Cross College, (Autonomous), Nagercoil was the quiz mistress.



On 28.09.2022, the Department of Computer Science organized a workshop on 'Python Programming'. Mrs. J. Jackulin Reeja, Research scholar Department of Computer Science, Nesamony Memorial Christian College, Marthandam trained the students in Python programming.



To inculcate the spirit of entrepreneurship in students, the Department of Commerce S.F.

II conducted a programme, 'Top 7 Digital Marketing Job in 2023' on 30.09.2022. Mr. N. R. Raghau, Founder and Director, Vollmond Academy spoke about jobs related to digital marketing. Students get motivated to become an entrepreneur.



On 01.10.2022, the Department of Botany established a Blossom Nursery. The event was inaugurated by Dr. Sr. Sahayaselvi, the Principal. Numerous herbaceous and ornamental plants were exhibited for sales.



On 03.10.2022, the Department of Botany conducted a training programme on 'Floral Arts' in which the women of Kallukoottam village were trained in floral arrangements.



The Department of Social Work organised a rural camp at Deepam Kovalam on 04.10.2022. The inmates were given

awareness on drug addiction by Jesuit Rev. Fr. Franko.



On 06.10.2022, the Department of Computer Science conducted a programme on 'Ways to Advance your Technology Career'. Mr. Jayakumar, Project Manager, Foisy's delivered an interesting session on the recent growth in computer technology.



The Department of Zoology conducted an exhibition on 07.10.2022 which helped the students to showcase their talents and ideas for the conservation of wildlife, hotspots and endangered species.



To bring out the artistic talents of the younger generation, the Department of English S.F. conducted an inter-collegiate

competition, “CROSSLINKS” themed Legends and Myths on 07.10.2022.

by the students of M.S.W. Fr. Dr. Nelson was the guest of honour.



On 08.10.2022, the Department of Physics arranged a programme titled, ‘An art of Future India 2025.’ Dr. C. Ram Kumar, MoE, Innovation Ambassador, Associate Professor, BME, Dr.N.G.P. Institute of Technology, Coimbatore was the resource person. Students got ideas to make many innovative project models.

A programme on ‘Women Empowerment’ was organized by the Department of Mathematics S.F. on 10.10.2022. Dr. K. Jeya Daisy, Assistant Professor of Mathematics, Holy Cross College (Autonomous), Nagercoil shared her thoughts with the students on various problems faced by women in India and enriched them with ‘women’s authority’.



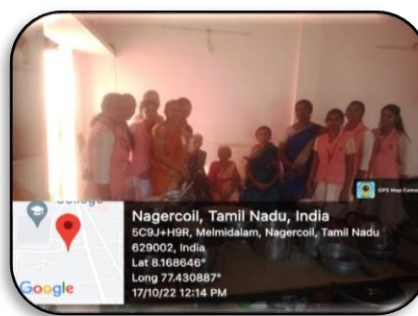
The Department of Mathematics organized an exhibition on 10.10.2022. Various mathematical concepts were exhibited as working models which captured everyone’s attention.

On 12.10.2022, a programme on ‘Ozone and Plants’ was organized by the Department of Physics. Dr. K. Kavitha, Associate Professor, Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Tripathisaram, Kanyakumari District was the resource person. In the session, she emphasized the impact of ozone level variation on plant life cycle.



Awareness on ‘Mental Health’ was delivered through a special street play on 10.10.2022

On 13.10.2022, the Department of English conducted a programme on 'Innovative Writing Skills and Content Development'. Ms. A. Naveena, Assistant Professor of English, Pasumpon Muthuramalinga Thevar College, Melaneelithanallur engaged the students with practicing new innovative writing skills and gave ideas on how to be a successful content writer.



The Department of Zoology conducted an awareness program on 'Breast Cancer' on 17.10.2022. Dr. Beena Theres, Medical Officer, Dept. of Yoga and Naturopathy, Lifestyle Clinic, Kanyakumari Govt. Medical College Hospital, Asaripallam delivered a valuable speech on symptoms, diagnosis and treatment of Breast cancer.



The 'International Day for Eradication of Poverty' was observed on 17.10.2022. The Department of Economics participated in this event by distributing food to the inmates of Abaya Kendra, Nagercoil.

On 18.10.2022, the Department of Mathematics conducted an awareness talk on 'Solid Waste Management'. Er. A. Alvin J. Anand, District Environment Engineer (Rtd), Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board was the chief guest. He emphasized the importance of solid waste management.

On 19.10.2022, the Department of Tamil S.F. organised a Guest Lecture on 'Writing Skill'. Dr. Hermana Gilt Arachi, former Head of the Department of Tamil, Holy Cross College, (Autonomous), Nagercoil highlighted on writing skills in Tamil language.



The Department of Chemistry organised an intradepartmental 'Chem Expo' on 20.10.2022. Students exhibited their creativity and innovation through models and various simple experiments.



On 20.10.2022, the Department of Commerce S.F. I conducted Inter Class Quiz Competition 'BUIZ QUIZ' to develop interest in subject areas of Commerce and Management. Dr. J. M. Vinitha Charles, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Holy Cross College (Autonomous), Nagercoil served as the quiz mistress.

contributions of Sardar Vallabhai Patel towards Indian nation.



On 31.10.2022, the Department of Mathematics S.F. conducted a Mathematical model making competition. Students participated by presenting impressive Mathematical models and explained its applications.



An exhibition on 'The Social History of England' was organized by the Department of English S.F. on 26.10.2022. It made the students to think beyond their textbooks.



On 04.11.2022, the Department of History and Department of Social Work joined hands to organize the Vigilance Awareness Week Celebration themed 'Corruption Free India for a Developed Nation' at Vadasery Christopher Bus Stand and Meenakshipuram Anna Bus Stand, Nagercoil.



To commemorate the birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhai Patel, the Department of History organized 'National Unity Day' exhibition on 31.10.2022. The students exhibited various models showing the



A Street Play on 'Corruption Free India' was played by the students of Department of Social Work on 04.11.2022.



Competition themed 'Jawaharlal Nehru- the Architect of India'. The function was adorned by Dr. Sr. Sahayaselvi, the Principal, Holy Cross College (Autonomous), Nagercoil.



On 10.11.2022, the Department Zoology arranged for a career development programme titled, 'Rewarding career opportunities in Life Sciences. Mr. Anto Xavier, Director, Turning Point, Nagercoil enlightened the students for their future endeavours.



On 14.11.2022, the Department of English S.F. published the Newsletter for the academic year 2019-2020. Dr. P. Sathya, the Vice-Principal was the guest of honour.



The Annual Newsletter of the Department of Botany was published by Dr. Sr. Sahayaselvi, the Principal, Holy Cross College (Autonomous), Nagercoil on 11.11.2022.



On 15.11.2022, the Department of Chemistry organized a 'Workshop on Blood Grouping and Blood Testing'. Mrs. Vijila Christy, Lab Technician, Vivek Laboratory, Nagercoil trained the students in analyzing the blood samples.



The Department of History celebrated 'Children's Day' on 14.11.2022 by conducting Inter School Elocution

Research Endeavours
Paper Publications in Books/Peer Reviewed Journals by faculty

- Books - 6

Journals

- International - 65
- National - 27

Paper Presentations by Faculty

- International seminars - 29
- National seminars - 4

Projects

Dr. Abilasha, Assistant Professor of English was sanctioned with a project grant of Rs. 20,000/- from Indian Council for Philosophical Research.

Staff Achievements

Heartly congratulations to Dr. E. Jeba Malar, Assistant Professor, Department of English S.F., Dr. Sr. K. Francy, Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry and Dr. B.T. Delma, Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry for being awarded with Ph.D.

Faculty as Resource Persons/Guest Speakers

Dr. M. Anitha Malbi, Assistant Professor of Chemistry gave a talk on 'Competency Skills' to the students of Carmel Higher Secondary School, Nagercoil on 02.09.2022.

Dr. J. Jenepha Mary, Assistant Professor of Physics acted as resource person in 30th National Children's Science Congress 2022-23 co-ordinated by Tamil Nadu Science Forum (TNSF) held at Scott Christian College, Nagercoil on 30.11.2022.

Dr. Sheeba Daniel, Assistant Professor of Chemistry gave a talk on 'Orientation on ARIIA and YUKTI', in the Faculty Development Programme on 'Innovation, Incubation and Entrepreneurship Development' held at Noorul Islam, Centre for Higher Education, Kumaracoil, Thuckalay on 20.12.2022.

On 02.09.2022, Dr. K. Baby, Assistant Professor of History delivered a talk on 'Active Listening Methodologies' among the

school students of Carmel Higher Secondary School, Nagercoil.

Dr. K. Baby, Assistant Professor of History, gave a motivational talk on 'Sathanai Pennai Nee' Pudu Sarithram Padaikka Vaa' at Mylaudy school on 06.09.2022.

On 16.09.2022, Dr. M. T. Arunmozhi Nangai, Assistant Professor of Tamil delivered a speech on 'Koperumcholanin Paaduporul' in Tharkalath Thamizhiyal Aaivu Pokkukal – 2022 conducted by Sanga Ilakkiyaa Aivu Naduvam in Perambalur.

Dr. S. Jeni Sanjana, Assistant Professor of Economics delivered an inspirational talk on 'Positive Thinking in my Journey' at Govt. High School, Soorankudi, Nagercoil for NSS students of St. Joseph's Convent Higher Secondary School on 30.10.2022.

On 31.10.2022, Dr. J. M. Vinita Charles, Assistant Professor of Economics gave an inspirational talk on 'Namadhu Vazhkai Nammadhu Kayil' for the NSS students of St. Joseph's Convent Higher Secondary School, Nagercoil at Government High School, Mela Soorankudi.

Dr. K. Baby, Assistant Professor of History delivered a talk on 'Rotaryum Samuthaya Paniyum' at Rotary club of Midtown.

Dr. S. Mary Pearly Sumathi, Assistant Professor of Commerce, Holy Cross College (Autonomous), Nagercoil gave a talk on 'Social Media and Youth' for the students of NSS Camp at St. Joseph's Convent Higher Secondary School on 03.11.2022.

Dr. C. Braba, Assistant Professor of Commerce, Holy Cross College (Autonomous), Nagercoil, delivered a talk on 'Youngsters as Entrepreneurs' to students of NSS Camp, held at St. Joseph's Convent Higher Secondary School on 03.11.2022.

On 22.04.2022, Dr. M. Justin Buela, Assistant Professor of Tamil, delivered a talk on 'Tamil illakiya vazhamai' to the students of Sree Ayappa Women's College, Chunkankadai.

Awards and Honours

Dr. Sr. K. Francy, Assistant Professor of Chemistry got Best oral presentation award in International Conference on 'Advanced Materials and their Applications' organised by P.G. and Research Department of Chemistry, V. O. Chidambaram College, Thoothukudi on 29.10.2022.

Dr. M. T. Arunmozhi Nangai, Assistant Professor of Chemistry was awarded with Kabilar award for paper presentation in the seminar 'Tharkalath Thamizhiyal Aaivu Pokkukal – 2022' conducted by Sanga Ilakkiyaa Aivu Naduvam at Perambalur.

Conferences/Seminars/Endowment Lectures Organized by the Departments

The Department of Economics in association with IIC conducted a seminar titled 'Motivational Factors and Entrepreneurial Intention' on 12.10.2022. Dr. M. Janarthanan Pillai, Prof and Head, Faculty of Management Studies, Noorul Islam Centre for Higher Education, Thuckalay inspired the students how to be a skillful entrepreneur.



On 09.11.2022, the Department of Economics organized Sr. Elsy George's Endowment Lecture on 'WOMENOMICS'. Dr. D. Hysin Reba, Assistant Professor, PG and Research Center, Department of Economics, Scott Christian College

(Autonomous), Nagercoil was the guest of honour.



The Department of Computer Science in collaboration with IIC organized a seminar on 'Entrepreneurship in mobile Application Development' Mr. Ganesh, Project Manager, Hi-Tech Solutions was the resource person.



On 22.08.2022, the Department of Chemistry organized an Endowment Lecture on 'Chemistry for a Successful Life'. Dr. R. Ragel Mabel Saroja (Alumni), Head of the Department of Chemistry, Scott Christian College (Autonomous), Nagercoil widened the knowledge on Chemistry.



The Department of Tamil S.F. organized a webinar on 26.08.2022. Mr. John Richard, Tamil Poet, Iarland, Dr. G. Beski, Head of

the Department of Tamil, St. Joseph College, Trichy and Mr.Kadigai Antony, Tamil Poet, Nagercoil were the resource persons.



The Department of Mathematics conducted a lecture on ‘Environment and Health’. Dr. S. Mary Mettilda Bai, Assistant Professor of Zoology, Holy Cross College (Autonomous), Nagercoil was the guest speaker. She spoke about the interconnection between environment and health.

The Department of Tamil organized V.V. Endowment Lecture on ‘The Medical System of Palanthamizhar’ on 29.08.2022. Mrs. Anbu Hannah Dora, Associate Professor, Department of French was the resource person. The students came to know about the medical system of palanthamizhar.



The Department of English S.F. conducted a seminar on ‘Gender Equity’ on 21.09.2022. Dr. Jeni Chandar Padua, Assistant Professor of Zoology, was the resource person. She delivered an insightful speech on the importance of attaining equality between men and women, eliminating all forms of discrimination against women. She exhorted the students to understand their role in decision making and their right to practice any job of their choice.

On 06.09.2022, the Department of History organized a One Day National Seminar on ‘Exploring New Dimensions of History’. Dr. S. Jeevanandam, Assistant Professor, Department of History, Sikkim Central University, Gangtok, Sikkim, Mrs. Siva Sathyavalli, District Curator, Government Museum, Tirunelveli and Dr. M. S. Thangam, Associate Professor and Head, Department of History, Sarah Tucker College, Tirunelveli were the resource persons. Students and the scholars came to know about the new trends in historical writing and publications, new excavations and the unknown facts about the freedom fighters of Tamil Nadu.



On 23.09.2022, the Department of Zoology organized a National level seminar on 'Next Generation Therapeutics -A Novel Approach'. Dr. John Bernet Johnson, E1 Scientist, Dr. Kathiresan Natarajan, Scientist C, Rajiv Gandhi centre for Biotechnology, Kerala Dr. Shakila, Professor and Head, Department of Molecular Biology, M.K. University, Dr. S. RaviChandran, Assistant Professor of Zoology, Govt. Thirumagal Mills College, Parangipettai were the resource persons for the seminar. The students gained knowledge about Therapeutics of next generation in detail.



On 13.10.2022, the Department of English organised a seminar on 'Innovative Writing Skills and Content Development'. Ms. A. Naveena, Assistant Professor of English, Pasumpon Muthuramalinga Thevar College, Melaneelithanallur was the guest of honour. The students were oriented on practicing innovative writing skills and were given ideas on how to be a successful content writer.



The Department of Commerce S.F. II organised a Webinar titled 'Writing Skills and Publication of Journal Articles in SCOPUS and Web of Science' on 24.09.2022. Dr. Malathi Selvakumar, the Principal, S. A. College of Arts and Science, Chennai enriched the students on the nuances of publishing research papers in SCOPUS and Web of Science.

The Department of French organized a seminar titled 'French Les mots et les sons: entrainez-vous' on 19.10.2022. The resource person Ms. A. Josephine Dheena, Research Scholar, Department of French, Avinashilingam Institute, Coimbatore gave an extensive talk on phonetics and sentence constructions in French.



The Department of Tamil organized V. Ronimus Aratchi Endowment Lecture on 30.09.2022. Dr. Sr. Gerardin Jeyam, former Secretary, Holy Cross College, (Autonomous), Nagercoil was the guest of honour and she spoke about the Life of Transgender people.

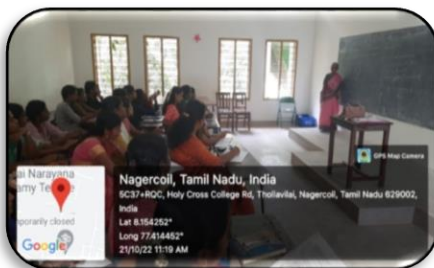
On 19.10.2022, the Department of Tamil S.F. organised a guest lecture on 'Tamil

Illakiangal'. Students acquainted themselves with the rich heritage of Tamil literature from the speech delivered by Dr. Hermana Gilt Arachi, former HOD, Department of Tamil, Holy Cross College, (Autonomous), Nagercoil



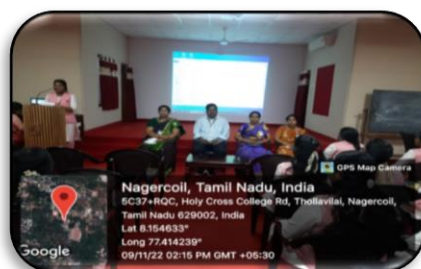
An Endowment Lecture on 'A note on a conjecture of G.R.T. Hendry' was held by the Department of Mathematics on 21.10.2022. Dr. Parvathy, Associate Professor (Rtd), Department of Mathematics, Holy Cross College, Nagercoil enriched the students on the concept of the conjecture of G.R.T. Hendry.

On 27.10.2022, the Department of English organised an Endowment lecture on 'History and Facts of Kannyiakumari'. Dr. Antony Prakash Babila, Assistant Professor of Tamil, Holy Cross College, Nagercoil was the resource person. The students were enlightened on the various historical facts and incidents that led to the transformation of the native Kannyiakumari District.



The Department of Commerce aided conducted a seminar on 'Be a startupprenuer: To scale New Heights' on 21.10.2022. Dr. Lourdes Poobala Rayan, Director, Center for Entrepreneurship Development, HC President, Francis Xavier Engineering College, Tirunelveli motivated the students to become an entrepreneur instead of working as an employee for salary under an employer.

Sr. Rosamma's Endowment Lecture on 'Applications of Spectroscopy' was organised by the Department of Physics on 09.11.2022. Dr. S. Kannadasan, Associate Professor, School of Advanced Sciences, Vellore Institute of technology, Vellore was invited as the chief guest. The UG and PG students, research scholars got good idea in the applications of spectroscopic techniques in medicine and in research areas of various disciplines.



On 11.11.2022, the Department of Botany organized a National Seminar on ‘Synthetic Biological Approaches for Environmental sustainability’. Dr. Joseph Selvin, Professor and Head, Department of Microbiology, School of Life Sciences, Pondicherry University and Dr. J. Rajesh Banu, Associate Professor, Department of Biotechnology, Central University of Tamilnadu, Tiruvarur were the resource persons. Students got thorough knowledge about the recent trends in Synthetic Biology.



Student's Accomplishments

M. Abisha, research scholar, Department of Physics has won the best paper presentation award in the DST-SERB Sponsored National Conference on ‘Recent Trends in Green Chemistry and Material Science (RTGCMS-2022)’ conducted by Mohamed Sathak Engineering College, Kilakarai on 25.08.2022 and 26.08.2022.

T. Santhiya, research scholar, Department of Economics presented a paper on ‘An Economic Study on AARI Embroidery business in Nagercoil Town’ in the international conference on ‘Research, Innovation and Entrepreneurship for Sustainable Economic Development’ held on 07.09.2022 at Patrician College of Arts and Science, and Kongu Arts and Science College, Erode.

Activities of Clubs and Committees

IIC

Institution's Innovation Council of Holy Cross College (Autonomous), Nagercoil was rewarded with 4 star rating by the Ministry of Education's (MoE's) Innovation Cell,

Government of India for the IIC calendar year 2021-2022.

A session on ‘Accelerators/Incubation – Opportunities for Students and Faculty – Early-Stage Entrepreneurs’ was organised on 23.06.2022. Ms. Jerina Bubby, Assistant Director, MSME, Tirunelveli, addressed the gathering. On 23.06.2022, a mentoring session on ‘Lean Startup and Minimum Viable Business’ was conducted through online zoom platform by the resource person, Mr. Jose Robin, Entrepreneur, Oasis Group of Companies, Oman. A seminar on ‘Angel Investment and Venture Capitalist: Funding Opportunity for Early-Stage Entrepreneurs’ was organized by the Startup Cell on 20.07.2022. The program was adorned by Ms. Nirmala Guru, CEO, Guru Business School, Qatar. Six students and two mentors participated and exhibited the Solar Dispenser prototype in the Smart India Hackathon 2022 - Grand Finale held on 25.08.2022 to 29.08.2022. On 21.09.2022, IPR Cell of IIC organised a workshop on ‘Patent Drafting Process’ by inviting Dr. Sheeba Daniel, Innovation Ambassador, Assistant Professor of Chemistry of our college. On behalf of India Startup Day celebration, our college established five startups headed by various departments. Rev. Fr. Jegath Gaspar, the founder ‘THE RISE’ was the chief guest of the day. On 11.11.2022, a one day program on ‘Entrepreneurship Promotional Activity for Outgoing Students’ was organised by EDII and addressed by Dr. M. Dhiliphan Kumar, Master Trainer, Entrepreneurship Development and Innovation Institute, Government of Tamil Nadu.



YRC

An orientation programme on ‘Youth Red Cross’ was organized on 26.09.2022 for the students by Dr. A. Delphin, Assistant Professor of Tamil (S.F.) of our college focussing on development of willingness to take part in social works. A talk on ‘Women Empowerment’ was given by Dr. S. Kavitha, Assistant Professor of Mathematics (S.F.) of our college on 13.10.2022 to motivate the students to develop entrepreneurial skills and achieve in life. An oration on ‘International Day of the Girl Child’ by Dr. Ashelishma Roshiba, Assistant Professor, Department of English (S.F.), Holy Cross College (Autonomous), Nagercoil was held on 28.10.2022.



Consumer Club, Legal Literacy and Human Rights Club

A business meet was organized by the Legal Literacy Committee on 18.08.2022 to showcase the opportunities in initiating startups and venture in business. A consumer awareness programme was organized by the Consumer Club on 02.09.2022 and 06.10.2022 to instill awareness on the Consumer Protection Act. A discussion on ‘POCSO Law’ was steered amongst the

students to throw spotlight on the various laws implemented to safeguard women and children. On 20.10.2022, a discussion on ‘Fundamental Rights’ was sparked among the students to create awareness. This session served as an eye-opener.



Rotaract Club

On 26.09.2022, Dr. K. Baby, the Coordinator of Rotaract Club gave a talk on ‘National Peace Day’ which highlighted the importance of maintaining national integrity. Dr. Leema Rose, Assistant Professor, Department of Mathematics (S.F.) gave a motivational speech titled ‘Entrepreneurship’ on 20.10.2022. Rotaractors shared their ideas on ‘Poverty Eradication in India’ on 28.10.2022.



AICUF

Representing our college, three students and a staff attended the programme on ‘Tamil Nadu AICUF Dalit Commission’ from 06.08.2022 to 08.08.2022 held in Don Bosco Youth Village, Keeranur, Puthukottai, Fr. Parthasarathy, the AICUF Advisor, Loyola College was the resource person. On 10.11.2022, a talk on ‘Importance of Indian Constitution’ was given by Fr. Anna Raj, the

AICUF state Advisor, Tamilnadu in the college campus.



Employment Information, Career Guidance and Placement Cell

The Employment Information Career Guidance and Placement Cell organised, 'Mega Job Fair' on 30.07.2022 with 1590 participants. Mr. Vijay Vasanth, M.P. of Kanniyakumari Constituency and Mr. J. G. Prince, M.L.A. of Colachel Constituency and Mr. Rajesh Kumar M.L.A. of Killiyur Constituency were invited as chief guests of the day. About 740 eligible graduates within the Kanyakumari district were recruited by various companies. A seminar on 'Study Abroad' was conducted by Dr. C. Selvamony, Managing Director, ACS International Consultancy, Nagercoil on 02.09.2022. An orientation programme on 'Essential Skills of Employability' was conducted by Mrs. Angelin Indira Jeevamony, Chief Executive Officer, Ed-Zoe on 22.09.2022. Furthermore, Winner Choice IAS Academy conducted general knowledge test for state level competitive exams. Mr. S. Bibin Raj, Course Director Banking, Veranda Race Chennai organised an orientation programme on 'Naan Muthalvan Scheme' on 24.09.2022. TVS Training and Services conducted a campus recruitment drive for ICICI Bank. Mr. T. Anantha Boopathy, Managing Director and M.Vijayan, Senior English Faculty, ECC Academy, Nagercoil, conducted an orientation programme on 'Competitive Exams' on 28.10.2022.



Red Ribbon Club

A Blood Donation Camp was organised by RRC of our college on 30.09.2022 in collaboration with the Asaripallam hospital. On 13.10.2022, Dr. C. Josephine Priyadarshini, Assistant Professor, Department of Zoology gave a talk on 'Roles and Responsibilities of RRC Members'.



Campus Animation Team

On 20.07.2022, an orientation programme on 'Ethics and Values and Code of Conduct for Students' was organised by the CAT team and addressed by Dr. Sr. Leema Rose, Vice-Principal and Dr. H. Jimsy Asha, IQAC Director, Holy Cross College, Nagercoil. Interdepartmental Competitions were held on 08.08.2022, in connection with 'Mother Foundress Day' which was celebrated on 10.08.2022. A retreat for outgoing students were arranged on 27.09.2022 and 28.09.2022 in which Fr. Michael Arockiyaswamy and his team oriented the students spiritually.



Crossian Centre for Women Empowerment

On 18.08.2022, an awareness program titled 'Organ Donation: A rethinking for Reliving' was addressed by Ms. Ashmin of II B.Sc Physics. The program was an eye opener for all the participants and many students pledged to donate their organs. A seminar on 'Humanity: Then and Now' was presented by Ms. T. Thanusha of II B.Sc. Physics on 02.09.2022. On 01.10.2022, an awareness program 'Kumari Green Fest' was conducted by the Women Cell in collaboration with RISE foundation. The programme was addressed by Rev.Fr. Jagath Cuspar. A training on vermicompost preparation was organized and addressed by Dr. S. Prakash Shoba, Assistant Professor of Zoology and Dr. C. Anitha, Assistant Professor of Zoology, Holy Cross College, Nagercoil on 20.10.2022.



NSS

On 27.06.2022, an awareness programme was conducted on 'World Anti-Drug Day'. NSS volunteers spreaded awareness on the importance of Anti-Drug by sticking labels on vehicles. On the same day, a rally was organized by the Drug Rehabilitation Centre, Kanyakumari which was addressed by Mr. M. Arvind, District Collector, Kanyakumari

district. On 15.08.2022, the 75th Independence Day was celebrated and 75 teak saplings were distributed to the college students. Rtn. J. Helen Davidson, Ex. Member of Parliament, Lok Sabha Kanyakumari and Dr. P. Mary Helen, former HOD and Associate Professor of History hoisted the flag. Election commission of Kanyakumari along with NSS of our college organised a programme on 'Training on Merging Aadhar with Voter ID' under the headship of Mr. S. Seker, the Tahsildar, Agasteeswaram on 29.08.2022. The 'International literacy Day' was observed on 07.09.2022 by the NSS volunteers in which they identified the school and college dropouts, counselled them to continue their education. On 07.09.2022, an awareness programme on 'Meendum Manjapai' was organised. Dr. Sr. Sahayaselvi, the Principal and Dr. Sr. Mary Hilda, the Secretary of our college were the resource persons. Yellow bags were distributed to the common people to promote an eco- friendly environment.



Eco Club

On 13.10.2022, Dr. A. Punitha, Assistant Professor, Department of Zoology of our college gave a Talk on 'Terrace garden'. Moreover, she created awareness on the toxic effects of chemical fertilizers usage on human health. Dr. S. Ajith Sinthuja, Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry, gave a talk on 'Say no to plastics' on 28.10.2022.



Childline

The CHILDLINE Kanniyakumari, Holy Cross College (Autonomous) in collaboration with Kottar Social Service Society organised 'Drive against Drug', a mass awareness programme on 'Boothaiyaal Paathai Maara Vendaam' on 13.08.2022. An awareness programme for the hostel students was organised on 21.09.2022 and Mrs. Catherine Mary, CHILDLINE Nodal coordinator addressed the gathering.



Guidance and counselling

The Guidance and Counselling Committee in collaboration with District Social Welfare Organisation, Kanyakumari and Thiruppumunai Addiction Ministry, Kottar conducted a Diploma Course on 'Media intoxication, Addiction and Intervention' from 12.11.2022 to 06.05.2023. The first day of the session was addressed by Dr. Sr. Sahayaselvi, the Principal of our college on the topic 'Digital social media – Prime Achievements and Problems'. On 26.11.2022, the session was addressed by Dr. Sr. Leema Rose, the Vice Principal. Mrs. Mary Deepa, Head of the Department of MSW gave a talk on 'Wonders of Science

and Technology: Smart phones an Overview'.



ALUMNAE

On 21.07.2022, the executive meeting of the alumnae association was conducted. The Alumnae Chapter Meet was arranged by the batch mates of different batches like 1990, 1995, etc. on various days. On 02.08.2022 Amutha Surabi Program was initiated to provide mid day meals for students in need. On 03.09.2022, the annual alumnae meet was conducted by the Alumnae Association. About 450 alumnae from different batches participated in the programme.



CHRDC

On 13.07.2022, the CHRDC organised a programme on 'Administrative Efficacy – Need of the hour' for the administrative staff. On 05.08.2022, a programme on 'Strategies for Creating Happy Classrooms' was organised. Dr. H. Jimsy Asha, IQAC Director was the spokesperson of the topic. On 05.08.2022, a programme was organised on the topic 'Academic Assessment and Teacher Accountability'. Dr. J. Vinoliya Josephine Mary, Controller of Examinations addressed the members. On 06.08.2022 Dr.

Sr. Mary Hilda, the Secretary of our college, delivered a captivating talk on ‘Crossian Quest’. Furthermore, the importance of teacher student relationship was emphasized by Dr. Sr. S Sahayaselvi. To inspire NET/SET preparation among the outgoing PG students an orientation programme was organised by CHRDC. Dr.J. Vinoliya Josephine Mary, Controller of Examination Dr.P.Sathya, Vice Principal and Ms.S. Fransta Dharshana, Assistant Professor of English



LIBRARY

A Training Programme on “N-List” was organised by Dr. Rev.Sr. Mary Johnsy, the Librarian from 08.08.2022 to 24.08.202 for the first year students of our college. On 18.08.2022, a State Level Seminar on ‘Library in the Modern Era’ was organised in association with Kanyakumari Librarians’ Federation. The programme was attended by Librarians of various colleges in Kanyakumari District. Mr. C. Kalidoss District Library Officer, Kanyakumari District and Dr. A. Amutha, Librarian, VHNS College, Virudhunagar were the guest of honour.



RUN

On 08.10.2022 the students of UBA organized a programme, ‘Village Walk’ in Madathattuvilai Village to create awareness on quality education among school going students. Programmes on ‘Protecting the Environment’ and ‘Empowering Women’ were held at Samithoopu and Pillaitoopu villages on 27.10.2022 and 29.10.2022. During this the students cleared up the sea shore areas by removing plastics and other solid wastes. An awareness visit was made to regarding On 27.10.2022 a visit was made to the Government Middle School, Pozhikkarai to create awareness on ‘Clean India campaign’



UBA

On 15.08.2022, students from various departments visited Keela Krishnaputhur, Puthenthurai, Keelamanakudi etc. to focus the importance of attending Grama Sabha Meet – a place to express our grievance to the local government. On 24.09.2022, students from all department visited many villages to create awareness on Entrepreneurship. Health and Hygiene, Water resource management, sanitation, Solid waste management, etc. The students also visited Kovil Villai, Pozhikarai and Manakudi to stress the importance of Digital literacy and Solar electricity



Fine Arts Committee

The Fine Arts Committee of our college conducted on stage fine arts competitions on 24.08.2022 and 25.08.2022. Afina Arul the celebrity of Star Vijay Super Singer Junior was invited as the chief guest. The off-stage programme were continued on 26.08.2022 and 27.08.2022. On 15.11.2022, the fine arts winners were awarded with prizes by the administrative team.



Quiz Club

On 17.10.2022, the Quiz Club conducted the Inter-School and Inter-College Quiz competitions. Mr. Muthukumar, SIOL Quiz Club, Pondicherry was the Quiz Master for Crossings-2022. Prelims for the same was conducted through online platform on 13.10.2022. The Interdepartmental Quiz competition was held on 11.11.2022. About 13 teams participated in the event. Ms. M. Abisha, Research Scholar, Department of Physics, Holy Cross College (Autonomous), Nagercoil was the Quiz mistress.



Health and Hygiene

Health and Hygiene Team created awareness related to obesity, irregular periods and thyroid complaints by inviting Dr.S. Shandic Kumar on 18.10.2022.



Industrial Visit

Date	Department	Place
13.08.2022	Botany	Algae visit
29.08.2022	Chemistry	Titanium Industry, Thiruvananthapuram
06.09.2022	Commerce S.F. II	Aalangula, Nannagaram
7.09.2022	Commerce aided	SIDCO, Vallioor
26.09.2022	Botany	Taxonomy field visit
21.10.2022	Commerce S.F. I	LOFTY Opticals, Puthukadai, K.K.Dt.
10.11.2022	Botany	Neyyar Dam aquarium, Botanical garden, Cheruvaarkonam, Zoological Park and Centre for marine and Fisheries Research

		Institute Marine Research Aquarium, Vizhingam
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Sports

Winners at the National Level Tournament/ Athletic Meet

Participants	Game/Event	Date & Venue	Position
Gracena G. Merly, II M.A. English	High Jump	30.09.2022 IIT, Gandhinagar Ground, Gujarat	3 rd place

Winners at the State Level Tournament / Athletic Meet

Participants	Game/Event	Date & Venue	Position
M.Abinaya, I B.A. English (Aided)	Triple Jump	16.10.2022 & 19.10.2022 SDAT Stadium, Tiruvannamalai.	3 rd place
T.Sowmiya, III B.A. Economics	Weight lifting	4.11.2022 & 06.11.2022 Thanjavur	2 nd place

Winners at the District Level Tournament / Athletic Meet

Participants	Game/Event	Date & Venue	Position
R. Ramya, M.A. English	Marathon Race	13.08.2022 Padmanabhapuram Palace	1 st place
C. Harishma, II B.A. English	Mini Marathon Race	13.08.2022 Padmanabhapuram Palace	2 nd place

R.Ramya, I M.A. English (Aided)	5 km. Run	25.09.2022 Nellai	1 st place.
C.Harishma, II B.A. English (Aided)	5 km. Run	25.09.2022 Nellai	7 th place.
R.Ramya, I M.A. English (Aided)	10 km. Marathon	29.09.2022 Nagercoil	1 st place
1.C.Harishma, II B.A. English (Aided)	1500 m Run	01.10.2022 & 02.10.2022 Aringar Anna Stadium, Nagercoil	1 st place
.K.Antony Clatcia, II B.A. English (Aided)	100 m Run & 200 m Run	01.10.2022 & 02.10.2022 Aringar Anna Stadium, Nagercoil	1 st place
M.Gopi Sree, II B.Com.	Shot put	01.10.2022 & 02.10.2022 Aringar Anna Stadium, Nagercoil	1 st place
M.Gopi Sree, II B.Com.	Discus throw	01.10.2022 & 02.10.2022 Aringar Anna Stadium, Nagercoil	2 nd place
4. M.Abinaya, I B.A. English (Aided)	Long Jump & Triple Jump	01.10.2022 & 02.10.2022 Aringar Anna Stadium, Nagercoil	1 st place
K. Therese Kaviya, III B.A. English (Aided)	200 m Run	01.10.2022 & 02.10.2022 Aringar Anna	1 st place

		Stadium, Nagercoil	
Football Players (12 players)	Football	19.11.2022 & 20.11.2022 Thoothoor	3 rd place
R. Ramya, I M.A. English	400 m	19.12.2022 & 20.12.2022 Anna Stadium, Tirunelveli	1 nd place
R. Ramya, I M.A. English	800 m	19.12.2022 & 20.12.2022 Anna Stadium, Tirunelveli	1 nd place
C.Harishma, II B.A. English (Aided)	1500 m	19.12.2022 & 20.12.2022 Anna Stadium, Tirunelveli	2 nd place
C.Harishma, II B.A. English (Aided)	800 m	19.12.2022 & 20.12.2022 Anna Stadium, Tirunelveli	3 rd place
M.Abinaya, I B.A. English (Aided)	Triple jump	19.12.2022 & 20.12.2022 Anna Stadium, Tirunelveli	1 st place
M.Abinaya, I B.A. English (Aided)	Long Jump	19.12.2022 & 20.12.2022 Anna Stadium, Tirunelveli	1 st place
M.Gopi Sree, II B.Com.	Shot Put	19.12.2022 & 20.12.2022 Anna Stadium, Tirunelveli	1 st place
R. Jayarunisha I B.A. Economics	Hammer Throw	19.12.2022 & 20.12.2022 Anna Stadium, Tirunelveli	2 nd place

Endeavours of IQAC

- The IQAC and the Crossian Human Resource Development Centre jointly organized an orientation programme for Non-Teaching staff on “Administrative Efficacy-Need of the Hour” on 13.07.2022. Dr. S. Thiagarajan, Former head, Department of Economics, Sourashtra College, Madurai served as a resource person.
- A regional level Faculty Development Programme on “Effective Teaching Strategies for Quality Enhancement in Higher Education Institutions” was conducted from 14.07.2022 to 15.07.2022. The first day was occupied by Dr. S. Thiagarajan, Former head, Department of Economics, Sourashtra College, Madurai who gave an intellectual discussion on personality development and performance enhancement. The second day was handled by Dr. K. Maran, Professor and Director, Sri Sairam Engineering College. He enlightened the teachers on different teaching pedagogies towards the enhancement and enlightenment of the teaching-learning process and towards entrepreneurial and employability exposure.
- The Student Induction Programme (SIPP) was organised from 25.07.2022 to 02.08.2022 for the first year UG students. Eminent Lecture series, Campus Tour, Department orientation, Introduction and Socializing, Traditional games, Zumba fitness program, Yoga, Bridge Course, Career opportunities and Take off with spoken English made the session interesting and informative. As an outcome of the programme, freshers were able to display confidence and successful

transition into the new academic environment.

- The IQAC and the Crossian Human Resource Development Centre jointly organised an orientation on “Professional Development for Junior Faculty in Higher Education Institutions” from 05.08.2022 to 06.08.2022. Five experts from Holy Cross Cross, Nagercoil served as resource persons.
- A Hands-on Training on Log in Vidwan- A subject Expert Database and National Researcher’s Network” was organised for the teaching faculty on 05.10.2022 . Dr. Krishnaveni, Department of Computer Science, Holy Cross Home Science College, Tuticorin was the resource person. Hands-on training helped faculty members to create Vidwan ID and to increase their score value.
- A Regional level Orientation programme on “Quality parameters for enhancing NIRF “was conducted for the faculty on 26.10.2022. Dr. John Prince Soundaranayagam, IQAC Director, VOC College, Tuticorin and Dr. D. Radhika, IQAC Assistant Director, VOC College, Tuticorin were the resource persons.

- SLOC Analysis was consolidated for constructive changes.
- IQAC Internal meets were conducted other than regular meetings.
- Student Satisfactory Survey was conducted
- IQAC in association with LYCHD, Chennai conducted a programme, “Train the trainers on English Fluency skills” for faculty in two batches from 29.11.2022 to 03.12.2022 and from 08.12.2022 to 13.12.2022. Dr. Finny and Mary were the resource persons.

Upcoming events

- Annual Academic Audit
- Seminar on Data Science
- Orientation programme for curriculum restructuring
- Sarakondri student magazine release
- Conference on trends and Perspectives in Mathematics and Applied Mathematics

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