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OUR VISION

The vision of our college is to provide a value-based education that nurtures authentic individuals and enhances the quality of life through meaningful social interactions in a culture of solidarity and cultivates teachers to inspire and guide future generations.

OUR MISSION

St. Joseph's Training College, guided by the CMI vision of education and the principles of founder St. Kuriakose Elias Chavara, fosters a friendly respectful, and value-based environment. The college is dedicated to nurturing teachers who inspire and guide future generations emphasizing hard work justice and sincerity. By embracing diversity and embodying the values of our patron St. Joseph, the college aims to develop enlightened individuals who contribute positively to society. Committed to academic excellence, ethical integrity and solidarity our college provides vibrant research environment and collaborative spirit

Guardian Teacher Association elects new office bearers for 2023-2024

The Guardian Teacher Association (GTA) held its general body meeting on October 27, 2023, marking a significant event in the college's academic calendar. The meeting was pivotal in electing the office bearers for the academic year 2023-2024. The new leadership team comprises President Mr. K.A. Tony, Vice President Ms. Sindhu V., Secretary Mr. Anto Varghese, and Executive Members Ms. Mini Tresa E.D., Mr. James V.O., and Mr. James T.E. The GTA continues to play a crucial role in fostering a vibrant and supportive academic environment. The association's consistent cooperation and support in college activities have been highly commendable.

Inclusive Education in focus: St. Joseph's Training College leads National Conference



St. Joseph's Training College, Pavaratty, in collaboration with Mahajubilee Training College and St. Joseph's Training College, Mannanam successfully organized a two-day national conference on inclusive education. On November 24th and 25th, 2023, the conference focused on "Addressing Diverse Needs in Inclusive Education: Strategies for Equitable Learning Environment." The event provided a platform for educators, researchers, and practitioners to discuss and explore strategies for creating equitable learning environments. Keynote addresses were delivered by Dr. Deepa Varghese, Principal of St. Joseph's Training College, Pavaratty, and Prof. Dr. Happy P. V., Principal of the Institute of Advanced Studies in Education, Thrissur. Their presentations, along with various sessions and workshops, aimed to share innovative practices and evidence-based strategies for fostering inclusivity in education.

Mr. Sanjayan T.S., Assistant Professor at GVM Dr. Dada Vaidya College of Education, Goa conducted a talk on "Integrating All Learners in Inclusive Education". Dr. Premchandran P., Assistant Professor at Navajyothi Training College Olarikkara, provided an informative session on "Effective Inclusion: Challenges and Solutions." Rev. Fr. Dr. Chacko Chiramel, Principal of Mahajubilee Training College, highlighted the significance of collaboration among educational institutions to cultivate an inclusive educational culture. Dr. Benny K. M., Principal of St. Joseph's Training College, Mannanam, emphasized the critical role of policy and community support in advancing educational equity.

The conference concluded with a call to action for educators to integrate the discussed strategies into their institutions. Mrs. Bigy Antony, the conference coordinator, expressed her appreciation to all participants and reaffirmed St. Joseph's Training College's commitment to promoting inclusive education.

Stina M.J. elected chairperson: College Union and Fine Arts inauguration held

On October 30, 2023, the college conducted its elections for the College Union in line with university regulations. The results saw Stina M.J. elected as Chairperson, Mary Sandra as Vice Chairperson, Anna Priya P.S. as General Secretary, and Malavika T.S. as Joint Secretary. The positions of Fine Arts Secretary, Student Editor, General Captain, and UUC were filled by Anjali P.T., Nileena K.D., Jopaul Anto C, and Gayathri A., respectively. The inauguration of the new College Union and Fine Arts activities took place on November 17, 2023. The event was highlighted by a performance from Mr. Suhaid Kukku, the runner-up of D4 Dance, who graciously officiated the ceremony.



Students join Anti-Drug campaign launch

On October 27, 2023, students actively participated in the launch of the 'Anti-Drug Campaign' by tuning into a livestream of the inaugural event. The campaign is dedicated to fostering drug-free environments within college campuses and the wider community, emphasizing collective efforts to address and prevent drug abuse.

Vidhyarambham and Induction programme 2023-2024 Held

The admission process for the 2023-2024 academic year began on July 14, 2023, welcoming 100 students across various optional subjects, including Commerce, English, Malayalam, Mathematics, Natural Science, Physical Science, and Social Science. Following the successful completion of the admission procedure, classes commenced on August 8, 2023. The Vidhyarambham ceremony, marking the formal start of the academic year, was held on September 21, 2023. Shortly after, a three-day Induction Programme was conducted from September 25 to 27, 2023, to introduce the new students to the academic environment and their roles as future educators. The programme featured a series of orientation sessions by distinguished speakers. On September 25, Dr. Binoj V.C. delivered an inspiring talk on "Teaching is the Art of Lighting a Spark, Not Filling a Vessel." The next day, Dr. Mallika Balakrishnan focused on the "Role of Teachers in Behavior Modification of Children." The Induction Programme concluded on September 27 with a session by Dr. Mahamood Shihab K.M., Principal of Ansar Training College, Perumpilavu, who spoke on "Unlocking Potential: Mentoring and Team Building."

The event was a successful initiation for the new batch, setting a positive tone for the academic year ahead



Maria Jomy leads Garbage-Free Pledge at Nava Kerala Sadas

On December 5th, 2023, the St. Joseph's High School Grounds witnessed the Nava Kerala Sadas program, a significant event aimed at promoting waste management initiatives under the State Government's directive. The highlight of the event was the Garbage-Free Pledge, passionately delivered by Maria Jomy, a second-year Natural Science student.

Glimpses of Art & Drama Wokshop



Graduation ceremony honours 2021-2023 Batch

The institution's Graduation Ceremony for the 2021-2023 batch took place on August 24, 2023. The event was graced by Rev. Fr. (Dr.) Anil George CMI, Vice Principal of St. Thomas College (Autonomous), who served as the chief guest.

Dr. Anitha K.D. awarded trophies to the college toppers, while V. Rev. Fr. Joseph Alappat CMI, the Manager, presented trophies and cash prizes to the toppers of optional subjects. Special endowments were given by Rev. Fr. Antony Velathiparambil CMI: the Advocate Andrews Mathew Endowment for the top student and the Manju Memorial Award for the top commerce student.

Prizes were also distributed to students who excelled in SET and K-TET exams. The ceremony concluded with the launch of the magazine 'SHRADHA,' with the student editor presenting the first copy to the Manager.



St. Joseph's Training College bids farewell to Dr. Anitha K.D, welcomes Dr. Deepa Varghese as new principal

On August 16th, 2023, St. Joseph's Training College, Pavaratty, bid a heartfelt farewell to Dr. Anitha K.D. as she stepped down from her role as Principal. Her tenure was marked by dedication and impactful leadership, leaving a lasting legacy at the institution.

With Dr. Anitha's departure, the college warmly welcomed Dr. Deepan Varghese as the new Principal known for her visionary leadership in education, Dr. Deepa Varghese is expected to continue the college's tradition of excellence, bringing renewed energy and innovation to the role.



Dr. Anitha K D



Dr. Deepa Varghese

International Conference on Inclusive Education and Assistive Technology held at St. Joseph's Training College



St. Joseph's Training College, Pavaratty, Thrissur, hosted the International Conference on "Empowering Every Learner: Bridging Gaps with Inclusive Education and Assistive Technology" on December 20-21, 2023. This blended-mode event was organized by the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of the college in collaboration with several partner institutions. The conference featured an esteemed roster of speakers, including Dr. Vinnaras Nithyanantham and Dr. Honey Babu, who offered insights into global perspectives on inclusive education and the role of assistive technology in enhancing accessibility and inclusion. The sessions were designed to provide a comprehensive exploration of how technological advancements can be leveraged to address diverse educational needs. Teacher coordinator was Ms. Soumya V.S., the conference addressed critical issues related to educational inclusivity and showcased innovative strategies for bridging gaps through technology. This event significantly contributed to the ongoing discourse on improving educational practices and promoting equitable access for all learners. The conference underscored St. Joseph's Training College's commitment to advancing inclusive education and technological integration, marking a noteworthy step in the pursuit of educational equity.

Funds from matinee show support library book distribution at Little Flower LP School

On March 22, 2023, B.Ed students organized a matinee show and snack counter as part of their fundraising efforts for social work. The event successfully combined entertainment with a purpose, providing both a delightful viewing experience and a variety of snacks while raising funds to support their social initiatives.

The funds raised from the recent matinee show and snack counter were used to support the distribution of library books to Little Flower LP School, Pavaratty. The initiative highlights the commitment of B.Ed students to enhancing educational resources and promoting literacy in the community.

Arts Day celebration 'Aravam' showcases student talents

From March 3 to April 4, 2023, the college hosted its annual Arts Day celebration, titled 'Aravam,' designed to highlight and enhance students' creative skills and talents. The event aimed at the overall development of students, providing opportunities to engage in a variety of cultural and literary activities. Off-stage competitions, held from March 3 to March 27, featured a diverse range of activities including essay writing, story writing, versification, extempore speaking, mehndi, pencil and cartoon drawing, collage making, embroidery, clay modeling, water coloring, and oil painting. On April 3 and 4, the on-stage events included vibrant performances such as thiruvathirakali, monoact, margamkali, vanchipattu, light music, mapilapattu, and ganamela, showcasing the artistic talents of the students.

Students trained and performed as field investigators for State Educational Achievement Survey 2023

On October 30th, 2023, Chavakkad and Mullassery Block Resource Centres organized a training session for Field Investigators as part of the Samagra Siksha Kerala Project. The event took place in the college auditorium, preparing 91 students for their roles in the State Educational Achievement Survey 2023. Following the training, these students successfully carried out their duties as Field Investigators during the survey conducted on November 2nd and 3rd, 2023.

