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"LET JUSTICE AND PEACE FLOW" as Pope Francis declared this month of September as "The Season of Creation". It is a time for prayer and reflection focused on growing in awe and gratitude to the Creator and in loving care for creation. Many throughout human history have looked to nature as a primary Self-revelation of God. Theme of the season of creation call to action, a reminder that one planet and all the inhabitants deserve our care and consideration. As days are filled with warmth of the sunshine and coolness of the nights, new energy comes in with the shorter days. This month we see a surge of activities related to teacher & taught, all a rejoinder of the marvellous symphony of harmony in God's creation.

Principal Desk

September a month filled with excitement and anticipation, we immerse ourselves in the delightful celebrations of Teacher's Day and various other engaging events that bring us together as a tight-knit community. This shared experience reinforces the bond of unity and camaraderie among us, showcasing our collective appreciation for the boundless energy and enthusiasm that pulse through our college at this time.

The vibrant atmosphere in September became a hub of learning opportunities and active participation, instilling a sense of pride and belonging in each member. As we partake in the festive activities and special programs designed, we are reminded of the significance of unity in rejoicing in our achievements and strengthening interpersonal relationships within our college community. This September served as a profound symbol of camaraderie, gratitude, and mutual support within our dynamic and nurturing educational setting.



EVENTS

A Symposium on Ecological Conversion and Global Solidarity



On 2nd September the department of English, conducted a Symposium on Ecological conversion and Global Solidarity as a part of the celebration of "Season of Creation" as declared by Pope Francis. As a part of Symposium, students from I & II-year degree courses discussed environmental issues like conversation of earth, Eco-Feminism, Eco-Spirituality, Climate Changes and Environmental Justice and highlighted the need of practicing sustainable life style for preserving ecological balance. The symposium was well received by the whole student body which came to understand key aspects of the need for women to play a proactive role in sustainable development of mother earth.

National Nutrition week:



- On 1st September, the inaugural was conducted about choice of foods sources wisely and exploration of nutritional food options offered by "Mother Nature".
- On 2nd September, Millet Hub an exhibition cum sale of recipes made of millets was organised.
- On 4th September, an innovative, theme based product preparation and a poster painting competition on the theme "Nutrition solutions" was organised.
- On 8th September, Extension Programmes in various Government schools Ashokavardhan School, St. Theresa Telugu medium school, Krishna Devaraya school, and St. Xavier E.M school were conducted to sensitive students about healthy nutrition.
- On 9th September A Health care promotion program was organized for young girls on " Menstrual problems & prevention" by Dr Roshini, Gynaecologist, Krishna fertility centre, Eluru.

From 1st to 9th September, the department of Nutrition and Dietetics has observed National Nutrition week. During this week nations come together to raise awareness about significance of proper Nutrition and its role in maintaining healthy life style. The theme for National Nutrition Week – 2023 is "Healthy diet affordable for all" highlighting the critical need to make nutritional food accessible to everyone, regardless of their economic status or social background.



On 2nd September, a "Food without Fire" recipe competition was organized by Department of Home Science. Students of Home Science along with M.Sc Clinical Nutrition Students visited Grama Sachivalayam at Sanivarapupet



Leadership Training Programme

On 8th and 9th of September, a Two day Leadership Training Programme was organized by the department of Social Sciences , Resource persons Mr. Rajiv Kumar Luv and Mrs. Clarisa Jathanna of Forum of Free Enterprises, Mumbai enlightened student leaders on Time Management, Goal Setting, Positive Thinking, Communication skills and Personality Development. 80 student leaders from the host college & other local colleges attended and were benefited. The programme closed with a Valedictory session where participation certificates were distributed to all participants.



EVENTS

Creation - Awareness Program on few Environmental issues to School Children



On 14th Sept 2023, NSS Theresian volunteers organized an awareness programmes for high school and elementary school students on the most critical environmental issues like Global warming, Climate change, Pollution, Plastic Eradication and so on. A total number of 300 students from Zilla Parishad Highschool - Eluru and 45 students from MP Elementary school - Sreeram Nagar Eluru, 50 NSS volunteers participated.

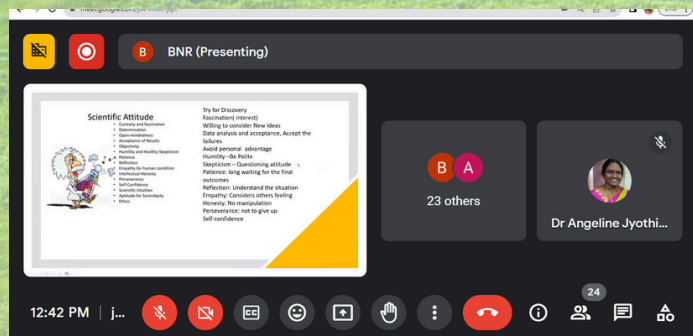
Plantation Programme

On 21st September, as the part of campus green initiative programme, the STC Eco-club, Botany department & Department of B.Sc.Agriculture and Rural Development collaborated with DCB Bank Cooperation and planted 100 horticultural Plants & trees. Cluster manager Hari Hara Prasad sir, Kalayan Chakravarthi Head of DCB and regional Bank Head Lakshmi Narayana has supported the programme by donating sapling under corporate Social responsibility. The programme was successfully carried out with the helping hand of a "NGO" Sankalpatharu."



INPUT SESSIONS BY EXPERTS – INSTILLING ACADEMIC ACUMEN:

National level seminar on "Life is Chemistry"



On 2nd September Department of Chemistry organized a National seminar on "Life is Chemistry" through virtual mode. Mr.Naga Raju Banda, Vice president ,Leutis Pharmaceuticals Pvt ,Ltd, Hyderabad was the resource person. He gave the detailed information about the branches of Chemistry and their importance in day to day life and also spoke about career opportunities in the field of Chemistry. As a part of MOU, 250 members including faculty and students of different colleges i.e., Govt. Degree College, Eluru, KBN College, Vijayawada and Sri YN college, Narsapuram along with the Host College participated in the seminar.

Guest lecture

A Guest lecture was organized by the Department of Chemistry on 05.10.2023 on "Method development and validation of different drugs in bulk and dosage forms by using RP- HPLC" for MSc Organic Chemistry students by Mr.Nagaraju, Assistant Professor, Sir CRR Pharmacy College, Eluru.



Guest Talk On Democracy in Contemporary Scenario and Atrocities on Women and the Oppressed

Centre for Women Studies organized two guest talks on "DEMOCRACY IN CONTEMPORARY SCENARIO AND ATROCITIES ON WOMEN AND THE OPPRESSED" on 7-09-2023. The members of AIDWA (ALL INDIA DEMOCRATIC WOMEN ASSOCIATION) were the guest speakers. Dr. P. Suresh, Senior Journalist spoke on the significance of spirit of democracy and stressed upon the importance of young Indians in presenting the democracy in India. Smt. Hymavathi, State Coordinator of AIDWA spoke on the various atrocities women are subjected to and also enlightened the gathering about the various legal measures which could help women define themselves in case of problems. Mrs. Hanisha Durga, member of AIDWA spoke about the significance of societal awareness in developing creativity and self- confidence.

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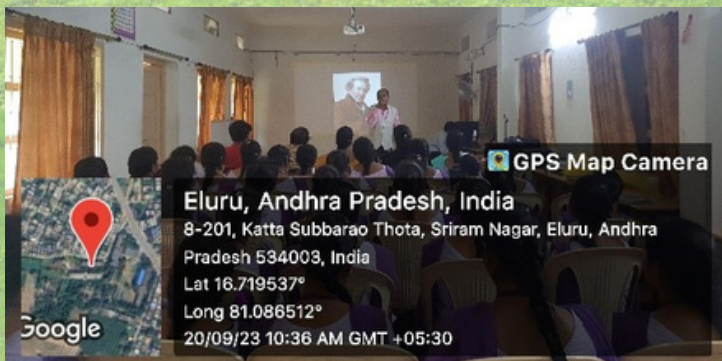
Workshop on “PCB Designing & Manufacturing”

On 13th & 14th Sep 2023 Dept. of Physics & Electronics, organized a Workshop on “PCB Designing & Manufacturing” in collaboration with MICROLINK Technologies, Vijayawada, Sponsored by RUSA(2.0) in association with IQAC. The students of Government Degree college, Eluru, St.Vincent De-Paul college, Eluru, Students of I M.Sc. Altogether 110 students have participated in this workshop. The resource persons were Sri. V. Govinda Rao, Technical Director, and Mr.V.Samba Siva, Commercial Director, Microlink Information Technologies, Vijayawada. Students were introduced to skills designing of the circuit using PCB Wizard 3.1.5 software, etching, drilling, mounting, soldering and connecting the circuits on the Printed circuit board.



Workshop on “Photography”

The Department of Computer science conducted a two-day Workshop on “Photography” from 20-9-2023 to 21-9-2023. The resource person for the Workshop Shri.N.Venkata Ramana with 45 years of dedicated and passionate experience in the field of Photography.



He served different organisations in a variety of positions where he got numerous awards rewards for his passionate work. Students learnt about various technical aspects and advancements in photography from history of photography various stages and advancement of technologies in cameras and impact on photography.

Work shop on Biofloc Fish Farming

The Department of Zoology in collaboration with Deepak Nexgen Feeds Pvt. Ltd, organized a workshop on "ADVANCED TECHNOLOGIES IN FISH CULTURE - BIOFLOC" on September 22, 2023. This workshop aimed to provide valuable insights into the latest advancements in fish culture techniques, with a focus on Bio floc technology. Sri. Y.V Ramana, Head Technical from Deepak Nexgen Feeds Pvt. Ltd, Bommuluru, as the key speaker who shared his rich practical experience and knowledge in the field, making the session lively and engaging.



Workshop on Aari Embroidery

The Department of Home Science organised a two day workshop from 20th -22nd September by Ms.Hema Boyapati, Satrampadu for 2nd and 3rd year Home Science students, Diploma and Fashion designing students.



Workshop on STATISTICAL TOOLS- Data Driven Storytelling using Tableau



The Department of Mathematics and Statistics organised a One day Workshop on STATISTICAL TOOLS- Data Driven Storytelling using Tableau on 23rd September for the students of II & III year B.Sc Statistics, Dr.Srinivas Karimujja, Data Scientist and trainer, Statinfer Software Solutions,Vijayawada was the Resource person. Around 54 students benefited by this workshop. Which helped them to improve their thinking ability, Practical Knowledge and time management.

CELEBRATION OF SIGNIFICANT DAYS

Teachers Day



Paying homage to greatest teacher of our country Dr.Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan, the department of Chemistry along with the student union led by President Ms. Anusha conducted Teacher's Day celebrations in a grand manner. The students honoured their teachers by expressing the greatness of teaching profession by skits, dances and songs.

Commemoration of Dr.M.S.Swaminathan



In Commemoration of Dr.M.S.Swaminathan, Students of Agriculture B.Sc remembered and reiterated the achievements of Dr.M.S.Swaminathan, father of Indian Green Revolution, who actively took part in promoting

Agriculture in India by introducing high yield varieties (HYV) of wheat and rice through a programme organised in his honour.

Celebration of Hindi Diwas

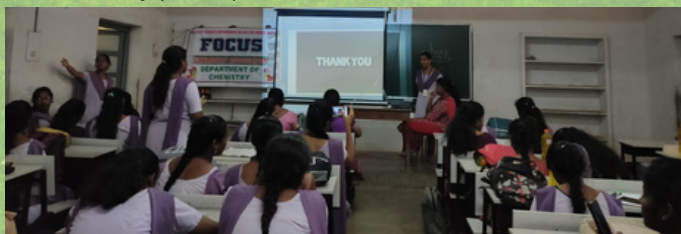
Department of Languages Celebrated Hindi Diwas 14th September, to encourage students to enhance their knowledge and develop love for Hindi Language. Nearly 1500 students and

100 staff from various departments were present. The audience were oriented on the job opportunities & significance of Hindi & other regional languages.



Ozone day celebrations:

The Department of Chemistry club FOCUS celebrated Ozone day on September 16th. The theme of world ozone day 2023 is "Montreal protocol: fixing the ozone layer and reducing climate change". Dr .V.Nagalakshmi spoke to the students about the importance of Ozone layer, causes and consequences of depletion of ozone layer, control measures and the role of students in creating about ozone layer. A power point presentation competition was conducted for the students, who enthusiastically participated.



International day of microorganisms

On the eve of International day of Microorganisms September 17th Department of Microbiology and biochemistry organized a programme depicting the role of microorganisms in our day to day life. As a part of the programme natural sanitizers and badges prepared by the students were distributed to staff members.



World Tourism day

On 22nd September 2023 the Department of Commerce organized "World tourism day". III B.Com students presented a cat-walk showcasing different tourist destinations of 29 states of India with their traditional costumes.



NSS Day Celebrations



NOT ME, BUT YOU." The motto of NSS itself suggests that NSS volunteer always places the 'community' before 'self'. Hence every year 24th September is celebrated as NSS Day. The program began with NSS song and a patriotic dance, followed by a detailed report of all the activities organized since the day of reopening of the college. On this special day, a Guest lecture was organised on "Oral Health and Hygiene" by Dr. M. Pavana Sandhya, HOD of St. Joseph's Dental College which highlighted the benefits of good oral health and the Intern doctors of the college suggested few techniques of developing desirable dental health attitude through an interactive session using ICT techniques. In order to make the campus green, saplings were planted after the program.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

Creative Display of Retail Stores Layout:

On 5th September, 2023, the Department of Management Studies organized Fifth Retail models competition. The students of II MBA, constructed different models like Stop & shop, Shoppers Plaza, Fun zone based on the knowledge of retail outlets which enabled hands on experience. This competition enabled students to plan a strategic store layout.



Saniwaranupeta, Andhra Pradesh, India

Taste of India

On 23th September 2023 department of commerce organized a "Taste of India" food festival. B.Com students prepared a variety food items which are available in different states inaugurated by Dr.Sr.Mercy on the occasion of international tourism day with various flavours of India.



Youth fest

On the occasion of Youth Fest organized by district authorities of Eluru district, students participated competition held on 12th November and bagged first prizes in folk group dance, folk solo dance, photography poster making categories and were selected for state level competitions to be held between 3rd and 4th week of December 2023.



SCOPE Club

On 4th September Department of Physics organised an inaugural session of the SCOPE Club for the year 2023 - 2024. Students of B.Sc. Physical Sciences and III B.Sc. (MPCS, MPC) presented PPTs related to Chandrayaan in this Club.



Electoral Literacy Club

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G20 summit 2023

On 25th September 2023, The Students of Department of Management Studies represented some major countries of G20 to discuss about the agenda of G20 summit 2023. This helped the students to gain knowledge on G20 summit which discussed about the current global issues, economic crisis, the establishment of G20, coordinate policies related to green development and technological transformation.



Cottage Stay

Final year Home Science students underwent cottage stay experience in two batches. The duration of the programme was from 2nd to 16th September. The main objective of cottage stay was group living, decision making, account keeping and management of available resources. Students performed various duties such as Cook, Maid, Waitress, Hostess, Treasurer and their assistants during the stay.



Akarsh Club

The Department of Home Science celebrated the Inaugural of "Akarsh Club" on 15th September, 2023. Miss Home Science contest was conducted for the students and prizes were given to the winners of Miss Home Science contest. The colourful day was made memorable with cultural programmes.



STUDENT ACTIVITIES

Campus Cleanliness Drive

On 20th September, As a part of the clean drive, NSS Coordinator and Program officers organized Swachh Bharat activities within the college campus. More than 200 NSS volunteers engaged themselves in various activities including cleaning the surroundings of library building, hostel buildings, department buildings and administrative building and planted saplings in both academic and residential campuses.



Essay Writing Competition



On Sep 26th Department of Telugu and Hindi in Collaboration with Sri Bhagavan Sathya Sai Organization, Conducted Essay Writing Competition to the Students on the topic, "Man making Education" Nearly 50 Students participated and bagged the prizes.

FIELD TRIPS- EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING

Pathanjali foods visit:



On 13th September 2023 III B.Com students visited Pathanjali foods lmt, Ammapalem. Students gained practical knowledge about processing and packaging of edible crude oil and knowledge about issue of raw material s in different departments.

Visit to Microbial culture unit,



On 14th September 2023 the faculty of Botany visited the Microbial culture unit, They observed the different cultures of microorganisms like Azotobacter, Azospirillum, VAM etc (12 varieties). Sri.Mullapudi Bapineedu garu, Progressive Organic farmer of Organic Farm explained about the process of microbial culture. They observed the macro-nutrients and micro-nutrients mixture units, Vermi water and mixed cropping patterns. The group expressed their opinions that demonstration of all the activities could be useful to take up as a startup programme.

Industrial Visit to Coca-Cola Plant



On 7th September 2023 MBA Students and BBA final years along with the Faculty Members went to the Industrial Visit to Coca-Cola Plant, Sri Sarvaraya Sugar's Ltd, Bottling Unit, Vemagiri. The Industrial Visit to this plant was an enriching experience for students who understood the entire bottling process, Operations Management & Techniques involved in manufacturing the products.

UNIQUE DISTINCTION OF FACULTY

District Best Teacher Award

On 3rd September Dr K Aruna , Lecturer in Telugu has received District Best teacher Award from State Private Lecturers and Teachers Organization.



SETWEL - District Level Youth festival

On 12th September SETWEL organization organized the District level Youth festival at Ch.S.D.St.Theresa's College for Women(A),Eluru. Students participated in Elocution, Essay Writing, Group dance, Solo Dance, Singing & Poster Painting competitions enthusiastically and bagged prizes.



Key Note Speaker for One Day National Conference

On 15th September Dr. R. Madhavi, Head, Department of English was invited as a KEYNOTE speaker and as Resource Person to a One Day National Conference on "Techno-Ecology:



The Nexus of Ecocriticism and Science fiction- Exploring the intersection of Nature, Technology and Imagination" conducted by VHNSN College, Virudhunagar, Bharathiar University, Coimbatore & Emerald Heights College for Women, Ooty. She addressed the delegates on the topic "Sci-Fi and the climate crisis – Herbert's "Dune" as a pioneer in Ecological Concerns." She also chaired the paper presentation session where over 60 papers were presented.

Judge for "Science exhibition"

Rotary club, Eluru organized a Science exhibition on 26th September 2023 for all the young minds of various Government schools of the locality. Mrs. Deepti Bhargava, Department of PG Physics was invited as a Judge for the exhibition.



Guest Lecture:



Dr.Mrs.K.Aruna Lecturer in Telugu gave a guest Lecture on the topic " Empowered India " at Collectorate on 28th September as a part of 6 th " Rastreeya Poshan Maah " 2023.

Faculty Development Programme (FDP)

Department of Chemistry participated in the One Week International Online Faculty Development Programme (FDP) on "Multidisciplinary Approach in Research Methodology" from 11-09-2023 to 17-09-2023 organised by Sri Y.N.College (A), Narsapur, W.G.Dt., Andhra Pradesh, India.



Chairperson & Reviewer



Mrs M.Durgadevi served as Chairperson and reviewer for the paper presentation session-4 in 9th International conference on Computers Management and Mathematical Sciences (ICCM- 2023).

The conference was organised by NIT-Mizoram in Collaboration with Springer on 24th &25th Aug 2023. She received BEST REVIEWER Award.

As Resource person

19th September, On the eve of International Microorganisms day, Dr.A.Padmavathi was invited as resource person for the event " Display of Microorganisms in food at Sri Durga Malleswara Mahilakalasa, Vijayawada.



Sign Out

Teacher-Centric, Student-Centric and Content-Centric Skill training are the mandatory parameters of education in the current world of academics. Let us continue to keep these in mind and work with gusto as we step into the cooler months of the year. Let the fires of enthusiasm keep burning in our hearts!!!