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This one girl in college smiles at me regularly- I don't know her name but her smile makes my day

Spending time with my friends after college

Getting coffee with my mom after work

A toddler smiled at me on the train ride home, that made my whole day

The cat I met in the railway station

Met a stranger on the train, she made my boring journey enjoyable

My nephew makes me so happy, being an aunt is the best thing to happen to me

Spending time with my friends after college

The dimples from my father adorn my cheeks, and my mother's kindness is rooted deep in me

The entire Editorial Board :)

Going to the beach on my birthday

The first time I made tea at home by myself

NCC camps

Went on a drive past the beach after a tiring day at college, it made me feel present and real

Sitting in the ground on sports day with my friends, after a tiring march past

Walking towards Aavin during break with my friends

The Editorial Board



Amulya Raghavan- II PEN

It is a truth universally acknowledged, that I am in want of good books, more tea than what is in my shelf and a need to sit under the shade of a tree to nap with a cat.



Nandini Rawat- III PYY

A book-loving, globe-trotting enthusiast who cherishes quiet moments, and escaping crowds by immersing in literature and spending time with her dog .



Sanjana J- III ENG

In a quest to expand my horizons and embrace life's diverse experiences with optimism. I live for the emotional rollercoasters any good book offers.



Jessica Shreya Simpson- II PYY

Anthony Horowitz aficionado and jazz enthusiast who happens to own a guitar named Stardust (when mystery meets melody ;)]



Harshita Sri V- III CEM

Classical melodies move my soul, the grace of Bharatnatyam guides my steps, and colours dance on my canvas.

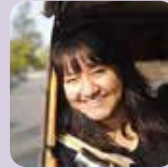


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A book written by Divine design. Every page, a reflection of the Author's love, every word, an evidence of grace.

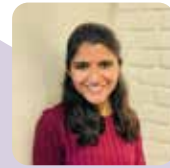
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Rohi Ong Lepcha- III PSY

I love to create art in any form (At least I'm trying to) and I just love diving into the realms of creativity.



Namrata Pramod- III CMF

I don't pretend to be wise, but I am observing, and I see a great deal more than you'd imagine.



Rahil Prescilla J- III CMF

She's a walking work of art.



Akkshada Hiteshvar- III CMF

Too much sanity may be madness. And maddest of all, to see life as it is and not as it should be.



Deepthi Joanna Joseph- I ENG

Navigating through a kafkaesque life with a romanticist mindset, fueled by coffee and an indie mix.



Salaama Marjan- III CEM

An ambivert with a love for books and travelling



Felicia Melody Winston- II PSY

My dog, cats and family take up most part of my love, the rest I capture through my lens.



Tarika Balakannan- III CEM

I love telling stories of mine and others through visual and written medium!



Divya Keren Prakash- I CSC

A digital bard who weaves codes, words and harmonies into existence.



Tania Joanna Mesbert- II PYY

"I will make everything poetic.", she says as she faces yet another minor inconvenience.



Aimesha Lydia Rumnong- I ENG

An average person with a flamboyant mind, loves the warmth of a sunset, a good book in my hand and the embrace of nature.



Johanna Mahiba Joshua- II ENG

The accidental comedian, with a knack for turning everyday mishaps into sitcom-worthy moments.



Adona K- II PSY

Constantly lost in a plethora of avocations.



Clarise Hannah Scaria- I PYY

Deciphering the mysteries of why we do what we do.

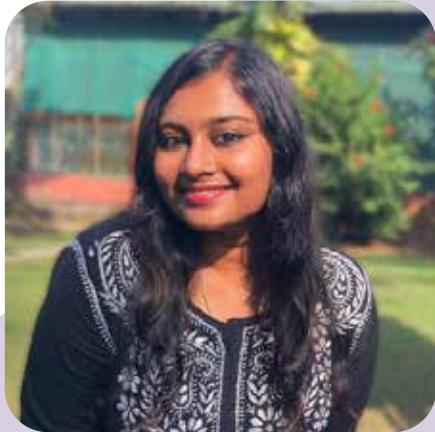
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When one reminisces about their college days, the seemingly insignificant moments usually come as an afterthought. But these littler, less flashy moments of everyday life—gossips during lunch breaks, gentle cascades of leaves on campus pathways, hurried steps between blocks, and the comforting laughter of lazy club meetings, are as invaluable as the proud wins.

With each passing year, time seems to slip through our fingers, consumed by the relentless pace of adulthood's demands and we forget to stop and cherish the brief peripheral moments materialising in the present, be it tea time with family, or the sight of the whispering ocean waves.

Sunflower 2023-24 is titled "Vignettes" as a reminder to shift our focus from the pressure to leave footprints of success everywhere to learning the art of living in the moment, letting everything else disappear, as seen through our contributors' artworks, photographs, writings and delightful college experiences.

As the seniors bid farewell to this chapter of their lives, they leave with high hopes for their future and wishes of happiness for their juniors. May each and every woman who has stepped into the portals of this college, leave having fully experienced every moment, so that she always has dearly loved stories to tell.



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Farewell Speeches

Dr. Sumathi Prathap

It is indeed an honour to share my thoughts about Dr. Sumathi Prathap, on the occasion of her retirement. Dr. Sumathi joined the Department of Psychology, WCC on a leave vacancy during the academic year 1995-1996 and then on a permanent vacancy in the year 1996. She completed her undergraduate degree in Sociology at Stella Maris College, her post graduation in Applied Psychology at JBAS College for Women, her M. Phil at the University of Madras and PhD at WCC. I remember Sumathi ma'am joining the Department in my final year of under graduation and was blessed to have her guide me for the paper on 'Case Studies'. It has been an added privilege to work alongside her as a colleague.

Dr. Sumathi is someone who embodies the perfect blend of professionalism, creativity, warmth, and compassion. She is not just a teacher, but also a mentor, guide, and a friend. Throughout her tenure here, Dr. Sumathi has shown us what it means to pursue excellence with unwavering dedication. Her perfectionistic approach has not only elevated students' understanding of Psychology but has also inspired them to strive for greatness in all aspects of our lives. With a meticulous eye for detail, her work, whether academic or administrative, would be flawless. She is committed to perfection, even if it means investing considerable time to complete each task to her exacting standards.

Yet, beyond her perfectionism lies a heart brimming with warmth and joviality. Sumathi ma'am has a unique ability to make even the most complex psychological theories feel accessible and engaging. Her creative teaching methods, blended with humour and many a times an anecdote, a song or a poem, has captivated the students. She is sportive and would boldly volunteer for any stage performance, showcasing her talent in singing and performing arts.

But perhaps what sets Sumathi ma'am apart is her motherly nature and the personal connect she establishes with people. This is reflected in her remarkable ability to recall details about alumnae, as they return, even after several years. She doesn't just teach with her mind; she teaches with her heart. She has the ability to approach challenges from different perspectives. Many of us have sought her guidance during moments of uncertainty or difficulty.

Dear Sumathi ma'am, on behalf of all your students, past and present, I want to express our deepest gratitude for your dedication, your wisdom, and your unwavering support. You have been more than a professor to us; you have been a guiding light. We wish you all the best in your future endeavours, and may you continue to touch lives and make a difference wherever you go.



Dr. Zarina A

Head & Associate Professor
Department of Psychology

Dr. Usharani S

It is with mixed emotions that I stand here to bid farewell to a cherished colleague and beloved friend, Dr. Usharani S, whose impact on our Department and our lives cannot be overstated. We reflect on the immense contributions she has made to the Department and the profound influence she has had on each of us. Dr. Usharani completed her undergraduate degree in Psychology at Presidency College, her post graduation in Applied Psychology at the University of Madras and completed her doctoral studies on an interdisciplinary subject that spans both Psychology and Criminology from the University of Madras. She has also completed a PG Diploma in Victimology from Japan. She joined WCC in June 2011. Prior to that, she has worked with the Prison Department and the University of Madras for more than 20 years.

Usharani ma'am, is not just a professor of Psychology; she is a beacon of knowledge and wisdom in the field of criminology and is also a counselling practitioner. With decades of experience under her belt, her insights have not only enriched our understanding of the field, but her extensive network of contacts and wealth of knowledge regarding the world of work in Psychology have provided valuable career insights to numerous students. She has served as a PhD guide for four students during her tenure at WCC.

But beyond her impressive credentials lies a heart of gold. She is one of the founder trustees of the International Foundation for Victim Care, which does extensive work with victims of domestic and interpersonal violence. Usharani ma'am is a caring and compassionate soul, reminiscent of a mother's love and care. Her genuine concern for the well-being of her colleagues and students alike is palpable in every interaction. Whether

offering words of encouragement, lending a listening ear, or providing invaluable guidance, she has always been

there with unwavering support. Her composed demeanour when facing unforeseen challenges, has been a source of reassurance as we worked together as a team, which was witnessed especially while organizing seminars and conferences.

What truly sets Usha ma'am apart is her infectious energy and zest for life. Her cheerful personality has brightened our days and lifted our spirits countless times. She has accompanied many batches of students on their field trips, and has shown such enthusiasm during these times, that her energy would outbeat all of ours put together, for which I am a witness.

We are immensely grateful for the knowledge she has imparted, the kindness she has shown, and the joy she has brought into our lives. You have been more than a colleague to us; you have been a mentor, a friend, and a source of inspiration. Though you may be embarking on a new chapter of your life, your legacy will endure in the hearts and minds of all who have had the privilege of knowing you.

Thank you, Usharani ma'am, for your indelible impact on our Department and our lives. We wish you nothing but the best in all your future endeavours, and may your boundless passion continue to illuminate the path ahead.



Dr. Zarina A

Head & Associate Professor
Department of Psychology (Shift I)

Ms. Veena Rajkumar

A Woman Who Feels The Lord Shall Be Praised
Proverbs 31:30

Ms. Veena Rajkumar is a soft spoken, diligent, and sincere colleague. She is an incredible mentor and a good friend. Veena loves teaching, especially child development related courses which she specialized in. She is firm, yet gentle and will not compromise on the values she imparts on her students. She extends respect and gratitude to everyone she meets.

Veena is a godly person who lives by faith and principles. She is warmhearted and kind, which enables her to be nurturing towards the children at the nursery and help them grow. She has demonstrated her expertise with ease which in turn allows her to exhibit a certain level of connectedness with the children, especially with regard to all the nursery school activities. Veena is both diligent and meticulous, which can be seen in how she organizes and executes events with excellence and flair. Veena, you have inspired us with your passion and dedication and we admire your commitment to the community. Your guidance on managing children, coupled with

your kindness and generosity, has been invaluable to us. May you be blessed

for your assistance to our non-teaching staff in accessing medical care through the assistance of your husband, who is a doctor. Your dedication to your family is seen through the care you provide for your mother.

Thank you for your years of service and dedication to the college and the community at large. After working hard for so many years, you deserve to relax and enjoy time doing what you like. I am so grateful to have had the opportunity to work with you and will miss seeing you every day. Change is not easy, but knowing you, I know you will do great.

We wish you the best in your future endeavors and hope that you will keep in touch. You will always have a place in our hearts. May God bless you and protect you.



Dr. Sheila John

Head & Associate Professor
Department of Home Science

Ms. Amala Russel

A pleasant countenance with eyes so kind
She weaves a tapestry of words, gentle and loving
Sharing of thoughts that blow your mind
Care, love and concern personified in a dainty form.

That was the Amala I met way back in the year 2002,
at my former Head, Dr. Leela's room one fine day.
She introduced us. I immediately liked Amala and
was excited because, after emaining the junior most
faculty in the department for eight years, I rejoiced
at the thought of having someone junior to me. She
holds a junior position compared to mine, but not in
terms of age. Thus began our journey together in the
department.

In the corridors of the Science block, side by side
we strode,

Sharing laughter, challenges, on this academic road
A professor, colleague and confidant, meticulous in
her working mode,

In friendship we grew, building bonds that can last
long

Timid she presents, but in thought and deed strong
A canvas of inspiration, she painted

For all who come into her classrooms and
laboratories.

In our shared endeavors, your kindness and care will
linger forever.

We, as a department, will miss her contribution and
presence in the department. What I have personally
noticed is that she always goes the extra mile
when you ask her to walk a mile, which is very rare
nowadays. There were many days when I was putting
together reports, data or the department profile
at a late hour in the department, during which she
stopped by my room and extended a helping hand.
She is always generous in praising others. On many
occasions, her decision-making and problem solving
skills were an asset to the department in planning
new courses and while organising programmes. She
keeps confidential matters to herself. She uses great
caution with words so as not to hurt others.

Certain things that I admire in Amala are, when
we are in need of an old syllabus, magazine or an
academic calendar or information pertaining to the
curriculum, all activities of the department for about
10 to 20 years, we can be assured that we will find
it in Amala's carefully organised storage. She is the
database of the department. She also has an eye
for details and can handle unexpected pressure,

thereby assuming
the role as our
official hospitality
in charge. Her
contributions to
editing the contents
of CHEMMAG are
invaluable, and her
absence will be sorely missed.



To each one of us in the department, she is a person
who is accommodating and genuinely supportive at
all times, a rare find. In both the good and the bad
times, she stood by all of us. She is a woman of faith.
She has often shared many powerful testimonies
about God's goodness in her life which served to
edify us. Needless to say, God has honoured her
faith. Her husband Mr. Robinson is a scholar and
multifaceted personality who has been a great
support for Amala.

She has a son, Tim Robinson, who is married to Tina
and works as a drone scientist and technologist at
Qualcomm Technologies, Boston, US. Her daughter
Trinita Robinson is working as a pediatric resident
doctor at Brooklyn Hospital Centre, New York.

She is known for her mentoring of younger faculty's
personal and professional growth. Her insightful
counsel, and profound wisdom have been essential
to everyone in many ways. Her passion for teaching
and genuine concern for the success of her students
have set a standard of excellence that will leave
a lasting legacy. She is an exceptional teacher,
catering not only to above-average students but also
to every category of student. She has formed lasting
bonds with colleagues, students and parents .

As you transition into this new chapter of your life, I
hope you take pride in the enduring legacy you leave
behind. Your influence will continue to resonate
within the walls of our department and your absence
will be deeply felt. May your retirement be filled
with joy, relaxation, and the fulfillment of all your
aspirations.

Farewell, dear friend, may the future embrace you,
around each bend. May our Lord's loving hands
guide you and bless your family in accordance with
Psalm 128:3.

Dr.G.Cynthia Jemima Swarnavalli
Head & Associate Professor
Department of Chemistry

திரு. சு. ரவிச்சந்திரன்

திரு. சு. ரவிச்சந்திரன் நமது கல்லூரியில் 39 வருடங்களாக சிறப்புடன் பணியாற்றி வருகின்றார். 22.07.1985 -ல் தமது 21-ஆம் வயதில் நிர்வாகப்பணியில் தட்டச்சராகப் பணியில் அமர்ந்தார். 04.05.1988 ல் அரசாங்கப்பணியில் தட்டச்சராகப் பணியில் அமர்த்தப்பட்டார். 01.10.2004 அன்று உதவியாளராகப் பதவி உயர்வு பெற்று பின்னர் 01.01.2017 அன்று கண்காணிப்பாளராகப் உயர்ப்பதவியில் இன்றுவரை பணியாற்றி வருகிறார். ரவி என்பதன் பொருள் சூரியன், சந்திரன் என்றால் நிலவு, பகலில் ஆளும் சூரியனையும் இரவில் ஆளும் சந்திரனையும் தனது பெயரில் வைத்திருப்பதோடு மட்டுமல்லாமல் தன் பணியிலும் அயராது நேர்த்தியாய் 39 வருடங்கள் நிறைவு செய்து இருக்கிறார் என்பதனை தெரிவிப்பதில் பெருமிதம் கொள்கின்றேன். நான் இக்கல்லூரியில் மாணவியாகப் பயின்றபொழுது கல்வி உதவித் தொகை பெறுவது குறித்த சரியான விவரங்கள் தெரியாத நிலையில் எங்களை அழைத்து அதனைப் பற்றி விளக்கமாகக் கூறி அத்தொகையினை நாங்கள் பெற உதவியாக இருந்தவர், இன்று வரையில் பல மாணவிகளுக்கு வழிகாட்டியாக இருப்பவர் எனது ஆசான் திரு. சு. ரவிச்சந்திரன் சார். பார்வைக்கு எளிமையானவர், அரசாங்க ஆணைக் குறித்து அதிகம் தெரிந்து வைத்திருப்பவர். கல்லூரி அலுவலில் ஏதேனும் சந்தேகங்கள் இருப்பின் அதற்கு தகுந்த ஆதாரங்களுடன் விளக்கம் தருவதில் சிறந்த ஆற்றல் பெற்றவர். பழகுவதில் நல்ல நண்பனாகவும், சோர்வடையும் நேரத்தில் நல்ல ஆலோசகராகவும், சக ஊழியர்களிடம் எந்தவித பாகுபாடில்லாமல் பழகும் குணம் படைத்தவர். கல்லூரிக்கு தினமும் குறித்த நேரத்தில் அதாவது தினமும் தவறாமல் வந்து தனக்கு ஒப்பளிக்கப்பட்ட பணிகளை மிகவும் நேர்த்தியாக செய்து முடிப்பார்.

நல்ல கடவுள் பக்தி உடையவர். கோடம்பாக்கத்தில் உள்ள ஏலீம் மகிமையான எழுப்புதல் திருச்சபையில்



மூப்பராக இன்றளவும் இருந்து இறைப்பணியையும் சிறப்பாய்ச் செய்து வருகிறார். கல்லூரி நூற்றாண்டிற்கு கல்லூரியிலே முதல் முறையாக ஆசிரியரல்லாப் பணியாளராக மனப்பூர்வமாக நிதியை வழங்கினார் என்பதனை தெரிவித்துக் கொள்வதில் பெருமிதம் கொள்கின்றேன். குடும்ப வாழ்விலும் சிறந்த தகப்பனாக, தனது இரண்டு பிள்ளைகளையும் பொறியியல் துறையில் படிக்க வைத்து திருமணத்தினையும் முடித்து சிறப்புடன் வாழச் செய்திருக்கிறார். அவரது துணைவியார் அரசாங்க கணித ஆசிரியராகப் பணியாற்றி வருகிறார். இன்றைய நாளில் பணிஓய்வு பெற இருக்கும் திரு. சு. ரவிச் சந்திரன் எல்லா சுகமும் பெலனும் நமது ஆண்டவராகிய கிறிஸ்து இயேசுவின் மூலம் பெற்று நீண்ட நாட்கள் சமாதானமாயும், உபாகமம் 28:8-ல் கூறியுள்ளவாறு கர்த்தர் உன் களஞ்சியங்களிலும், நீ கையிடும் எல்லா வேலையிலும் உனக்கு ஆசீர்வாதம் கட்டளையிடுவாராக என்று கூறி, வாய்ப்பினை அளித்தமைக்கு நன்றியினைத் தெரிவித்துக் கொள்கின்றேன்.

சு. மெர்சி சாரதா பாய்
உதவியாளர்
பர்சார் அலுவலகம்

Graduation Day 9.12.2023

Principal's Report 2022-2023

It gives me immense pleasure to welcome returning graduates, Board members, faculty, alumnae and invited guests to Graduation Day 2023. I would especially like to welcome our Chief Guest for the day, Dr. Sangita Reddy, an illustrious alumna. She is a Joint Managing Director, Apollo Hospitals Enterprise Limited, one of the largest healthcare groups in India. She has been actively involved in the health care sector, contributing to the growth and development of the Apollo Group and the community at large. It is our privilege to welcome her on this special occasion.

Reflecting on last year's journey from a safe distance of time, I should say we had another enriching and blessed year with a number of new initiatives while retaining the iconic traditions of the college. In the words of Walt Whitman "Do not go where the path may lead, go instead where there is no path and leave a trail" has been the watchwords. We were able to see the 'glory of the Lord' (Ez 43:1) in the college during our moments of euphoria and challenges.

AWARDS

WCC was chosen as the Best College in the Chennai zone and received News 18's Katral Award from Dr. Ponmudi, Education Minister, Tamilnadu on 21.6.2022.

At the India Today National Ranking our college secured the 7th place under the category 'India's Best BCA Colleges 2022, 15th rank in Science and 17th rank in Arts'.

ADMISSIONS 22-23:

19365 online applications were received for the various UG & PG Degree programs. 632 students have been admitted in the first year UG and PG Degree Government Aided programs (Shift I) and 1026 in the Self-financed

Programs (Shift II) of the College. The student strength for the year 2022-23 was 4432.

CHRISTIAN ACTIVITIES

A Thanks giving Service for the 107th anniversary of the College was held on 7th July, 2022 conducted by Pastor John Joshua, Hon. Pastor, TELC & Director, SALT Institute, Chennai.

CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- *The International Conference on Environmental Sustainability and Social Responsibility* was organised by the Centre for Environmental Studies and PG & Research Department of Biotechnology on 10th & 11th January 2023. Ms. H D Varalaxmi, Regional Director, Central Pollution Control Board, Dr. Sudha Nair, Former Senior Director, MSSRF & Former Founder member, Biotech Park for Women, Prof Wei Song Hung, Professor, National Taiwan University of Science & Technology, Dr. Timothy McCormac, Head of Research, Dundalk Institute of Technology, Dr. Babitha Rani, Senior Scientist, ICAR-Central Institute of Fisheries Education, Dr. Jennifer Clear, Liverpool Hope University and Dr. Mohammed Hatha Abdullah, Cochin University of Sciences and Technology, Kochi were the Resource Persons.
- *The International Conference on Advancements in Intelligent Systems and Computing* was organized by the Departments of Computer Science of Shift-1 and Shift-2 in collaboration with ICT ACADEMY and The India Cements Ltd. On 11th & 12th January 2023. Thiru. T Mano Thangaraj, Minister for Information Technology and Digital Services, Government of TN, Thiru. Robert Jerald Ravi, Chief Technology Officer, Government of TN & Dr. Kenneth Rouse,

Professor, LeTourneau University, Texas, USA were the Resource Persons.

- *International Conference on Advanced Materials (ICAM 2023)* was organized by the Department of Chemistry on 21st & 22nd Feb 2023. Dr. S Thayumanavan, Distinguished Professor, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, Dr. Paulraj Manidurai, Associate Professor, University of Concepcion, Chile, Dr. John Philip, Professor, HBNI & Associate Director MCG, IGCAR, Kalpakkam and Dr. Claudia Espro, Professor, Department of Engineering, University of Messina, Italy were the Resource Persons.
- *International Conference on Pure and Applied Physics* was organised by the Department of Physics on 23rd & 24th Mar 2023. Selvi Apoorva IAS, Principal Secretary, Youth Welfare and Sports Development, Govt. of Tamil Nadu delivered the Inaugural Address.
- *International Conference on Narratives on Media, Culture & Society* was organised by the Departments of PG Communication, Visual Communication & Tamil on 28th & 29th Mar 2023. The Resource Persons were Prof. Arthur Asa Berger, Emeritus Professor of Broadcast & Electronic Communication Arts, San Francisco State University, USA and Prof. B P Sanjay, Manipal Institute of Communication, MAHE, India
- *National Conference and FDP on Strategic use of Technology in Mathematics and Computer Applications NCFDPMCA 2023* was organised by IRC and Research and Development Cell on 30th and 31st Jan 2023. The Resource Persons were Dr. R S Selvaraj, NIT, Warangal, Prof Samuel Johnson, VIT-AP University, Dr. P Loganathan, Anna University, Chennai and Dr. V Raja, VIT-AP University.
- *National Conference on India@75: Achievements, Challenges & Prospects* was organised by the Department of History on 23rd & 24th Mar 2023. Dr. J Jeyaranjan, Chairman, State Planning Commission, Tamil Nadu Government. The Resource Persons were Dr. Arun Bandopadhyay, Professor of History, University of Calcutta, West Bengal, Dr. Malavika Binny, Head, Department of History, University of Kannur, Kerala, Ms. Merlin Juliet Arul Thangam, Madras Christian College, Chennai, Dr. N Manoharan, Director, Center for East Asian Studies, Christ University, Bengaluru and Dr. Selvamuthukumarasamy, Principal, Government Arts College, Valparai.
- *Golden Jubilee International Seminar Cum Workshop on Trauma And Aftercare* was organised by the Department of Psychology on 1st & 2nd March 2023. Mr. Malaiappan, Director, Institute of Mental Health, Kilpauk and Ms. Adhilakshmi Logamurthy, Advocate, Madras High Court were the Chief guests.
- *One Day International Seminar on New International Economic Order and Japan's Foreign Relations* organized by the Department of History on 3.3.2023. The speaker was Dr. Vinnaras Nithyanantham, Professor in Education, UNICAF University, Cyprus
- *National Level Seminar cum Workshop on Plant Taxonomy: Historical Perspectives And Future Prospects* was organized by the Department of Plant Biology & Plant Biotechnology on 6.3.2023. Dr. Arisdason W, Scientist 'E', Botanical Survey of India Southern Regional Centre, Coimbatore was the Resource Person.
- *Liliy Pithavadian Endowment Lecture on Geomatics on Coastal Hazards* was organized by the Department of Physics on 11th October, 2022. Dr. Tune Usha, Scientist – G, National Centre for Coastal Research, Chennai, Ministry of Earth Sciences, Government of India delivered the lecture.

- *Rachel Philip Endowment Workshop* was organized by the Department of Advanced Zoology & Biotechnology on 20.9.2022. Ms. Aganya Pari, Co-founder of SACS Vanya spoke about the importance and efficiency of vermicomposting.
- *Rukmini Lakshmipathy Endowment Lecture on Indian Media and its Credibility Crisis* was organised by PG Department of Communication on 2.2.2023. Justice K Chandru, Former Judge, Madras High Court delivered the lecture.
- *Ms. Vera Augustus Endowment Lecture on Woman of Karisal Land* was organised by the Department of History on 8th March 2023. Thamizhachi Thangapandian, Member of Parliament, South Chennai Constituency delivered the lecture.
- *Workshop on Women Empowerment And Protection In The 21st Century* In association with World Council for Women Rights on 26.10.2022
- *Workshop on "Tie and Dye"* was organized and the Resource Person was Mrs. Jayashree, Fevicryl Certified Specialist.
- *Webinar on "Know About Fossils"* on International Girl Child Day was conducted and Ms. Aswatha Biju, Youngest Paleontologist in India & Recipient of Rashtriya Bal Puraskar award 2022 was the Resource Person.
- *Webinar on Digital Mindfulness* was organized on World Mental health Day on 10.10.2022. The speaker was Mr. Vinayak Garg, Entrepreneur and Digital Mindfulness Practitioner.

DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES

Department of History

- *Madras Day Celebrations* was organized on 24th August 2022. Mr. Venkatesh Ramakrishnan, Novelist & Historian delivered a talk on "*Importance of Local History*".
- *Quiz on International Literacy Day* was organized on 9.9.2022
- On 10th September 2022, *Seminar on Career Ahead* was organised. The Resource Person for the session *Career Opportunity in the Field of Archeology* was Ms. Vetriselvi, Assistant Archaeologist, ASI, Chennai Circle and Dr. Saravanan Subramanian, Director of the Gurukulam IAS Academy for the session *Career opportunities in the Government Sector*.
- *Seminar on Rethinking Tourism* on 7.10.2022 by Mr. Sriharan Balan, Managing Director, Madura Travel Service (P) Ltd
- *Workshop on Narrative Flow In Ajanta Paintings* was organized on 15.9.2022 and Mr. Rangarathnam Gopu, Historian, Co-Founder, VarahaMihira Science Forum was the Resource Person.
- *A Special Talk on Monetary Policy Of India* was organized on 13.10.2022 and Mr. R Satish, General Manager, RBI delivered the talk.
- *Talk on Gertrude and Kiron Sinha Murals* by Dr. Verna Blewett and Dr. Lily Hirsch on 4.3.2023.
- *Virtual Exhibition on Sardar Patel - The Architect of Unification* was conducted to celebrate the life and contributions of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel on 28.10.2022.
- Put up stalls at the Trade Fair organized by the Government of Tamil Nadu at Island Grounds on 16th Jan 2023

Department of English

- *Webinar on Mendeley References* on 13.10.2022. Dr. J. Arumugam, Librarian, PSG College of Technology, Coimbatore was the Resource Person.
- A set of 4 short PR campaigns were conducted by students of EO Writing for PR and for Film class, for students of WCC, in February 2023. The themes were: Wall Painting (Beyond the Walls - Celebrating Womanhood), Menstrual Hygiene,

Playway Learning, and Skill Development (art, craft, music, dance, photography).

Department of Mathematics

- Conducted *Certificate Course on Quantitative Aptitude* from 7.8.2022 to 9.11.2022 and 32 students were enrolled.
- Organized *XTREME'22, an intercollegiate event* on 8.10.2022, Ramanujan Day 2022 on 20.12.2022 and SPIELWAY 2023 to commemorate the International Euler's Day on 7th February 2023.
- *State Level Workshop on Mathematics in Data Science and Machine Learning* on 16th & 17th Feb 2023. Dr. A. Hepzibah Christinal & Dr. M. S. P. Subathra, Professors, Karunya Institute of Technology and Sciences were the Resource Persons.
- *Workshop on Introduction to Mathematical Software* on 20.2.2023. Dr. S. Athithan, Assistant Professor, SRM Institute of Science and Technology was the Resource Person.

Department of Physics

- *Hi-Phy – Intercollegiate FEST* was conducted by the Department on 18.2.2022 and the Resource Person was Dr. Rita John, University of Madras.
- On 12th December 2022, the Department in collaboration with Institution Innovation Council (IIC) organized a *Workshop on Entrepreneurship, Attitude and Behavioral Development*. The speaker was Mr. M Sesa Sai, Honorary Consul General, Republic of Seychelles for South India.

Department of Chemistry

- *The Chemistry Club* was inaugurated on 17.9.2022 and Dr. S N Jaisankar, Chief Scientist & Head, Polymer Science & Technology, CSIR-CLRI, Adyar, Chennai was the Chief Guest.
- The Department organized *RADICAL 2023*, the Intercollegiate Chemfest on 3.2.2023.

The Resource Person was Dr. A K Mohana Krishnan, Professor & Head, Department of Organic Chemistry, University of Madras.

Department of Plant Biology & Plant Biotechnology

- The Department organized the following *Invited Talks*
- *Hydroponics* – 20.10.2022. Mr. Akhil Nichani, Founder of Sustenance Agritech Pvt Ltd, Chennai was the Resource Person.
- *Diversity and Distribution of Pteridophytes in Western Ghats, India* – 9.11.2022. The Resource Person was Dr. A Benniamin, Scientist 'E' and Head, Botanical Survey of India, Pune.
- *Social and Legal Status of Women in India* in association with YI on 28.2.2023. Ms. Adhilakshmi Logamurthy, Advocate, Madras High Court & Social Activist was the speaker.
- *Urban Greening – Challenges and Concerns!* In association with the Centre for Environmental Studies on 8.3.2023. The speaker was Ms. Shobha Menon, Founder, Nizhal.
- *Fixing QR-code incorporated Tree Name Boards (Phase –II)* was a project of the Department of Plant Biology & Plant Biotechnology. 75 QR code incorporated Tree Name Boards were fixed on our trees in addition to the existing 25 Name Boards. This initiative will help educate our students and visitors on campus to know more details about our campus trees through a self-guided tour. In this interactive technology, once the QR code on the tree is scanned using a smartphone it will take the user to our college web page which gives information about the species. Geo-positioning of these trees has also been carried out so that it is easy for anyone to visit a tree of interest on his own.
- *Webinar on Terrace and Vertical Gardening* was organized on 8.11.2022 and the Resource

Person was Mrs. Jayasri Krishnan, CEO & MD of D'Organica Garden Shoppee.

- Sixteen students from the Department attended a '*Hands on Training on Plant Tissue Culture Techniques*' organised by the Department of Plant Biotechnology TNAU, Coimbatore from 10th to 14th October, 2022.
- *Skill Development Workshop on Mushroom Cultivation to Empower Women* In association with NCC and Entrepreneurship Cell, IIC on 13th & 14th February 2023. The Resource Person was Dr. V Ragupathi, Managing Director, Early Mushrooms and Seed Centre.
- *Hands on Training on Preparation of Herbal Products (An Entrepreneurial Development Program)* in association with Entrepreneurship Cell, IIC. Mr. Prince Manoharan G, Proprietor, Prince Herbals, Chennai was the Resource Person.
- *Intercollegiate Fest Cosmos'23* on 4.3.2023. Mrs. Jayasri Krishnan, CEO/MDD'Organica and Ms. Veena Murali, Director, Parikshan Food Safety Services were the Resource Persons.

Department of Advanced Zoology & Biotechnology

- Department of Advanced Zoology & Biotechnology & Department of Plant Biology & Plant Biotechnology organized an *Invited Talk* in collaboration with AECC Global on 28.9.2022. The Resource Persons were Dr. John Carroll, F, Foundation Dean of the sub faculty Biomedical Sciences and Dr. Gluseppe Lucarelli, Lecturer and manager of Master of Biotechnology, Monash University, Australia.
- *An Awareness Campaign on Climate Change And Solid Waste Management* was organized by the Department of Advanced Zoology & Biotechnology and Plant Biology & Plant Biotechnology in partnership with Namma Ooru Foundation and Greater

Chennai Corporation on 27.2.2023. The Chief Guests were Mr. Natarajan, Founder, Namma Ooru Foundation and Mr. Palani, Assistant Executive Engineer, Solid Waste Management, Greater Chennai Corporation.

- Launched '*Moths of Women's Christian College - A Field Guide*' on its Centenary Year. The Resource Persons were Dr. R W Alexander Jesudason, Pro Vice Chancellor, Hindustan Institute of Technology & Science, Chennai and Dr. B Vasantharaj David, Entomologist, Ex-Chairman, Scientific/Academic Board, International Institute of Biotechnology and Toxicology, Padapai.
- *Wildcalls 2022*, the annual intercollegiate cultural event organized by the Department was held on 8.10.2022.
- *A Special Talk and Poster Competition on Wealth from Waste – What Nature can offer You* to commemorate National Science Day was organized on 28.2.2023. The speaker was Dr. Chitrlekha Ramachandran, Former Associate Professor and Head, Department of Advanced Zoology and Biotechnology, Stella Maris College.
- *Campus Bird Count* supported by the Cornell Lab of Ornithology and the National Audubon society was conducted on 18.2.2023 and recorded 16 different species of birds on campus.
- *ZOOBILATE'23 - Celebrating 100 Years of Learning* was conducted on 17.2.2023
- Hands on training were given to students on vermicomposting on campus

Department of Home Science

- The *National Nutrition Month* was celebrated from 1st to 30th September, 2022 signifying the theme '*A Small Step for Health and a Giant Leap for a Healthy Lifestyle*'. to create awareness on healthy eating, demonstrations of healthy traditional

recipes, lifestyle changes pertaining to importance of physical activity, sleep and managing stress levels, conduct of nutrition education programs, and counseling sessions for the entire college community.

- The Department organized the following *Workshops and Lectures*.
 - *French Cuisine* – 23.9.2022
 - *Baking* – 24.8.2022
 - *Food Photography* – 18.10.2022
- To Commemorate the *International Year of Millets* the Department of Home Science conducted *Millet Quiz* on 19.12.2022 to assess the level of awareness about millets among college students, *Awareness Programme on Millets for In-house Food Outlets* on 28.2.2023, *Exhibition on Healthy Millet Options for Life Stages and Conditions* on 3.3.2023, *Demonstration on Development of Novel Recipes using Millet* on 4.3.2023 and *Planning and Display of Millet Based Recipes for Therapeutic Conditions* on 20.3.2023.

Department of Computer Science

- *Seminar on Gateway to Corporate Jobs* on 6.8.2022. The Resource Person was Ms. Eva James, Vice-President – ISIT, Renault Nissan Technology and Business Center India Pvt. Ltd., Chennai.
- *Seminar on Intellectual Property Rights* on 27.10.2022 by Dr. Anita R J Singh, PG Dept. of Biotechnology, WCC
- *Workshop on Adobe Flash* on 10th, 17th & 26th Sep.2022 by Ms. P. Sowmiya, Department of Visual Communication, WCC.
- *Workshop on 8051 Microcontroller and Applications* on 13.10.2022 by Dr. G. Kumar Sathian, Director, Floranix, Chennai.
- *Workshop on An alternative for Treadmill test using an effective classification model for diagnosis of Heart Disease* on 17.10.2022 by Dr. Jerline Amutha A., Dept. of Computer Science, WCC.

- *Two-day workshop on Video Analysis using Python* on 1st & 2nd March 2023. Dr. Doreen Robin, Founder and Director, Computational Intelligence Research Foundation, Chennai was the Resource Person.
- *Webinar on Robotics* on 1.10.2022. The Resource Person was Ms. Sherene Ellen Rajaratnam, Consumer Robots Manager, Hanson Robotics, Hong Kong.
- *Two-day Faculty Development Program on Graphic Designing using Canva* in collaboration with IQAC by Ms. L Jessilla Malarvizhi, Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science on 13th & 15th Feb 2023
- *Annual inter-collegiate Tech Event “CompSync’23”* on the theme Cyber Security along with Shift II Computer Science Department on 21st February 2023. The Chief Guest was Ms. Jasmine Jeyakumar, Vice President, BNU Mellon India Pvt. Ltd., Chennai

Department of Psychology

- *Workshop on Crimes against women – a legal perspective* on 9.11.2022. The Speaker was Dr. P T Uma Maheswari.
- *Workshop on Art Therapy* on 9.2.2023. Ms. Preetha Ramasubramanian was the Speaker.
- Launched a college-wide *Campaign to Activate a Life of Mental Health (CALM)*, a whole campus initiative towards mental health promotion as part of the Golden Jubilee Celebrations of the Department. A series of workshops were held between September 2022 and February 2023.

Department of Languages

- *Special Talk on Novel Writer “PREMCHAND”* by Dr. Harshalata V Sha, DG Vaishnav College on 1.8.2022.
- *Workshop on Basic Hindi grammar and how to rectify common errors in Hindi* on 15.9.2022.

The Resource Person was Ms. Neelavaty Meghani, (Proprietrix and Publisher Sanskriti publishing)

- *Esprit 2022 - French Intra College Cultural* was organized and the events Chuchotez (Whisper challenge), Potpourri, Mimez (Dumb charades), Origami, Chasse au trésor (Treasure hunt), Do re mi (Group singing event) and Pirouette Icon were conducted.

Department of Commerce

- *Workshop on Professional Ethics at Workplace- HR Perspective* on 21.7.2022 by Ms. Nikitha Elizabeth, HR Business Partner, L&T.
- *Workshop on Resume Writing, Group Discussion and Interview Handling Skills* on 20.9.2022. Mr. Prithvin Rajendran, Director of Prime Educator was the Speaker.
- *Workshop on Digital Marketing* on 28.9.2022. Mr. Saravanan P, Product Development and Mentor in NIIT was the Resource Person.
- *Workshop on Career Development in Investment Banking* by Mr. Rahul on 10.9.2022
- *Workshop on Digital Marketing Tools and Techniques* on 20.9.2022. Mr. Saravanan P, Product Development and Mentoring IIT Limited was the Resource Person.
- *Workshop on Business Analysis Using Google Bigquery, Google Sheets And Google Datastudio* on 6th, 10th, 23th, 24th August 2022 by Mr. Akshaay Pareekh, Head of Analyst, Wingman
- *Workshop on Logistics and Supply Chain Management* on 15.2.2023. The Resource Persons were Mr. K Paulraj, Senior Vice-President (Logistics), Chettinad Cements and Mrs.Lavanya Ramesh, Managing Partner, Traxon Logistics.
- *An Insight on Online Trading and Investing through various Investment Avenues* on 27.8.2022. The Resource Person was Mr. Dinesh R and Ms. Nandhini P, Geojit Financial Services.

- *Industry based Audit Project of TATA SKY Branch Offices* in association with Swarna Associates (Chartered Accountant Firm) on 9.11.2022. 30 Final B.Com students led by Veronica W, C S Rithica, Harshmitha K, Vishnupriya R, Vasanti C and Kiruthika V went for auditing accounts of TATA SKY branch offices across Chennai.
- *Investment Awareness And Saving Opportunities for Youngsters- CSR Activity* in collaboration with National Stock Exchange on 6.8.2022. The Chief Guest was Ms. Meghna Bose (Corporate Trainer-NSE)
- *Faculty Development Program on Understanding of Mutual Funds for Wealth Creation & Managing Income Tax* on 23.8.2022. The speaker was Mr. Jeyaprakash, NSE-NISM Approved Trainer
- *Faculty Development Program on SPSS and AMOS For Data Analysis* in association with IQC & Centre for Research & Development on 23.9.2022. Dr. S Sasinandini, Govt. Arts College, Tondiarpet, Dr. Kavin Mary, MOP Vaishnav College and Dr. Anita Priscilla J, WCC were the Resource Persons.
- *Entrepreneurship Upskilling Workshop on Commodity Trading - 13th to 15th December 2022* The Resource Person was CA Anand Pattabiraman, Founder Director of Aquilae Technologies Pvt. Ltd.

Department of Corporate Economics

- *Exhibition on Household Waste Management* on 10.10.2022
- *Exhibition on How to manage Household Waste* by III BA students on 23.2.2023.

Department of Visual Communication

- *INSPIRE'23 - Panel discussion on Women Empowerment* was organized in association with PG Department of Communication, M.O.P, Vaishnav College on 6.1.2023.
- *Seminar on The Transformative Power of Art-Photography and Social Entrepreneurship* in collaboration with the IIC, WCC on 16.2.2023.

The Resource Person was Mr. Nithil Dennis, Associate Professor, Programme Leader of Mass Communication, Royal Thimpu College, Bhutan.

- *Seminar on The Scope of Digital Compositing in the Future* in collaboration with the IIC, WCC on 4.3.2023. The Resource Person was Mr. Kavis Raj S S, Prep. Supervisor, Pixstone.

PG Department of Communication

- *Workshop on 'Sensitive Reporting on Mental Health'* was organized on 9.10.2022. Mangala R, Schizophrenia Research Foundation (SCARF), Chennai was the resource Person.
- *Screening of the documentary 'Faces of Climate Resilience' and Interaction with the filmmaker Shawn Sebastian* was held on 12.10.2022.

Department of Management Studies (BBA)

- *Business Communication Workshop on Writing Business Letters* by Dr. Densingh Joshua Israel, Hindustan Institute of Management on 13.9.2022.
- *Awareness on Investment Banking* by Mr. Rahul Selvam on 13.9.2022.

Department of Management Studies - HRM

- The Department organized *Workshops on HR & Leadership, Personality Development, Stress Buster- Craft Workshop, MBTI Workshop, Counselling Skills, 2 day Core HR Technical Workshop.*
- *HR Expert Talk* was conducted. Ms. Pearlena, a HR Consultant addressed the students on the various opportunities, challenges and experiences in the field of HR profession.

Department of Computer Science (BCA)

- *Workshop on Cloud Computing And Security* on 18.8.2022. Mr. K Balaji, Founder And Managing Director, iGeN Technologies, Chennai was the Resource Person.
- *Seminar on Top 3 Careers To Pursue After Graduation* on 19.9.022. The speaker was Mr. Syed Salim, Zonal Head - IMS, India

- *Seminar on Awareness on Digital Marketing* on 28.9.2022. Mr. Prem Kumar, Scapable Learning Solutions was the speaker.

Department of Computer Science (CST & IT)

- *Power Seminar on AWS* on 18.8.2022. The Resource Person was Mrs. Kamatchi Devi, Senior manager - Training, ICT Academy
- *Rudiments of Data Analytics* on 25.8.2022 by Dr. Priya Sethuraman, Associate Professor, St. Joseph's College of Engineering, Chennai
- *Technopreneurship* on 5.12.022. The Resource Person was Mr. V Nikhil Adithyan, Founder of CodeX, backtestzone.com, insightbigschool.com & insightbigmarkets.com

- *Awareness on Intellectual property Rights* on 23.2.2023

- *Workshop on Robotics* on 28.2.2023. Team of 4 members from Yagen Robotics, Chennai

Department of Computer Science (IT)

- Conducted *Certificate Course in Designing Tools* from 6th Sep – 15th Oct 2022. 23 students participated.

Department of Psychology – Shift II

- The Department conducted the following *Workshops*:
- *Workshop Series - Scope of Psychology : Sports Psychology & Clinical Psychology* – 4.11.022
- *Relaxation Technique* – 10.11.2022
- Organized *Seminar on Media And Mental Health* on 11.10.2022 in association with PG Department of Communication. The Speakers were Ms. Ramya Kannan, Chief of Bureau – Tamil Nadu, The Hindu, Ms. Kavitha Muralidharan, Independent Journalist and Ms. Sanjana Goutham, Counselling Psychologist, SCARF Chennai

PG Department of Mathematics

- Organized *National Research Lecture Series* on Advancements in Mathematics and its Applications - NRLS 2022
- *NET Coaching Class* for II M.Sc MATHS STUDENTS was conducted from Aug – Nov 2022 - Dr. Santha Kumar, Assistant Professor, St. Thomas College of Arts and Science, Chennai.

PG Department of Physics

- *Webinar on Multifunctional Materials* on 18.3.2023. The Resource Person was Dr. N Lakshminarasimhan, Senior Principal Scientist CECRI

PG & Research Department of Biotechnology

- *Organ Donation Awareness & Pledge Drive* on 27.8.2022. Dr. Hemal Kavindae, Mohan Foundation, Chennai was the Resource Person.
- *World Biofuel Day National E-quiz* was conducted from 11-13 Aug 2022.
- Organized *Poster & Model Competition/ Exhibition - 2022* on 5.11.2022.
- *Bioinstrumentation model making competition* on 6.2.2023
- *Webinar on Microbiome and PCOS* on 24.1.2023. Dr. T Ramani Devi, Senior Consultant, O&G Ramakrishna Medical Centre, Trichy was the Resource Person.

PG Department of International Studies

- *Student interaction with MP Ms. Kanimozhi Karunanidhi on the topic "Women and Leadership"* on 24.8.2022.
- *Student interaction with the research team from National Institute of Advanced Studies, Bangalore on International relations: Prospects and Opportunities* on 2.9.2022
- *Korean Cultural Festival* in Collaboration with INKO Centre Events: K-Lounge, K-Music, K-Dance, K-Beauty, K-Quiz and K-Food Street on 15.9.2022
- *Workshop on The reverberation of Korean Music and Movement* in collaboration with the InKo Centre, Chennai on 20.2.2023.

PG Department of English

- *Workshop on Introduction to Theatre Arts* by Mr. V Balakrishnan, Director, Theatre Nisha on 2.9.2022

Department of Languages

- *Utkarsh' 23* on 21.3.2023. The Resource Person was Shri B L Achcha, Hindi Satire Writer and Critic Dr. Padmavati, HOD Hindi Department of Asan Memorial College.

GRADUATION DAY

- The Graduation Day was held on 29th October 2022. Prof. Dr. Sonajharia Minz, Vice Chancellor, Sido Kanhu Murmu University, Dumka, Jharkhand delivered the Graduation Day address.

RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS

- 58 Research Papers were published in refereed International and National Journals.

RESEARCH GRANTS

- Dr. Judia Harriet Sumathy, Assistant Professor, Dept. Advanced Zoology & Biotechnology received a grant of US\$ 12,860 from United Board of Christian Higher Education in Asia for the project titled Awareness Towards Peace Education.
- Rs. 1,06,00,000 was funded by MOWI Foundation for the Research Facility of Instrumentation Centre, Tennis Court and Studio.

FACULTY ACTIVITIES & ACHIEVEMENTS

- Dr. Lilian I Jasper, Principal was a *member of the NAAC Peer Team* for Re-accreditation of
 - Carmel College, Mala, Kerala – 7th – 8th June 2022
 - Government Geetanjali Girls College (Autonomous), Bhopal – 31st October and 1st November 2022
 - T. K. Madhava Memorial College, Kerala – 14th & 15th February 2023
 - Nirmala College, Ranchi, Jharkhand – 23rd & 24th February 2023 and

- Rajkiya Kanya Mahavidyalaya, Shimla, Himachal Pradesh – 16th & 17th March 2023
- Dr. Lilian I Jasper, Principal was the *panelist for United Board's Webinar* on 'After the Pandemic' organized on 14th June 2022
- Dr. Lilian I Jasper, Principal attended the '*Board Retreat*' organised by the Colleges & Universities of the Anglican Communion at Trinity College, Melbourne, Australia from 17th to 23 July 2022 and was the *panelist for CUAC online seminar VII on The Promise of Teamwork: Making Teams Work* – 16th November 2022
- Dr. Lilian I Jasper, Principal had been invited by the Office of Global Initiatives at LeTourneau University as the *keynote speaker for the faculty and students at LeTourneau University, Texas, USA* on 5th October 2022. The topic is "Of Journeys and Resting Places: Living Life Beyond the Limits".
- Dr. Lilian I Jasper, Principal was the *panelist for CUAC online seminar VII on The Promise of Teamwork: Making Teams Work* – 16th November 2022
- Dr. Lilian I Jasper, Principal was the *Resource Person at SALT* (Sishya Advanced Leadership Training) Christian Conference for Working Women & Women Entrepreneurs – 11th February 2023
- Ms. Anuradha A, Assistant Professor & Head, Department of History received the *Best Teacher Award* by The International Association of LIONS CLUB on 11th September 2022.
- Dr. M Kanchana, Associate Professor & Head, Dept. of Psychology and Ms. Lakshmi Devi, Associate Professor, PG Dept. of Physics received *Award for excellence in teaching* by Rotary Club of Madras Metro on 9th September 2022.
- Dr. Cordilea Hannah, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Plant Biology & Plant Biotechnology and Dr. Angela Deepa, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Computer Science attended 2022 *Adaptive Design for Learning (ADL) - A professional online certificate course* of the Ateneo de Manila Institute for the Science and Art of Learning and Teaching (SALT Institute) sponsored by United Board for Christian Higher Education in Asia) from 4th July – 30th September 2022
- Dr. Shajini Judith Diana, Assistant Professor, Department of Home Science undertook study trip to Assumption University, Bangkok, Thailand and Payap University, Chiang mai, Thailand as a part of the *United Board Fellows Program* organized by the United Board for Christian Higher Education in Asia from 14th to 30th January 2023.
- Dr. Anne Beryl Catherine S, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Commerce attended Leadership Program hosted by Singapore Management University (SMU) as part of the *United Board Fellows Program* from 5th August, 2022 to 17th March, 2023
- Dr. J Jeyasanthi, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Tamil received the following *awards*:
 - Kalvi Sudarmani Award
 - Gnana Sudar Sakrai Award
 - P. Kakkan Veera Award
 - Kalai maarmani Award
 - Vajra Kodi Mani Award
 - Radhakrishnan Nalasiriyar Award
 - Kalvi Klankarai Vilakku Award
- Dr. S G Esther Arul Mary, Assistant Professor, Department of Tamil received *Faculty Excellence Award - International Awards - 2023*
- Dr. Phebe Stella A, Head & Assistant Professor of Tamil received the following *awards*:
 - Thirukkural Marabukavi Selvar Virudhu

- Thirukkural Puthukavi Selvar Virudhu
- Sinthanai Methaku Makalir Viruthu
- Ovai Virudhu- 2023
- Ezhuchi Naayagi Virudhu -2023
- Dr. C Josephine Prathina, Assistant Professor of Tamil received the *award* "Thirukkural puthukavi selvar virudhu".
- Dr. N Elizabeth, Dean, SF Programs and Associate Professor & Head, Department of Commerce (Accounting & Finance) attended the *Symposium on Hope for the Future of Christian HE: Faith, Cooperation and Lived Experience at Liverpool Hope University, UK* from 9th to 10th November 2022.
- Dr. N Elizabeth, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Commerce (A&F) and Ms. Eben Angel Pauline, Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science (IT) attended the *National Level FDP on 'Action learning Agility through Case Study Methodology'* conducted by Firebird Institute Of Research In Management on 27th January 2023.
- Dr. N Elizabeth, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Commerce (A&F), Dr. Shoba Leslie, Associate Professor, Department of Computer Science and Ms. Serin, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Computer Science (IT) participated in the *ICT Academy BRIDGE 2023 Conference* held on 14th March 2023 at Chennai Trade Centre. The Theme of the conference is Building Human Capital for a Trillion Dollar Digital Economy.
- Ms. Martina Betsy A & Ms. Mahalakshmi K, Assistant Professors, Department of Commerce won the *1st Runner-up and cash prize of HK\$ 3,000 in the Scenario Development Competition (Teacher) 2022* organised by Centre for Holistic Teaching and Learning, Hong Kong Baptist University.
- Ms. Kiruba Nesa Malar, Asst. Professor, Dept. of Computer Science received Icon of India 2023 Young Scientist award from Saveetha Institute of Management, Saveetha Institute of Medical and Technical Sciences & Institute for Social Reforms and Higher Education Charitable Trust, India on the occasion of International Women's Day on 8th March 2023.
- Dr. Esther Hannah, Asst. Professor, Dept. of Computer Science won the *best paper award of Rs. 5000/-* for the paper "Towards the Early Prediction of Diabetes Mellitus in Women - An Ensemble Learning Approach" in the International Conference on "Recent Innovations in Intelligence Computing (ICRIIC 23)" conducted by Jeppiaar Arts and Science College, Padur on 10th March 2023.
- E Aarthi (18PCT01) & Dr. Savithri V, K M Darshini (18PCT08) & Dr. Christy Pushpaleela and Vishali G (18PCT26), Ms. Mary Ivy Deepa & Dr. K Glory Vijayaselvi received *Best Paper Award* in the National Conference on A Future Blend of Mathematics and Information Technology Annai Violet Arts and Science College – 22nd & 23rd Feb 2023.
- Ms. R Arulmathi and Dr. R Lakshmi Devi, Assistant Professors, Department of Computer Applications received *Best Paper Award* in the International Conference on Advancements in Intelligent Systems and Computing (ICAISC 2023) on 11.1.2023 for the paper titled 'Ward of Weeds Removal with Deep Learning in Robotics'.
- Dr. Punitha D, Associate Professor & Head, PG Dept. of Communication & Eugene presented a Joint paper titled 'A Study on the Influence of OTT platforms on theatre-going audience post-Covid era' at the Conference on Media and communication organized by DG Vaishnav College on 22nd and 23rd September, 2022 and won *Best Paper award*.
- Ms. Hemalatha Gunasekaran, Assistant Professor & Head, PG Department

of International Studies won *Scranton Essay Contest* under the theme 'Cultural Diversity & Inclusiveness' for the essay titled 'Incorporating Cultural Diversity and Inclusiveness in Higher Education Pedagogy' organized by Scranton Women Leadership Centre, South Korea and received 2000 US Dollars.

- Dr. Sunita Jajodia, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Languages published and launched her Hindi Poetry Book *Zindagi ka collage* (Poetry collection) on 7th December 2022 and received an honour *Kavya Gourav Samman* by Hindi Gourav Sanstha, New Delhi on 7th January 2023.
- The following faculty obtained their Doctorate degree.

Shift I

- Dr. Sarah Sruti Lal, Department of Psychology – 21.9.2022
- Dr. Jemmy S, Department of Psychology – 10.4.2023

Shift II

- Dr. D Jansi Priya, Department of Tamil – 5.8.2022
- Dr. Sowmya, Department of Computer Science – 23.11.2022
- Dr. Sheila Eveline N, Department of Commerce (General) – 2.12.2022
- Dr. Jeya J, Department of Commerce - 20.1.2023
- Dr. J Serin, Department of Computer Science – 5.5.2023

BOOKS PUBLISHED

- Ms. Srividya Narayanan, Guest Lecturer, Department of English published a book titled 'Word Games for You – Plan to Learn' in November 2022. ISBN – 9789392188046
- Dr. K Priya Naidu published a book titled "Gadhya Nilay" published by Aman Prakashan in 2022. ISBN- 978-93-83637-97-3
- Dr. C Anchana Devi, PG Department of Biotechnology has published a book

titled *Advanced Drug Delivery Systems : Principles and Practice* in March 2023. ISBN - 978-93-5757-096-1

CO-AUTHORED BOOKS

- Dr. Vanitha Williams, Dr. Annie Rubens, Dr. Benitha Golda and Dr. Jancy Merlin of the Department of Advanced Zoology & Biotechnology have published a book "Moths of Women Christian College- A Field Guide" in August 2022. ISBN - 978-81-958002-0-9
- Ms. R Arulmathi and Dr. R Lakshmi Devi, Assistant Professors, Department of Computer Applications and Dr. Vijaya Samundeeswari V, Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science & Technology have published a Book on *Artificial Intelligence – A modern approach* in March 2023. ISBN - 978-81-19042-41-8
- Dr. D Punitha, PG Department of Communication and DG Eugene have published an online book *Comparison between OTT and Traditional Television Viewership among Youth during COVID Times in Chennai*. ISBN - 978-93-5207-123-4

PATENTS

- Dr. Esther Hannah of Department of Computer Science (IT) - Patent received for invention titled 'Machine Learning Model for Secured Information Exchange in Flying' Published on 17.3.2023. Patent Number 202341017152

STUDENT ACTIVITIES & ACHIEVEMENTS

- Saranya, Psychology & Jerusha Idalin Johnson, Psychology attended *Semester Abroad Program at LeTourneau University, Texas, USA*.
- Nirupana Bharathi V (English), Dafne Linda (B.Com. General), Vasundra Arun (Visual Commn.) & Ruhitha Reddy K (B.Com. Honours) attended *Semester Abroad Program at the Liverpool Hope University, UK*.
- 45 students attended a 14 days *Study Abroad Program at University of Cyberjaya, Malaysia*.

- Anushka Sara Mathew (20NUT12) represented India in the Cultural Exchange program in Malaysia from October 8th to 15th 2022.
- Nivedita Srikant (21NUT25) won the Gold medal in the 18th International Okinawa Goju-Ryu Ipoh city Karate Open Championship. This tournament was held in Ipoh city, Malaysia from 27-29th May 2022 and won first place in the Senior Open Female kumite category.
- Joanna Syntycheyal G, II Bcom General won Bronze medal in Tent Pitching at the All India ThaiSaink Camp
- D Dimple, 1st Place in Flavor O Graphy contest organized by the Department of Clinical Nutrition & Dietetics (AHS), Sathyabama Institute of Science & Technology
- Joancy Pushpa J- M. Com., Jenita Ancy - Vis Com, Rakshana – B. Com. (A&F) & Juanita Issac – B.Com. (CA) attended the International Service- Learning Program at Trinity University of Asia, Manila, Philippines from 6th Feb 2023 to 17th Feb 2023.
- Ms. Ananya Varma, II MA International Studies attended the month-long summer program on Public Policy and International Law at Seoul National University, Seoul, South Korea from 26.06.22 to 30.07.2022.
- Ms. Logeshwari, II MA Int. Studies won the First Prize in Essay Writing Competition for her essay on “Human Rights and Climate Change” held by the State Human Rights Commission, Tamilnadu - 2.06.2022
- Ms. Domini Jyotsna, II MA Int. Studies was awarded the Best Speaker Prize for her paper presentation on “Understanding Commodity Culture: China’s Fashion & Food Influence in South Asia” at an International Conference on “Socio-Economic & Political Dynamics in South Asia” conducted by Saveetha School of Law, Chennai - 12.09.2022
- AKS Varsha Devi, II B.Com. won Scranton Essay Contest Award for the essay titled Men to be made a tool for implementing co-existence: A Study of the Indian Society.
- Sherin Rajkumari Premkumar, III B.Com CA presented a paper entitled ‘Global Transformation of Core Banking into Smart Banking’ and received the ‘Best Paper Award’ in the conference on ‘Resilience and Reinvention of Business after Covid – 19’ held on 19th and 20th, October 2022 organised by the Department of Commerce, Madras Christian College.
- Ancy Mathew (20ENG07) – winner of Logo Design Competition for the project on ‘Comprehensive Intervention for Urban Homeless in Chennai’ organised by Madras School of Social Work – Oct. 18, 2022
- Anaghaa (20ENG05) - won the First Place with a cash prize of Rs. 5,000/- in the event ‘Asian Youth Centre debate commemorating UN Day’ – Oct. 15, 2022
- II M.Sc. Maths students - Winners (1st Place) in Math Medley (Math Song) at the Inter-Collegiate Math Competitions held at Stella Maris College on 12th Oct 2022
- II M.Sc. Maths students - Winners (1st Place) in Ashes of Talent - Math Song at Ethiraj College For Women on 20th September 2022
- Deepika M, I Psychology won 1st Prize, Gayathri M, II ZBT won II prize in the Elocution competition conducted by Police Museum, Chennai
- Ms. Shinojus L.G Anitus, I M.Sc. Biotechnology received I Prize – National Level Essay Writing Competition - Microbiologist Society of India, Jharkhand Unit, 31st Dec 2022
- Kaycee Janet, I CSC, won I Place (Cash Prize Rs. 5000) in the Short Film at the International Women’s Day Celebration organized by Central Bureau of Communication & Press Information Bureau, Ministry of Information and Broadcasting, Government of India & NSS University of Madras & DOT school of Design - 7, 8th March 2023.

- Niha Headly, I M.A. HRM won *1st Prize, Best Manager*, Stella Maris College
- Students of I and II MA HRM representing the College at the All India Radio programme to discuss the significance of G20 Summit and India's Presidency, 28th January, 2023
- TNSCST grant of Rs. 7500/- each under the student project scheme for the year 2022-2023 has been awarded to Ms. Asha Metilda J, II M.Sc. Physics
- Keerthana.K, I M.Sc Chemistry received *III Prize in Chemiskill'z-2023 & cash prize of Rs. 20,000/-*, organised by Manali Petrochemicals Limited, on February 9,2023.
- I M.Sc Chemistry students won the overall trophy in *Alchemy'23* organised by the Department of Chemistry, Anna Adarsh College for Women, Intercollegiate events on February 14, 2023.
- Dalmi C.T and Gowri K.G of I MSc Chemistry won the *I Prize in Chem Poster* in AROMA organised by Madras Christian College, on March 3,2023.
- 10 students (2019 Batch) from Department of B.Com (Commerce) participated in *Catalysts of Change 2023* organized by Chennai Volunteers on 17th Feb 2023 and received appreciation and an award for transformational volunteering for online teaching done to under privileged children during Covid lockdown.
- Parmeitha, IIBBA won *I Place in paper pushing and a cash prize of Rs 3000 in a journalism event - LITRAPTURE '23*, conducted by the Crescent Literary Society, Crescent Institute of Science and Technology on 18.02.2023
- Deevena Jemima, Research Scholar, Department of Home Science won *I Prize - Poster Presentation - National Symposium on Current trends in food safety and Quality control – 10.3.2023*
- Madhumathi M V, III HST got second prize in Mayor's Speech and won the title *Champion of Democracy*, for scoring the highest in the entire competition, competing with nearly 1300 people from 23 states and 5 Union Territories in the National Youth Conclave of the NIUA and MOHUA conducted in Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi on 13th and 14th March 2023.
- Emi Grace Mary Gowshika R, Research Scholar, Department of Home Science won *I Prize - E-Poster Competition on Mighty Millets* by Queen Mary's College, Chennai – 1.3.2023 and Appreciation Award for Guest Lecture at Dr. M.G.R. Research and Educational Institute for Entrepreneurship – 14.3.2023
- Kanchana D, Ashita Viswanathan & Marimpudi Jomasupriya of III B.Sc. Mathematics won *I place in Triwizard, an event organized by the National Institute of Fashion Technology, Chennai and a cash prize of Rs. 10,000/-*
- Sharon Juliet Sanjana Paul, I B.Com General won *1st prize in Flora Fest 2023 Quiz*, Loyola College.
- Krena Sasitharan, I Physics won *I Prize - Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel Oratorical Competition – Sardar Vallabhabhai Patel Memorial Trust, Chennai*
- Vinoothinee N, II Information Technology won *I Prize in Tech Support Event* in 14th National level Technical Symposium at MGR University
- Madhusree V, III ZBT Won *S.X. Arockiasamy Endowment Award* at the intercollegiate Oratorical competition on Fisheries and Aquaculture
- Abigail Savarirayan, Ashavi, Kristy Ria Shaji, II B.Com. General won *1st Place in Corporate Walk* in the intercollegiate event at Justice Basheer Ahmed Sayeed College
- Kanmani M, II BCA won *Tamil Pavaai Virudhu in Kavithai Competition* and Nagalakshmi B, B.Com. General won *Tamil Pavaai Virudhu in Katturai Competition* in the Tamil Paavai

Manra Vizha Potigal at Mahalakshmi College of Arts & Science.

- PG Maths students won the *overall trophy in MCC at the Mathwoods cultural event. 1st place in Mathtune, 2nd place in Adzap, Sudukko, Math Masala and Quizzard*
- Doctorate Degree
- The following students received Ph.D. this year.
- Ms. Kamli Priya, PG Department of Biotechnology, student of Dr. Priya Iyer was awarded Doctorate degree from the University of Madras on 18.3.2022. Title: *A Study of Novel Green Nano formulations and Nano-Drug Conjugates against HIV, Associated Cancer and Infections University of Madras*
- Scholarships
- Ms. Christina Abraham, III Nut, FSM & Dietetics (400 US Dollars) and Ms. Misba Jaya Margin, III BBA (800 US Dollars) are the recipients of the Education Fee grant of the Wesley Zaidan, Tokyo, Japan.
- Chelsea Christina Somasundaram, I BCA received scholarship award for the 2023-2024 Community College Initiative Program (CCIP), US Consulate General, Chennai.
- Fourteen students received Scranton Scholarships of Rs 9,40,255/- for the year 2023:
- Els Abisha, I B.Sc. Chemistry, Caroline Susan P, I B.Sc. Advanced Zoology & Biotechnology, Phoebe Keziah I, I B.Sc. Computer Science, Jerusha Princy B.S, I B.Com. (Honours), Praisee A.J, I B.Com (Honours), Odelia Jasmine S, I B.Com., Anupriya R, II Business Administration, Steffi Christina A, II B.Sc. Information Technology, Darlene Zaneta J, II B.Com. Honours, Blessiya Vincy W, II M.Sc. Computer Science & Technology (5 year Integrated Program), Jenita Hephzibah Pauline A, I M.Sc. Chemistry, Shinojus L G

Anitus, I M.Sc. Biotechnology, Deva Nishali D, I M.Sc. Information Technology & AKS Varsha Devi, II B.Com.

- The following 21 students are the recipients of the Scholarship 'Moovalur Ramamirtham Scheme' funded by the Government of Tamil Nadu
- Simonia Unies Ambritta S (20BBA47), Girija B (20BBA63), Kalaiyarasi M (20BCA18), Sowmiya R (20CMC61), Indhuja R (20COM13), N Sharon Kiruba (20CSC34), Asma Begam A (20HST08), Monisha (20MAT26), Monisha Sivalingam (20MAT26), Abigail Evangeline A (20NUT02), Ambika T (20NUT06), Prasanna M (20PBB26), Niveetha (20PHY28), Marina Hanitha A (21CMC60), Joy Sherli Ezhilarasi J (21CSC21), Divya Shree (21ENG70), J Rahamath Nisha (21NUC46), Anto Jobitha A (21NUT04), Gayathri G (21NUT47), Varalakshmi C (21PBB47), Vanitha M Mohan (21PHY37)

CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Indian Music Club

- 1st prize in Light Music band event in Deepwoods 23- held at Madras Christian College, Chennai - Anamika Arun (20CHE01), Tanika S.B. (21ZBT31), Keerthana.D (20ZBT24), Anandha Sivasri (20PSY03), Jayashri (21PHY15) & Shanmugapriya (21HST51)
- 1st prize in Rap battle - Jayashri (21PHY15).

Western Dance Club

- 1st prize - Solo choreography - Loyola Institute of Business Administration, LIBAZAAR 2022, VIT, Chennai - DESINTOX SOLO & IIM Bangalore, Unmaad 2022.
- 2nd prize - Group Dance - Anna University "TECHOFES 2022", 1st prize - Group Dance - JIPMER, Pondicherry "SPANDAN 2022" & Viral Fission, CAMPUS LEAGUE

- 1st prize – Group Dance - Vel's Institute of Science and Technology, Nakshatra 2022
- 2nd prize – Group Dance, Adaptune, 1st prize – Solo Choreography - Madras Medical College, REVIVALS 2k22
- 2nd prize – Adaptune - KCG college of technology, "ETHEREAL '22"
- 2nd Prize - Solo choreography, Special mention – Adaptune - PIMS, Pondicherry, "AURA '22"

Pirouette Club (French Literary And Debate Club)

- 1st prize – Singing, 2nd & 3rd prize - Calligram & 2nd prize –Photography - Forla fest, Loyola College
- 2nd prize - chasse au trésor (Treasure hunt) - Kshitij, Shri Shankarlal Sundarbai Shasun Jain College
- 1st prize - Créer des affiches(Poster making) and 2nd prize - La bande dessinée(comic script) - L'Aube, Ethiraj College
- 1st prize – Quiz, 2nd prize - Group singing & Overall trophy winners -Fête de la Francophonie, Loyola College.

Fusion Dance Club

- 1st prize - Group dance - Madras Christian College

Pragathi Club(Hindi)

- Won Overall Rolling trophy and 1st prize in Block and Tackle & Channel Surfing - Darpan 2022 (DG Vaishnav College)
- Meera Pradeep, II AZBT won 1st prize in Channel Surfing - DG Hindi culturals

LDC Club

- 1st prize - Krena Sasitharan (22PHY28) - English Inter Collegiate Oratorical Competitions
- 1st prize - Anaghaa Vishwanathan (20ENG05), 2nd prize - Madhumathi (20HST29) & WCC secured the Rolling Trophy - Inter Collegiate Debate Competition - Asian Youth Center

- WCC secured the overall 1st prize – Ethiraj College, Athena'
- 1st prize - V.S. Shakthi Devi - Essay Writing competition - Loyola College, Chennai

Tamil Literacy Club

- 1st prize - Nagalakshmi (21CMG74) - Poetry Competition - Sri Krishnaswamy College, Chennai
- 1st prize - Amritha. B (21CMF59), 2nd prize - Aishwerya (20BBA07) & 3rd prize - Juana (22BBA28) - elocution competition on International Women's Day organized by the Tamil Literary and Debate club and Centre for Women's Studies.

COLLEGE CHOIR

- The College Choir participated in the Christmas Carol Competition conducted by Stella Maris College on 7th December 2022 and won 2nd place and cash prize of Rs. 5000/-
- The Choir participated in virtual Christmas carol concert 'Navidad 2022' Competition and got 3rd place and a cash prize of Rs. 5,000/-
- The Choir performed in Sounds of the season, a festive concert at WCC on 17th December 2022 alongside the MGPA Choir and The stop gaps Choral Ensemble, Mumbai.
- The Choir performed at the carol concert organized by Madras Christian College Alumni Association on 16th December 2022

COLLEGE PLAY

- The Annual College Play "Fiddler on the Roof" was staged from 3rd to 5th November, 2022 directed by Mr. Regin Rose.

FESTEVE

- Festeve '23, the two day inter-collegiate cultural fest of WCC was held on the 24th & 25th February 2023. 20 Colleges participated.

STUDENTS SCHOLARSHIPS

- Apart from the several welfare schemes, scholarships sponsored by the Tamil Nadu Government and the College Management supports the needy students. The Management of the College has distributed Rs. 49,30,809/- to 442 students on a merit cum means basis.

SEED GRANT

- Student Research Seed Grant of Rs. 2,68,200/- has been disbursed to 66 students. 13 Faculty have received seed grants from college for Research Projects and the total grant amount being Rs.. 2,12,500/-.

IQAC INITIATIVES

- New Faculty Orientation Program was organized on 27th August 2022.
- Interaction with a team from JSS College Of Arts, Commerce & Science, Mysuru, Karnataka on ventures for quality enhancement on 7.10.2022.

INFORMATION RESOURCE CENTRE

- Book launch - 'Karpanai Kadantha Kavi' in collaboration with PG Department of Mathematics on 28.2.2023. Ms. Seetha Lakshmi. K from I M.Sc. Maths awarded தீந்தமிழ் அணங்கு award by ASET College.
- Meet the Author
- Ms. Malathi Mohan, Author of Chandram: 1909 - 2009 The Story of Nemali Chandramath – 10.8.2022
- Ms. Manna, Author of Heart of the Circus – 5.11.2022
- Dr. Perumal Murugan – 13.1.2023
- Foreign Language Corner was set up in the Library. A Sony TV was installed on 7th January 2023 to familiarize the library users about the culture and language of France (Courtesy: France 24 News Channel).
- Newspaper & Magazine Reading Corner was set up to provide a conducive reading space for the users.

CENTRE FOR ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES

- Online Photography Competition on the theme "Only One Earth" was conducted on 19.8.2022 on the theme Only One Earth.
- Invited Talk on Biological and Electrochemical Methods of Effluent Treatment on 26.8.2022. Dr. K Vijayaraghavan, Environmental Consultant was the speaker.
- Invited Talk on Urban greening – Challenges and concepts! By Ms. Shobha Menon, Founder, Nizhal on 8.3.2023

CENTRE FOR WOMEN STUDIES

- Organized Consultation on Domestic Violence Act 2005 – Possibilities and Challenges In association with Arogya Agam, Theni Tamil Maanila Pengal Iyakkam on 31.10.2022. The Resource Person was Ms. A.S. Kumari, Chairperson, Tamil Nadu State Commission for Women.
- Awareness program on Intimate Partner Violence in association with International Foundation for Crime Prevention and Victim Care (PCVC) on 8.12.2022
- International Webinar on Women Empowerment on 22.3.2023. Ms. Daisy Callanta, President & CEO, Jesus Hugs Ministry, Philippines was the Resource Person.

CENTRE FOR RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

- Workshop on Build Your Library-Reference Managers Mendeley And Zotero by Dr. K Niraimathi, Director, Fenivi Research Solutions for faculty on 17.8.2022 and for students on 25.8.2022 and on 4.3.2023.
- Faculty Development Program on Writing Proposals for Funded Projects on 16.3.2023. Dr. S Poongothai, Head-Clinical Trials Operations, Chennai was the Resource Person.

INSTITUTION'S INNOVATION COUNCIL

- WCC is now registered under this Skill Hub Initiative PMKVY 3.0. and has been approved by Skill India Initiative as Training Provider (TP) as well as Training Centre (TC) and two courses are approved for us to conduct under the specific job sector 'Apparels' such as Self-Employed Tailor and Hand Embroidery. First batch of 19 students enrolled for the Job Sector -Apparels - Self Employed Tailor (Q1947) and 16 women received the certificate.
- 6 Students from Department of Psychology and 2 mentors Ms. Jelin Rebekah and Ms. Eben Angel Pauline participated in the Smart India Hackathon Finals and competed in the pre screening at JK Lakshmipat University, Rajasthan.
- Standard Club organized Door to Door to Campaign from 15th - 16th Oct 2022. 10 of our students were given training online and created the awareness about standards and safety available to buy a product and to introduce BIS care apps to the public.
- E-Star – the two-day entrepreneurship competition was organised by Blaze Entrepreneur Cell. 22 participants competed for the title of "Best Woman Entrepreneur of WCC 2022-23".

INTERNATIONAL PROGRAM OFFICE AND STUDENT SERVICES

- Guest Lecture on Education in Vietnam on 25.10.2022. Dr. Nguyen Thi Ngoc Quynh, The University of Languages & International Studies, Vietnam National University, Hanoi was the Resource Person.
- Guest Lecture on "Education 2030" was held on 24.9.2022. Prof. Jennifer Howell, Pro Vice Chancellor, Western Australian University and Prof Anu Rammohan, Western Australia University were the Resource Persons.
- Seminar on Study Abroad Program & Industry Specialization Program In

collaboration with Binary University, Malaysia on 9.12.2022. Mr. Ahmed, Binary University was the Resource Person.

- Guest Lecture on Pursuing Masters/ Research Program in Germany on 15.12.2022. DAAD India Representative Ms. Padmaja delivered the lecture.

EXTENSION ACTIVITIES

NCC:

- POC Aksa Jeffrin Mendez, II B.Com. participated in Sailing Competition as part of TN,P&AN Dte and won *overall Championship in the All India Yachting Regatta Camp 2022*, INS Chilka Odisha held from 9th to 16th Nov 2022.
- T L Sruti, II NUC, NSS Volunteer *participated in the State Republic Day Parade Camp – 2023* from 17th – 26th January 2023.
- CC Harini T R, III BIT and NCI Bhavya, II NUT *participated in the Marina Republic Day camp* held during 19th – 26th January 2023.
- CSM Preethi A, II PBB was *part of the Republic Day NCC Contingent*. She *marched at Kartavya Path, New Delhi* on 26th January 2023.
- CUO Kaartika, III Maths *participated in the Prime Minister's Rally, New Delhi* held during 29-12-2022 to 30-01-2023.
- Sivaranjini & Pavantheeka, II ENG won the *First Place in Fusion Dance - Servitum 2022* organised by NCC of Madras Christian College - Sep. 26, 2022
- An awareness rally for the Anti-Drug event was conducted on the College road – Sterling road by our cadets on 11.8.2022.
- A parade was held to create awareness regarding the Puneet Sagar Abhiyan. 2 cadets from our college participated in the Nukat Natak on 28.9.2022
- LC Aishwerya G, BBA participated in the Celebration of 75th Anniversary of Independence - 2022 at DGNCC , Delhi from 19.07.2022 – 18.08.2022

- NC II Bhavya S, B.Sc Nutrition participated in the All India Nau Sainik Camp - Inter Unit Competition – 2022 held at Pondicherry from 02.08.2022 – 09.08.2022
- NC1 Sanjana, B.Sc Physics attended EBSB Phase 1 Camp – 2022 at Allahabad 22.08.2022 – 06.09.2022
- CC Harini T R, B.Sc IT attended DTE RDC TRG - I CAMP – 2022, Idayapatti 25.09.2022 – 03.10.2022
- Sindhuja & NCI Nakshatira, B.Com A & F attended EBSB Phase II Camp – 2022 at Uttarpradesh - 10.10.2022 – 19.10.2022
- CUO Joanna Syntycheyal G, B.Com General attended All India Thal Sainik Camp – 2022 at Delhi - 14.09.2022 – 25.09.2022
- Wall Painting was done on Road Safety Awareness from 17th – 19th Jan 2023 in Park Town Bridge opposite to Central Railway Station.
- NCC students took part in Bench Construction by Upcycling Plastic Bottles on 5th Feb 2023 at Nageshwara Rao Park, Mylapore.

NSS:

- Eye Donation Awareness Campaign. 6.9.2022 Dr. Preethi Naveen was the Chief Guest.
- Rally on Vaccination Awareness - 4.8.2022
- WALKATHON and Pledge on Drug Abuse for Drug Free Tamil Nadu. 11.8.2022.
- Beach Cleanup on Coastal Cleanup Day - 17.9.2022
- Signature Campaign Mega Awareness Green Event. 14.10.2022 in collaboration with Dream Kalam, NSS unit of Madras University and Greater Chennai Police
- Fit India run - 31.10.2022
- Walkathon: Walk Away From Breast Cancer - 30.10.2022
- Rashtriya Ekta Diwas Pledge - 31.10.2022

- NSS Volunteers participated in Vigilance Awareness Week to raise awareness about the importance of integrity and accountability - 7-19 Nov 2022
- Scribe Services helped the visually impaired students to perform better in their studies and improve their academic performance.
- Women Safety Awareness Campaign was conducted in collaboration with the NGOs to educate women about their safety and security.
- Blood Donation Camp - 27 Feb 2023
- International Childhood Cancer Day 2023 on 19.2.2023. Actor Srikanth was the Chief Guest.
- Skill Development Workshop on Mushroom Cultivation To Empower Women on 13th & 14th Feb 2023
- Drug Abuse Awareness Campaign on 21 Dec, 4, 10 Jan 2023
- Go Red Event to raise awareness about heart health and the importance of maintaining a healthy lifestyle and to encourage students to adopt healthy habits such as regular exercise, a balanced diet, and stress management.

ROTARACT:

- The Rotaract Club of Women's Christian College has conducted the following events.
- Rethinking Refugees was conducted on 11.8.2022 to raise awareness among the green rotaractors about the issues and struggles faced by refugees around the world. The guest speaker of the event was Dr. Sindhuja Sankaran, who is a social psychologist and also the founder of the NGO "Rethinking Refugees".
- Breaking Barriers 14.10.2022 The speaker of the event Ms. Anuradha Naidu, a consultant at a community-based Rehabilitation Center at Vidhyasagar spoke about the importance of Rural rehabilitation and

meeting the needs of people with disability and poor and marginalised communities.

- Break the Stigma - This event was held on 10.9.2022 to commemorate World Mental Health Day to encourage students to spread awareness about the reality of Mental Health issues and the importance of a good psychological well-being.
- One Walk One Hope, a Walkathon event was conducted on 30.10.2022 to spread awareness on the issue of regular breast cancer testing, prevalence and stigma related to it.
- Project Teach - Konjam Aasai Konjam Kanavu - In association with Chudar NGO Celebrating children's day with 184 government school children.
- Project Tangled - Locks of Hope on 16.12.2022 Ms. Dimple Raj, an ovarian cancer survivor was the speaker. 239 members of WCC donated their hair for the cause.
- For contributing the largest sum of Rs. 1,26,117, the Rotaract club of Women's Christian College was awarded the *Top performing Club*. "Ventura- Stride with Pride" is a special project collaborated with the Rotaract Club of Coastal Legacy. Award for contributing the largest sum of Rs. 1,26,117

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- Awareness Talk on Eye Donation - 6.9.2022. Dr. Preethi Naveen, Ophthalmologist, Cornea specialist and Eye Bank Director was the Chief Guest.
- Anti-drug awareness Rally and Flash mob
- Awareness Campaign on Suicide Prevention 12.9.2022
- Nakshatra Arts'22 on 29-30 Oct 2022. YI students volunteered to help out Bhumi in organising the annual national talent festival in arts and sports for children from orphanages, shelter homes and community centers from in and around Chennai.

- Health & Safety Programs
- Mental Health Awareness - 3rd Feb 2023
- Cancer Rally, Elliot Beach - 4th Feb 2023
- Safety health program - LPG gas safety awareness at WCC Outreach Centre – 6th Mar 2023
- Seminar on Understanding Ground water Problems in Chennai -13.2.2203
- Calligraphy Workshop – 7.3.2023
- Celebrated World Justice Day Rally - 18.2.2203
- *Awards and Recognitions* - Most Self Sustaining College Of The Year, Yuva College Excellence Award, Most Enterprising College of The Year & Most innovative ideas. One among top 5 colleges in Chennai chapter.

ECO CLUB:

- Discussion session on Greening the planet one tree at a time In collaboration with Ms. Shoba, the founder of the NGO 'NIZHAL' on 24-08-2022
- Campaign - Mission Refill pens - To spread awareness on the usage of single use plastics and also aimed at collecting old, single used refill pens from our college students and recycling it, thereby reducing the usage of single use plastics. 13th, 17th & Sep 2022.
- Seminar on 'Protecting Wetlands and Bird Conservation' in collaboration with the Suzhal Arivom team on 07-01-2023
- Webinar on 'Coastal birds' in collaboration with the Suzhal Arivom team on 06-02-2023
- Webinar on Understanding the Ground Water Problems in Chennai 13th Feb 2023 - Dr. T Prabhakar Clement, Professor, University of Alabama was the speaker.
- Lake Clean Up - Conducted by the 'Environmental Foundation of India' at Madambakam lake, Chennai.

WELFARE PROGRAMS

- White Gift Ceremony
- The White Gift ceremony, a tradition of the College encourages all students to share their resources with the marginalized and the underprivileged during the Christmas season. The College raised Rs. 2,50,526/- for distribution to various welfare agencies.
- Alumnae Food Fair
- The Alumnae Food Fair was held on 4th September 2022 and students of both Shift I and II participated with enthusiasm and vigour.

SPORTS

National Level:

- Beena Jemima R II CMG, Nivedhitha S I BCA & Krithika A I BIT won the I place in the 1st South Zone Junior Throwball Championship held at Kerala on 18th & 19th Feb 2023.
- Yohitha S III BBA, Beulah Joyce S II CMG & Dheeksha SP III VCM won the II place in the 15th South Zone Senior Throwball Championship held at Kerala on 18th & 19th Feb 2023.
- Akshaya CD III ENG participated in the 3rd National Cricket Tournament for Blind Women held at Bengaluru from 9th to 13th Jan 2023.
- Abiya II BA Corp Eco won the first place in senior category in Kate Event in the All India Inter Zonal Karate Championship held at Talkatora Indoor Stadium, New Delhi on 2nd Dec 2022
- Divya M III BBA, Sowmiya M III BBA and Nishanthini Shree I CEM participated in the Federation Cup Korfball Championship held at Solan, Himachal Pradesh from 1st to 4th Sep 2022.

State Level:

- Pooja M won the first place in the Tamil Nadu Junior Judo Ranking Tournament held at Trichy on 8th & 9th Oct 2022

- Shree Varshini I MSc CST won the first place in senior category Under 53kgs category Kumite in the 29th Tamil Nadu Karate Championship held at PSG College of Technology, Coimbatore on 21st & 22nd Aug 2022
- Agnes Abishag II Vis Com won the First Place in the 3rd Senior State Targetball Championship held at Saveetha Institute of Medical & Tech on 17th & 18th Sep 2022.
- Abiya II Corp Eco won the first place in senior category Under PI-200 in the 4th Tamilnadu State Kudo Tournament 2022-23 held at Builders Engineering College, Tirupur from 30th Sept to 2nd Oct 2022.
- Nivedhitha S I BCA, Yohitha S III BBA & Krithika A I BIT represented Thiruvallur District secured 1st place, Jackline Benoliya II CMC represented Chennai District secured 2nd place in the 20th Senior State Throwball Championship held at Thoothukudi from 6th to 8th Oct 2022.

University Level:

- Keerthika G III NUC won the second place in the All India Inter University Ball Badminton Tournament held at Crescent University from 27th to 30th Jan 2023.
- Bhagyasri I MAT & Prajisha I PHY represent the University of Madras for the South Zone Inter University Handball Tournament held at Cochin from 13th to 17th Feb 2023.
- Trina Iris III BBA and Harini III ENG won the First place in the All India Inter University Squash Tournament held at Somaiya Vidya University, Mumbai from 13th to 20th Feb 2023.

District Level:

- Jayani I Corp Eco won *I place in 100 mts* at the Chennai District Junior Athletic Championship held at Nehru Stadium on 22nd & 23rd Sep 2022

- At the Madras University Zonal Level Tournaments our college teams secured the following places
- I place in Handball held at Nazareth College on 19th Oct 2022
- I place in Chess held at Ambedkar College of Arts & Science on 29th Sep 2022
- Parvatha Vardhini III Vis Com won the first place in 57kgs Category in the Madras University B Zone Powerlifting Competition held at KRMMC on 11th Dec 2022
- Nivetha T I CSC won the Second place in U 58Kgs Category in the Madras University Inter Zonal Boxing Championship held at Nehru Stadium on 14th Dec 2022
- In Athletics, Sippa Nandhi I HIS won *II place in 200 mts.*

Invitation Tournament:

- I place in the Independence Day Cup throwball tournament organized by Chennai District Throwball Association on 16th Sep 2022
- I place in the Buck Throwball Tournament organized by YMCA College of Physical Education from 20th to 23rd Sep 2022
- I place in the Bhaktavasalam Memorial Trophy (Throwball) organized by Bhaktavasalam College on 27th Jan 2023.
- I place in the N George Memorial Trophy (Throwball) organized by Alpha Arts & Science College on 28th Jan 2023.
- I place in the WCC Trophy Tournament (Throwball) organized by Women's Christian College on 31st Jan 2023.
- I place in the JBAS Tournament (Throwball) organized by JBAS College on 23rd Feb 2023.
- I place in the State Level Inter Collegiate Throwball Tournament organized by Boomerang Academy on 11th March 2023.
- Sippa I His won first place in the State Level Athletic Invitational Meet held at Nehru Stadium on 30th Dec 2022.
- Mr. Samy Singh Meena IPS, Deputy Commissioner of Police, Traffic East Greater Chennai presided over the Annual Sports Day program on 10th February 2023. Mr. N Mohammed Riaz, Olympian, Arjuna Awardee, Asian Games Gold Medalist was the Guest of Honour. Our students showcased what they had learnt during the year through a series of brilliant performances.

CAREER GUIDANCE CELL

- 208 UG and PG students have been successfully placed in 28 companies through the campus recruitment process. They have been recruited in various job profiles in different levels of management.

INFRASTRUCTURE

- Murasoli Maran Science and Informatics research Block funded by Sun Foundation was inaugurated by Mrs Mallika Maran on 29th August 2022. Ms. Kavery Kalanithi, our Alumna and former President of the WCC Student Senate was the guest of honor.
- The teamwork between the Management and the college community helped us to achieve our goals and we were able to move forward in leaps and bounds.
- I would like to thank Mr. Mohan Eddy, President of the WCC Association, Mr. J S Anbu, our Treasurer and other members of the Board, Vice-Principal, Ms. P Lizzie Angelina, Bursar Ms. Catherine Correya, Controller of Examinations Mr. Regi Thomas & Ms. Mary Ivy Deepa, Deans, HODs, faculty, support staff, Alumnae, parents, students and stakeholders who have, with their constant support and encouragement, helped in our innovations and excellence in higher education.

My Experience being part of the Annual College Play

My debut in acting in a professional production as an adult was in the Annual College Play hosted by Women's Christian College in the September of 2023. The play was called "The Threepenny Opera" by Bertolt Brecht. I played the lead role, Captain Macheath or "Mac the Knife", a notorious thief, murderer and adulterer in London who plays fast and loose with the law but manages to escape through bribery and charm.

When I took a look at the monologues chosen for the audition, I was immediately drawn towards a monologue spoken by "Macheath". I had no background knowledge as to who this character was nor did I choose to surf the internet for better understanding of the character. It was a clean slate that I chose to create for myself. I auditioned for the role of Macheath and was selected. However, the director, Mr. Regin Rose, wanted the cast members to do a second round of auditions wherein we could choose any character but must portray them in a manner that is opposite to who they are. I chose Macheath and got the part officially. I was confident enough and excited to learn as to how best I can portray this entirely new character. I was able to do that through the director's and the dramaturgy team's guidance, who emphasised on reading our scripts thoroughly to understand the complexity of our characters.

I learnt a multitude of things, right from analysing my character as best as I possibly could to expanding my acting range to observing the art of directing. I also had the chance to use my voice to the nines as I had multiple songs to sing. As a person who has been singing since the age of two,



I've grown up doing concerts outside and in my own room. To have moments wherein I just burst into song on stage



was an exhilarating and gratifying experience altogether. Truth be told, it wasn't hard for me to let go of any apprehension I felt because the stage has been my second home all my life. I could feel my art and my work come to life on stage, be it through singing, acting or dancing. Throughout my school life, I have taken part in plays and musicals and won awards. Through college, I was able to direct my debut production as part of the Annual Dramatics Club Production in March of 2023 during my final year of my undergraduate degree. As someone who is interested in pursuing higher studies in Theatre, Film, Direction and Acting and potentially have a career in any of these fields, taking part in the college play expanded my mind exponentially.



Working with a big group of cast and crew members brought in a sense of closeness and team spirit. I had the privilege of meeting new faces who share a love for all things theatre or performance. With highly supportive professors, family, friends, professionals and self-motivation, I was encouraged to push my own boundaries.

Working closely with Mr. Regin Rose was an honour as it taught me a lot in terms of what one can do as a



director, an actor and a visionary in any creative endeavour. Being a part of the college play truly widened my horizons. It gave me the opportunity to be mentored by highly talented and professional individuals who ensured to bring out the best in me. It is an absolute honour and privilege to have grown tremendously throughout this process.

- Neha Marianne Verghis, I M.A. English

Liverpool Hope University

When I first heard of Liverpool, all that came to my mind was The Beatles and the Liverpool Football Club, whereas, if you ask me now, I will say it is one of the friendliest cities in the UK. Liverpool Hope University has been my home for three months from January to March 2024. Yes, the Department of English, WCC gave me this opportunity and this program was one of the main reasons I joined WCC. When I got the offer letter from LHU, I was on cloud nine. Our college stood by me throughout all the fee transactions, visa applications, stamping, travel arrangements, booking accommodation, and aligning my courses with the study abroad program; ensuring that every step was meticulously planned and executed in order.

My first ever experience flying internationally was surreal. I was anxious as I landed at the airport, but also anticipatory of what awaited me at Liverpool Hope. I was taken to the Aigburth Park Campus, Liverpool where Ms. Carol Crawford, International Students Support Manager at LHU welcomed me and guided me around.

Next day, I woke up to the beautiful 30-acre campus with four main buildings- the



Gateway Building, Hope Park Sports, the Library, and the Eden Building, surrounded by trees that were neatly maintained.

My days at LHU began with a tour of the campus. The courses aligned perfectly with the courses back home and the learning experience was made better owing to approachable professors and international peer groups. Apart from subjects, I was required to

complete assessments, group presentations, and a voluntary social program.

I explored the snow-covered city, visited friendly neighborhoods and the city center in my free time. Apart from that we had visits organized by the university to cathedrals, parks, and also a three-day trip to Wales where I indulged in adventure sports like hiking and ziplining.

When the course comes to an end in March 2024, I will have gained immense knowledge, and skills to survive, and travel alone. I am excited to come back and share my experience with my fellow mates at WCC.

Thank you, Professors, Management of WCC, and my parents for this wonderful opportunity which has given me a great experience in my student life.

**- Olivia Pearlin, II B.A
English (Shift 1)**



LeTourneau University

As students who have never traveled alone, we knew we had to grab the opportunity when we heard about the LeTourneau University, TX exchange program. We signed up with the expectation of 5 months of stay in the United States, amazing continental food, improved learning, and exposure. The program has so far offered us everything we expected and more, starting from pretty pink skies, Friday night events, spring formal dance, and independence, which came along with missing the Chennai heat and WCC's 'sambar sadham'.

Being 9,281 miles away from home leaves you with no other option other than stepping out of your comfort zone and experimenting with everything that life has to offer. Out of the many experiments, making new friends and attending REFIT classes on a random Tuesday afternoon have been some of our best decisions, helping us grow and enjoy life as it is. Even though staying away from home comes with the joy of



new experiences, we are still stuck with chores that we tried escaping back home, such as sweeping, bathroom cleaning, cooking, etc. Amongst the many things we learnt on campus at LETU, Leah is most proud of learning to clean her bathroom, Samritha is proud of figuring out her career path, Shri Abhinaya is proud of her ability to be self-regulated, while, I, Nayonika am most proud of my cash management skills, learnt off campus.



Knowing the definite duration of stay of one semester has given us the complete liberty to enjoy the experience to the fullest with no regrets as we know home awaits us in a few months. We are extremely grateful to the management of both WCC and LeTourneau for this wonderful opportunity, helping us gain insight into the Western college culture and



helping those who hope to pursue their higher studies plan better for their future. We are also extremely grateful to start our semester abroad academic journey nowhere else but at LETU as the program has an intensive adaptation of various cultures, making us feel at home through various events and opportunities that allow us to explore and interact with one another. LETU also offers various on-campus jobs, making student life easier while instilling valuable skills and lessons in each one of us. Our time and LETU would be a major part of who we grow into and an unforgettable experience that we share with our loved ones as we grow old. We hope for each and every one of you to experience all the amazing opportunities life at LeTourneau has to offer.

Nayonika Arjun,
II B.Sc Psychology (Shift I)

Leah Issac,
II B.Sc Psychology (Shift I)

Samritha,
II B.Sc Psychology (Shift I)

Shri Abhinaya,
II B.Sc Psychology (Shift I)

Economic Empowerment of Tribal Women from Yercaud, Salem District

Economic empowerment of tribal women from Yercaud of Salem District through value-based millet recipes and to instill values of service and experiential learning to the students of I MSc. Home Science- FSM and Dietetics, Women's Christian College, Chennai.

The Department of Home Science, Women's Christian College, Chennai conducted a two day workshop on 8th and 9th of August, 2023 to give hands-on training on value-based millet products followed by a Millet Bazaar on the same day. The program included preparation of recipes using millets, pricing of food items and food safety training to meet FSSAI requirements.



The students under the guidance of Dr. Annette Beatrice came up with many millet-based recipes and selected a few like pearl millet

pasta, pearl millet ribbon pakkoda, little millet vattayappam, foxtail millet waffles, little millet vada, foxtail millet cake, foxtail millet pongal, pearl millet payasam and pearl millet khakhra. The workshop was held with the goal of fostering a long-term vision whereby tribal women in Yercaud can establish their own businesses. After the selection of the recipe, standardization was carried out. The tribal women received training on recipes which they could subsequently utilize and develop further. Pricing of the standardized portions was done by conducting a comprehensive analysis of the expenses incurred while procuring the necessary ingredients. The target group chosen were faculties, staff and the students.

The marketing team prepared posters, a video and a menu card for the recipes which were circulated among the college community via social media prior to the sales.

The prepping for the Millet Bazaar was done the previous day. The recipes were prepared, packed and sold on 8th and 9th August, 2023. The sale was conducted in front of the Doveton House.

There was a session organized on "Loan Proposals For Small Enterprises" at Copper Pod for the tribal women. The resource person was Dr. Anne Beryl Catherine, Associate Professor and Head of the Department of Commerce (B.Com general, section B).



On 9th August, there was a demonstration and sale of certain items like pearl millet pasta, Foxtail millet cake and Amaranth pakoda by the tribal women.

Two sessions were organized on 9th August, 2023, for the tribal women on the topic "Requirements of FSSAI and Personal hygiene" and "Marketing strategies and networking" by Ms. Hephziba. J. Charles, Assistant Professor, Department of Home Science and Dr. B.S. Catherine, PG Department of Commerce at Copper Pod, WCC.

The millet bazaar was effective in empowering the tribal women as they were able to understand the importance of incorporating millets into their recipes and were also able to learn different marketing strategies. It also proved to be beneficial for the students of I MSc. Home Science - FSM and Dietetics as they gained experiential learning from the service learning project.

The students felt an increased sense of self worth and realized their potential in the field of community service. Through the service learning project, students identified their niche in the field of community service and felt motivated to engage in community service projects in the future as a means to channel their knowledge in order to benefit the community.



Institutionalizing Service-Learning at WCC

Service-Learning (SL) is a significant pedagogical tool, which combines structured curriculum with community service. This modern teaching-learning strategy will help to establish meaningful academic connections with the community, enrich learning, teach civic responsibility, and engage students in a reflection process, thereby fostering commitment and holistic development.



Service-learning has its roots in experiential learning, yet it is more effective than other experiential

learning methods such as internships, field work, and the likes as its objective is a two-fold emphasis on the enrichment of student learning and revitalization of the community.

For the past two decades, Women's Christian College has been actively engaging in service-learning initiatives. The college recently conducted a series of workshops aimed at educating faculty members. Spanning fifteen sessions, these workshops featured both national and international speakers. The primary objective of these sessions was to foster an understanding of service-learning principles among faculty members and equip them with the necessary skills to integrate service-learning elements into their courses.



Furthermore, the workshops aimed to raise awareness among students about the significance of service-learning initiatives.

In 2022, the initial group of faculty members from Women's Christian College, comprising 41 staff members from various disciplines, underwent training. Following the training, each faculty member developed a course integrating a service-learning (SL) component or created an entirely new course centered around SL principles. These course proposals were then presented to an expert committee, which included educators from Lady Doak College, for evaluation and feedback.

In 2023, the second batch of teachers, consisting of 40 faculty members representing different disciplines, received training focused on the five components of Service-Learning. As part of their training, some teachers also visited Lady Doak College.

Disciplines across the college have integrated comprehensive Service-Learning (SL) courses into their programs. Additionally, some faculty members have conducted their Service-Learning research by presenting papers at international conferences and publishing books on the subject. The funding for this Service-Learning training is provided by the United Board for Christian Higher Education in Asia (UBCHEA), with the objective of promoting awareness and understanding of Service-Learning initiatives.



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Department of Physics

Dr. D Annette Beatrice,
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Department of Home Science

Insights and Adventures from Down Under

The 11th International Triennial Conference titled *Rediscovering Community: Discerning Truth, Deepening Well Being and Enhancing Learning*, organised by the Colleges & Universities of the Anglican Communion was held between the 2nd and 7th of July, 2023 at Trinity College, Melbourne University, Australia. This was attended by nine faculty members from WCC, along with the Principal, Dr. Lilian I Jasper. With delegates from fifteen countries, spanning the five continents, the six-day Conference channelised our reflections towards rediscovering the contemporary community, in the light of the post-pandemic, cybercentric and the globalised context within which it operates. The conference enabled expansive insights into models of community driven educational practices, celebration of different cultures and fresh opportunities for working together as a global community towards the enriching of Higher Education Institutions.

The schedule of the Conference was evenly balanced with profound exposition of thought, interspersed with the coming together of delegates in reflection groups as they engaged in exploring modes of proactive execution, and guided tours within the college campus and the city of Melbourne. Interesting components like the Market Place and delegates' presentations extended us with opportunities to highlight the best practices of our institution while also being exposed to those of the others. The campus tours (both guided and of our own volition) delightfully surprised us with clusters of the resplendent rainbow parakeets perched on trees, plants bearing flowers and berries with brilliant hues and architecturally magnificent buildings that housed the administrative, academic and residential blocks of the College and Melbourne University. We visited the Healesville Sanctuary, the War Memorial, the Yarra Valley, the Botanical Gardens during our off-campus tours, taking in

the unparalleled beauty of the urban landscape while witnessing the flora and fauna unique to Australia. We scuttled through Melbourne city in its ubiquitous trams, savoured the sights and smells of its shopping arcades and relentlessly shopped for souvenirs.

Our subsequent trips to Sydney, and thereafter to Queenstown and Auckland, in New Zealand were incredibly gratifying. We were privileged to visit the Sydney Opera House with an in-house guided tour, the Sydney Harbour Bridge, the Sea Life Sydney Aquarium and the Wax Museum. Our visit to the Blue Mountains on a hair-raising thrill of a train ride vertically downward into the coal mining area, followed by the overhead cable ride over soaring sandstone ridges amid lush forests, was a once in a lifetime experience. At Queenstown, the vertical cable ride along a slope of the Remarkables Mountain, a guided tour to the scenic shooting sites for the movie, *Lord of the Rings* and the cruise of Milford Sound driving us close to the gushing waterfalls springing from the heights of snow-capped mountains enthralled us. The final destination in our tour was Auckland, the capital city. We were awed by the boat ride through a dark cave spangled with glow worms and its calcified columns, the indigenous Maori culture at the Maori Art Centre and the smoke-spewing mud pools and geysers at the Maori settlement.

Above and beyond, our joy was made complete as we met the families of two of our past students – Ms. Mythri Seneweera (BSc Home Science –1992 Batch) and Ms. Maria Rajan (BA English – 2003 batch) whose warm hospitality we cherish. The Conference and the trip to the two countries deepened our insights and widened our horizons of thought for which we are grateful.

**Ms. Sweetlyn Moses,
Department of English**



WCC Faculty at Trinity College, Australia



One of the Reflection Groups



At the Maori Art Centre



At the Geothermal Valley



With a Kangaroo



At the Marketplace



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Principal Meeting the Alumnae During Her Visit to the USA



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NCC Camp

Marching Through Memories: My MRDC Journey

NCC camps aren't just events; they are transformative experiences which leave behind memories we treasure for a lifetime. My MRDC journey, spanning six months, was filled with intense training, drill sessions, selection processes, unforgettable moments, and bonds that surpass imagination. It all began in August, with the rigorous selection processes held at the group level to represent Chennai A in the inter-group NCC competition at the esteemed National Training Academy, Idayapatti. The opportunity to participate in the Contingent Drill, PM Rally, and Flag Area competitions was an honor in itself. Although I was unable to be a part of the prestigious Republic Day parade in Delhi, I had the privilege of marching proudly at the Marina Republic Day parade, representing my beloved state.



The training camp, held from 3rd to 27th January 2024, was a testament of endurance. Each drill session and each day of training brought me closer to embodying the spirit of service and sacrifice that defines NCC. Our practice sessions happened along the roads, beside the Marina beach. All the suggestions from our drill ustaads, and the

invaluable lessons from the commanding officers and military officials have become guiding lights of my life. Through the rigorous training, I learned how survival could be both tricky and fascinating. I acquired adaptation skills that extend far beyond the parade ground and into the real world.



As part of the 50-member SW contingent representing the Tamil Nadu, Andaman, and Puducherry Directorate, every moment was a testament of dedication and patriotism. For me, it was the fulfillment of a lifelong dream - from marveling at Republic Day parades in my childhood, to standing tall in the Republic Day parade itself. I extend my heartfelt gratitude to our beloved Principal, our ever-supportive Associate NCC Officer, my family, friends, and batchmates, whose unwavering support made this journey possible. It is through their encouragement that I could represent our college with pride and honor.

Being a NCC cadet on Republic Day is more than just taking part in a march, it's a pilgrimage of patriotism and affirmation of our commitment to the nation.

CUO Preethi C
III B.A Corporate Economics

Conquering Challenges on the High Seas

I, Cadet Captain S. Bhavya, am proud to share the transformative journey I embarked on during my three years in NCC, particularly my experiences in sailing. Beginning with minimal experience, I eventually earned the privilege of representing Tamil Nadu, Puducherry, and the Andaman Nicobar Directorate at the esteemed "All India Yachting Regatta".

The path to this achievement began with intensive training alongside the top six cadets selected for AIYR 23 at the Royal Madras Yacht Club, Chennai Port. Our journey then took us to the revered INS Chilka, the Sailor's Basic Training School, where I witnessed firsthand discipline instilled in naval trainees through meticulous training. Over a period

of eight days, we immersed ourselves in briefings, practice sessions, and exhilarating races. Our girls' team secured the 7th place and the boys' team bagged the 3rd place in these races, contributing to our Directorate's commendable 5th place overall standings.

This experience taught me invaluable lessons about the power of perseverance and dedication in achieving the seemingly impossible. Mastering the art of sailing in various wind conditions ignited a passion within me, fueling my desire to pursue sailing as a leisure sport in the future.

CC Bhavya S
III B.Sc Nutrition



The Thrill of White Water

I, Cadet Under Officer, Agnes Abishag, am really proud to have had this opportunity to experience the thrilling and adventurous White Water Rafting Camp as the only female cadet from Tamil Nadu. The Rafting Camp was organized by NIMAS (National Institute of Mountaineering and Adventure Sports) and was held at Kameng River, Tippi Village, Arunachal Pradesh.

I attended Basic and Intermediate courses from the 3rd to the 27th of December, 2023. Rafting is a water sport where a group of individuals paddle down a fast moving river. We have to go through grade 3 rapids in our training every day. The river contains obstacles inside like huge stones which create strong eddies, standing waves, and



diagonal waves. Rafterers must have good control over the raft while crossing the rapids or else it may lead to the raft getting flipped. Our everyday routine involved physical training and after breakfast we got ready for rafting in the Kameng



river. The rocks, trees and mountains in and around the river were a treat to watch, while rafting 10kms every day from upstream to downstream. We had many adventurous activities in the middle of the training like rescue

drill, flip, re-flip and cliff jump under the raft escape.

I personally learned many new survival skills. Due to the high water level, the raft flipped on the 3rd day of the training and that taught me how each paddle matters while crossing the rapids. Including me there were eight rafters in the team, so each and every paddle was very important in moving the raft forward. So, I had to push myself hard

to match the power of the others. It was an all India camp and people from different states



attended this course. I learned many new cultures, a little bit of new languages and I learned important values from my fellow rafters. I overcame my fear of heights while doing a cliff jump. It was a splendid experience. Every adventure activity taught me great life lessons on how to be fearless and face whatever life throws at you.

I am extremely grateful for this opportunity and would like to thank Capt. A. Selvamalathi, the Associate NCC Officer and Principal Dr. Lilian I. Jasper of Women's Christian College.

CUO Agnes Abishag
III B.Sc Visual Communication

The Journey of All India Thal Sainik Camp 2023 (AITSC)

I, Cpl Reshika R R, represented the Tamil Nadu, Puducherry and Andaman and Nicobar Directorate in the All India Thal Sainik Camp (AITSC) 2023 held at New Delhi in the month of September. Out of the five events of TSC: JDFS, H&H,



Tent pitching, Map Reading and obstacles, I was selected to participate in map reading and health and hygiene (H&H). In these camps, I was required to climb mountains and rocks for map reading in the morning and then prepare for the H&H tests in the evening. It was here that I learnt to manage things effectively and efficiently. Although the camps were hectic and tiring, the experience I got in the map reading process was a memorable one. In the fourth selection camp the events for each

cadet was segregated and I was selected to participate only in map reading and trained for the next camp, the Inter-group NCC competition. Here, five groups namely, Trichy, Coimbatore, Puducherry, Madurai and Madras B competed with us. Then we had three



Directorate training camps and one launch camp at Madurai. In those camps I had an opportunity to interact with various group cadets and learn their culture. We were also taken to the famous Meenakshi temple at Madurai. The final camp at New Delhi commenced on the 19th of September and our event map reading was on the 23rd of September. We gave our best and bagged 7th place (SW). Overall our Directorate bagged the 5th position at the ALL INDIA THAL SAINIK CAMP

2023. In this TSC journey, I learnt to handle situations, become emotionally strong, learnt the importance of self-motivation, learnt to be independent and manage things. Though the camps were stressful and excruciating, I made some wonderful memories which I will cherish for life. I would like to thank Capt. A. Selva Malathi, Associate NCC officer of WCC, for continuously motivating and supporting me throughout my camp journey.

CPL Reshika R R
II B.Com Honours

Footprints of Adventure: Exploring the Trails

I, Cadet Under Officer Sripooja K, along with CSM Sudeepta, Sgt. Merlin and Sgt. Annie Sharon got an opportunity to be part of the All India Shivaji Trail Trek Camp at Kolhapur, Maharashtra.



Though the camp takes place every year for the SD's (Boys) this was the first time it was introduced for the SW's (Girls). I was so proud and happy to be a part of it while also representing Tamil Nadu, Puducherry and the Andaman & Nicobar directorate. Our trek started from the base camp, Kolhapur and we walked around 10 to 12 Kms and reached the stage camp 1, Panhala. We walked around 10 to 15 kms



every day to reach each stage camp (camps 3,4,5) which were in Bambvade, Malakapur, Pandharpani and Vishalgarh fort respectively. We had a good time trekking up the hill. We got to experience trekking through rivers, fields, rocks, roads, dense forests, steep slopes, streams, springs,

dams while moving from one place to another. We had no internet connection nor did we have signal in our mobile phones. We got to know ourselves better and connect with nature. We saw animals, reptiles, birds, insects and other flora and fauna around there. We also heard the calls of bears and other wild animals. We wanted to yell out of happiness after reaching the respective destinations but we had to maintain silence in order not to disturb the living organisms out in the woods. It was so thrilling. We also came to know the history of Chatrapathi Shivaji Maharaj, the freedom fighter. It was enlightening to see the various places where many wars took place and had the privilege of visiting places where Shivaji Maharaj lived. Cadets from across India were part of this camp. We got to know the culture and heritage of other states and we got to interact with cadets from all over India. I learnt many survival skills from this camp, like how to survive with minimal water, the necessity of appropriate attire, and other resources. We are forever grateful to our Associate NCC Officer Capt. A. Selva Malathi for giving us this opportunity.



CUO Sripooja K
III B.Sc Psychology (Shift I)

Unity Beyond Borders

EBSB (EK BHARAT S H R E S T H A BHARAT) was one of the most memorable camps of my life. I, F/C Shainy Lisha A., and POC Nandhini M., from Madras B group, had an amazing opportunity to be part of this camp and to explore the cultural heritage of Rajasthan. We also had the chance to show them our tradition and learn from theirs. We had 600 cadets from Tamil Nadu, Puducherry, Andaman & Nicobar Islands and the Rajasthan Directorate. During that time, most of the cadets from Rajasthan were affected by the eye flu, which made it difficult for us to interact with them. We also had the opportunity to teach



each other our mother tongues. This became a memorable and crucial part of the camp for all of us. We also participated in a two-day workshop conducted by EXPA cadets of NCC emphasizing how to tackle competitive interviews with specific attention to SSB. As part of the camp's goals, we were taken to visit the Great Thousand Pillar Mandap, the Meenakshi Amman Temple, and the Mahatma Gandhi Museum all of which showcased Tamil Nadu's culture. Moreover, we had the opportunity to interact with the DG of NCC, Lt. General Gurbirpal Singh, the AVSM, the VSM, as well as Col. Sunil Kumar, a friend of Kargil hero Capt. Vikram Batra, who shared a few incidents with us and gave us a motivational speech. In the last two days, competitions were conducted among the directorates, including sports, dance, NIAP and song competitions. Overall, this camp experience helped us foster a sense of unity and national integrity. Through this camp we learnt important values from others and we inculcated them in our day to day life.

F/C Shainy Lisha .A
III BA English

From Basic to Advanced - A leadership experience

I, Lance Corporal Lakshmi Gayathri, was one of the Cadets selected to be a part of Basic Leadership Camp held by 2 TN Air SQN NCC. The camp was held at KPR Institute of Technology, Coimbatore, under the guidance of CO Wing Commander Pargunan. The camp was an informative experience with several lectures regarding leadership skills by various high ranking Military Officers. We also had several movie sessions so as to have practical knowledge and critical thinking skills. Cultural



fall-ins were conducted regularly to give cadets knowledge about various traditions followed all over Tamil Nadu. I, L/Cpl Lakshmi Gayathri, had the opportunity to dine with Group Commander Col Shiva Rao, Wing Commander Pargunan and Col Vembu (retd) and interact with them. The selection process for Advanced Leadership Camp was held in three rounds: Extempore,



Debate and Personal Interview. After an extensive selection procedure, I was one of the cadets selected to represent Tamil Nadu, Pondicherry and Andaman and Nicobar Directorate at the Advanced Leadership Camp - V.

Advance Leadership Camp - V was held by 10 Kerala BN NCC at Pangode Military Station, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala. The Camp commenced on 5th February 2024 and concluded on 16th February 2024. The Camp was held under the guidance of CO Col. Rahul Ghoshi. We had lectures on leadership and several current affairs. We had the chance to meet and interact with several high ranking officers in the Indian Armed Forces and the Central Government of India. A

two day EXPA CADET program was conducted by passed out NCC cadets. The program focused on building the self-confidence, critical thinking skills and individual leadership qualities of the cadets. I had the opportunity to be the Master of Ceremonies during the closing ceremony of the camp. The ALC - V was overall a self-building experience for me. I would like to thank my parents, well-wishers, ANO Capt. Selva Malathi, the principal Dr. Lillian I Jasper, Dr. Sherrie Jesulyn David (Head of Department - Plant Biology and Biotechnology), my seniors and my batch mates for their trust in me and for supporting me during the toughest of times.

L/CPL Lakshmi Gayathri
II B.Sc Plant Biology & Biotechnology

NATIONAL CADET CORPS

JUNE 2023: | 3rd: World Environment Day - Beach Cleaning in association with WCC NSS and EFI | 14th: Volunteered for Raktdaan Amrit Mahotsav | 21st: Workshop on account of International Yoga day | 26th: Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking Day - Human Chain event and a guest lecture by Dr. S. Alankritha |

JULY 2023: | 25th: Kargil Vijay Diwas Celebration |

AUGUST 2023: | 10th: Rank Promotion Ceremony | 11th: Mass Anti-Drug awareness and Administration Pledge | 13th: Freedom Run Marathon by I'M SAFE Women Safety App in association with Gandhi World Foundation | 15th: Independence Day Celebration | 15th: Naval Ship visit in INS Adyar | 21st: Weapon Exhibition in TNDALU |

SEPTEMBER 2023: | 7th: OTA -Passing out Parade | 17th: International Coastal Cleanup Day - Puneet Sagar Abhiyan| 29th: Child Safeguarding Workshop |

OCTOBER 2023: | 2nd: 10 Km Night Marathon - A Run for Drug-Free Tamilnadu | 11th: International Girl Child Rights Day - Skit| 14th: Dengue Awareness Rally |

NOVEMBER 2023: | 12th: Armstice/Remembrance Worship Day | 20th: Youth Empowerment - Workshop for Mentally Retarded Children in collaboration with Justice and Hope NGO| 30th: Trashique Bazaar - Clothing Drive |

DECEMBER 2023: | 1st: 'Strides for Life' - Awareness Talk on Pediatric Cancer and Cervix

Cancer by Dr. Revathi Raj and Dr. Ratna Devi R | 2nd: 'Upcycled Perches' - Awareness on Protection of Birds and Sustainable Environment | 16th: Vijay Diwas Sandhya at IIT Madras | 16th: Swarnim Vijay Varsh Celebration | 17th: 'Voyage Through Time' - Heritage Walk by Mr. Dharani Gunasekharan in Egmore Museum | 18th: 'Millet Minds' - Debate Competition | 22nd: 'Strokes of Change' - Traditional Art Workshop to the students of Municipal High School, Tambaram | 23rd: Cyclone Relief Donation Drive in association with Periyar Thondaram | 24th: 'BioRevival' - Plantation Drive at Korattur Lake |

JANUARY 2024: | 16th: 'Eco Pedal' - 3 Km Cycle Rally to promote Sustainable Living | 14th to 17th - Wall Painting highlighting the need for Education | 18th: 'Psychology Behind the Screen' - Awareness on Cyberstalking and Cybercrimes by Ms. Rini Rajan | 18th: 'Kalaiyum Kalacharamum' - Therukoothu for school students | 19th: Soil's Son - Tribal Welfare Awareness through Theatre Workshop | 19th: 'Profits and Passion' - Career Development program by Mrs. Usha Rani | 20th: Beach Cleaning - Marina Beach | 21st: Naval Ship and Submarine Visit | 26th: Republic Day Celebration | 31st: 'Replasti-City' - Flower Fence using Plastic Bottles |

FEBRUARY 2024: | 2nd: Donation Drive for Cancer Patients | 3rd: 'Mannin Mainthargal' - Farming Workshop at a private farm| 17th: Naval Ship Visit |

ROTARACT CLUB SHIFT I AND SHIFT II

JULY 2023: | 7th: Installation Ceremony | 27th: Justice For Manipur Women | 28th: Manathilirunthu |

AUGUST 2023: | 7th: Ignition | 10th: Upskill | 19th: Taming The Storm Within | 22nd: Cinema Soiree | 23rd: Capturing Structure |

SEPTEMBER 2023: | 4th: Karka Kasadara | 6th: Zonal Walk | 7th: National Blood Donation – Poster Making | 8th: Pen For Project Teach | 16th: Beach Clean Up | 17th: Hogwarts – District Cultural | 28th: Art Of Persuasion And Influence |

OCTOBER 2023: | 9th: Study Abroad | 16th: Beyond 9 To 5 |

NOVEMBER 2023: | 5th: Embracing Innovation | 8th: Career Compass | 13th: De-Light | 15th: Thugil | 17th:

Know Aids For No Aids | 18th: Ask a Therapist | 20th: Jokes Junction | 22nd: Suraksha | 24th: Enna Paada Solladhe | 25th: Bridges Of Hope | 28th: Artistry |

DECEMBER 2023: | 1st: Cup-uh Mukkiyum Bigiley | 2nd: Excel Workshop | 12th: Vaagai Soodava | 13th: Eureka! | 14th: Resume And Recruiters | 22nd: Know Her | 28th: Scavenger Hunt | 30th: Pudhumai Penn |

JANUARY 2024: | 4th: Kindness For A Living | 22nd – 24th: Dry waste And E-waste Collection Drive | 22nd – 24th: We For Her | 28th: Shalom |

FEBRUARY 2024: | 13th: #WeForHer Sanitary Pad Donation Drive and Awareness – Phase 2 Donations From Rotaract Club Of Loyola College | 15th: Maa – Writing Messages For Mothers | 20th: Game-a-thon – Sports And Games With Grs |

NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME – SHIFT I

MAY 2023: 02nd: Career Guidance Program – Naan Mudhalvan | 27th to 04th: World Environment Day Events |

JUNE 2023: 03rd: OH-SHUN TRASH – Beach Clean Up Event | 05th: World Drive Environmental Day | 19th and 21st: Event to Commemorate international Yoga Day | 26th: Anti-Durg Abuse Demonstration program – HUMAN CHAIN | 26th: Orientation Program |

JULY 2023: 01st: National Student Paryavaran Quiz completion | 11th: Connection game Regarding World Population Day / 13th: A Talk on Climate change | 24th: Donation for the blind | 25th: 24th Kargil Vijay Diwas celebration | 26th: Pledge for Kargil Vijay Diwas | 26th: Tree Plantation Drive |

AUGUST 2023: 03rd: Taking pledge as part of 13th Organ Donation Day | 06th: Survey | 15th: 77th Independence Day Celebration | 23rd: Empowering Women with self Defence | 30th: Human chain for Eye Donation Awareness |

SEPTEMBER 2023: 01st: Commemorate of 74th Anniversary of Geneva | 05th: Talk on skin and hair problem in Youth Females | 07th: Urbaser Sumeet – Orientation and Community Awareness Program | 11th: Dermatology Medical Camp | 14th: Outreach Program | 16th: International Coastal Clean Up | 27th: Swachhta Pledge |

OCTOBER 2023: 01st: Planting One Crore Plam Seeds | 01st: Shramadaan For Swachhhata /01st Essay writing on AIDS Awareness | 02nd: Pledge On National Voluntary Blood Donation Day | 02nd: Quiz on National Day for Disaster reduction | 04th to 05th: Handloom Outreach Program | 06th: Giving Matter 2020– NGO Fair | 06th: QUIZ On HIV and AIDS Awareness | 16th: Food Distribution event for needy |

NOVEMBER 2023: 14th: Walk for Child | 20th: NSS Cell –National Youth festival – District Level Selection | 22nd: National Youth festival – State Level Selection | 16th: Case Study on World Day of

Remembrance for road traffic victims | 25th: Quiz on Constitution Day | 25th to 26th: Chennai Runs 2023 | 27th: AIDS Week Celebration | 28th: Old Age Home Visit |

DECEMBER 2023: 01st: Pledge On World AIDS Day | 14th: AIDS Day Rally | 21st: Old Age home visit | 31st: Helping the Needy |

JANUARY 2024: 12th: Poem writing on National Youth Day | 18th: Poster Making for Science Day

Celebration | 21st: Math talent exam volunteering / 21st: Khelo

FEBRUARY 2024: 01st to 03rd: NSS Annual Special Camp | 04th: Cancer Awareness and Hair Donation Campaign | India Sport Event Volunteering | 26th: Republic Day Celebration | 28th to 31st: NSS Annual Special Camp | 13th: Blood Stem Cell Donation Awareness |

NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME – SHIFT II

JUNE 2023: | 3rd: Quiz on world Environment Day | 4th: Capture Nature Photography Event | 21st: 'International Yoga Day | 26th: Drug Prevention Human Chain | 27th: Self Defense Workshop |

JULY 2023: | 5th: Orientation | 20th: Kits for Kids | 25th: Basic life support workshop |

AUGUST 2023: | 15th: Independence Day | 28th: Celebrating Children At The Child Development Centre | 30th: Egmore Police Museum | 31st: Scribing at Presidency College |

SEPTEMBER 2023: | 13th: Guest Speaker Session | 28th: Color Nature - drawing, painting competition | 29th: Food Loss and Waste Poster Making | 30th: Nature Doodling |

OCTOBER 2023: | 1st: Essay Writing - Swachhata Hi Seva | 2nd: Quiz | 4th: Handloom

Seminar | 5th: Handloom Stall | 8th: Kanagam Eco Park/ EFI Cleanup Campaign | 12th: Scribe | 13th: Scribe | 16th: Scribe | 17th: Scribe |

NOVEMBER 2023: | 20th: Monsoon Memoirs | 21st: Movie Screening | 26th: Constitution Day Pledge and Quiz |

DECEMBER 2023: | 1st: Awareness Talk On Pediatric Cancer And Cervix Cancer (NCC) | 20th: Psychological Workshop And Survey | 31st: Wrap Day |

JANUARY 2024: | 1st: Gather and Grow Series | 12th: AV Screening | 16th: Awareness on Anti-Drug Abuse Poster And Essay | 21st: CRY Walkathon | 22nd: Self Defense Workshop | 26th: Republic Day | 28th - 31st: Camp | 29th: Collection Drive | 30th: Swachita / Anti Drug |

FEBRUARY 2024: | 1st - 3rd: Camp | 1st: Youth Awareness Rally | 2nd: Nursery School Event |

YOUNG INDIANS - SHIFT I

JULY 2023: | 7th: Able Aura: An Insight into the World of the Disabled | 19th: Volunteering for Nirnayam | Campus Flagger | 13th: Documentary screening | 12th - 14th: Workshop on Herbal Cosmetics at WCC Outreach Centre | 16th: Aura Speaks Report | 21st: Talk session by Dr. KVJ Sumithra on College Life |

AUGUST 2023: | Volunteering for Happy Reading | 7th: Book Donation Campaign; "The Future" | 8th: Intellectual Property Rights Awareness | 13th: Freedom Runner Marathon | 14th, 15th: Independence Day Celebration | 19th: Human Chain at Loyola College spreading awareness about Manipur violence | 16th - 17th, 21st - 22nd, 24th - 25th: Volunteering for Traditional Skill Development Programme at WCC | 20th - Walkalong | 31st: Human Chain for eye donation awareness |

SEPTEMBER 2023: | 8th: Talk Session on Intellectual Property Rights | 15th: "Habits of the Heart" 16th: International Coastal Cleanup | 27th: Oral Health Checkup |

OCTOBER 2023: | 6th: Calm workshop "Elevate you" |

NOVEMBER 2023: | 10th: Breast Cancer awareness | 17th: Millet week Special Talk |

DECEMBER 2023: | 19th: Gifts for the orphanage |

JANUARY 2024: | 16th - 18th: Volunteering at Chennai International Book Fair 2024 | 20th: Pongal celebration |

FEBRUARY 2024: | 1st: Youth Awareness Rally on Women's safety in Cyber World | 13th: Talk on sustainable menstruation | 15th: Substance avoidance and Mental Wellness | 22nd: Women's Lingerie Awareness |

YOUNG INDIANS - SHIFT II

JULY 2023: | 4th: Investiture Ceremony | 19th: Screen Time |

AUGUST 2023: | 8th: Intellectual Property Awareness | 27th: 'The Eco Quiz |

SEPTEMBER 2023: | 13th: Talk Show With Content Creators |

OCTOBER 2023: | 4th: Poster Making Event | 11th: Walk For Freedom - Talk Show |

NOVEMBER 2023: | 28th: Safety First Quiz Up | 29th: Voice Out Event | 30th: Poetry Horizons |

DECEMBER 2023: | 12th: Rotaract - Hair Donation Event | 18th: Awareness Walk | 19th: NCC - An Effective Campaign To Raise Funds For Students | 19th: Strides For Life | 23rd: Alpha College Chess Extravaganza |

JANUARY 2024: | 12th: National Youth Fest | 15th: Online Resume | 20th: Book Exchange | 20th: Photography Event | 26th: Tri Color Delights - A Culinary Celebration Of Unity | 30th: Empowering Wellbeing - An Enhanced Health Journey |

ECO CLUB SHIFT I

JULY 2023: 05th: Orientation Program | 07th: Know Your Friends | 10th: Poster Making Event. Role of Snakes in the Ecosystem | 14th: Talk “Everything about Snakes” | 19th: Group Discussion “Your Spirit Animal”, “Find the Cause”, “Fast Fashion” | 26th: Mangrove Documentary screening |

AUGUST 2023: 09th: Photobooth making . World Elephant Day | 16th: Documentary screening “Elephant Whisperers” | 22nd: Collage making “Bee day” |

SEPTEMBER 2023: 21st: Campaign focusing on Zero Emission Day, Ozone Day and Wildlife Conservation Day |

OCTOBER 2023: 09th: Bee Day Talk on “The Buzzy World of Bee” |

NOVEMBER 2023: 18th: Documentary Screening “Freedom to Roam” |

DECEMBER 2023: 13th: One liner activity | 16th: EFI, #Ohshuntrash Beach Cleanup | 18th: Group activity. Poster Making on “World Fisheries Day”, Group Discussion on “National Pollution Day”, Bottle Hangings | 19th: Photography Event “The Unseen Side of WCC” | 21st: Plogging around WCC I |

JANUARY 2024: 03rd: Microgreens activity | 29th: Plogging around WCC II | 31st: Paper Collection Drive for Recycling |

FEBRUARY 2024: 01st & 02nd: Paper Collection Drive for Recycling | 01st: Greater Chennai Corporation and Indian Community Welfare Organisation “Youth Awareness Rally on Women Safety in Cyber World” | 17th: EFI - #Ohshuntrash Beach Cleanup | 21st: Hydroponics Workshop |

ECO CLUB SHIFT II

JULY 2023: 28th: Office Bearers Installation Ceremony, Plastic Usage Awareness |

August 2023: 23rd: DIY Microgreens Activity Sprouting Sustainability | 28th: Document Screening, Our Planet Episode 1 |

SEPTEMBER 2023: 18th: Textured Art |

OCTOBER 2023: 8th: Kanagam Eco Park Clean Up | 9th: Essay Writing ,Write Your Heart Out |

NOVEMBER 2023: 23rd: Document Screening, Our Planet episode 2 |

DECEMBER 2023: 18th: Repurposed Parchments |

JANUARY 2024: 23rd: Seed Bomb Making | 30th: Eco Tags, Bookmark Making |

INSTITUTION'S INNOVATION COUNCIL

ENTREPRENEURSHIP CELL ACTIVITIES

JUNE 2023: |30th : Entrepreneurship Cell Installation Ceremony |

JULY 2023: | 27th : Innovation and Entrepreneurship Outreach Program |

NANO NAGLE COMMUNITY COLLEGE CHURCH PARK

AUGUST 2023: | 7th : Panel Discussion on Innovation, Entrepreneurship and Start- Up |

AUGUST 2023: | 28th : ENTREPREKNOW – The Entrepreneurship Quiz |

FEBRUARY 2024: | 5th and 6th : E- BAZAAR |

Sports Achievements for the Year 2023-24

National Level:

- ▲ Ishaani, I ENG won the II place in Javelin Throw at the 34th South Zone Athletic Championship held at Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, Telangana from 15th to 17th October 2023 organised by the Athletic Federation of India.
- ▲ Beulah Joyce III B.Com (G), Kiruthika II B.Sc IT and Nivedhitha II BCA represented Tamilnadu and won the II place in the 45th Senior National Throwball Championship held at Rohini, Delhi from 8th to 11th February 2024.
- ▲ S K Hoshini I B.Com (G) won the I place in the 5th National Yoga Competition 2024 organised by All India Yoga Masters Association held at Tirupur on 3rd Feb 2024.
- ▲ S K Hoshini I B.Com (G) won the I place at the World Cup Selection Series-1 organised by Young Sports of India held at Yelagiri on 24th & 25th February 2024.
- ▲ Namratha I Phy represented Tamilnadu and obtained the 'RENOWNED SHOT' in the National Shooting Championship held at Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh from 19th Nov to 9th Dec 2023
- ▲ Namratha I Phy won the V place in the 10m youth women pistol at the 48th Tamilnadu State Shooting Championship held at Madurai from 11th July to 23rd July 2023.
- ▲ Namratha J I Phy won the 14th Rank in 10m Junior Women and the 19th Rank in 10m Youth Women at the 14th South Zone Shooting Championship Rifle/ Pistol Events held at Thiruvanthapuram, Kerala from 17th to 21st August 2023.

State Level:

- ▲ Nivetha T II CSC won the II place in the State Boxing Championship at Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, Chennai on 1st Dec 2023.
- ▲ Pooja II BBA won the II place in the Junior State Judo Championship held at Trippur on 7th August 2023.
- ▲ Ishaani I Eng won the 4th place in Javelin Throw in the 2nd Tamilnadu State Open Javelin Throw Championship 2023 held at Karur on 7th Aug 2023
- ▲ Pavithra S I B.Com (CA) won the II place in the 7th Junior State Fistball Championship held at Kanchipuram on 18th & 19th November 2023.
- ▲ Namratha J I Phy won the V place in the 10m youth women pistol category at the 48th Tamilnadu State Shooting Championship held at Madurai from 11th July to 23rd July 2023.
- ▲ Abiya T III BBA won the I place in Kumite event U 21 -45Kg category, I place in Kata event, Senior Category and I place in U 21 Individual kata event in the 1st Sub Junior - Under 21yrs and Senior State Karate Championship held at Indra Ganesan Institutions, Trichy on 5th & 6th August 2023.
- ▲ Nivetha T II CSC won the III place in Kumite event U 18 -55kg category in the 26th Shritoryu Karate Do National Championship 2023 held at St Philomena's College Stadium, Mysore from 14th to 16th July 2023
- ▲ Nivedhitha S II BCA and Krithika A II B.Sc IT represented the Thiruvallur District and won the I place in the 21st Senior State Throwball Championship held at Coimbatore from 28th Sep to 1st Oct 2023.
- ▲ Beulah Joyce S III B.Com (G) represented the Chengalpattu District and won the III place in the 21st Senior State Throwball Championship held at Coimbatore from 28th Sep to 1st Oct 2023.
- ▲ Nithyashree I B.Com (G) 'A' and Antony Sabitha I His represented the Chennai District and won the II place in the Junior State Volleyball Championship held from 11th to 15th August 2023 at Salem.
- ▲ Our athletes won the following places at the 37th Tamil Nadu Inter District Junior Athletic Championship held at KSR Educational Institution, Thiruchengode, Namakkal from 14th to 17th Sep 2023:
- ▲ Sipaa Nandhi P II His won the I place in 4x400m and participated in 200m and 400m.
- ▲ Ishaani I Eng won the II place in Javelin Throw.
- ▲ Jayani R II Corp Eco won the II place in 4x100m Relay and participated in 100m and Long Jump.

- ▲ Madhumathi K I NUC participated in the 400m.
- ▲ Pooja M I B.Com (CA), Ramya S I B.Com (G), Pradeepa I Vis Com, Franka I NUC and Monica I Corp Eco represented the Chennai District at the Inter District Ball Badminton Tournament held from 22nd to 25th December 23 at CSI Polytechnic College, Salem.
- ▲ Gayathri A, I HIS represented the Villupuram district in the Junior State Volleyball Championship held from 11th to 15th August 2023 at Salem.

District Level:

- ▲ Shree Varshni S II M.Sc CST won the I place in Individual kata, Team Kata and Kumite events at the Coimbatore District Karate Championship 2023 held at Coimbatore on 15th October 2023.
- ▲ Shathvika BK III BBA won the II place in the 33rd Chennai District Roller Skating Championship held at Sportify Sports Arena, Medavakkam from 18th to 20th August 2023.
- ▲ Divya Shri J II BCA participated in the Tamilnadu State Senior Ranking Badminton Tournament 2023 held from 30th July to 4th August 2023 at Sky's Badminton Club, Namakkal.

At the 53rd Chennai District Junior Athletic Championship held at Nehru Stadium, Chennai, on 14th & 15th Aug 2023, the following places were won:

- ▲ Ishaani I Eng won the I place in Javelin Throw
- ▲ Madhumathi K I NUC won the II place in 4x100m Relay and participated in 400m and 200m
- ▲ Sipaa Nandhi P, II His won the II place in 400m and the III place in 200m
- ▲ At the 14th Thiruvallur District Junior Athletic Championship held at Thiruvallur SDAT Ground, on 25th & 26th Aug 2023, our athletes won the following places
- ▲ Madhumathi K I NUC won the II place in 400m and participated in 200m
- ▲ Jayani R II CEM won the II place in 100m and Long Jump

At the AL Mudhaliar Athletic Meet held at the Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University from 20th to 22nd December 2023, our athletes won the following places

- ▲ Ishaani I Eng won the III place in Javelin Throw
- ▲ Sipaa Nandhi II His participated in 200m and 400m
- ▲ Madhumathi K I NUC participated in 200m and 400m
- ▲ Participated in 4x100m Relay (Sipaa Nandhi II His, Madhumathi K I NUC, Nelcy II B.Com (G)'B' and Jayani II Corp Eco)
- ▲ Participated in 4x400m Relay (Abiya III Corp Eco, Divya II BCA, Saranya I B.Com (A&F) and Patricia I B.Com (CA))

The following players were selected to participate in the Madras University Inter Zonal Tournaments in various games.

Badminton: Iniya II B.Com (CA) and Divya Sri II BCA.

Ball Badminton: Pooja M I B.Com (CA), Ramya S I B.Com (G), Pradeeba I Vis Com, Franka I NUC and Monica I Corp Eco.

Chess: Swati I B.Sc IT, Kirtana, I B.Com (G) 'A', Nakshatra III Phy, Sanju Shree II NUC & Rachel I Psy.

Cricket: Beulah III B.Com (G) 'B' and Princy B.Com (G) 'A'.

Table Tennis: Puvizhi Rameshkumar II Phy

Volleyball: Karthiga B I B.Com (CA), Anusha K I B.Com (A&F), Premalatha V III His, Kalpana I BBA and Antony Sabitha I His

Handball: Bhagyasri II Mat, Agnes Abishag III Vis Com, Iniya II B.com (CA), Chrislin III B.Com (H), Anusha I B.Com (A&F) and Kalpana I BBA

Football: Harini P I MSc IT, Sharmila K II BCA, Keerthika M II BCA, Mahalakshmi R I M.Com , Jenifer C I Vis Com, Saranya M I B.Com (A&F), Vaila D II B.Com and Lakshana II Pyy.

Tennis: Jenifer Rani D II B.Com (G), Tamanna Shirley Joseph I M.Sc CST and Aameena Yasmeen M II B.Com (CA)

At the **Madras University Zonal** Level Tournaments our college teams won the following places

- ▲ I place in Chess and Tennis held at Women's Christian College on 4th Oct 2023.
- ▲ II place in Handball held at Nazareth College on 5th & 6th Jan 2024.

- ▲ II place in Ball Badminton held at Thiruthangal Nadar College on 24th Jan 2024.
- ▲ III place in Volleyball held at Mayor Radhakrishnan Stadium on 9th & 10th Oct 2023.
- ▲ III place in Football held at University Union Ground on 9th Oct 2023.
- ▲ Participated in Table Tennis held at Ethiraj College on 4th Oct 2023.
- ▲ Participated in Cricket held at AM Jain College on 10th Jan 2024
- ▲ Participated in Badminton held at DG Vaishnav College on 3rd Oct 2023
- ▲ Participated in Basketball held at Stella Maris College on 11th Oct 2023

University Level:

- ▲ Kirtana SP I B.Com (G) represented the University of Madras and won the III place in Chess at the South Zone Inter University Chess Tournament held at Ambedkar Law College, Chennai from 26th to 29th December 2023 and also participated in the All India Inter University Chess Tournament held from 20th to 25th January 2024 at Marwadi University, Gujarat.
- ▲ Karthiga B I B.Com (CA) represented the University of Madras in the South Zone Inter University Volleyball Tournament held from 26th to 31st December 2023 at Tirupati
- ▲ Agnes Abishag A III Vis Com represented the University of Madras in the South Zone Inter University Handball Tournament held from 9th to 15th January 2024 at Periyar University
- ▲ Namratha I Phy represented the University of Madras in the South West Zone Inter University Shooting Tournament held at Kurukshetra University, Haryana from 2nd to 7th Jan 2024.
- ▲ Franka I NUC represented the University of Madras in the South Zone Inter University Ball Badminton Tournament held at PSNA College, Dindigul from 20th to 24th March 2024.
- place in Nunchaku and II place in Bo and Kata event in the 49th Bukengan Tamilnadu State Championship held on 11th Feb 2024 at Monfort Indoor Stadium, Santhome Hr Sec School, Chennai.
- ▲ Pooja II BBA won the I place in Judo at the Buck Tournament organized by YMCA College of Physical Education on 29th August 2023.
- ▲ S K Hoshini I B.Com (G) ' B' won the I place in the South India Yoga Championship(Online) organized by Sivamithra Aatmagnana Sabai & International Youth Yoga Federation held on 25th Feb 2024.
- ▲ Kirtana SP I B.Com (G) 'A' won the II place in Women category in the 21st Adyar Times FIDE Rated Chess Tournament from 25th to 28th Aug 2023.
- ▲ Jennifer Rani II B.Com (G)'B' and Kaviya Kripa II B.Com (G)'B' won the III place in the CM Trophy State Level Tournament held from 6th to 8th July 2023 at SDAT Tennis Stadium.
- ▲ Kirtana SP I B.Com (G) 'A' won the III place in the State Level Chess Tournament organized by PERI College of Arts and Science on 29th Aug 2023
- ▲ Kirtana SP I B.Com (G) 'A' won the 4th Position in the Rating category at the 7th BBCF- International FIDE Rapid Rating Chess Tournament held at Saveetha Dental College on 3rd Feb 2024.
- ▲ Kirtana SP I B.Com (G) 'A' won the IV place in U-19 Category in Karur Kaspov Children and Open Chess Tournament held at RK Mahal, Karur.
- ▲ Kirtana SP I B.Com (G) 'A' won 5th Position in the open category at the 6th BBCF-KRM Tamilnadu State Level Children's and Open Chess Tournament held at KRM Public School, Perambur on 26th Nov 2023.
- ▲ I place in Throwball , III place in Football and Tennis at the Buck Tournament organized by YMCA College of Physical Education on 29th August 2023.
- ▲ I place in Throwball, II place in Tennis and Volleyball ,III place in Chess and Ball Badminton at the WCC Trophy Tournament organized by Women's Christian College on 9th August 2023.

Invitation Tournament:

- ▲ Sipaa Nandhi P II His won the I place in 400m, II place in 200m and I place in 4x100m relay in the Athletic Talent Find 2K23 held at Coimbatore on 7th and 8th July 2023.
- ▲ Deva Darshini II B.Com (G) 'A' won the I

- ▲ I place in Throwball, II place in Volleyball and III place in Ball Badminton at the JBAS Sports Festival 2024 organized by JBAS College for Women on 23rd Feb 2024.
- ▲ I place in Table Tennis, Volleyball and Badminton, II place in Chess and Basketball at the 5th Shankarlal Jain Memorial Trophy Tournament organized by SSS Jain College on 8th Jan 2024.
- ▲ I place in an Inter-collegiate Throwball Tournament organized by Bhaktavatsalam Memorial College for Women on 2nd Feb 2024.
- ▲ I place in the 1st North Zone State Throwball Championship held from 18th to 21st January 2023 at Nanganallur.
- ▲ I place in the 15th Inter Collegiate Throwball Tournament organized by Tamilnadu Throwball Association held from 2nd to 4th Feb 2024 at Shenoy Nagar.
- ▲ I place in Throwball, Badminton and Chess at Kanagaraj Memorial Inter Collegiate Tournament organised by CTTE College on 5th & 6th Feb 2024.
- ▲ III place in Badminton at the Founder's Trophy Tournament organized by SRM Institute of Science and Technology on 19th & 20th August 2023.
- ▲ III place in the State Level Throwball Tournament held on 30th and 31st January 2024 at VIT Vandalur.

At the Inter-Collegiate Yoga Competition for Women held at Queen Mary's College on 4th Oct 2023 our players won the following places

- ▲ Hoshini SK I B.Com (G) 'B' won the I place in General Category (U-17) and the II place in Special Category
- ▲ Vinolina I B.Sc IT participated in General (U-17) and Special Category
- ▲ JoyceV II AZBT participated in General Category (U-19)

At the 2nd Khelo India Women's Athletic Meet League Championship held at Nehru Stadium on 20th Sep 2023, our athletes won the following places

- ▲ Madhumathi K I NUC won the II place in 400m and participated in 200m

- ▲ Jayani R II CEM won the III place in 100m
- ▲ Ishaani I Eng participated in Shot Put
- ▲ Sipaa Nandhi II His participated in 200m
- ▲ Nelcy II B.Com (G) 'B' participated in Long Jump and 100m

At the Amity Premiere League Athletic Championship held at Nehru Stadium on 13th Oct 2023, our athletes won the following places

- ▲ Sipaa Nandhi II His participated in 200m
- ▲ Madhumathi K I NUC participated in 100m
- ▲ II place in 4x100m Relay (Madhumathi K I NUC, Nelcy II B.Com (G), Jayani II Corp Eco & Sipaa Nandhi II His)

At the Annai Violet Athletic Meet held at Nehru Stadium, Chennai on 7th February 2024 our athletes won the following places:

- ▲ Sipaa Nandhi, II HIS won the I place in 400m and the II place in 200m.
- ▲ Ishaan,i I ENG won the II place in Javelin Throw.
- ▲ Madhumathi K ,I NUC won the II place in 400m and participated in 200m.
- ▲ Participated in 4x400m Relay (Abiya III Corp Eco, Ruth, Agnes III Vis Com and Divya Shri II BCA).
- ▲ Participated in 4x100m Relay (Sipaa Nandhi II His, Madhumathi K I NUC, Nelcy II B.Com (G) and Patricia I B.Com (CA).

- ▲ Keerthika M II BCA, C Jennifer I Vis Com and Saranya M I B.Com (A&F) participated in the Khelo India Football selection trials Championship held on 12th & 13th Dec 2023 at SDAT, Dindigul.

- ▲ Harini I M.Sc IT participated in the CM Trophy State Level Football Tournament held at Nehru Stadium from 20th to 25th July 2023.

- ▲ Jennifer I Vis Com participated in the CM Trophy State Level Football Tournament held at Nehru Stadium on 12 & 13th July 2023.

- ▲ Hoshini SK B.Com (G) 'B' participated in the South India's First Integrated Yoga Championship organized by Agaram Forum held at Coimbatore on 4th Feb 2024.

- ▲ Karthika I B.Com (CA), Premalatha III His, Divya

- III His, Abinaya III His, Anusha I B.Com (A&F) and Kalpana I BBA participated in the selection trials for Asian Games Beach Volleyball Championship held on 12th & 13th July 2023 at Marina Beach.
- ▲ Karthika I B.Com (CA) and Antony Sabitha I His participated in the CM Trophy State Level Beach Volleyball Tournament held from 8th to 11th July 2023 at Marina Beach.
 - ▲ Ayswarni III His participated in the Senior Ranking Mixed Doubles Badminton Tournament held from 31st Jan to 6th Feb 2024 at Bangalore.
 - ▲ IV place in the Inter-collegiate Ball Badminton Open Tournament held at Kodungaiyur on 25th Feb 2024.
 - ▲ Participated in Football at the CM Trophy 7'A' Side State Level Tournament held at Chennai on 8th July 2023.
 - ▲ Participated in a state level inter-collegiate volleyball tournament held on 30th July 2023 at Perungalathur.
 - ▲ Participated in a state level inter-collegiate badminton tournament held on 14th & 15th September 2023 at Tamilnadu Physical Education and Sports University.
 - ▲ Participated in the Women's Badminton Championship held on 25th & 26th Feb 2024 at Puducherry.
 - ▲ Participated in Ball Badminton, Basketball and Volleyball at the Buck Tournament organized by YMCA College of Physical Education on 30th August 2023.
 - ▲ Participated in Ball Badminton at the Founder's Trophy Tournament organized by SRM Institute of Science and Technology on 19th & 20th August 2023.
 - ▲ Participated in Ball Badminton at the State Level Tournament organized by PSNA College of Engineering and Technology, Kothandaraman Nagar, Dindigul on 15th & 16th July 23.
 - ▲ Participated in Basketball at the JBAS Sports Festival 2024 organized by JBAS College for Women on 23rd Feb 2024.
 - ▲ Participated in Basketball at the Amity Premiere League Tournament held at Nehru Stadium, Chennai on 13th Oct 2023.
 - ▲ Participated in the Buck Badminton Tournament organized by YMCA College of Physical Education on 29th August 2023.

ASSEMBLY PROGRAMMES

Shift I

JUNE 2023 : | 20th: Goal Setting - Motivational Session by Mr. Sam Blesson from Christian Institute of Management |

JULY 2023 : | 5th: Environmental Conservation - Role of Youth by Mr. Arun Krishnamurthy | 13th: Involving Youth in the Study of the Marine Biodiversity of Chennai and Chengalpattu by Dr. Supraja Dharini | 21st: Retirement Programme of Mr. R Christian Smith and Mr. Y Zakkir Hussain Khan | 31st: Basic Life Support and First Aid Awareness by Ms. Rekha Sreekumar |

AUGUST 2023: | 7th: Senior's Dramuda | 16th: Junior's Dramuda | 31st: Entrepreneurship - Digital Leadership by Mrs. Mahalakshmi Saravanan |

SEPTEMBER 2023: | 4th: Teacher's Day Celebration | 16th: Vote India by Electoral Literacy Club of WCC |

OCTOBER 2023: | 6th: The History of College Road by Mr. Sriram Venkatakrishnan | 13th: Principal's Assembly |

NOVEMBER 2023 : | 9th: Sensitization on the Provisions of the PoSH Act by Ms. Devika Thilak | 18th : Lily Pithavadian Endowment Lecture on "The Incredible Salties" | 27th: Psychological Awareness Against Cyber crime by Dr. Deepa Thiagarajan and Mr. Muralikrishnan Chinnadurai |

DECEMBER 2023: | 12th: White Gifts Day | 20th: Christmas Program by CDC, WCC Laboratory Nursery, McDougall Memorial Nursery School |

JANUARY 2024: | 6th: 'My Journey as a Journalist' by Ms. Lakshmi Subramanian | 18th: Puppet Show by Mr. Ramesh Kumar P |

FEBRUARY 2024 : | 12th: Prizes Assembly |

Shift II

JUNE 2023: | 20th: It's Your Time – Motivational Session by Mr. Sam Blesson from Christian Institute of Management |

JULY 2023: | 5th: Knowledge, Attitude & Practice of Menstrual Hygiene by Dr. Aishwarya Reddy | 13th: Campus life and Sanitation- A Moment to Reflect on Our Actions by The Vice President, Student Senate | 21st: Entrepreneurship – Escape the Ordinary Life by Ms. Swetha Kishore |

AUGUST 2023: | 7th: Senior's Dramuda | 16th: Junior's Dramuda | 31st : Why Protect Our Environment? by Dr. S. Balaji |

SEPTEMBER 2023: | 4th: Teacher's Day | 16th: A Rendezvous With Mr. Samuel Dhinakaran|

OCTOBER 2023: | 6th: Career Counseling for college students by CA Giridharan D | 13th: Principal's Assembly |

NOVEMBER 2023: | 9th: Sensitization on the Provisions of the PoSH Act by Ms. Devika Thilak | 18th: College – More Than Just a Degree by Ms. Nissi Selvasegar | 27th: Awareness Workshop by Ms. V Geethanjali DCP |

DECEMBER 2023: | 12th: White Gifts Day | 20th: Christmas Programme by Jtriune Extended |

JANUARY 2024: | 18th: Puppet Show by Mr. Ramesh Kumar P |

FEBRUARY 2024: | 9th: Festeve'24 | 12th: Prizes Assembly |

Campus Days

JUNE 2023 | 27th: Black & White Day |

JULY 2023 | 5th: Retro Day | 26th: Saree Day |

AUGUST 2023 | 28th: Onam Day |

NOVEMBER 2023 | 20th: Monochrome Day |

DECEMBER 2023 | 18th: Headgears Day | 21st: Winter Outfit Day |

JANUARY 2024 | 23rd: Ethnic Day |

Senate Activities

JUNE 2023: | 21st: UG Induction Program | 26th: Anti-Drug Poster Making |

JULY 2023: | 10th – 14th: Shiksha Sankalp Pledge | 17th: Leadership Training Programme by Rev. Fr. Joe Andrew SDB | 28th: Rangoli Contest |

AUGUST 2023: | 11th: Drive Against Drug Awareness Pledge | 15th: Meri Maati Mera Desh | 16th: Anti-Ragging Awareness Program | 17th: "SAY NO TO RAGGING" – Slogan Writing Contest | 28th: Pookalam Contest | 31st: Digital Leadership and Marketing Seminar |

SEPTEMBER 2023: | 2nd: Teacher's Day Painting | 16th: Social Justice Day Pledge |

NOVEMBER 2023: | 17th: Aadhar Card Help Desk | 20th to 27th: Annual Health Screening '23 | 28th: Christmas Cantata |

DECEMBER 2023: | 12th to 16th: Annual Health Screening | 19th: Women's Safety and awareness by TN Police | 21st: Viksit Bharat |

JANUARY 2024 : | 7th – 8th: Screening Of the Tamil Nadu Global Investors Meet 2024 | 11th: Screening Of the Inaugural Function of World Tamil Diaspora 2024 |

Cultural Events

JUNE 2023: | 27th : Black and White Day Flashmob |

JULY 2023: | 5th: Retro Day Flashmob | 26th: Saree Day Flashmob |

AUGUST 2023: | 7th: Senior's Dramuda | 16th: Junior's Dramuda | 28th: Onam Flashmob |

SEPTEMBER 2023: | 4th: Teacher's Day | 8th & 9th: Mount Holyoke Fest '23 |

DECEMBER 2023: | 21st: Carol Rally |

FEBRUARY 2024: | 6th: Festeve'24 Flashmob | 9th & 10th: Festeve' 24 |

COLLEGE EVENTS 2023-24

JUN 2023: | 14th: Non-Teaching Staff Retreat | 16th: Faculty Retreat. Mr. Neil Vimalkumar Boniface, Speaker and Ministry Director, Life Focus Society | 23rd: Inauguration of Additional Floors of MM Block and Riverlands Hostel by Pastor Reenu Kumar, Rock Eternal Church | 28th: Dr. Shoba Ramakrishnan Endowment Lecture on 'Mechanophotonics: A Roadmap to All Organic-Crystal Photonic Integrated Circuits', Dr. Rajadurai Chandrasekar, FASc., FRSC, School of Chemistry, University of Hyderabad |

JULY 2023: | 19th: Inauguration of Tennis Court and Dedication of Equipment in the Studio & Instrumentation Centre | 24th: Rachel Philip Endowment Workshop- 'Risk Management of Natural Science Collections', Mr. Vinod Daniel, Internationally Recognized Museum Specialist | 26th-27th: International Conference on Global Perspectives on Transforming Academics through Research and Innovative Strategies Organised by the Research and Development Cell, Information Resource Centre, Institution's Innovation Council and the Internal Quality Assurance Cell | 27th: Dr. Rita Jacob Cherian Memorial Endowment Lecture on 'Art Theory, Self-Expression and Creativity' by Ms. Vandita Parikh, Founder NSDA, Texas, USA |

AUGUST 2023: | 9th-10th: International Conference on Thriving in Turbulent Times: Sustainable Growth through Innovative Practices | 11th: Alumna Food fair | 16th-17th, 21st-22nd, 24th-25th: Traditional Indian Skill Development Program Conducted jointly by Extension Activities & Institution Innovation Council, WCC | 26th: EPIC - Eternal Peace in Christ. Pastor Gersson Edinbaro | 26th: Certificate Course on Quantitative Aptitude Test Preparatory course

(Foundational and Advanced), WCC in collaboration with L&T Edutech, a business vertical of Larsen and Toubro Limited Conducted for final year students of both UG and PG (Shift II) for 1000 students |

SEPTEMBER 2023: | 16th: Annual College Play - The Threepenny Opera - Directed by Mr. Regin Rose |

DECEMBER 2023: | 9th: Graduation Day | 12th: White Gift Day |

FEBRUARY 2024: | 9th-10th: Festeve |

MARCH 2024: | 4th: Senate Installation | 5th: Spring Sing |

PHOTOGRAPHS

NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME



Sitting (L to R): Eunice Rhema R, Ancy Gasper M, Sona P, Thuhina J R, Dr. J Margaret Marie, Dr. Evelin Kramony, Dr. Kanchana Naidu, Ms. Lemma Ana Crisostum, A M Aafreen Almas, Swetha Natarajan, Sai Shreya Ramesh, Benita Sweetlyn Giftah

Standing 1st Row (L to R): Sara Neghi J, Poornima B, Dhakheelathul Jannah, K Reeshmaan Sanofer, Jessica Halle, Harini S, Niketha J, S Odelia Jasmine, Diksha E J, Shekinah Padma J, Tejesvi R, Anushree A, Sharon M, Namrata Pramod, Nagalakshmi B, J Aathika Febrine, Dhivya Dharshini J S, Melitha Thooya David

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Standing 1st Row (L to R): Vidya V, Alekya P, Abinaya, Selasteena C V, A B Varshana, Keziah Irene A

YOUNG INDIANS



Sitting (L to R): Thenmozhi V, Prathipa A, Richlin J, Beryl Christabel Grace F, Dr. Cordilea Hannah, Dr. Christy Pushpaleela, Sri Aanjana, Sajna Mary Mathews, Neha T, Sherin
Standing (L to R): Keziah Suganthi M, Jenni Marx V, Jesica Antony Prasad, Megha L, Namita Ann Regi, Nivedha M, Shereen Joy

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SPORTS



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Standing 1st Row (L to R): Nakshatra, Sheeja Praisi, Claret Roseline Priya, Rithika S, Pavithra, Grace Thiannungnei, Joyce Mercy, S, Swathi, Dania Thankam V D, Saranya M, Premalatha V, Princia E, Mahalakshmi R, Vailla D, Kriithika A, Jenifer Rani, Neeraja, Akshitha A R, Sharon Devadharshini S, Padmini S J, Beulah Joyce S, Sweetline Beulah Kumari A

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COLLEGE CHOIR



Sitting (L to R): Vaishali A, J Jezaniah Miraculin, Sharon Linda M, R Rudia Blessy, Tanya Lindcy, Rachel Sarah Ben, Sarah Elizabeth A, Dency Jebagnanam S, Ms. Tabitha Edwin, Dr. J Juanita Saroj, Jebalin Rachel B, Jessica Shreya Simpson, Sharon Rachel, Joanna Elsa Bennet, Jacqueline Veronica Irene, Joycelin Annie, Jyosthna M Angelin Princy

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Standing 2nd Row (L to R): Aileen Sara Suresh, Shalom Myrtle R, Ainame Marbaniang, Jonisha Grace D, Ruth Pauline N, Jebbie Alex Thomas, Hannah D, Rachael Evangeline R, Alysa Gracelin S, S Grace Miracle, Esther Niranjani P, Blessy, Tabitha Sirushtika, Feby Brigitta J, Deepthi Joanna Joseph, Briana P J, Santhoshni Ruth A, Mercy Ashita Reji, Hannah Joyce

Standing 3rd Row (L to R): Phoebe Keziah I, Blessy Deborah V, Catherine Keziah Paul, Johanna John, Alwina Sharon Rajakumari R, Jerlin Ishiah S R, Phaliln Jerusha, Michelle Miriam Mammen, Binnita Ebenesh, Alisha Dhiya Rebeca Manuel, Lydia Jasper A, Samantha Joanna J, Joanna George, Mahima Ruth S, Angel Tamang, S Tryphena Margaret Golda, Jenisha Kristalena, J Joyline Hepzhibha, Agneslin K, Stephania Ruth

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Sitting (L to R): Vibha Sweety T D, M Deepika, Rajesvari G, Joanna Susan Sibi, Salaama Marjan, Matilda K, Achshah Sosa Jaiji, Tamilselvi S, Nazihah N, Kanishka A

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III B.A. HISTORY



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SUNFLOWER DAY 2024

It's all about
a random stranger
I met daily for
a week, dude!
He made my whole
year

A Heart of Gold

YOUR STORIES

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VIGNETTES

STUDENT ENTRIES

ROOTS

A BIG PART OF OUR IDENTITIES LIE IN THE SMALL TRADITIONS OF OUR FAMILIES, UNITY IN A SHARED LANGUAGE, OUR CHILDHOOD MEMORIES, AND THE ROOTS OF WHERE WE ARE FROM. VIGNETTES BRINGS YOU ROOTS, A SECTION EXPLORING THE BEGINNING OF OUR IDENTITIES.

JOURNEYS

LIFE IS A COLLECTION OF SMALL MOMENTS. INNOCENCE OF CHILDHOOD MATURING INTO WOMANHOOD, TRANSIENT RENDEZVOUS WITH STRANGERS, AND EFFORTLESS FOOTPRINTS OF BRIEF MOMENTS YOU DIDN'T KNOW YOU LEFT BEHIND. THESE MAKE UP THE JOURNEYS WE HAVE TAKEN THAT VIGNETTES WANTS YOU TO REMEMBER.

Exploring the Unnoticed Rhythms of Daily Life

Nostalgia

The clicking and scratching sounds
of my pen against the paper
Hasty scribbles because my life depends on it.
The sly crinkle of a chips packet;
This crinkle is more satisfying
than stepping on a leaf during autumn
But the sound of the bell
Is the most satisfying of them all.
It means freedom.

- Prarthana Anthony, III B.A. English

Twilight

Admiring the beautiful twilight when,
A sudden cold breeze makes me shiver.
Though it's cold outside,
A powerful, special warmth fills my heart.
I don't want to question the feeling whatsoever,
Because it's as beautiful and rare as the red
camellia flower.
I started to walk as the warm drowsiness rises,
And I can see the glint of happiness in
everyone's eyes.
On my way, I had to squint my eyes due to the
foggy sight,
And the next day, when I woke up, softly
I chuckled
So many feelings erupted because of a simple
twilight.

- Reya, I BBA

Eternal Solace

The radiant golden sphere ascends,
The sky painted in shades of rose,
With serenity and cups' intense
Casting warmth upon the waking world.
The time chimes in the race,
A symphony of the day unfolding its tale,
To quell the yearnings of hunger,
As dawn's embrace soothes the land.
Dusk's powerful sphere descends
Cloaking the horizon in a veil of twilight,
Pushing yearnings to their resting place,

Welcoming the moon's nocturnal reign.
All yearnings fade into serenity,
As the night sky unveils its silvered canvas,
Prompting the existences, both near and far,
To inhale this profound solace.

- S. Varsha, II B.A. English

Everyday

Everyday I come by
The same train,
Everyday I see the same sun.
Yet, it sees me different
Every day.
I walk the same path,
I walk the same way,
Yet, I meet different people
Every day.

Everyday I see the clouds, but,
They are different.
Some glimmer, some stay dull,
Some move around, and some stay still.
Yet, I find each and everything beautiful
Every day.

Can everything I see everyday still amaze me?
I would say yes.
They make me wonder
If even these little things
Have their good or bad days,
And still, stay beautiful enough
To amaze me everyday?

- Agnes Benetta, II B.A. English

november sun

sweet november sun,
i believe another day rising
behind the settlements that fill
the gray area beside my home;
doesn't keep you from seeing pain
because whatever is loved, whatever
happens in quiet rooms,
may come to the light someday.

and dear november sun,
 i haven't been thankful enough.
 for the nights
 that i have wished it would
 choke me into lifelessness, instead
 would push me into another day-
 facing you much against my will,
 i do not know how i feel about it.

but november sun,
 i do not know if this charade will last long-
 the clouds will take over and the leaves could
 fall
 and i would stop writing about you.
 distant revelations where i've found a friend in

crazy to admit
 you give me hope,
 clear mornings and clean vegetables
 elated trees and ties unacceptable
 yet my cheeks are warm in the mornings
 sweet november sun

fill my heart in
 with your tender rays that kiss my hair
 standing up in a balcony
 paralyzing time

- Harini I B.A. English
 published in the anthology
 "Yellow Days" by Writer's Pocket.

A Brief Encounter, Etched in Life's Fleeting Dreams

Faith

I was listening to two friends of mine immersed in a serious debate about whether gods exist. Both were stating their reasons and it sounded fair from their point of view. It went on for a long time before the friend who believes in the existence of gods was asked if she ever met or spoke to a god and if not, why does she still have faith in them.

To that she replied, "I know I'm not going to see or meet them, but if I can have so much space in my heart for fear, negativity, doubts etc, why should I not hold a small space for an idea, which gives me and so many people hope and faith? Why should I not hold on to these invisible guardians who help me take the right path every single time? Why should I not believe in whom I seek help from and feel positive because of, during times of difficulty? Maybe they will not appear before my eyes, but they will forever stay in my heart to guide me through all my fears and doubts.

To have faith is to have courage."

A Haiku

A brief conversation is when my heart skips a
 beat,
 When I see myself
 In those crystal clear eyes.

- Priyanvada, I B.Sc. Computer Science

Good Old Days of Innocence & Naïvete

In the quiet shuffles of breakfast time, the aroma of bananas and puttu lingered in the air as Appa returned from church with Jo.

While scrolling through my phone, I sensed Appa looking at me. "Today, I saw a kid who looked just like you when you were little, Puppy," he said with a tender smile. Thoughts of his little girl running to her father's side and looking up at him with a big toothless grin reflected in his eyes. Memories of my mischievous past surfaced, and I could feel the warmth of his affection.

During Sunday service, when Amma would reprimand me for annoying her, I

would approach him timidly, with a huff and stand beside him. I chuckled, recollecting the memories of my antics.

"How many days are you here for?" he asked. "Three more days," I replied. In that moment, his eyes held a quiet longing for the bygone days.

"Shouldn't we visit Madhu's ice cream shop before you go?" he suggested, his attempt to bridge the gap and savour our shared history.

I smiled and replied, "Oh, we must, Appa."

We used to be very close when I was younger. He was the first to see me after my birth. Little me was surrounded by beeping machines. Tiny, wrinkled body injected with wires owing to a premature birth. He says I looked like a little puppy and thus was born my nickname.

Four years into my arrival, when my mother was in the hospital with my newborn brother, my father and I went home to freshen up. While he helped me change my dress, I wiggled and tried to run, dislocating my arm. Both my father and I got a good scolding from my mother for being naughty and careless.

Over time, as time often shows, the bond slowly faded and became a formal relationship. We only talked when necessary. Gone were the days when he mixed puttu and banana, making a big ball so I could eat it with a fork in style.

My leaving for college was a wake-up call for both of us. We both realised that the other won't always be there beside each other. Now the bond seems to have restored itself. I am complaining about the non-availability of boys to look at and he seems amused by it. I guess that's a little progress there.

- Dyuthi Susan, II B.A. English

She

Though it was a year ago,
I still remember
The moment she said
"You can do it,"
When my whole wide world
was falling down,
And when I could scarcely breathe,
Falling into the deep waters.
Little did I know it would mean much
Sometime later.

- Els Abisha, II B.Sc. Chemistry

Traditions Forgotten yet Cherished

Up until I was 9 years old, for every Christmas, my cousins from around the globe would gather at my aunt's place 3 days prior. We, the little ones, would have a mat spread across the floor for us to sit on, with newspapers spread so that we won't spill our food.

On Christmas morning, all the little ones in the family would gather in the hall in front of our uncle who would open his huge suitcase and call out each one of our names, one-

by-one, so that we could get our gifts. After, we would go up to our grandma and receive blessings and wait for everyone to get their present and then we would open it together.

Though it was a small tradition we did as kids, it leaves me feeling sad. All of us are growing up, times are changing and the people I love are no more. This helps me remember the great times I had with my family, and moments that can't be created anymore.

- Adrin Rayya, I B.Sc. Psychology (Shift II)

Momentary/Fleeting Fascinations

From the birds in the morning, to the music of the drizzle,

All these are what my attention is a slave to, clearly in love,

The white blue sky with its soft clouds leave me dazzled,

Yet, my blind heart yearns for them and seeks them out like a lonely dove;

What shall I do to take them off my mind?

Simply stop living this beauty of a life or rather die?

As without them, all our eyes are with vision but blind,

And our hearts, large, but empty like the mild blue sky.

- REYA, I BBA

Someone asked me "What would you consider the best day of your life?"

Every time I get hit with this question, I always scramble through my memory for the biggest thing that happened in my life, like the time I got a phone as a gift or the time that I went on a trip during summer vacation. But deep down, was that really what I considered to be the best day of my life, or was I just being stereotypical? Whenever I hear the word best, I go for something big. But I will let you all in on the truth: I cannot pick one day as the best day of my life. I personally would

like to rephrase the question that was asked in the beginning.

The question would be, "Pick out your best moments in life."

The real truth is that I don't really care about the phone that I got as a present, as much as I care about the face of my parents when they presented it to me with anticipation. I did enjoy the trip, but not as much as I enjoyed going to my grandparents' house with my family every weekend. The times I spent chitchating with my mom while she cooks, the old songs I sing along with my father, the late-night gossips with my sister, and all the times I spoke to my two best friends without the fear of being judged, would surely make up for being the best moments of my life. All the little things matter the most in our lives, even if we name them as being insignificant. Considering the pace at which life moves now, and the cycle we seem to be stuck in, I suggest we should take a breath, step out of our tiresome routine, and take a moment to appreciate the mundane things that take place in our lives. Because once we do that, all that would grab our attention would be those moments we considered to be ordinary.

- Nivedha R, II BBA

"I am a Mosaic of everyone I ever Loved, even for a Heartbeat"

"Be yourself" is a quote that I have often seen and heard in random social media posts and in TED talks. They talk as though there is a unique feature that is present inside every one of us. It is true that we all look different and distinct from each other on the outside, but is it applicable to our insides too? Am I my own unique self? So I asked people, "Who do you think I am?"

"You are very straightforward," they said. But I know that I became straightforward, because that is a quality I admired in my mother.

"You are silent in class," they said. But I know that I became the silent one because my best friend in 8th grade was always quiet and minded her own business.

"You like the color pink so much," they said. But I know that I started liking pink after watching the movie Barbie: Princess Charm School.

"You love watching superhero and Marvel movies, don't you?" they asked. But I know that I started watching those movies because my best friend in 11th grade always talked about Captain America.

"You read so many books," they said. But I know that I started loving books because Hermione Granger from the Harry Potter series always read books.

"So, who am I really?" I asked myself this time and realized that I am a mosaic of everyone I've ever loved, even for a heartbeat.

- Florence S - II PG Chemistry

All of Me

The gentleness of the boy I've loved washed over me,

The dimples from my Dad adorns my cheeks,
And I would nourish the flowers of kindness deeply rooted by my mother so dear, always within.

I am a mosaic of everyone I've ever loved, even for a heartbeat.

- Zuha Mariam - II B.Sc Psychology (Shift II)

Mosaic

The shadows of the nights speak about you,
The breeze of the mornings sing about you,
One cannot exist without another. They are tied,

Just like us, you forever by my side.

How shall I do without you, away by even a feet,

What can I say,

I am a mosaic of everyone I've ever loved, even for a heart beat.

Much has changed in life, including myself.

- Reya K - I BBA

One month ago, I was not the same person as I am today, let alone 2 years ago when I first came to this city, just a bit more foreign to me than today.

A lot has changed, including myself. There have been so many moments I thought I was lost, or worse, in a limbo between what I have always known, what I was and what I am becoming; with the raging question, "What am I" growing louder?

These moments, however scary, have always been fleeting. You see, while it's so easy to forget who I am, I am constantly reminded of all that I am. Every time someone tells me they like my bracelet, when they ask where my tattered bookmark is from, what my favorite book is, or why my phone case is always stuffed with the most random things, I realize I'm seen.

Everything I have ever owned has been loved by someone, has been given with love, including the way I talk, the way I laugh and even my favorite boy band.

As easy as it is to be haunted by the uncertainty of myself, it has always been easier, merrier even, to be haunted by the knowledge that my mere existence is a reminder of everyone who has ever loved me and everyone who I have ever loved. What am I, if not for a mosaic of everything and everyone I have ever loved?

- Priya R - II B.Sc Psychology (Shift II)

Although widely said, the statement "to live is to love and to be loved" is one that resonates with me everyday. Love, be it familiar, platonic, romantic or anything is made out to be an all encompassing entity that makes you or breaks you forever. But I think love is found in the littlest of things, in the fragments of your daily life that remind you that in this big world, no matter how vast, scary or harsh, you are not alone.

Love is in the golden warmth of a sunny day, that makes you smile when you remember

how that one friend loves the summer heat, while you can't stand it. Love is in the words you speak, the strangers you find who slightly resemble someone you love, the way someone tells you they saw a pink flower and thought of you, and how that's funny because you did too. It also carries a sting with it, how when you hear the song your first love referred to as yours or when you fleetingly smell a fragrance that takes you right back to the home of that one friend you don't talk to anymore.

Sometimes in a nostalgic way, yet other times hauntingly so, I am a mosaic of everything and everyone I have ever loved.

- Tarunikka M - II B.Sc Psychology (Shift II)

Remember me this way

Remember Me This Way

Darling, remember me as a poem, not the poet,
As a shallow breeze in the darkest of nights,
As a shadow holding on while the world is quite,
As a little shine in the twinkling of eyes.
As Orpheus who let it go with no fight or shove,

As Eros piercing his heart for his only love.
As the heart that locks agony, with no key,
But still yearning every moment for the world to see;
What else shall I say?
Just remember me this way.

- Reya K - I BBA

A Medley of Memories, Ordinary, yet Divine

Solo Star

Hey, to the solo star that I saw the other day,
where are your friends?
I bet you look down and curse us for hiding
your shine away,
Apologies from me, to you and your wide
family and friends.
You're in my journal, hope that makes you feel
special.
I guess you're the same star that my loved
ones see,
Or maybe you were just visible to my eyes, I'm
glad either way,
Hey, to the solo star that I saw the other day,
where are your friends?
Look down on me and pray for me, I'll do the
same.
- Rayhan Zubaidha - I Home Science (Shift I)

The waves crash against the sand, leaving a
gentle streak as it retreats into the sea. The
horizon is blurred. Where does the sky start?
Where does the sea end?

The moon stands out, strikingly bright. The
twinkling stars, unnoticeable at first glance,
become increasingly difficult to ignore soon
after. Her eyes wander, drinking in the sight
she has seen a million times. The view, familiar,
yet tinted with foreign feelings.

Oysha takes a shuddering breath when she
feels her eyes well up with the magnitude of
feelings that choke her. The air tastes salty
and nostalgic. She hopes she has the same
feeling every time she visits the beach so
she'd get used to its overwhelming presence.
She grips the hand holding hers tighter, only

to get a tighter squeeze in return.

She follows her dad as he walks her to the shore, like she's done ever since she was a little girl; the innocence lingering only in fleeting memories. Every visit of that phase of her life was happy; a childlike happiness. Perhaps every visit felt the same till she woke up one day and saw things differently.

She did not remember when things changed, when simpler times became a distant memory. She looks down at the footprints he leaves behind in the sand as he walks forward. The only evidence of their presence. Something that wouldn't be there for her to see the next time she comes down to the beach.

A wave crashing against their feet, washing away their footprints catches her attention and she giggles. Her father's pleasantly surprised gaze falls on her. He smiles at her, the warmth of it matching that of the hand she holds.

She smiles back with teary eyes, realising that there was nothing he hasn't done or wouldn't do for her. This man will love her forever just like she will love him.

She turns to the sea and a sudden calmness quietens her turbulent mind; keeping the thoughts of having to leave at bay. The waves crash louder.

- Catherine Anna Christy, I Psychology (Shift II)

Little Innocent Moments

Every moment is special.
Perhaps not for me or you.
But it is special,
For the child perched on the cycle,
His little legs swinging in the air,
Waiting for his brother
Who promised to come back with a treat.
But to me, it's an ordinary weekday.
Or,
For the toddler running like a duck,
As his father chases him across the subway.
His laughter echoes through the tunnel,

Turning many heads towards him.
But to me, it's an ordinary midday.
Or,
For the people at the station
Awaiting something.
Eyes searching and searching.
Faces merging with one another.
But to me, it's an ordinary day.
Yet these special moments
Fill my ordinary days.
I am part of them—
I see the boy's face light up at the treat.
I smile when the baby waddles past me.
I stand among the waiting crowd.
Unknowingly being part of their moment
Quietly experiencing it all.
Occupying a tiny area,
In the tapestry of little moments.
These strangers appeared like shooting stars.
All that remains is the memory.
They shouldn't hold meaning to me.
Nevertheless, I hold them dear,
Because these little innocent moments,
Changed my ordinary days.

- Akshaya Santhosh II MA English

A Glance into Destiny's Window
In a crowded café, serendipity weaves,
A chance to encounter Life's lost streams.
Words unspoken, a glance conveyed,
Quick as a raindrop, yet the impact was great.
Amidst the noise of casual chatters
Fates entwine, a subtle matter.
Eyes meeting, yet unseen embrace.
A vignette begins, Love's gentle grace.

- Rebekah Dalia Gates, I B.Com General

This is Enough

How interesting those trees are, aren't they?
With leaves and flowers of a hundred different shades. Light, dark, big, small, soft, spikey...
some grow tall and headstrong, pushing back the others whilst some crouch back obscure, grovelling behind boughs. New ones

sprout, old ones fall, but in the end they all become part of the same deep mass of dead leaves awaiting slaughter under somebody's feet. Interesting, verily. I relish the delight of observing these wonders that unfold before me. The sleight when dawn breaks lobbing the first rays of magical colours, wafting the fragrance of damp Earth, arousing the stout, speckled rooster which yowls aloud, bestirring the diligent peasants and beauteous milkmaids who tie their tresses up in a bun, most certain that they shall soon be drenched with diamonds of sweat. Anon shifts the sky from orange to yellow, to white, to golden, bathing the auburn fields which shimmer and gyrate frenetically to the melodies of mottled thrushes that compete with the finches. I strive to imitate them, listen to them closely and attempt to do the same in my loud, but must I say in solemn civility that it has been nine years and I have only failed to reach their perfection.

Butterflies flutter and fly into the city bustle where little boys roam about, uncouth and unkempt, beating their brushes against their shoe-shine boxes and sit in rows, shouting aloud in their youthful voices, "Shoe-polishing! Shoe-polishing!" Before they can get their hands any dirtier, I spare them my wild plums and hardy kiwis which they accept with anxious smiles and tender eyes.

At noon when the sun is scorching hot, men lie sound asleep, their plump paunches stuffed with delicious food moving up and down tuned to the rhythm of their snores and women gather in secret meetings whispering labrish through windows. Evenings when the chill breeze strokes the flowers to droop, kneading through the mesmerising gloaming which escorts a tempting crepuscule, come back the cattle to their homestead after an arduous day of grazing, for early tomorrow will arrive the milking-men with large empty silver pails. In the fullness of time, the moon pops up, so alluring in every shape she takes, calling her starry troop to light up the welkin. Primaeval birches in the woodlands, with trunks as white as snow, gnawed by black cavity as if they were mantled in coats of zebra skin, shoot up into the skies, piercing through the heavy mist, seeking to grasp light from the invisible shafts of coruscating celestials. Sprawling junipers, prickly pines, blunt hazels, outlandish sycamores accord shelter to dainty warbles and prudent rodents that slumber in the cradling arms of midnight's breath as owls and crickets carol them lullabies.

What more do I need? Can there be a better life with greater eternal rapture than that which I bestride on this earth? Nay, I daresay: this is bliss. This is abundance. This is an elegant sufficiency. This is enough.

- Sanjana Sunilkumar, I B.A. English

Un Poème Sur Les Loisirs À Chennai A Poem On Hobbies In Chennai

Dans les rues animées de Chennai,
Les passions s'éveillent au matin clair,
Hobbies divers, un riche étalage,
Chacun trouve son coin de partage.

Dans les parcs, le yoga respire,
Les adeptes trouvent leur empire,
Méditation sous l'ombre des arbres,
Calme, sérénité, le cœur de marbre.

Sur les plages, les cerfs-volants s'envolent,
Le vent danse, les couleurs décollent,
Créations artistiques sur le sable doré,
Passion et art, libres et exaltés.

Dans les quartiers, les jeux traditionnels,
Carrom, kabaddi, des moments éternels,
Les rires fusent, la compétition est belle,
Un patrimoine vivant, une histoire rebelle.

Les mélodies du Carnatic enchantent,
Les cœurs, les âmes, l'art se présente,
Les tambours résonnent, la danse s'anime,
La musique unit, elle est le sublime.

Les livres, trésors dans les librairies,
Les lecteurs avides, chacun se nourrit,
Poésie, romans, connaissances sans fin,
Les pages tournent, un voyage sans frein.

Dans cette ville, les hobbies fleurissent,
Chaque passion, chaque envie, s'épanouissent,
Chennai, terre de diversité culturelle,
Où les passe-temps deviennent éternels.

Anne Prasanna A - I Psychology (Shift I)

Le Jeune Renard

Dans la belle forêt verte
Avec des arbres hauts et gigantesques,
Là vivait un renard mâle sage avec sa famille
La famille est composée de 3 enfants et de ses parents
Les parents veillent toujours à ce que leurs enfants
soient protégés
Des animaux sauvages dangereux qui y vivaient
Le plus jeune renard de la famille est méchant
Il est super actif et immature
Chaque jour, il se promène seul dans la forêt
Ses parents le grondaient toujours pour ce
comportement

Mais il n'écoute jamais
Un beau matin alors qu'il se promenait près d'un
étang
Il se précipita sur le roi de la jungle, le lion
Le lion affamé a vu ce jeune renard
Et je voulais en faire sa proie
Comme le renard était petit, il pouvait se cacher
dans un petit buisson
Et finalement il s'est échappé du lion
Quand il a été sauvé par ses parents
Depuis lors, il a toujours écouté les conseils de ses
parents.

Morale: Écoute toujours les sages!

Bhagyasri M - II Maths (Shift I)

Chennai - Passe-temps de A à Z!

Chennai Est Une Ville Vivante Et
Diversifiée. C'est La Capitale Du Tamil Nadu.
Autrefois, Chennai Était Connue
Sous Le Nom De Madras. Il y a Plusieurs
Passe-Temps, Des Gens De Tous Âges À Suivre À
Chennai
Si vous aimez l'aventure, il existe de nombreux
parcs d'attractions à Chennai
comme MGM et VGP. Ensuite, il existe des
bibliothèques qui possèdent à la fois
des livres récents et des publications anciennes.
Il existe de nombreux cafés
et centres commerciaux très populaires et
proposant le meilleur menu que vous
puissiez visiter. La danse pourrait aussi être un
passe-temps. Il existe différents
styles que vous pouvez apprendre, comme la
salsa et hiphop, dans divers studios
de danse.

Les églises sont aussi un
lieu spirituel que vous pouvez visiter.

On peut aller voir un film récent au cinéma

Si vous êtes
artistique, vous pouvez visiter des galeries d'art

Après une semaine bien remplie, si vous
souhaitez vous détendre. Vous trouverez des
hôtels et des complexes hôteliers à ECR.

A Chennai, la cuisine indienne est très réputée.
Surtout les plats du sud de
L'Inde repas que Idly et dosa.

Vous pouvez faire du jardinage, aussi simplement que sur votre terrasse.

Le kayak est une activité intéressante que vous pouvez faire avec vos amis.

Aller aux lacs au lever ou au coucher du soleil est un passe-temps.

Visiter les musées peut être un bon moyen d'apprendre l'histoire.

Vous pouvez nager à la piscine.

Les plages de Marina et Besant Nagar sont les meilleures de Chennai.

Vous pouvez faire de la randonnée sur les collines isolées de Chennai.

Vous pouvez faire du shopping sur différents marchés comme celui de T Nagar. Vous pouvez visiter des temples célèbres qui ont une superbe architecture. Vous pouvez faire du vélo dans la ville, ce qui est un bon passe-temps.

Aller à des cours de yoga peut être relaxant.

Si vous êtes un amoureux de la faune, visiter le zoo peut être amusant.

Devinette : Quelles sont les lettres de l'alphabet qui manquent dans l'article ?

Deepiga Shri - I Psychology (Shift I)

Titre : La Couronne Trompeuse : Un Conte De Promesses Vides

La morale de la fable :

Ne pas être emporté par des promesses vides

Tout ce qui clignote n'est pas de l'or

Ne laissez personne manipuler vos décisions

Un jour éclatant au cœur de la jungle, un renard affamé de pouvoir nommé Félix avait un plan astucieux pour renverser le lion bienveillant, qui avait régné le royaume en paix pendant cinq années splendides.

Avec une langue argentée, il rassembla la diversité des oiseaux et des animaux, les adressant avec un air de préoccupation.

-- Mes chers amis de la jungle, proclama Félix, je suis profondément troublé de votre avenir sous le règne du lion.

Quelqu'un d'entre vous a-t-il jamais vu le lion goûter sa portion de nourriture? "s'est-il interrogé, mettant en doute le public attentif.

Les habitants de la jungle échangèrent des regards, se rendant compte que personne n'avait jamais vu le lion déguster ses repas.

-- Ah, c'est parce qu'il fait la fête sur le plat le plus fin, nous laissant avec de minuscules restes, déclara Felix, favorisant la dissension parmi les créatures.

Indigné, l'éléphant s'écria à haute voix : "C'est brutalement injuste pour nous tous!"

Après une brève délibération, les animaux trompés ont couronné Félix leur nouveau dirigeant, sous l'illusion qu'il rectifierait l'injustice perçue. Peu savaient-ils que l'éclat de ses promesses cachait une vérité plus sombre.

Les nouvelles de la chute du lion atteignirent les royaumes voisins, et des adversaires opportunistes commencèrent à planifier une attaque.

Les animaux, maintenant à la grâce de la règle trompeuse de Félix, l'avaient prévenu du danger imminent.

Saisissant l'occasion, le renard ordonna aux animaux de rassembler des provisions en préparation de l'attaque.

Quand le jour du compte est arrivé, le lapin rapide s'est précipité pour appeler Félix pour défendre leur royaume, seulement pour découvrir une trahison cruelle.

Ni les provisions stockées, ni le renard astucieux ne furent retrouvés. Dévastés et sans défense, les animaux furent forcés de se rendre, laissés sans un chef pour les guider.

Maintenant soumis à des efforts supplémentaires même pendant les pluies, les animaux trompés se battent pour des rations rares.

"Cela ne peut pas être vrai !"

La petite grenouille Sam a dit : " Crois ma chérie, l'étang n'est qu'à 300 mètres " a répondu sa tante Lily. Son cousin l'a interrompu et a demandé ce qui se passait et il a expliqué qu'il y a un étang près de la ville de Froga dans

lequel les cheveux viennent quand il fait sombre et que plus de 2 d'entre eux de la famille des

grenouilles sont morts parce que les cheveux les avaient entraînés dans l'étang et plus tard, les cheveux qui les ont tirés remontent.

Depuis cet incident, personne n'a jamais osé se baigner dans l'étang après 18 heures. Son cousin a répondu : "Oui, c'est vrai, un de mes amis a été attrapé par les cheveux, heureusement, il a survécu d'une



manière ou d'une autre, donc je n'oublierai jamais ça". Sam était perplexe et n'arrivait pas à croire ce qu'ils disaient, alors il a demandé à son cousin de l'emmener à l'étang. Comme il était 10 heures du matin, Lily leur permit d'aller à l'étang.

Dès qu'ils y arrivèrent, Sam entra dans l'étang à la recherche des cheveux et il remarqua alors beaucoup de cheveux dans le coin de l'étang, certains étaient

collés au mur et d'autres flottaient. Au début, il pensa que quelqu'un avait lancé la perruque pour faire une farce aux grenouilles, mais en s'en approchant, il comprit qu'il s'agissait d'algues (algues capillaires) qui ressemblaient exactement à un cheveu.

Comme l'étang n'a pas été nettoyé depuis plus d'un an, les algues ont beaucoup poussé et la grenouille qui s'en approche se retrouve piégée lorsqu'elle tente de survivre. Certaines algues sont coupées et, par



conséquent, certaines meurent et une partie des algues est coupée. Les algues flottent à proximité d'eux. Les grenouilles qui l'ont vu ont considéré qu'il s'agissait des cheveux d'un fantôme et celles qui ont entendu l'histoire le croyaient également et, par peur, personne ne voulait connaître la vérité.

Certainement! La morale de l'histoire pourrait porter sur l'importance de rechercher la vérité avant de tirer des conclusions hâtives ou de croire aux rumeurs. Il montre à quel point la peur et la désinformation peuvent conduire à une panique

et à des malentendus inutiles. Dans ce cas, l'enquête sur la source des incidents mystérieux a révélé une explication logique, mettant l'accent sur l'importance de la pensée critique et ne laissant pas la peur obscurcir le jugement.

Miraclene - II Computer Science (Shift 2)

DÉCOUVREZ LA MAGIE DE CHENNAI !

Chennai est une ville animée du sud de l'Inde, au Tamil Nadu Le climat de Chennai est généralement chaud et humide. La population de Chennai est majoritairement tamoule. La cuisine de Chennai est simple et épicée. Idli, dosa, wada sont les petits déjeuners les plus appréciés. Il existe une variété de sites touristiques à travers la ville pour les personnes de tous âges.

Choses à faire à Chennai.

Chennai est riche en termes de patrimoine. Il y a des temples, des églises et d'autres lieux sacrés anciens et célèbres comme l'église de Marie et le temple Parthasarathy. Ensuite, il y a des cafés, des restaurants et des plats de rue modernes et esthétiques qui ont le meilleur goût, comme le marché des tapis ou comme les célèbres cafés de Nungambakkam. Les plages sont une attraction touristique majeure à Chennai. La plage de Marina est la plus populaire. L'équitation et le tir à la carabine sur les plages peuvent être amusants. Il existe également plusieurs centres commerciaux et centres commerciaux comme le Phoenix Market City. Il existe de nombreuses salles de cinéma où l'on peut regarder des films. Il y a un dicton en tamoul "வந்தாரை வாழவைக்கும் சென்னை" ce qui signifie que Chennai accueille et donne vie à tous ceux qui résident ici.

Nivedha.P - I Psychology (Shift I)

BUGS ET POMME GRAINE

Un lapin nommé Bugs (5ans) vivant sur la Colline de Shankarachariya, au Cachemire. Il adore les pommes et le Cachemire est célèbre pour ses pommes. Il voulait avoir des pommes dans sa vie. Alors, il a décidé de planter un pommier. Il a pris les graines de la pomme qu'il possédait et les a plantées près de chez lui. Il attend avec

impatience que la graine pousse. Le lendemain, il a creusé la graine pour voir si elle avait commencé à pousser, mais elle avait le même aspect que la veille. Il a continué à creuser le sable les jours suivants mais les résultats étaient les mêmes que le premier jour. Au bout de cinq jours, il a perdu espoir et s'est mis à pleurer devant sa maison. Ses pleurs sont fait sont sa mère de la maison et lui ont demandé pourquoi il pleurait. Bugs a répondu à la question de sa mère. Sa mère a expliqué que la graine ne germerait pas s'il continuait à creuser le sable tous les jours. Bugs a réalisé son erreur et a pris une autre série de graines et a pris soin des plantes en les arrosant quotidiennement. Après quelques jours, il a vu que les graines avaient germé. Il était heureux et a appelé sa mère pour voir les résultats. Tous deux étaient excités. Bugs ont appris que son impatience au début ne faisait que prolonger le processus. Comme il le souhaitait, il avait un nombre illimité de pommes par jour et profitait de sa vie.

Morale de l'histoire: L'**effort** et la **patience** sont essentiels pour réussir.

Vidulaa A - II NUT (Shift I)

Le Coeur Qui Donne

Il était une fois, au cœur de la Forêt Enchantée, un vieux hibou sage nommé Oliver. Oliver était connu dans toute la forêt pour sa sagesse et son bon cœur. Un jour ensoleillé, alors qu'il se perchait sur sa branche préférée, il remarqua une famille d'écureuils qui luttait pour trouver suffisamment de glands pour passer l'hiver.

Le sage hibou, les yeux pétillants, décida d'aider les écureuils. Nuit après nuit, Oliver planait à travers la forêt, rassemblant les plus beaux glands et les plaçant en tas soigné à l'entrée de la

confortable maison de la famille des écureuils. Les écureuils étaient surpris et reconnaissants pour ce cadeau inattendu. Ils se rendirent vite compte que le mystérieux bienfaiteur n'était autre qu'Oliver, le vieux hibou sage.

Curieusement, le plus jeune écureuil, Simy, s'est approché d'Oliver un soir et lui a demandé : "Pourquoi es-tu si généreux, cher Oliver ? Que cherches-tu en retour ?

Oliver sourit gentiment et répondit : "Mes chers amis, la générosité est sa propre récompense. Je ne cherche rien en retour si ce n'est la joie de savoir que j'ai aidé les autres. Dans cette forêt enchantée, nous partageons tous la même maison, et il est de notre devoir de prendre soin les uns des autres."

Simy et sa famille ont été profondément émus par les paroles et les actes d'Oliver. Inspirés par la générosité du hibou, eux aussi ont commencé à partager leurs glands avec ceux qui en avaient besoin. L'esprit de générosité s'est répandu comme une traînée de poudre dans toute la forêt enchantée, et bientôt, chaque créature, grande et petite, a contribué au bien-être de ses voisins.

À l'approche de l'hiver, la forêt était remplie de chaleur grâce au cœur généreux de ses habitants. Les animaux ont réalisé qu'en partageant ce qu'ils avaient, tout le monde pouvait s'épanouir, et la Forêt Enchantée est devenue un lieu de bonheur et d'abondance.

La morale de cette fable est que le vrai bonheur réside dans le cœur bon et généreux qui donne sans rien attendre en retour !

Sharon Devadharshini S - II Computer Science
(Shift 1)

Vignettes De Vie

Dans l'éclat d'un regard, une vignette se dessine,
Instant fragile, éphémère, qui capture l'essence divine.

Un coin de rue, une larme, un sourire fugace,
Chaque vignette raconte une histoire, une trace.

Dans le tumulte de la ville, une scène se dévoile,
Une rencontre fortuite, un échange qui étoile.
Les pas qui se croisent, les destins qui s'effleurent,
Chaque vignette murmure une vie, une couleur.

Sous le ciel étoilé, une vignette s'anime,
Les émotions s'entrelacent, les rêves intimement intimes.

Un souffle de vent, une danse sous la lune,
Chaque vignette vibre d'amour, d'espoir, de fortune.

Au creux de la mémoire, les vignettes s'entrelacent,
Témoins silencieux d'un passé qui passe.

Un écho lointain, un parfum dans l'air,
Chaque vignette résonne, toujours prête à se faire voir, à se faire taire.

Dans le livre de la vie, les vignettes se collectionnent,
Des instants capturés, des trésors qui résonnent.

Un kaléidoscope d'émotions, un ballet de lumière,
Chaque vignette, un univers, une manière de se taire.

Abinaya Beranger - II B.Com Honours

L'essence contraignante de la vie

La vie qui brode des petits instants tissés qui murmure l'appel des souvenirs.

Apparemment insignifiant, mais qui enlace une chambre dans mon cœur.

Un inconnu qui souriait dans la rue, ou le regard subtil qui faisait se rencontrer les âmes. Un moment tranquille où l'on regarde le soleil briller ou le contact d'un amoureux, subtil et lent.

Les petites périodes qui me sont chères brillent clairement dans la tapisserie. Chaque souvenir raconte une histoire, chérie à jamais au plus profond de mon cœur

Anna Rachel - II Psychology (Shift II)

Depuis que j'étais enfant, je détestais mon sourire car mes dents sont inégales. À cause de ça, je n'étais pas peu sûr de moi et j'ai donc évité de sourire avec mes dents tout en parlant ou en prenant des photos. Cela a continué pendant de nombreuses années, jusqu'à ce jour. Une amie regardait une photo de nous et soudain, elle a

souligné que mon sourire était très joli. Quand je n'étais pas d'accord, elle m'a assuré que mes dents sont mignonnes et pas étranges. Ce n'était pas la première fois que quelqu'un me disait cela, mais cette fois était authentique et pas comme un compliment forcé. Ça pris du temps, mais j'ai finalement commencé à sourire et rire sans être préoccupée de mon apparence; et chaque fois je pensais à cette brève interaction qui avait une impression durable sur moi.

Tarunikka M - B.Sc. Psychology (Shift II)

La vie à travers les petits yeux : Vignettes

"Chaque instant et quoi qu'il arrive me remplit de joie" - Walt Whitman

Tout au long du récit de notre vie, ce sont toujours les choses les plus petites, apparemment insignifiantes, qui ont le plus de sens et nous procurent une sorte de joie que rien d'autre au monde ne peut nous procurer. Au fur et à mesure que notre journée se déroule avec les routines monotones et les choses que nous devons faire,

l'arôme du thé fraîchement préparé, mêlé aux mélodies des oiseaux, à l'extérieur de la fenêtre, agit presque comme une touche de couleur sur une toile en noir et blanc. Le doux bourdonnement des conversations alors que les familles se réunissent autour de la table du petit-déjeuner, partageant des histoires et des rires avant de s'aventurer dans le monde, nous fait sourire alors que nous nous dirigeons vers nos fonctions.

Dans les rues animées de la ville et les quais de métro bondés, ce sont les plus petits moments comme, une petite fleur qui s'épanouit dans un coin tranquille, le soleil qui nous sourit à vous et moi, les chansons que vous écoutez qui vous font transcender dans un monde délirant où vous êtes le personnage principal, sourire partagé et un signe de tête de reconnaissance qui comble le fossé entre les étrangers dans un monde éphémère, qui restent imprimés dans nos esprits. Les espaces partagés deviennent des scènes où se déroulent les histoires de communauté et de connexion. Chaque interaction, chaque échange de sourires et de hochements de tête, tisse un fil d'appartenance et de parenté qui transcende les différences et unit les cœurs. Alors que nous poursuivons nos routines habituelles, des moments comme ceux-ci seront toujours ceux qui nous traverseront l'esprit à des moments aléatoires, nous faisant sourire comme un imbécile heureux et nous dynamisant.

Alors que le crépuscule descend et que le monde se calme, l'idée de rentrer à la maison, de regarder nos émissions préférées, de discuter de la journée avec nos proches, de manger la nourriture dont nous avons rêvé toute la journée, ouvre la porte à la joie et la vie peut sembler plus lumineuse et mieux à ce stade. Mais alors que nous revenons à la soi-disant réalité, tout dans la vie d'adulte semble ennuyeux, rien de comparable à l'époque où nous étions enfants. Durant notre jeunesse, tout semblait passionnant et amusant et le monde ressemblait exactement à ce qu'ils décrivent dans les films Disney - avec une pincée de magie. Mais le monde est toujours le même que celui que nous avons vu à travers nos petits yeux. La seule chose

qui a changé, c'est notre façon de percevoir la vie et tout ce qu'elle contient. Alors que nous nous retirons dans le sanctuaire de nos pensées, savourant les souvenirs et les émotions qui définissent leur voyage dans la vie dans le confort de fauteuils confortables, nous pouvons réaliser que nous pouvons encore trouver le bonheur dans les petites choses comme nous le faisons lorsque nous étions enfants. Eh bien, nous trouvons toujours une telle joie involontairement, mais pas autant que dans notre enfance. Tout est au sujet de notre perspective de la vie. Dans ces moments calmes, la tapisserie de la vie quotidienne se dévoile dans toute sa beauté et sa complexité.

En conclusion, des vignettes de la vie quotidienne servent de fenêtres sur l'âme humaine, offrant des aperçus de joie, de chagrin, d'espoir et de résilience qui définissent notre humanité commune. En célébrant ces moments, grands et petits, nous honorons la beauté et la complexité du voyage de la vie, trouvant un sens et un lien dans la tapisserie de l'existence quotidienne.

Elaezhini.P.M - I BCA

Jours De ecole

Des salles qui font écho au crépitement, Des petits pieds, un fracas matinal. Les casiers claquent, un cliquetis livresque, L'école est éveillée, une question d'apprentissage. La lumière du soleil traverse les vitres poussiéreuses, Sur les rangées de bureaux, l'attention règne. La craie murmure des histoires sur les plaines du tableau noir, Au fur et à mesure que la connaissance s'épanouit, effaçant les taches. Les doigts tracent au loin des cartes, Des terres invisibles, sous une étoile. Les équations dansent, une cicatrice énigmatique, Le casse-tête de la logique, qui va loin. L'amitié s'épanouit dans des rimes murmurées, Les secrets partagés se sont transmis au fil du temps. Le rire retentit, un carillon joyeux, Alors que les liens d'enfance commencent à se resserrer. Tests et essais, soucis, Mais les leçons apprises, nous ne les oublierons pas. Un tremplin, un monde à atteindre, L'école est un voyage, aucun regret.

Sauda Iram S - II B.A. Corporate Economics

Joie de vivre!

Comment serait-ce si nous avions le pouvoir de prédire l'avenir ? À un moment donné, nous avons tous pensé à cela, mais si nous le faisons, je dirais qu'il n'y aurait plus de suspense. Il y a près de 8 milliards de personnes sur cette planète, et chacun de nous a une perspective différente de la vie. Parmi les trois temps de la vie, le passé est le plus difficile car il y a tellement de choses à apprendre. Sur la base de quelque chose qui se produit dans le passé, un certain nombre de personnes abandonnent. Mais ce n'est pas ainsi que nous sommes destinés à être. Lorsque Dieu nous a faits de ses mains, il a voulu que nous lui rendions gloire.

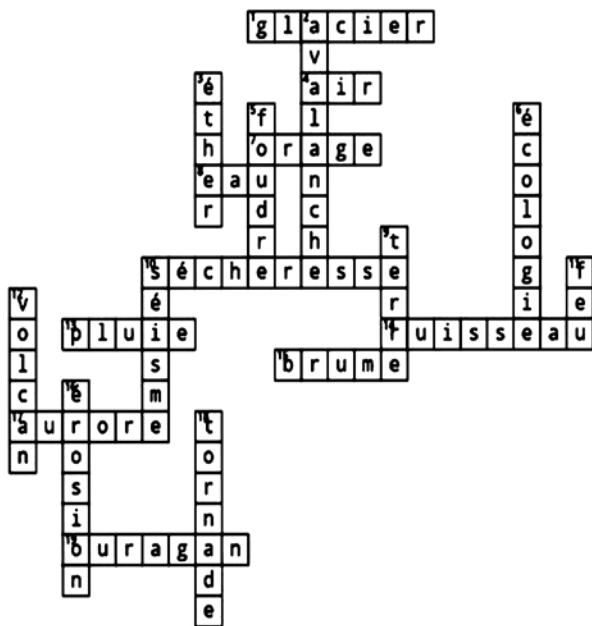
Il y a des jours bons et mauvais. Il y a des choses décevantes qui se passent, mais elles ne contrôlent

pas l'avenir. J'ai découvert que la vie se vivait pleinement en trouvant de la joie dans le travail quotidien que nous faisons. Voir le ciel du soir dans des nuances de rose, de violet et de jaune, qui ressemble à une peinture à l'aquarelle, est rafraîchissant. Nous vivons dans une ville urbaine et nous devrions donc prendre le temps de profiter de ce que le monde a à nous offrir. Lorsque nous regardons autour de nous, nous trouvons les fleurs colorées, les ruisseaux d'eau, ou même la chaleur brûlante du soleil qui nous aide à nous connecter avec la nature. Tout autour de nous est un rappel de Dieu pour chérir et être chéri. Alors que cela vous rappelle de ne pas simplement exister, mais de commencer à vivre.

Pradhanya D - I B.Com Accounting & Finance

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

By Kesia Anna Andrews (22PYY18)



Across	Down
1) Énorme masse de glace	2) Chute de neige
4) Respiration essentielle	3) Subtil élément
7) Tempête électrique	5) Décharge électrique
8) Liquide vital	6) Étude de l'environnement
10) Absence de pluie	9) Sol fertile
13) Précipitation atmosphérique	11) Chaleur élémentaire
14) Petit cours d'eau	12) Montagne en éruption
15) Brouillard léger	16) Usure naturelle
17) Lueur matinale	18) Tourbillon destructeur
19) Tempête violente	

मन का विनेट

बावरी ये अँखियां मेरी
देखूँ जब मैं आईने में
पूछे मुझसे ये सवाल कई
वो उस गुजरे हुए कल के।
एक पल का था वो एहसास
एक पल की ख्वाहिश
मुलाकात कुछ क्षण की
बन गयी याद उमर भर की।
खड़ी थी उस चौराहे पे

दूर जाते देखा था उसे
था वो आखिरी बार
नयन मिले थे जब उससे।
लघुचित्र जैसा बसा है तू
मन के एक कोने में
जाऊँ जब उस चौराहे पर
मिले तब-तब तू वहाँ मुझे॥

- Titikshaa Agarwal, I MA HRM

माता का योगदान

कल की ही बात है। मैं रात को फिल्म देखती हुई बैठी थी। अगला दिन शनिवार था। मेरी उत्साह बहुत बढ़कर थी, क्योंकि हम कॉलेज से मामलपुरम ऐतिहासिक पर्यटन पर जाने वाले थे। परीक्षाओं के लिए अभी वक्त था, अतः मैं निश्चिन्त होकर आराम से फिल्म देखने में मग्न थी। तभी मेरी माँ की आवाज मेरे कानो में गूँज उठी। वह मेरी मौसी से फ़ोन पर बात कर रही थी। "अरे कल शॉपिंग नहीं जा सकते। इसका कल ट्रिप है। सुबह खाना बनाना है, और उसे कॉलेज तक छोड़ आना है। दोपहर उसे लेने भी जाना है। तुम लोग, मेरे बिना शॉपिंग चले जाओ।" यह बात सुनकर दिल में थोड़ी अचरज सी महसूस हुई। ट्रिप तो मेरा है, मगर मैं इतने आराम से तैयारी की चिंता छोड़कर, अलमस्त बैठी हूँ, और वहा मम्मा है, जो कल के लिए सब्जी काटते हुए ट्रिप की तैयारियों में खोयी हुई है। मैं कमरे से बाहर निकली, की माँ हंसकर बोली, "अरे तू अभी तक सोई नहीं ? जल्दी सो जा। नहीं तो डार्क सर्किल आ जायेंगे और सेल्फी निकालेगी तो इंस्टाग्राम पर लाइक्स कम आएंगे।" इस मज़ाक ने मुझे हंसा तो दिया, मगर कही न कही मुझे इस बात का बुरा भी लगा की मैं कितनी लापरवाह रहती हूँ। जब माँ घर, दफ्तर, मेरी शिक्षा और पूरे परिवार का भार इतने सुन्दर संतुलन से उठा रही है, तो कम से कम मैं उसके लिए धन्य तो रह सकती हु। इस घटना से मुझे एक सीख जरूर मिली है - की अपने आस पास ऐसी कई चीज़ें है जो हमारे बुजुर्ग, खास कर भारतीय गृहस्ती में माँ संभालती है, और उन सभी कार्यों को हम सब इतने आसानी से अनदेखा कर देते हैं की उन कार्यों के सौंदर्य की हम सराहना करने में असक्षम रह जाते हैं। युवाओं को इस तेज़ रफ़्तार भरी ज़िन्दगी में रुककर, अपने माताओं और बाकी सभी संरक्षकों के छोटे से छोटे कार्य की महत्ता को समझना चाहिए। इनके वजह से ही दिन के छोटे छोटे पल भी खुशी से भर जाते हैं और जीवन का पूर्ण आनंद हम महसूस कर पाते हैं।

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பள்ளி செல்லும் முன் விரல்களை நெற்றியில் வைப்பாய்
ஜெபத்திற்காய்

சில நொடிகளே இருந்தாலும் உணவளித்தே அனுப்புவாய்
நான் செய்யும் சேட்டைகள் உணவை உண்ணும் வரை
பொறுப்பாய்

பள்ளிக் காலம் முடிந்தது என மகிழ்ச்சி கொண்டேன் -
அப்போதும்

எக்கல்லூரி நல்லதென வியர்வை சிந்தக் கண்டேன்
கல்லூரி செல்ல வேண்டும் என்பதை மட்டும் நினைத்தேன்
முடிந்ததை விட மேலானதையே செய்தாய் எனக் கல்லூரி
கண்ட பின் உணர்ந்தேன்

உன் தியாகங்கள் கண்டு, கொண்ட ஆசைகள் மறந்தேன்!

அன்பாய் பிறர் கொடுக்கும் பொருள் கூட எனக்கு விருப்பம்
தந்ததில்லை

கேட்ட அதே பொருள் எனினும் மனது அதை ஏற்றதில்லை
அதனால் ஆசை ஒன்றும் இல்லை என்றில்லை

உன்னிடம் கையேந்திப் பொருள் வாங்குவதை விட வேறு
இன்பமில்லை
இதை எதிர்பார்ப்பதாலேயே பிறர் பொருள் எனக்குப்
பிடிப்பதில்லை.

சண்டைகளுக்கெல்லாம் காரணம் நீயே எனச் சாதிப்பேன்
பொய்ப்பழிகளை உன்மேல் போட்டு மகிழ்வேன்
பிறர் வாய் பேசாவிட்டாலும் நோகடிக்கக் கண்டிருக்கிறேன்
உன் வாய்ச் சொற்கள் என்றும் என்னை
நோகடிக்காததைக் கண்டு வியந்தேன்
மனதைக் கொட்டும் அழகிய சந்தர்ப்பத்தை நீ எனக்கு
அளிக்கக் கண்டேன்!

பெருங்கடலில் படகு, யாரும் இல்லை எனினும் அடையும்
- ஆனால்
உன் வழிகாட்டுதல் இல்லை எனில், உலகில் நான் மறந்து
நிற்பேன் திசையும்
என் வாழ்க்கை உன் கோபம் பெறாதிருந்தால் கசியும்
உன் அன்பைப் பற்றி என்றும் வருவதில்லை ஐயம்
உன்னைப் பெற்றதற்காய் கரம் கூப்பி இறைவனுக்கு
நன்றி செலுத்தும் என் இதயம்!

- ச.ஜெ. ஆன் ஸ்ரேனோ 21ENG03

வேதநாயகம் சாஸ்திரியார் ஆற்றிய சமுதாயப் பணிகள்

முன்னுரை

வேதநாயக சாஸ்திரியார் கத்தோலிக்கக் குடும்பத்தில்,
தேவசகாயம் மற்றும் ஞானப்பூ தம்பதியினருக்கு முதல்
மகனாகப் பிறந்தார். இளம் வயதிலேயே இறைவனைத்
தரிசித்தார். இறையியல், வானியல், உடலியல்,
சமூகவியல் என்னும் பல்வேறு துறைகளில் கற்றுத்
தேர்ந்தார். சுவார்ட்ஸ் பாதிரியார் என்னும் கிறிஸ்தவ
மத போதகரின் மாணவர்களில் ஒருவராக இருந்தார்.
மேலும் தஞ்சையை ஆண்ட சரபோஜி மன்னருக்கு
நெருங்கிய நண்பராகவும் திகழ்ந்தார். இவர் தம் பாடல்கள்
வழி சமுதாயத்திற்கு ஆற்றிய பல தொண்டுகளை
இக்கட்டுரையில் காண்போம்.

இயற்றிய நூல்கள்

இவர் பெதலகேம் குறவஞ்சி, சென்னைப்பட்டணப்பிரவேசம்.
ஞானத்தச்சன் நாடகம் முதலிய நாடகங்களையும், வண்ண
சமுத்திரம், அறிவானந்தம், ஆதியானந்தம், பேரின்பக்
காதல், ஞானக் கும்மி, பராபரன் மாலை, ஞானவுலா
முதலிய தெய்வப் நூல்களையும் இயற்றினார். பெதலகேம்
குறவஞ்சி என்னும் நூல் சென்னை வேப்போரி கிறிஸ்தவ
சபையில் அரங்கேற்றம் செய்யப்பட்டது. மேலும் இவர்
பல்வேறு கிறிஸ்தவ பாடல்களைப் பாடி உள்ளார்.

கிறிஸ்தவ இசை உலகின் முன்னோடி

தம் சிறு வயதிலேயே தமிழ் கிறிஸ்தவப் பாடல்கள் மற்றும்
இலக்கியங்களை எழுதத் தொடங்கினார். இவர் 133
புத்தகங்களை எழுதியுள்ளார். அவற்றுள் மிகவும் சிறப்பு
பெற்ற நூல் ஏசுவைப் பாட்டுடைத் தலைவனாக வைத்து
பாடப்பெற்ற பெதலகேம் குறவஞ்சி என்னும் நூலாகும்.

இளவரசர் சரபோஜி மன்னர் தஞ்சையின் அரசரானதும், இவரைத் தஞ்சை அரசவையின் அதிகாரப்பூர்வக் கவிஞராக நியமித்தார். இவரின் புலமையை அறிந்த மன்னர், ஒரு முறை இவரிடம் தனது தெய்வத்தைப் பற்றிப் புகழ்ந்து பாடலைப் பாட வேண்டும் என்று கட்டளையிட்டார். ஆனால் வேத நாயக சாஸ்திரியார், “இயேசுவைத் தவிர வேறு எந்தத் தெய்வத்தையும் போற்றும் பாடலைப் பாடுவதில்லை” என்று சிறு வயதிலேயே தீர்மானித்த அவர், தம் வீட்டிற்கு மௌனமாகத் திரும்பினார். மறுநாள் அரசவைக்கு வந்த அவர் பாடிய பாடல் தான்,

இயேசுவையே துதிசெய் - நீ மனமே
இயேசுவே துதிசெய்

என்ற பாடல் ஆகும். இதனைக் கேட்ட மன்னர் அவரின் தெய்வ பக்தியின் ஆழத்தைப் பார்த்து வியந்து, தொடர்ந்து இயேசுவை மட்டுமே புகழ்ந்து பாட அனுமதித்தார். பாடல்களில் கிறிஸ்தவ

வேதாகம சாரங்கள்

இவர் கர்நாடக ராகங்கள் உட்பட பல்வேறு மெல்லிசை வடிவங்களைப் பயன்படுத்தி 500 க்கும் மேற்பட்ட கிறிஸ்தவ பக்திப் பாடல்களைப் பாடியுள்ளார். இவரின் பாடல்கள் திரித்துவ தேவனை மையப்படுத்தி உயர் இலக்கிய நடையில் பாடப்பட்டுள்ளன. இப்பாடல்கள் இன்று வரையிலும் பல கிறிஸ்தவர்கள் பாடி மகிழ் கூடியனவாக அமைந்திருக்கின்றன. இவ்வாறு வேதாகம சாரங்களுடைய பாடல்களை இயற்றியதால் சாஸ்திரியார் என்ற சிறப்புப் பெயர் பெற்றார்.

பெற்ற பட்டங்கள்

இவர் வேத சிரோமணி, ஞான கவிச்சக்கரவர்த்தி, ஞான தீபக் கவிராயர், வேத சாஸ்திரிகள், சவிசேஷ கவிராயர் முதலிய சிறப்பு பட்டங்கள் பெற்றுள்ளார். இவை இவர் கிறிஸ்தவப் பாடல்கள் வழி ஆற்றிய பல்வேறு தொண்டினால் பெறப்பட்டவை ஆகும்.

கதாகாலட்சேபக் குழு

இந்து சமயத்தவரின் கதாகாலட்சேபப் பாணியைச் சான்றாக வைத்து கிறிஸ்தவ சமயம் சார்ந்த கதாகாலட்சேபக் குழு ஒன்றை உருவாக்கினார். இக்குழுவுடன் தமிழ்நாட்டின் பல இடங்களுக்கும் சென்று கிறிஸ்தவம் சார்ந்த கதாகாலட்சேப நிகழ்ச்சிகளை நடத்தி வந்தார்.

வேத சாஸ்திரக் கும்மி

1814 ஆம் ஆண்டு சாஸ்திரியார், வேத சாஸ்திரக் கும்மி என்ற நூலை இயற்றினார். சில ஆண்டுகளுக்கு முன்பு தஞ்சை சரஸ்வதி மஹால் நூலகம் இந்நூலை வெளியிட்டது. இந்நூலின் படிக்க அடிகமாக விற்பனை ஆகாவிடினும், இந்நூலில் உள்ள பாடல்களைக் குறுநூலாக கிறிஸ்தவ மிஷனரிகள் சென்ற நூற்றாண்டில் தொடக்கத்தில் வெளியிட்டுள்ளனர் என்பது குறிப்பிடத்தக்கது. 1915 ஆம் ஆண்டு மற்றும் 1969 ஆம் ஆண்டுகளில் சாஸ்திரக் கும்மி என்ற பெயரில் இந்நூல் வெளியாகியுள்ளது. இந்நூலின்

முகவுரையில், அதனைப் பதிப்பித்த திரு தாமஸ் ரத்தினம், “வேதநாயகம் சாஸ்திரியார் அவர்கள், கிறிஸ்தவர்கள் தங்களின் பழைய மதமாகிய இந்து மத சாஸ்திரங்களை விட்டு விடாமல் தலைமுறை தத்துவமாய் இறுகப் பிடித்துச் சாதித்து வருகிறார்கள் என்பதைக் கண்டு சாஸ்திரக் கும்மியைப் பாடினார்” என்று குறிப்பிட்டுள்ளார். நூலின் உட்கரு இந்தக் கருத்தை உறுதி செய்வதைக் காணலாம்.

பூனையும் நாயும் குறுக்கிட்டால் கனப்பொல்லாப்பு வரும்
என்று சொன்னாய்
பூனையும் நாயும் உன் வீட்டில் இருப்பது பொல்லாங்
கல்லவோ ஞானப்பெண்ணே!

என மூடநம்பிக்கையை மக்களிடமிருந்து விலக்கப் பாடியுள்ளார்.

இவ்வாறான பல முற்போக்கான கருத்துக்களை வேத சாஸ்திரக் கும்மியில் காண முடியும். அவருடைய சீர்திருத்தக் கருத்துக்கள் அவருக்குக் கிறிஸ்தவ சித்தர் என்னும் பட்டத்தை அளித்தது.

முடிவுரை

வேத நாயக சாஸ்திரியார் தம் வாழ்நாள் முழுவதும் பல இடங்களுக்குச் சென்று கிறிஸ்தவ நெறிகளைப் பரப்பி வந்தார். தம் பாடல்களின் வாயிலாகச் கிறிஸ்தவ சமுதாயத்திற்கு மாபெரும் தொண்டாற்றினார். கிறிஸ்தவத்தை வெறுத்த சில ஆற்றல் மிக்க பிரபுக்கள் இருப்பினும், இவர் அச்சமின்றித் தமது கிறிஸ்தவ நம்பிக்கையை வெளிப்படுத்தினார். கடைசி வரை இவர் பாடிய பாடல்கள் அனைத்தும் கிறிஸ்துவைப் போற்றியே அமைந்தன. 1774 ஆம் ஆண்டு இவ்விலகில் தோன்றிய இவர், 1864 ஆம் ஆண்டு இம்மண்ணிலகை விட்டு விண்ணிலகை அடைந்தார். சாஸ்திரியார் மறைந்தாலும் இவர் இயற்றிய பாடல்கள் வழியாய் என்றும் நம் உள்ளங்களில் வாழ்ந்து கொண்டிருக்கிறார்.

- மொர்சி ஜாய் ஜெ. 22PSY29

பேரன்பு

நோய் ஒன்றையும் நெருங்க விடாமல்
கண்ணில் வைத்து காப்பது தாயன்பு
பிழை வழி சென்றால் நம்மை
நல்வழியில் அரவணைப்பது தகப்பன் அன்பு
பேதைகள் நம்மை அறிவுறுத்தி
அறிவில் வளர்ப்பது ஆசிரியர் அன்பு
நம் நற்செயல்களுக்குத் துணையாய்
அருகில் இருப்பது நட்பின் அன்பு
நம்மிடம் உண்மைகளைப் பகிர்ந்து
கடைசிவரை உடன் இருப்பது சகோதர அன்பு
அன்பிற்குப் பாத்திரமாக நம்மைக்
கன்மலையில் காப்பது தேவ அன்பு
ஆம் அதுதான் தூய தேவனின் பேரன்பு

- பாகம் பிரியாள் 22PHY30

வாழ்க்கை

வாழ்க்கையில் கிடைப்பதை அனுபவிப்பவர்கள்
கிடைக்காததை ரசியுங்கள்
இழந்ததை உணருங்கள்
பிடித்ததை விரும்புங்கள்
பேராசையைத் தவிர்த்தீடுங்கள்
பழைய நினைவுகளை நினைத்து மகிழுங்கள்
வாழ்க்கை இனிக்கும்
அடுத்தவரை ஈர்ப்பதற்காக
அடுத்தவரின் எண்ணங்களுக்காகவுமே
இங்கே பலரின் வாழ்க்கை நகருகிறது
அழகாய் அமைவதெல்லாம் வாழ்க்கை அல்ல
அமைவதை அழகாய் மாற்றுவதே வாழ்க்கை

- தர்மஸ்ரீ நயாகரா 22CHE08

கல்லூரி நாட்கள்

அன்று தான் கல்லூரியின் முதல் நாள்
ஆஹா!
ஓட்ட ஓட்டமாய் அன்று
ஓடினோம் வகுப்பறைகளைத் தேடி!
நட்புகள் கிடைக்காதா என்று நாடி
ஏங்கிப் பதற்றத்தோடு முதல் வகுப்பு!
நட்புகள் கிடைத்த பின் சிரிப்பு
பதற்றம் கொஞ்சம் கொஞ்சமாக மாறியது!
ஆட்டம் கொஞ்சம் கொஞ்சமாய்த் தொடங்கியது
தேர்வை நினைத்து பயம்!
அதனால் வெளிப்பட்டது நம் சுயம்
கல்லூரி நாட்கள் முடியப் போகிறது என்ற கவலை!
பல பல கனவுகளோடு தொடங்கின நாட்கள்
மறுபடியும் இவ்வாழ்க்கை கிடைக்காதா என்ற ஏக்கத்துடன்!

- பெரினஷியா ஜான் 22NUT07

நேரம்

மாதவன் என்ற சிறுவன் எப்போதும் நேரத்தை
வீணடிக்கிறவனாக இருந்தான். அவன் தன் வேலையை
எப்போதும் தாமதமாக்கிக் கொண்டிருப்பான். இன்று
செய்ய வேண்டியவைகளை நாளை செய்யலாம் எனத்
தள்ளி வைத்து வந்தான். அவன் தந்தை அவனைச் சரி
செய்ய பலமுறை முயற்சி செய்தார். ஆனால் அவன் அதை
ஏற்கவில்லை. ஒருநாள் அவன் பள்ளியில் நடந்த பாட்டுப்
போட்டியில் அவனுக்கு முதல் பரிசு கிடைத்தது. பள்ளி
தலைமை ஆசிரியர் அவனை மறுநாள் பள்ளிக்கு வந்து
பரிசை வாங்கிச் செல்லக் கூறினார். அவன் வழக்கம் போல்
மறுநாள் செல்லலாம் என்று தள்ளி வைத்தான். மறுநாள்
பரிசு வாங்க தலைமை ஆசிரியரிடம் சென்றான். அவர்
அவனுக்கு ஒரு சீட்டைக் கொடுத்தார். அதைப் பார்த்து அவன்
அதிர்ச்சி அடைந்தான். அது ஒரு மாயவித்தை நிகழ்ச்சியின்
இலவச நுழைவுச்சீட்டு. அந்த நிகழ்ச்சிக்கு முந்தின நாள்
தான் தலைமை ஆசிரியர் அவனை அழைத்தார். அவன்
மறுநாள் தாமதமாகச் சென்றதால் அந்த அரிய வாய்ப்பை
இழந்தான். அன்றுதான் அவன் தந்தை கூறியதை

உணர்ந்தான். நேரத்தின் முக்கியத்துவத்தை அறிந்து
கொண்ட அவன், நேர மேலாண்மையைக் கடைபிடிக்கத்
தொடங்கினான்.

- கிரேஸியா எஸ். வி. மெர்லின் 22PHY14

இயந்திரங்களின் செயல்பாடுகள்

மனிதர்களின் வேலையை எளிமையாக்க
மனிதர்களால் உருவாக்கப்பட்டவை இயந்திரங்கள். இந்த
உலகில் 100 ஆண்டுகளுக்கு முன்னர் உருவாக்கப்பட்ட
இயந்திரங்கள் கூட இன்று உலகில் பல இடங்களில்
மனிதர்கள் செல்ல முடியாத இடத்திற்கும் சென்று நாம்
சொல்வதைச் செய்கின்றன. அதோடு மனிதர்களால் செய்ய
முடியாத செயல்களையும் செய்கின்றன.

மனிதனின் சோம்பலானும் லட்சியமற்ற அலட்சிய
செயல்களானும் நேரத்தியாகப் பணி புரிவதில்லை. எனவே
மனிதர்களை விட இயந்திரங்கள் சிறந்த வேலைகளைச்
செய்வதால் இன்று பல நிறுவனங்களில் பல ரோபோக்கள்
பணி புரிகின்றன.

இப்பொழுது ரோபோவாகிய சோபியாவிற்கு அரேபியா
நாடு குடியரிமை வழங்கி உள்ளது. இயந்திரங்களுக்குப்
போதுமான எரிபொருள் கிடைத்தால் 24 மணி நேரமும்
அவைகளால் செயல்பட முடியும். மனிதனால் அவ்வாறு
செயல்பட முடியாது.

ராம் என்ற ஒரு மனிதர் பணிபுரிந்த தொழிற்சாலையில்,
புதிதாக வந்த இயந்திரத்தினால் பல பேர் ராம் உட்பட
வேலையை இழக்கும் தருணத்தில் இருந்தனர். இவர்கள்
கடைசியாக அந்த நிறுவனத்தில் பணிபுரியும் நாள் இன்று.
அவர்களின் பணி புரியும் நேரம் முடிந்தது. இவர்கள்
இறுதியாக அந்த இயந்திரத்திடம் சென்று தங்களின்
தேவைகளையும், தம் மன வலியையும் கூறி விட்டு
அழகையுடன் வெளியே வந்தனர். இது வெறும் இயந்திரம்
தான். ஆனால் இந்த இயந்திரம் பிறரின் உணர்வுகளைப்
புரிந்து கொள்ளக் கூடிய வகையில் உருவாக்கப்பட்டிருந்தது.

இவர்களின் வருத்தத்தைக் கேட்ட இயந்திரம், அதன்
இன்னொரு சிறப்புத் தன்மையாகிய சுய சிந்தனையின்
மூலம் அந்தத் தொழிற்சாலையின் உரிமையாளருக்கு
இவர்களின் வலியைத் தன் ஹை செயற்கை நுண்ணறிவு
மூலம் தெரிவிக்கிறது.

அதாவது இயந்திரங்களாகிய நாங்கள் உங்களின்
அறிவினால் உருவாக்கப்பட்ட பிள்ளைகள் ஆவோம்.
எனவே நாங்கள் உங்களை விட மிக சிறந்த
காரியங்களைச் செய்தாலும், அதன் உத்தரவும், எவ்வாறு
செய்ய வேண்டும் என்ற அறிவிப்பையும் மனிதர்கள் தான்
தருகிறார்கள். எனவே இயந்திரங்கள் மனிதர்களை விட
சிறந்ததை செய்ய முடியாது. இந்த உலகை எங்களால் ஆள
முடியாது. மனிதர்களின் இடத்தையும் நிரப்பிட முடியாது.
எனவே நீங்கள் வேலையிருந்து நீக்கியவர்களைத்
திரும்ப வேலையில் சேர்த்துக் கொள்ளுங்கள்
என்று உரிமையாளர்களிடம் கூறியது. அதற்கேற்ப
நிர்வாகத்தினர், ராம் போன்று வேலையிலிருந்து நீக்கம்

செய்யப்பட்டவர்களைத் தீரும்பவும் தொழிற்சாலையில் வேலைக்குச் சேர்த்துக் கொண்டனர். ராமும் மற்றவர்களும் இந்தத் தகவல் அறிந்து மகிழ்ச்சி அடைந்தனர். இயந்திரங்கள் மனிதனை மேம்படுத்தவே அன்றி, அவர்களைச் சோம்பலாக்காக அல்ல. அவர்கள் வேலையை இழக்கச் செய்யவும் அல்ல.

- சந்தியா சா 22ZBT41

நான் நாம்

இனம் வேறு! மொழி வேறு!
பண்பாடும் உணவும் வேறு வேறு!
கலை வேறு! கற்கும் கல்வி வேறு!
ஆடைகளும் அணிந்திருக்கும் ஆபரணங்களும் வேறு வேறு!
புலம்பெயர் கோத்திரம் வேறு!
ஜாதியும் வாழும் சமுதாயமும் வேறு வேறு!
வேற்றுமையில் ஒற்றுமை கண்டிடவே!
வாழ்ந்திடும் அர்த்தம் பெற்றிடவே!
நான் என்னும் தன்னிலை மறந்து
நாம் என்னும் சொல்லில் இணைந்தால்
அன்பினால் நிறைந்து அகிலம் நிலைத்தீடுமே!

- அபி நிஷா 22PBB02

இது மட்டும் தான் வாழ்க்கையா

பிரச்சனைகளே உருவான நாட்கள்
சோதனைகள் நிறைந்த பாதைகள்
சவாலான சூழ்நிலைகள்
சாவகாசமாக நெருங்கும் சூழ்ச்சிகள்
மேடு பள்ளம் அதிர்ச்சி சோகம்
வெற்றிக்கு எங்கள் மனதின் தாகம்
இது மட்டும் தான் வாழ்க்கையா?

இரயில் பயணத்தில் ஜன்னல் இருக்கை
இரவின் அமைதியில் ஒளிரும் சந்திரன்
மண்வாசத்துடன் சிலிர்ப்பூட்டும் மழைச்சாரல்
முன் இருக்கை குழந்தையின் சிரிப்பு
நம்மைக் கடக்கும் வண்ணத்துப் பூச்சியின் வனப்பு
கடல் அலை பாதம் தொடும் மென்மை
பிடித்த பாடல் அழகிய கவிதை
பார்த்ததும் மகிழும் நண்பர்கள்
அம்மாவின மடியில் உறக்கம்
அப்பாவுடன் கிரிக்கெட் விளையாட்டு
இதுவும் வாழ்க்கை தான்
ரசிக்கத் தெரிந்தவனுக்கு

- ரேச்சல் தேவபிரியா 22PSY35

என் அம்மா

அம்மா புது ஆடை அணிந்ததில்லை
பிள்ளைக்குப் புது உடை வாங்காமல் இருந்ததில்லை
ஆசைப்பட்டு வாங்கிய உணவைப் பங்கிடாமல்
உண்டதில்லை
பிள்ளை ஆசைப்பட்டு மீண்டும் மீண்டும் கேட்கும் போது
தன் பங்கினை ஊட்டாமல் இருந்ததும் இல்லை

தாய் வீட்டுச் சீராய் வந்த வளையலைக் கையில்
அணிந்ததில்லை
வறுமையில் வாடும் போது அந்த வளையலை
விற்க மனம் வருந்தியது இல்லை
நான் விரும்பிக் கேட்ட உணவைச்
செய்து தராமல் இருந்ததில்லை
அவள் செய்த உணவை நான் ஒருநாளும் பாராட்டியதில்லை
இவ்வளவு செய்த அவளுக்கு நான் ஒன்றும் செய்ததில்லை
இனிமேலும் ஏதாவது செய்தாலும் அவள் செய்ததற்கு
ஈடாகப் போவதுமில்லை
அம்மா நீ நீயே!

- மித்ரா தேவி 22PBB23

என்னைப் போல

சூரிய கதிர்கள் வானத்தை வண்ணம் இட்டு வரைந்தன
பசுமை கொண்ட மரத்தில் சிட்டுக்குருவிகள்
துள்ளிப் பறந்து மகிழ்ந்து பாடின
கடுங்கோபம் கொண்ட கருநீற மேகங்கள்
விரைவாக அவற்றை நோக்கி வந்தன
கடலை போல ஒலி கொண்ட இடியானது
அவற்றைச் சிதைத்து கொண்டு போனது
மீண்டும் சூரியன் சிரித்தது
வானம் வானவில் கண்டது
வசந்தம் வந்தது
மலர்கள் மலர்ந்தன
சிட்டுக்குருவிகளும் சிரித்து மகிழ்ந்தன என்னைப் போல

- விஜின் சேரன் 22ENG35

விடாமுயற்சி

அமுதன் என்ற மாணவன் ஒருவன் இருந்தான்.
அவன் நல்ல குணம் படைத்தவனாக இருந்தாலும் கூட
அசட்டுத்தனம் மிக்கவனாக இருந்து வந்தான். படிப்பு
காரியங்களிலும் மற்ற எதிர்காலத்தைக் குறித்தும் என
அனைத்துச் செயல்களிலும் பிறகு பார்த்துக் கொள்ளலாம்
என்று அசட்டு தைரியம் அவனுக்குள் இருந்தது. எனவே
செய்ய வேண்டிய அந்தச் செயல்களைத் தட்டி விட்டு,
விளையாட்டு, பொழுதுபோக்கு போன்ற விஷயங்களைத்
துணிந்து செய்து மகிழ்ந்து வந்தான்.

அவனுக்கு ஒரு நண்பன் இருந்தான். அவன்
நற்குணம், அறிவுத்திறன், விளையாடும் ஆற்றல், பொது
அறிவு போன்ற அனைத்திலும் சிறந்தவனாக இருந்து
வந்தான். இருவரும் வெவ்வேறு குணம் படைத்தவர்களாக
இருந்தாலும் நெருங்கிய நண்பர்களாகவே இருந்து
வந்தனர்.

அவர்கள் பள்ளியில் சுற்றுலா செல்வதற்கான
ஆயத்தப் பணிகள் நடந்து கொண்டிருந்தன. மூன்று
நாள் சுற்றுலா அது. பெற்றோர் அனுமதியுடன் தான்
அழைத்துச் செல்லப்படுவர் எனக் கூறினர் ஆசிரியர்கள்.
அமுதனும் தன் பெற்றோர்களிடம் அனுமதி கேட்டான்.
அவனுடைய பெற்றோர் அனைத்து பெற்றோர் போலவே
இது தான் இவனைத் திருத்துவதற்குரிய சந்தர்ப்பம் என்று
எண்ணினார். அவனிடம் இடையில் வரும் வகுப்புத்

தேர்வுகளில் வகுப்பில் பொது மதிப்பெண்ணை விட அதிகமாக எடுத்தால் சுற்றுலா செல்ல அனுமதிப்பதாகக் கூறினர்.

இதைக் கேட்டவுடன், அவனுக்குச் சுற்றுலா செல்ல இயலவில்லை என்ற கவலையை விட, தன் நண்பனுடன் செல்ல முடியவில்லையே என்ற வருத்தம் தான் அதிகம் இருந்தது. அவன் வருத்தம் முகத்தில் தென்பட ராமு விசாரித்தான். அவன் நடந்ததைக் கூற, ராமு அவனுக்கு ஒரு சிறுகதை கூற ஆரம்பித்தான்.

ஒரு கிராமத்தில் ஒரு சிறுவன் இருந்தான். அவன் கன்றுக் குட்டி ஒன்றை வைத்திருந்தான். அதைத் தூக்கி அதனுடன் விளையாடி வந்தான். அப்பொழுது கிராமத்தில் நடைபெற்ற திருவிழாவின் போது அறிவிக்கப்பட்ட போட்டியில் கலந்து கொள்ள விரும்பினான். அந்தப் போட்டியில் கன்றுக் குட்டி ஒன்றைத் தன் தோளில் சுமந்து கொண்டு ஓட வேண்டும். ஆசைப்பட்ட அச்சிறுவன் தான் வெற்றி பெற்றான். அவனைக் கண்டு வியந்தவர்கள் அவனிடம், நீ எப்படி வென்றாய் என்று கேட்க, அவன் நான் இந்தக் கன்றுக் குட்டியுடன் விளையாடுவதற்குத் தினமும் தூக்கிப் பழகிவிட்டது. அதனால் சுலபமாக இருந்தது என்று கூறினான்.

இக்கதையிலிருந்து என்ன புரிகிறது என்று ராமு அமுதனிடம் கேட்டான். அவன் “நல்ல கதை. ஆனால் நான் வருத்தமாக இருக்கிறேன். இவ்வாறு கதை சொல்லிக் கொண்டு இருக்கிறாய்” எனக் கோபித்தான்.

அமுதன், விடாமல் முயற்சி செய்தால் எதுவும் சுலபமாகும் என்பது தான் இக்கதையின் கருத்து. நீ விளையாடுவதை நிறுத்தி, தினமும் சில மணி நேரம் படித்துக் கொண்டு இரு. நிச்சயம் கடின உழைப்புக்குப் பலன் கிடைக்காமல் போகாது எனக் கூற, அமுதன் புரிந்து கொண்டான். தினமும் விடாமல் முயற்சி செய்து நன்றாக படித்தான். பெற்றோர் விரும்பியபடி நல்ல மதிப்பெண் எடுத்து ராமுவின் சுற்றுலா சென்றான்.

- சிந்தியா Ph 22NUT11

முக்கோணம்

ஒரு குடும்பத்தில் மூன்று சகோதரிகள் தனது பெற்றோருடன் வாழ்ந்து வந்தனர். அம்மா தனது பிள்ளைகளிடம் தீபாவளிப் பரிசாக என்ன வேண்டும் என்று கேட்டாள். முதல் சகோதரி அனிதா கை கடிக்காரம் வேண்டும் என்று கேட்டாள். இரண்டாவது சகோதரி எனக்குத் தோல் பை வேண்டும் என்று கேட்டாள். மூன்றாவது சகோதரி விஜி தனக்கு, சாக்லேட் மற்றும் கேக் வேண்டும் என்று கேட்டாள். பெற்றோர் அந்த மூவரும் கேட்டதை வாங்கிக் கொண்டு வந்தனர். அவர்களிடம் கொடுக்கும் போது இந்தப் பொருட்களை யாருக்கும் தெரியாமல் யாரும் பார்க்காத இடத்தில் வைத்துக் கொள்பவர்களுக்கு இன்னொரு பரிசு என்று கூறினார்கள். முதல் சகோதரியாகிய அனிதா தனது கை கடிக்காரத்தைத் தனது அலமாரிக்குள் ஒளித்து வைத்தாள். இரண்டாவது சகோதரி தனக்கு வாங்கிக்

கொடுத்த தோல் பையைக் கட்டிலின் அடியில் மறைந்து வைத்தாள். மூன்றாம் சகோதரி விஜியோ தனது பரிசை எங்கும் வைக்காமல் அங்கேயே நின்றாள். பெற்றோர் அவளிடம் ஏன் என்று காரணத்தைக் கேட்டனர்.

அவள் நான் எப்படி யாருக்கும் தெரியாமல் வைக்க முடியும்? நான் எங்கு சென்றாலும் கடவுள் என்னைக் கவனித்துக் கொண்டு இருப்பார். நான் எங்கு வைத்தாலும் கடவுள் என்னைப் பார்ப்பார். அதனால் எனக்கு இன்னொரு பரிசு வேண்டாம் என்றாள். விஜியின் புதிலைக் கேட்டு பெற்றோர் வியப்படைந்தனர். சிறுவயதில் இவ்வளவு கற்றுக் கொண்டு புரிந்து வைத்திருக்கிறாள் என்று மகிழ்ந்தனர். அவள் அறிவையும் பண்பையும் பாராட்டி அவளுக்கே பரிசு கொடுத்தனர். விஜி போன்று நம் வாழ்விலும் நாம் செய்யும் சிறு சிறு நன்மைகள் மற்றும் தீமைகளை இறைவன் கவனித்துக் கொண்டே இருக்கிறார் என்ற எண்ணத்தை நம் மனதில் வைத்துக் கொள்வோம்.

- விண்டா செல்வ ஸ்னோரா 22ZBT32

மழை

மழையே! இறைவன் தந்த அழகிய வரமே!
உயிரைக் காப்பவளே!
உலகின் காவலாளியே!

இனிய இசையே
இசையின் நாதமே
நாதத்தின் சுரமே!
சுரத்தின் லயமே
லயத்தின் வர்ணமே
வர்ணத்தின் மென்மையே

நீரின்றி உலகேது
இன்றைய மழைத்துளியே
நாளைய உயிர்த்துளியே
ஆவலுடன் நோக்குகிறோம்
மீண்டும் எப்போது வருவாய் என

- சு சரண்யா 22CHE36

பெண்ணின் கனவு

பறவைகள் போலும் சிறகடித்து
எல்லைகள் தாண்டிட ஆசை
நள்ளிரவில் நெடுஞ்சாலையில்
பயணிக்க ஆசை
முழு நிலவைக் கடல் அலை மோதிட
அதை ரசித்திட ஆசை
பருந்தைப் போல் முகிலுக்கு மேல்
பறந்து அம்முகிலிலே துயில் கொள்ள ஆசை
எல்லை மீறி கண்டங்கள் தாண்டி
இயற்கைத் தாயை ரசித்திட ஆசை
கலியுலக ராவணனைத் தேடிக்கொன்றிட ஆசை
அவனை எதிர்த்துப் போரிட்டவரைச் சிறையில் இட்டிட ஆசை
ஒற்றை நிலவுடன் ஒற்றையடி பாதையில்
உற்றவனோடு சென்றிட ஆசை
வேற்றுமை இல்லா உலகில் பிறந்திட ஆசை

வேற்று மொழிகள் கற்றுத் தமிழ் மொழியை உயர்த்திட ஆசை
 திறமை கொண்டு போராட ஆசை
 உரிமைக்காகக் குரல் கொடுக்க ஆசை
 பெற்றோரின் முகத்தில் கர்வப் புன்னகை கண்டிட ஆசை
 அதைக் கண்டபின் ஜென்மம் முடிந்தது என்று
 மீண்டும் தாயின் கருவறை சென்றிட ஆசை

- மஞ்சளா m 22PBB19

ஜாதீமல்லி வாசம்

காலை ஜந்தரை மணி. நோட்டில் எழுதிய கணக்கைச் சரிபார்த்தாள் வள்ளி. ரூபாய் 7450. அவளுடைய மொத்த சம்பளம் 7500. மீதம் 50 ரூபாய் இருந்தது. அந்த 50 ரூபாய் வச்ச இன்னைக்குச் சமையலுக்குக் காய் வாங்குறதா. இல்ல குழந்தைக்குப் பால் வாங்குவதா, இல்ல பஸ்ல ஆபீஸ்க்குப் போறதா? அந்தக் குழப்பத்தில் இருந்தாள் வள்ளி. இன்னைக்கு 28 ஆம் தேதி. இன்னும் ரெண்டு நாளை எப்படி தான் கழிக்க போறேனோ என்று கவலையில் மூழ்கி இருந்தாள். அடுப்படிக்குச் சென்றவள் கண்ணில் இரண்டு தக்காளியும் ஒரு வெங்காயமும் தென்பட்டது. முக்கால் தக்காளியையும் அரை வெங்காயத்தையும் வைத்து சமையல் முடித்து விட்டாள். குக்கரின் விசில் சத்தம் கேட்டு காவியா எழுந்தாள். அம்மாவைத் தேடி அடுப்படிக்கு வந்தாள். என்ன காவியா மா எழுந்தாச்சா? போய் பல் விளக்குங்க. அம்மா பத்து ரூபா பால் வாங்கிட்டு வரேன். பணம் இல்லை. அதான் அரை லிட்டர் கால் லிட்டராகச் சுருங்கி விட்டது. கடைக்குச் சென்று பால் வாங்கி வந்தாள் வள்ளி. காய்ச்சிய பாலை டம்ளர்ல ஊற்றிக் காவியாவுக்குக் கொடுத்தாள். நான்கு வயது குழந்தைக்கு வேறு என்ன சக்தி கிடைக்கப் போகுதுன்னு நினைச்சுட்டே பாலைக் கொடுத்தாள்.

காவியாவுக்குக் கொஞ்சம் விவரம் தெரிஞ்சு ஞாபகம் இருக்கிறதல்ல இருந்தே அவளும் வள்ளியும் தான். காவியா இப்பதான் எல்.கே.ஜி. படிக்கிறாள். எப்பவுமே மதியம் 3 மணிக்குள்ள வீட்டுக்கு வந்துடுவா. அதனால் எக்ஸ்டரா சாவியைப் பக்கத்து வீட்டு சரோஜா அக்கா கிட்டத்தான் வள்ளி கொடுத்துட்டு போவா.

பம்பரமாச் சுற்றிக் கொண்டிருந்த வள்ளி மணி ஏழாச்சி பாப்பா. டிவியை ஆஃப் பண்ணு. ஏழே முக்காலுக்கு ஸ்கூல் பஸ் வந்துடும், அம்மா குளிப்பாட்டுறேன் என்றாள். ஏழு பதினஞ்சுக்குக் குளிப்பாட்டி யூனிபார்ம் எல்லாம் போட்டு காவியாவ ஒரு வழியாக கிளம்பியாச்சு என்று சந்தோஷப்பட்டாள் வள்ளி.

கிரிங் கிரிங் கிரிங் அம்மா போன் அடிக்குது மா, போன எடுக்கலைன்னா கூப்பிடாம இருக்க மாட்டாங்களா என்ன, என்று வினவியவள், யாருன்னு தான் பார்ப்போம் என்று ஃபோனை நோக்கி நடக்க ஆரம்பித்தபோது, யாரோ கதவைத் தட்டும் சத்தம் கேட்டது.

யாருடா அது என்று பார்த்தால் பக்கத்து வீட்டு சரோஜா அக்கா. இல்ல வள்ளி, பூ வாங்குனேனா, உனக்கு ரொம்ப பிடிக்குமேன்னு கொடுக்க வந்த என்று ஜாதீ மல்லிப் புவ

வள்ளியிடம் கொடுத்தாள் சரோஜா. தேங்கல் அக்கா, ஏழுரை மணி ஆச்சு. இப்ப கிளம்பினா தான் பாப்பாவை ஸ்கூல் பஸ்ஸில் ஏத்திட்டு நான் வேலைக்குப் போக முடியும். எட்டு பத்துக்கு ஆபீஸ்ல இருந்தா தான் சம்பளம் ஃபுல்லா குடுப்பாங்க, இல்ல இந்த 7500 லயும் கொஞ்சம் புடிச்சிட்டு தருவாங்க. சரி அக்கா சாயங்காலம் பாக்கலாம். பாய்.

காவியா ஆறு மாச குழந்தையா இருக்கும் போதுல இருந்து சரோஜாவிற்கும் வள்ளிக்கும் பழக்கம். அக்கா தங்கச்சி மாதிரி பழகுவாங்க. பாய் சொல்லிட்டு ஜாதீ மல்லிப் புவைத் தலையில் வச்சுக்கிட்டு, காவியாவைக் கூட்டிட்டு கிளம்பும்போது திரும்பவும் போன் அடித்தது.

அய்யய்யோ போன மறந்துட்டோம்மேன்னு உள்ளே சென்றாள் வள்ளி. பார்த்தால் அவர் உயிர்த் தோழி சக்தி. நீ தானடி, நான் கூட வேற யாரோன்னு திட்டிக்கிட்டு இருந்தேன். சொல்லுடி எப்படி இருக்க. மூன்று வருஷமா வள்ளி கூட தொடர்ந்து பேசிக்கிட்டு இருக்கிறது சக்தி மட்டும் தான். மத்தவங்க எல்லாமே இங்க வந்ததுக்கு அப்புறமா பழக்கம்.

“வள்ளி நான் ஒன்னு சொல்றேண்டி, கொஞ்சம் நிதானமா கேளு” என்றாள் சக்தி. குமார் செத்துட்டாண்டி. சில நிமிட அமைதிக்குப் பிறகு நா சாயங்காலம் வந்து பேசுறேண்டி என்று கூறி ரிசீவரை வைத்தாள் வள்ளி. என்னதா கூட இருந்து பார்த்துக் கொள்ளலன்னாலும், புருஷங்கற எண்ணம் மனசுல எங்கேயோ இருக்கத் தானே செய்யும் என்று நினைத்த சக்தி, ஏதும் கூறாமல் போனை வைத்தாள்.

அடுப்பங்கரையில தண்ணி சொட்டிட்டு இருந்த டேப்பைச் சரியா மூடிட்டு, ஜாதீ மல்லி புவைத் தலையிலிருந்து எடுத்து கீழே வைத்து விட்டு எக்ஸ்டா சாவியைச் சரோஜா அக்காவிடம் கொடுத்துட்டு பஸ்ஸை பிடிக்க வேகமாக ஓடினாள் வள்ளி.

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யானைக்கும் அடி சறுக்கும்

அகிலன் என்பவன் நன்றாக படிப்பவன். உலகில் நடக்கும் அனைத்து நிகழ்வுகளைப் பற்றியும் அறிந்தவன். ஊரில் அனைவரும் அவனை மிகுந்த அறிவுடையவன் என்றே கூறுவர். ஆனால் இதுவே அவனுக்குத் தலைகனமாகி விட்டது. தனக்கு மட்டும் தான் எல்லாம் தெரியும். தான் சொல்வது தான் சரி என்று நினைத்துக் கொண்டிருந்தான். அகிலனுக்கு முற்றிலும் எதிர்மாறாக இருந்தவன் அகிலனின் தம்பி முகிலன்.

முகிலன் பெரிதும் படிக்கவில்லை. ஆனால் பொதுஅறிவு அவனுக்கு மிகுந்திருந்தது. அவன் படிக்காதவன் என்ற காரணத்தாலும், தான் மட்டும் தான் படித்தவன் என்ற தலைகனம் காரணமாகவும் அகிலன் முகிலனைச் சிறிதளவும் மதிக்கவில்லை. முகிலன் கூறும் நல்ல யோசனைகளை அவன் பொருட்படுத்தவில்லை. எப்போதும் அவனை மட்டும் தட்டியே பேசிக் கொண்டிருந்தான் அகிலன்.

அகிலன் பல தொழில்களைச் செய்து கொண்டு வந்தான். மேலும் புதிதாக ஒரு கடையை எடுத்துக் நடத்தலாம் என்று நினைத்தான் அகிலன். அவனுடைய இந்த யோசனையைப் பற்றி அறிந்த முகிலன், அவனிடம், அகிலா! ஏற்கனவே நீ செய்யும் தொழில்களைக் கவனிக்கவே உனக்கு நேரமில்லை. இதில் மேலும் ஒரு தொழிலை எடுத்து நடத்தினால் அது இழப்பை ஏற்படுத்தலாம் என்று எச்சரித்தான். எப்போதும் போல முகிலன் சொல்வதை ஒரு பொருட்டாக எடுத்துக் கொள்ளாமல் தனக்குத் தான் எல்லாம் தெரியும் என்று அந்த புதுத்தொழிலை எடுத்து நடத்த ஆரம்பித்தான். சில மாதங்களிலே அந்தப் புதுத்தொழில் பெறும் இழப்பைக் கண்டது. மேலும் அவனுடைய பழைய தொழிலும் சரியாக நடக்கவில்லை. இதனால் அவன் தொழிலை இழந்து மூடும் நிலைக்கு தள்ளப்பட்டான். இந்த நிலையில் தான் அவன் தன் தவறை உணர்ந்தான். என்ன தான் புத்திசாலியாக இருந்தாலும், சில நேரங்களில் தனக்கும் தவறு நேரலாமென்பதைப் புரிந்து கொண்டு முகிலனிடம் மன்னிப்பு கேட்டான். அவனது தலைகனமும் அவனை விட்டுப் போகத் தொடங்கியது. யானைக்கும் அடி சறுக்கும் தானே என்பதை அவன் நினைவில் கொண்டான்.

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மகிழ்ச்சி.

மஞ்சள்.

மனம்.

நிமிர்ந்த நாடி.

கவினான நடனம்,

தங்க ஆடை.

யாருக்காக ஆடுகிறாளோ?

தனக்காகவோ?

பரிதிக்காகவோ?

நான் அறியேன்.

ஆனால் அவளது நகையே முக்கியம்

ஆனால் அவளது நகையே முக்கியம்

பிரிவுமுல்கிறேன், புவே

வாழ்க்கையை மாற்றிய தருணம்

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நான் ஒரு வேறுபட்ட நகர் பெண்.

இங்கு என் உயர்க்கல்வி படிப்பிற்காக வந்தேன்!

எனக்கு மிகவும் பிடித்த என் புதிய கல்லூரி

வாழ்க்கையை உயர்ந்த காதலாகக் கண்டுகொள்கிறேன்.

ஆனால் இந்த முடிவு என் வாழ்க்கையை மாற்றும் என்று நினைத்தேனோ?

ஒவ்வொரு நாளையும் என் கல்லூரியில் புதியதாக

ஆரம்பித்தேன்.

தனியாக வாழ்ந்ததால் நான் சந்தித்த இன்னல்கள் பல.

ஆனாலும், தேவனை முதன்மையாகக் கொண்டு,

பெற்றோரை மனதில் கொண்டு அனைத்தையும் கடந்து

சென்றேன்.

ஒவ்வொரு முறையும் நான் சோர்ந்து போகும் போது என் தந்தை என்னை அணைத்து கண்ணீரோடு என்னை படிக்க விட்டு சென்றதை,

தீடமாக நினைத்துக் கொள்வேன்,

இந்த பரிமாணம் எனக்குள் எதிர்பாராத குரல் தந்தது.

அந்த கடின நேரத்தில் எனக்குப் பல பாடங்கள் அளித்த மக்களைச் சந்தித்தேன்.

எதிர்பாரா இந்த முடிவு என்னைச் சிறந்த மனிதராக வாழ வழிவகுத்தது.

இவ்வாறு எப்படி ஒரு மெழுகுவார்த்தி இருள் சூழ்ந்து

இருக்கும் இடத்தை ஒளிமயமாக மாற்றும்போது அது போல நானும் பிரகாசமாக பிரகாசிப்பேன்!

திங்கள் காலை

- Anushree 22PY04

மலர் இதழ்களில் படர்ந்த காலைப் பனி,

வீசும் காற்றுக்கு அசைந்தது.

அந்திக்காலையின் சூரியக் கதிர்கள் மின்னும்போது

ஒளிரும் அமைதியான படுக்கையாக

அமைந்திருக்கும் பசுமையான புல், மிளிர்ந்தது.

குளிர் மற்றும் ஆறுதலான காலை மூடுபனி

என் அறையினுள் படர,

சற்று படர்ந்து உறங்கவே திகைக்கிறேன்.

எல்லா நாடகங்களையும் கடந்து,

திங்கள் காலையின் விக்னேட்டாக இருப்பது,

அந்த அமைதியான காலையே.

சூரியகாந்தி

- G.Nandhini 23CMH20

சூரியனின் மகளே,

புத்துணர்ச்சியின் செல்வமே,

உன் விரிந்த இதழ்களால்

பரவசம் தருகிறாய்,

காலையில் மலரும் நீ

சூரிய தீசையில் பயனிக்கிறாய்,

மஞ்சள் நிறமாய், சந்தோஷத்தின் உயிர் மூச்சாய்,

நல்வழியின் ஊக்கமாய்,

சுட்டெரிக்கும் சூரியனைக் கண்டு

முகம் சுளிக்காமல் எதிர்நோக்கும் நீ

நிலவு வரக்கண்டால் நாணத்தால்

என்ன செய்வாய்?

அக்கா

- Praveena. R 23PEN24

அக்கா என்பவள் அன்பானவர் என்பார்கள்

அப்போதெல்லாம் நான் உணரவில்லை- உன்னுடன்

பிறந்து வளர்ந்து சண்டையிட்டு கடடிப்பிடித்து

தழுவிய போது தான் தெரிந்தது.

நீ என் அக்கா அல்ல அம்மா என்று-

நீ என் தலையணையாகவும் இருந்திருக்கிறாய்

பல நேரங்களில் என் மெத்தையாகவும் இருந்திருக்கிறாய்
எனது இன்பங்களையும் துன்பங்களையும் சேர்க்கும்
நட்புறவாகவும் இருந்திருக்கின்றாய்.
எனது இன்பங்களையும் துன்பங்களையும் சேர்க்கும்
நாட குறிப்பாகவும் இருந்திருக்கின்றாய்.
நான் எதை கொடுத்தாலும் தாங்கிக் கொள்கின்றாய்
அது அளவு கடந்த இன்பமாக இருந்தாலும் சரி!
அடக்க முடியாத துன்பமாக இருந்தாலும் சரி!

வாழ்க்கையின் கடிதம்

- Anjana Ravi (23PEN03)

வளர்ப்பதற்குப் பயிரில்லை- நாம்
உண்பதற்கு உணவில்லை
தங்குவதற்கு இடமில்லை -நாம்
சொல்வதற்கோ வேறிடமில்லை
தூய்மையான காற்றில்லை -நாம்
சுவாசிப்பதற்கு மூச்சு இல்லை
எழுதிய எழுத்துக்கள் தெரியவில்லை
அவ்வெழுத்துகளில் உண்மையில்லை
வாழ்வில் வெளிச்சமில்லை- அது
வரும் வரை மகிழ்ச்சியில்லை
தினமும் முயற்சி இல்லை எனில் -நம்
குறிக்கோள்கள் முடிவதில்லை.

அறிவு

P. Evangeline Jennifer 23PMC03

காலத்தின் மனதில் மூழ்குகின்ற கண்கள்
உலகத்தை மயக்கும் வண்ணங்கள்
அறிவு கற்றுத் தரும் பாடம்
அதுவே வாழ்க்கையின் மனப்பாடம்
அறிவே வாழ்வின் முக்கிய சிகரம்,
அமுதம் நிறைந்த நகரம்
அறிவே வாழ்க்கையின் எல்லைக்கு உயர்வு,
அதில் செழிக்கும் பல உறவு.
அறிவைப் பொழிய வந்த மேகம்,
அதில் சுரக்கும் தீராத தாகம்
எட்டும் தூரத்தில் நீ இருப்பாய்,
ஆனால் யாருக்கும் எளிதில் எட்டமாட்டாய்!
அறிவு கடலில் கற்றது சிறிது,
அதில் கல்லாது பெரிது
அறிவு என்னும் மெய்கடலில் மிதப்போம்,
வாழ்வின் சிகரங்களில் பறப்போம்!
உலகத்தின் வளர்ச்சியும் நீயே
வீழ்ச்சியும் நீயே!

தண்ணீர்

Sharon Martha . A 23PEN29

தண்ணீர் போல் மேன்மையாக
தன்னை மாற்றிக் கொண்ட வாழ்க்கை
தும்பி படைத்த யானை போல் ஆவான்
தன்னிலும் பலவானுடன் போரிடும் போது
தென்றலைக் குளிர்ச்சியாகவும் சூடாகவும் மற்றும்
தண்ணீர் நம் மனங்களை மாற்றும்
தன்மை நம் வாழ்வின் செயல்பாடுகளை
தன்னிரிய ஆற்றல் கொள்ள வேண்டும்

அம்மா

Jennifer Teresa 22CMG21

அவளாலே உலகம் அழகாகும்
என் வாழ்க்கைக் கூட சரியாகும்
அவள் தான் என் உலகம்
அவளுக்கு ஈடு இல்லை சொர்க்கம்!
சிரித்தாலும் சித்தினாலும்
நடக்கும் சாலையில் நாய்க்குட்டி பின் வர -ரசி.
நன்கு பசித்தபின் ருசிக்கும் உணவினை -ரசி.
எளியவர்க்குக் கிடைத்த ஏழனாவினால்
எழும்பும் அவரின் சிரிப்பை - ரசி
எதிர்க் கடைக்குக் கைப்பிடித்துக் கூட்டிப்போன
கண்ணற்றவரின் நன்றியை - ரசி
சாலை ஓரத் தண்ணீரில் முகம் பார்த்து - ரசி
சுட்டெரிக்கும் சூட்டில் நாடும் நீர்மோரை - ரசி.
குழுவியின் மழலையும் கீழுவியின் நடுக்கத்தையும் - ரசி
பகலில் சூரியனையும், இரவில் சந்திரனையும்,
இருவரும் முத்தமிடும் மாலையையும் -ரசி
சின்னச் சின்ன தருணங்களைச் சித்திரமாக்கினால்
வாழ்க்கை வரைபடமோ வண்ணம் பெறும்!

Articles from the Past - Year 1999

Remember Me This Way

People say relationships last a lifetime
May be they can, may be they do;
All I want you to know is
I will be a friend forever true.

Through the nights that threaten to blind you,
I will be a firefly lighting every step of your way.
Through the floods that threaten to drown you,
I will be a bridge that leads you across anyway.

Now as the road of life
Leads me away from you
All I ask you to do is
Remember me this way.

Along a bend in the road when we meet again,
You will see I would have kept my promise
And crossed the distance time and again
Whenever friendship was at stake.

But when this road reaches the final bend
And when my journey ends,
I only pray you will—
Remember me this way.

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I Try.....

I am no poet to string my words together,
No painter to capture the colours of these thoughts,
No musician to let this music flow;
And yet, I try...

I am no speaker to make my words spring to life,
No sculptor to create this world only I see,
No dancer to express my feelings from within;
And yet, I try.....

Eyes that look into the world are many,
Yet only my eyes see this world the way I do.
This beauty, this music that washes through my being,
Try as I might, I cannot pass it on to you.

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ATTENTION - GRABBERS

In a busy world where people scarcely have time to stop for others, there's just one species on planet earth who catch my undivided attention. They're what you probably call "babies". As of today, they're a huge army with daily new arrivals, invading my adult world with war-cries and gurgles. They're the little tots of our world but don't ever make the mistake of calling them "weak" or even "harmless".

Well, these one footers are out to revolutionize our adult world. They have set what some of us have already come to recognise as the Baby Trend.

Many of them begin their lives as media representatives starring as models for various commercials. You would have seen them in the Asian Paints advertisements or the Rasna advertisements because they are part of the producer's secret formula (not much of a secret these days) to boost sales -- the strategy followed is simple: just audience appeal. Movies which star babies are aplenty and are big hits. The impact movies like *Baby's Day Out* and *Three Men and A Baby* have had on its viewers is long standing.

Shifting our focus from the star babies who are a usual stereotype of healthy, cute and cuddly toddlers to the many who've never starred in the media, we realise that within their own environment, the many are equally equipped to grab attention. The wrinkle in their eyes, the smile on their faces, tender tiny feet and hands have an enchanting charm about them. It is undoubtedly their helplessness or seeming vulnerability that is the strongest point in their favour. Have you noticed how so many adults tend to make a fool of themselves in their desperate attempts to cheer a baby who is crying for attention?

They manage to achieve what all attention seeking men and women strive to do, often, without so much as saying a single word. Dressed in their finery, on arrival at any party or festive occasion, they are the first to be noticed by the crowd which further proceeds to coo and fuss over them.

Even religion appoints them as our role models. The Bible declares that "out of the mouth of babes will pour out wisdom". Moreover, to enter the Kingdom of Heaven one must be as innocent as a child. One can scarcely deny that they outdo us morally.

There are some who probably say that babies can't express their emotions properly but I beg to differ. Perhaps they are unable to give vent to their anger and frustration like we do but when they throw things back at us or spit out their food, they manage to make their point extremely well. A role reversal seems to have taken place. We seem to be the learners and these one foot gurglers our masters. So Adults, you'd better watch out for the Baby Trend.

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