

## **Annual Report 2017 –‘18**

By the Grace of God Almighty 2017 -18 academic year has come to a smooth ending. God's unending mercy to us was evident in every single step we put forward during this year. As we all know, the valuation work of University examinations that came to a standstill in December 2016 resumed in a full pace in January 2018. The great amount of pending valuation work had forced our entire permanent as well as guest faculty to be immersed in correction of answer sheets. In spite of their hectic schedule, I may say, all our staff have immensely and positively contributed to the implementation of curricular and co curricular plans we chalked out for this year. I have little words to express the love, care and cooperation of the teaching and administrative staff, members of the governing council, Students Council, students, parents and well wishers that has gone into the successful culmination of all projects we have undertaken during this year. There is a widely accepted Shakespearean quote that says, “All’s well that Ends Well”, but the sad and untimely demise of our dear Vishnu S. (Semester I B.Com) in a road accident in Mavelikkara on **27 December 2017** has left us all in inexpressible grief. A special condolence meeting for Vishnu was convened on **3 January 2018** before the regular academic work resumed. Let us uphold the members of the family in our daily weak prayers.

With an indescribable sense of gratitude to our beloved Manager Thirumeni and members of governing council, this report is being presented before the college community.

### **.General**

- During the current academic year, Departments of English, Economics and Commerce, Physics and Chemistry, in association with *Mathruka Charitable Trust* donated food packets for deserving cancer patients undergoing treatment in various hospitals in and around Chengannur.
- The University examination of Final Semester B.A./B.Sc./B.Com students began on **19 April 2017**.

- This year also we could conduct 2 batches of ASAP under the leadership of Dr. Anej Somaraj, Department of English. The first batch began on **8 May** and the second batch began on **12 May 2017**
- Semester I B.A./ B.Sc./ B.Com classes commenced on **3 July 2017**.
- All A and A+ Grade holders in the Final Year University Examinations of **2017 March** were felicitated on **17 July 2017**. Mementoes were distributed to them.
- As part of the “*Movers and Shakers*” Programme, a motivation talk by Dr. Anu S. winner in the 2017 Civil Service Examinations was organized for New Comers on **19 July 2017**.
- Officers of the Revenue Dept met and addressed the Semester I students on **21 July 2017** as part of the enumeration process.
- *Manorama Vayanakkalari* was inaugurated on **4 August 2017** by Dr. Oommen Varghese, who has sponsored 10 news papers to our college.
- On **22 August 2017** officials from Indian Postal service Dept. gave an orientation class for students regarding the multifarious services offered by them.
- The college closed for Christmas holidays on **22 December 2017**.
- College reopened after Christmas holidays on **3 January 2018**.
- The newly constructed Public Utility Room for boy students was opened for their use on **3 January 2018**.
- On **19 January 2018** Meeting of incoming and outgoing Governing bodies was arranged in the seminar hall.
- The foundation stone laying of college was commemorated on **21 February 2018** by the celebration of Holy Qurbana by His Grace The Mar Thoma Metropolitan in the college meditation centre at 8.30 am.

## **Office**

- The College Office functions with 11 members under Sri. Alex T. George, the Chief Superintendant and Sri. Ajin Jacob, the Head Accountant. There are 2 U.D. Clerks, 4 .L.D. Clerks, 1 L.D. typist & 2 Office Attendants.

## **IQAC (Dr.John George Athyal & Hysen Thomas)**

- On **6 February 2018** IQAC organized a One day Regional seminar on Re- accreditation process by Dr. M. R. Kurup from Vasai, Mumbai.

## **Staff**

- Dr. A.Abraham (Dept of Physics), Dr. Preetha Karanavar (Dept. of Zoology) & Dr. Sujesh Baby were unanimously elected as members of the Staff Council; and Dr. John George Athyal was elected as staff representative to the Governing Council on **27 November 2017**.
- Dr. Vinoy Thomas was sanctioned two projects - one by DST – SERB for Rs.17.75 Lakhs, and the other by KSCSTE for 2.5 Lakhs.
- Dr. R. Jayakrishnan, Akhil M. Anand & Varun G. Nair have got approval from KSCSTE to file application for patent for spray coated absorbing and conducting copper supplied tin films (No. 001/PF – PIC /2017 /KSCSTE).
- Dr. R. Jayakrishnan, Aruna S, and Meera Venugopal filed another patent through KSCSTE for SILAR grown conducting Copper Zinc Tin Sulphide thin films (No.027/PF/PIC/2017/ KSCSTE).
- Dr. R. Jayakrishnan was awarded Rs. 38.72 Lakhs for KSYSA projects on development of Perovskite solar cells.
- Dr. R. Jayakrishnan received outstanding reviewer letter of appreciation from *Journal of Sensors and Actuators*, Elsevier.
- Sri. V. K. Satheesh, Sri. Sunil K. Varghese, Sri. Liju Samuel, Sri. Roy Mon Raju and Sri. Sunith M. K. has successfully completed the Department test and are promoted to higher grade.

- The Non Teaching staff made a pleasure trip to Neyyar on **24 February 2018**.
- On **20 March 2018**, members of the Teaching Staff spent one day at Palaikkari Aqua Tourism spot, Vaikom. On their way to the picnic spot, they spent some time with the famous playback singer Vaikom Vijayalakshmi.

### **Student Luminaries**

- Gopika Hari of DC II English represented the college at the United Nations Academic Impact Colloquium held at TKM College, Kollam, from **20-21 January 2018**. She won the Best Negotiator Award.
- Sreerev, Adith Varma (Sem VI BSc. Physics), Tintu Titus and Restin Raj Cherian of Semester IV B.Sc. Physics obtained SPYTIS fellowship from KSCSTE.
- Sangeetha S. & Keerthi S. obtained student project fellowships from KSCSTE.
- 7 girls and 2 boys (Surya Gayathri, Krishna Priya, Devootty) represented Kerala University in the All India Inter University wrestling Championship held at Hariyana.
- 3 girl students (Surya Gayathri, Krishna Priya, Devootty) represented Kerala State in the Senior National Wrestling Championship.
- 3 girl students (Surya Gayathri, Krishna Priya, Devootty) represented the state in the Junior National Championship held at Jaipur – Rajasthan. Soorya Gayathri secured silver medal in the South Indian wrestling championship held at Chennai.
- Aneesh .,I DC Economics, represented Kerala State in National Tennikoit championship – **2017-18** at Punjab.

### **University level**

- Sandeep I (Gold); Denny John & Aneesh A.(Silver ).
- Bijil Sam Thomas & Nibu Thomas: (Bronze).

- Surya Gayathri, Aswathy K.V., Harishma Radhakrishnan, Krishnapriya, Jisha John, Devootty R.S. & Aruma K. Anil (Gold), Anamika Radhakrishnan (Silver), Sreelekha & Vrinda Chandran (Bronze).

### **Judo**

- Aparna A.; Krishna Priya; Harishma Radhakrishnan; Surya Gayathri & Arathy A. (Gold); Jisha Thomas & Anamika Radhakrishnan; Devootty R; Sreelekha & Abhija A. (Bronze).
- Sandeep I (Gold); Denny John (Silver); Bijil Sam Thomas (Bronze).
- Arathy A of I DC Mathematics secured silver medal in the Kerala University weight lifting championship. Students secured medals in the inter collegiate wrestling championship of 2017 -18.
- Ms. Aruna Raj (M.Phil student under Dr. R. Jayakrishnan) secured the best paper award in the national seminar on advanced space & materials 2018 at S.D.College, Alappuzha.
- Ajay A. Pillai (I M.Sc. Physics) secured III prize at National Science Day Power Point presentation (S.N. College, Ala), e- content presentation at N.S.S.College, Pandalam and best poster award at the international conference ICBAMS – 2017 held at Alappuzha.
- Restin Cherian II DC Physics – second prize in the election competition at St. Thomas College, Ranni.
- Lekshmi S. Kumar (I M.Sc. Physics) selected to do project work at Koodankulam Nuclear power plant.
- Anju Saji (I M.Sc. Physics) selected for workshop on astrophysics at Kodaikanal space observatory.

### **University Examination Results**

Our college has secured good results at the UG & PG levels in the University Examinations.

#### **B.A./B.Sc. (CBCSS) Results University Examination 2016-17**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Subject</b>	<b>Total Appeared</b>	<b>Total Pass</b>	<b>Percentage of Pass</b>
1	English	44	37	84
2	History	34	13	38
3	Economics	43	13	30.2
4	Mathematics	37	14	37.8
5	Physics	36	24	66.6
6	Chemistry	33	16	48.4
7	Botany	34	09	26.4
8	Zoology	30	09	30
9	B.Com	50	31	62

**M.A./M.Sc. Results of IV semester University Examination – 2016-17**

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Subject</b>	<b>Total appeared</b>	<b>Total Pass</b>	<b>Percentage of Pass</b>
1	English	16	12	75
2	Economics	19	12	64
3	Physics	13	11	85
4	Analytical Chemistry	15	11	77
5	Zoology	15	14	93.3

**The Parent Teacher Association**

Sri. K.N. Thomas, Retired Head Master from Kottarakkara serves as the President of the PTA. Prof. Mariamma Varghese serves as the Secretary. Though we are not able to organise General PTA meetings periodically, class wise PTS meetings are convened regularly by respective departments to discuss the academic progress and general conduct of students. We are very grateful to all our parents who support us in all activities and we welcome their valuable suggestions in future too.

**Christian College Fellowship (Convenor: Dr. Desy P. Koruth)**

- The Inter-department Carol singing competition was conducted under the leadership of CCF on **19 December 2017**.
- College Christmas Carol programme was arranged on **20 December 2017** at 10 a.m.. Rev. Sajan P. Mathew, Director, CSSM delivered the Christmas Message.

- Inter- collegiate Carol Singing competition organized by Christian College Fellowship (CCF) was conducted on **5 January 2018**. 7 Teams participated. C.M.S.College, Ktym, Mar Thoma College, Tiruvalla & St. Thomas College, Kozhencherry won the I,II and III prizes, respectively.

### **Counseling Centre (Convenor: Dr. Desy P. Koruth)**

A counseling centre is functioning in a room adjacent to the Meditation Centre, where students can meet trained counselors. Dr. Desy P. Koruth, Dr. Jisha John and Prof. Leena Liz Mathew help students to sort out their personal problems. Apart from these personal sessions, general counseling sessions were also arranged to provide students with the right sense of direction.

- College re opened on **1 June 2017**. Orientation talk by Rev. Dr. P.P. Thomas was arranged for students at 10 a.m. and for staff at 11.30 a.m. A lunch was arranged for the staff after the talk.
- On **11 July 2017**, as part of the induction programme for I Semester students, Dr. Jessy John Associate Professor, K.E. College Mannanam led a counseling session for parents and students.

### **CC FORT**

- On **13 January**, the meeting of Retired Teachers, CC FORT, was conducted in the seminar hall.

### **Retired Non Teaching Staff**

- The Retired Non Teaching Staff met in the seminar hall on **27 January 2017**.
- A get together of the Retired Administrative Staff was held in the Seminar Hall on **22 July 2017**.

### **Students Council (Staff Advisor: Dr. Vinoy Thomas)**

The students' council functioned very effectively during this academic year under the guidance of teachers who are in charge of Students' Affairs.

- The election of the Office bearers to the College Student Council was conducted **on 28 September** in the Parliamentary System according to the guidelines of Lyngdoh Committee Report.
- The elected members of the College Students' Council took their oath and assumed their office on **11 October 2017**.
- An Open Forum was organized by the College Students' Council on **20 October** on the High Court Verdict of banning political activities in Campuses. Sri. Nidhi Alex M. Ninan (Librarian) introduced the theme and Sri. Fakruddin Ali Ahammed (FDP Substitute Teacher) served as the moderator.
- The activities of the College Students' Council and Arts Club were formally inaugurated on **25 October 2017** by Ms. Chintha Jerome (Chairperson, Youth Welfare Board) and Sri. Kailash (Cine Actor), respectively.
- Students' Council gave leadership in organizing *Kerala Piravi* celebrations on **1 November 2017**.
- On **14 February** Inauguration of 2 day Arts Festival "**2K18**" by Sri. Rajesh, MLA & Francis D. Mavelikara.
- On **14 -15 February**, the Council organised Arts Festival.
- The college council in association with the women's club organized a debate on "**kv{Xobpw sXmgnepw**" in the college Quadrangle on **7 March 2018** at 12 noon.

### **Library**

- On **30 August 2017** the college library organized a Malayalam essay writing competition on the topic *Onam Innale, Innu* .

- As part of the *Malayala Basha Varacharanam*, the library organized an invited talk of Sri. C. J. Vaheed, Dooradharsan News Reader on **7 November 2017** on “*Technique and Prospects of News Reading as a Profession*”.
- A T.V. news reading competition was conducted on **7 November 2017** and cash awards were given to the winners.
- The library organized a Malayalam dictation for students on **24 November 2017** during the Noon interval.
- On **18 December 2017**, the College Library organized an essay writing competition on the outlook and ideology of Swami Vivekananda as part of the commemoration of his visit to Kerala.
- Christmas was celebrated in a novel manner on **18 - 19 December 2017** by encouraging students to visit library and lucky draw was arranged.
- Department wise competition for exhibiting novel ideas and themes on ‘The Mirror’ is monitored and supervised by the college library.

### **Induction Programme**

- The Induction programme for New Comers was organized under the leadership of the Dept. of Chemistry on **17 July 2017**.
- Students who had scored A Grade and A<sup>+</sup> Grade at the aggregate level in the UG University examinations of **April 2017** were felicitated on this occasion.

### **International Seminar**

- The 4-Day International Seminar by the Post Graduate Depts. of Physics, Chemistry and Zoology was conducted at Haveli Backwater Resorts on **4 -7 October 2017**. They were 350 participants (including 32 international & 150 National delegates). In the meeting presided by His Grace The Most Mar Thoma Metropolitan, Prof. P.J. Kurian, Dy.Chairman of Rajyasabha inaugurated the conference. Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Keifer (Germany) delivered keynote address.

Valedictory function was inaugurated by Hon. Minister for Water Resources, Mr. Mathew T. Thomas. The conference was financially supported by:-

- Department of science and Technology, Science and Engineering Research Board (DST-SERB, New Delhi).
- Kerala state council for science, Technology and Environment (KSCSTE, Trivandrum).
- Board of Research in Nuclear Science (BRNS), Mumbai.
- Defense Research Development Organization (DRDO) (ER-IP), New Delhi.
- Council of scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR), HRDG, New Delhi.
- Indian National Science Academy (INSA), New Delhi.
- Optical Society of India (OSI), Kolkota.

#### **Alumni (Convener: Dr. Ligi Cherian)**

- Under the initiative of the Bhoomitra Sena Club, a rain water harvesting system through The Roof Top Multiple Fibre Tank Method was erected in the college during the month of April. The idea is the brain child of Dr. Balakrishnan, Retired Pathologist, Medical College, Kozhikkode and this facility was fully sponsored by the UAE Chapter of our Alumni.
- Chemistry 1991-'94 Batch of students arranged their get together on **26 May 2017** in the Seminar Hall. They donated Rs. 50,000/ as a token of their love for their alma mater.
- The Annual Alumni Meet held on the Deepavali Day, ie. **18 October 2017** was inaugurated by Dr. S. Rajoo Krishnan (Former Jt. Commissioner for Entrance Examination & State Co-ordinator, ASAP). Sri. Alexander Daniel I.P.S. (Retd DGP of Boarder Security Force). Dr. Jinu Zachariah (Member, Kerala P.S.C.) and Adv. A.C.Eapen (Govt. Pleader, Pathanamthitta Dist) were felicitated on this occasion.

- On **20 January 2018**, old students of 1969 – 72 English batch met in the college seminar hall.
- Dr. Thomas Alexander & Dr. (Mrs.) Sally Thomas members of the alumni, presently working as Medical professionals in U.K., donated an amount of Rs. 50,000/- for development purpose.

### **Dept. of English**

- Students of Semester IV B.A. English Programme rendered their service to the inmates of St. Andrew Pain and Palliative Centre, Puthencavu on **17 – 25 April 2017** as part of the social extension activity of the Department.
- The first batch of the Summer Training Camp of Additional Skills Acquisition Programme began on **8 May 2017** and the Second Batch began on **12 May 2017**.
- English Literary association was inaugurated on **29 August 2017** by Dr. Annie Susan Koshy, Asso. Professor of English, Mar Thoma College, Tiruvalla.
- The Dept. of English arranged a talk on Research Methodology on **12 October 2017** for Sem V B.A. students and PG students. Sri. Bibin Thomas (Research Scholar, M.G.Uty & Guest Faculty, B.C.M. College, Kottayam) was the resource person.
- The PG students of the Dept. of English organized the Inter-Collegiate Seminar, *The Festival of Ideas* on the topic *Bigotry and Textual Practice: Reflections on Intolerance in Contemporary Culture* on **10 November 2017**. Dr. T.M.Jesudasan (Former faculty, Dept of English, C.M.S. College, inaugurated the seminar. Dr. Shashi Tharoor, M.P. presented the main talk during the AN session.
- On **2 March 2018** The third edition of Prof. Lily Titus memorial lecture was conducted in the seminar hall at 2 pm. Sri. Alexander Daniel IPS (Former DGP of BSF) spoke on “Why our Universities do not Reach Global Standard?”.

### **Dept. of Economics**

- A bridge course was arranged for the first year students from **18 July to 8 August 2017**.
- The Department in association with Chengannur Municipality conducted a survey on street vendors during the month of **August 2017**.
- The Department undertook a project in association with social forestry Department on the survival Rate of saplings distributed under Haritha Keralam Programme.
- The civil service aspirates of the Department had an interactive session with Dr. Sriram Venkataraman IAS on **27 August 2017**.
- An invited talk by the renowned World Bank Economist, Dr. Cherian Samuel was on **30 August 2017** on the occasion of the inauguration of the Economics Association.
- Intra-department quiz *Quiznomia 2K17* was organized on **17 October 2017** by the II PG Students.
- On **31 October 2017** the Dept. arranged a class on *Research Methodology* for UG and PG final year students. Dr. Mathew T. Kurien (Dean, School of International Relations, M.G. University, Kottayam) was the resource person.
- Christmas celebration were organised by the Department at EALP (Malayil) School, Angadical on **22 December, 2017**.
- *Add-on Course in MS Office* was conducted for the second year students during **November-December 2017**.
- A UGC-NET Exam Orientation Class was taken by Ms. Lavanya Sivan, for the PG Students on **03 January 2018**.
- A live viewing of the Union Budget was organized for the students on **1 February, 2018** and Budget analysis competition was conducted.

- An organic vegetable sale was conducted by the Association in association with Health club on **9 March 2018**, and the proceeds was set apart for social cause.
- The valedictory function of the association was held on **14 March 2018**.

### **Dept. of History**

- The activities of History association were inaugurated on **16 August 2017** by arranging a motivation talk for students by Sri. Jithin Shankar N., Asst. Professor from N.S.S. College, Changanacherry.
- An Inter-Dept. Quiz competition was conducted during the Afternoon of **16 August**. Students from the Department organized a slide show on Freedom Movement for students of other departments.
- The students of the Dept. of History visited St. Mary's Daya Bhavan, Kollakadavu on **21 October 2017** and spent time with the old destitutes as part of their Social Outreach programme. The students gave training to to the inmates to make handicraft items. They sponsored the noon meal of the inmates.
- On **3 November 2017** the Department of History organized a student seminar on *Rashtreeya Keralathinte Anpathu Varshangal* as part of the *Kerala Piravi* celebrations.
- The Department Conducted a study trip to C.M.S. Press, Kottayam, on **18 November 2017**.
- An add-on course on Archeology was conducted for II Year B.A. students during **November – December 2017**.
- Final Year students visited Alummoottil Meda on **9 December 2017**. As part of their field trip.
- Final Year students also visited Munroe Thuruthu on **6 January 2018** as part of their project work.
- As part of the project work, Final year students visited Rock cut temple at Kaviyoor on **17 February 2018**.

- The department organized the V Edition of Very. Rev. A.A. Pylee memorial lecture on **21 February 2018**. Dr. Rajan Varghese (Member Secretary, Kerala Higher Education Council & Former PVC of M.G. University) dealt on *Higher Education in Kerala*.
- Department of History in association with the Department of Archeology organized a national seminar and an exhibition on *History of Travancore with special reference to Archeological Sources* in the college seminar hall on **6 – 7 March 2018**. Students from neighbouring institutions came to view the exhibition.
- The Department organized a field trip on **8 March 2018** to places of historical importance like Thrippunithura, Mattancherry, Fort Kochi etc.

#### **Dept. of Mathematics**

- Activities of Mathematics Association 2017 was inaugurated on **12 October 2017**.
- Department of Mathematics arranged an invited talk on LaTeX for the Mathematics students on **12 October 2017**. Dr. Vishnu Namboothiri, University College was the recourse person.
- Smt. Tresa Mary Chacko is undergoing FDP to complete her Ph. D. program.
- A meeting was conducted to welcome the Sem 1 students on **12 October 2017**.
- Conducted class PTS meetings.
- Smt. Tresa Mary Chacko published a paper “Linear ideals and Linear Grills in Topological Vector spaces” in the International Journal of Mathematics Trends and Technology in **August 2017**.
- Smt. Tresa Mary Chacko published a paper “ Soft Linear pq- functions and soft- Kernel in vector soft Topological spaces” in Global Journal of pure and applied mathematics.
- Sri. Arun Kumar E.S. (FDP Guest Lecturer) attended a National Seminar on SageMath at St. John’s College, Anchal from **21-02 -2018 to 22-02-2018**.

- Smt. Tresa Mary Chacko attended a workshop at Mar Thoma College Thiruvalla on **11 March 2018**.
- Smt. Anupa V S participated in the Three day Workshop on “Syllabus revision in Statistics” for the first degree program under CBCSS for Statistics core and complementary held under the auspices of Board of Studies in Statistics from **12 - 14 March**.

### **Dept. of Physics**

- On **16 August 2017**, the Dept. of Physics organized an invited talk by Sri. Nijin Jose on *Astro Physics and Space Programmes* for their students.
- Dr. R. Jayakrishnan has two publications in refereed journals.
- Dr. Vinoy Thomas has two publications in international journals.
- Dr. Sunila Abraham and Dr. Vinoy Thomas have 8 & 4 papers respectively, in proceedings of international conference.

### **Dept. of Zoology**

- On **29 August 2017**, the Department Association *Zoodogma 2017* was inaugurated by Smt. Dr. M.S.Sunil, recipient of the Highest civilian honour for women “Nari Puraskar” from the President of India. The guest of honour delivered a talk on ***“Social Empowerment: A Way to Sustainable Development”***.
- Ozone Day Celebration of **2017** was organised by the Department on **27 September**.
- On **12 November 2017** “National Bird watching Day was observed as tribute to Dr. Salim Ali by second M.Sc. students.
- World Diabetes Day with focal theme “Women and Diabetics” was commemorated on **27 November 2017** First M.Sc. students with slogan *our right to a healthy future*.

- The valedictory function was organised on **27 March 2018**.
- On **March 21 2018** World Cancer Day was observed and recollected by the final year B.Sc. students. A presentation on Cancer – Its facts, causes, symptoms treatment were highlighter.

### **Dept. of Botany**

- On **3 October 2017**, the Dept. of Botany organized a session on personality development by Smt. Lovely Salim, Faculty, HR Dept, St. Berchmanns' College, for their students.

### **Dept. of Chemistry**

- The Chemistry Association was inaugurated on **22 November 2017** by Dr. Latha M.S., Associate Professor & Head of the Dept. of Chemistry, S.N.College, Ala.
- Dept. of Chemistry organized science day celebration on **1 March 2018**. Dr. M.K.Mukundan (Director, CFRD, Konni) spoke at length on *Science and Technology for a Sustainable Living*.
- An Inter department Science Quiz Competition was organised on **12 March 2018**.
- On **14 March 2018** Chemistry Association valedictory function talk by Dr. Rony Rajan Paul, Assistant Professor, C.M.S. College, Kottayam, based o 'Organic Chemistry in Life.'

### **Dept. of Commerce**

- On **27 July 2017**, an orientation programme was arranged for Commerce students in the College Auditorium.
- The Dept. of Commerce organized a talk by Sri. Binoy Varghese C.M.A. on "An Introduction to C.A./ C.M.A./ C.S." for their students on **3 October 2017**.

- On **17 October 2017**, The Dept. of Commerce arranged a class of ENBRIDG Institute of Management and Technologies on various accounting softwares like TALLY, PEACHTREE and certain foreign accounting softwares.
- *Lakshya Ernakulam*, conducted class on CA,CMA & CS on **9 January 2018**.

### **Dept. of Physical Education**

- A meeting of the Physical education teachers of the North Zone of University of Kerala was organized by the Dept. of Physical education on **11 August 2017**.
- The promotion of the Under Seventeen World Cup Football match was initiated on **27 August 2017** by the Dept. of Physical Education in association with Chengannur Municipality and the programme was inaugurated by Sri. Shibu Raj, Municipal Councillor.
- The Annual Athletic Meet was held on **27 October 2017** and the Meet was declared open by Dr. K.S. Anil Kumar, Principal, Sree Ayyappa College, Eramallikkara.
- College Teams- Cricket, football, Badminton (Men), Wrestling, Judo, Athletics (Men & Women) weight lifting (women) participated in the Inter Collegiate tournaments.
- In wrestling and Judo College Women team were the University Champions.

### **Dept. of Malayalam**

- On **1 November 2017**, the Dept. of Malayalam as part of the *Kerala Piravi* celebrations, organised a talk on the need and prospect of Malayalam as *Sreshta Bhasha*. The Literature and Theatrical Performance of *Nalacharitham Attakatha* was also presented to students by *Natyakala*, a professional Kathakali troop in Alapuzha on the same day.
- A news reading competition was conducted for students as part of *Malayala Basha Varacharanam* on **7 November 2017**.

- Under the guidance of the Dept. of Malayalam, *amXr`mj mZn\w* was celebrated on **23 February 2018** in the college Quadrangle at 11.15 am. The students took an oath and Nirmal Solomon (III DC Economics) spoke on the need to master and respect Malayalam & and the department conducted a quiz competition based on the topic viz as *aebmF`mj m Ncr(Xw k ml nXjw*.

#### **N.S.S. (Co - ordinator: Prof. S. Aneesh)**

- As part of the *International Yoga Day*, under the leadership of N.S.S., a demonstration cum practice session led by Sri. Harish, Regional Correspondent, New Indian Express was organized for our students during the F.N. session of **21 June 2017**.
- Under the leadership of the N.S. S., around 400 students and staff took part in the “*Varattar Eco Restoration Project*” on **23 June 2017**. Food was served for all participants at the work site.
- On **15 August 2017**, Independence Day, students of N.S.S. actively took part in road cleaning, after flag hoisting by Dr. Sunila Abraham.
- The College community celebrated Onam under the leadership of N.S.S. on **31 August 2017**.
- The National Service Scheme organized an AIDS Awareness rally and campaign on **4 December 2017**.
- The Annual camp of N.S.S. was from **22-28 December 2017** at S.N. Vidhyapeedom, Kotta.
- Organic farming was initiated by the N.S.S. on **20 January 2018**.

#### **NCC (Caretaker: Dr. Fijesh P. Vijayan)**

- On **15 August 2017**, Independence Day, students of N.C.C. units conducted flag hoisting and parade. Dr. Sunila Abraham, Head, Department of Physics, hoisted the flag.

- In regards to Tree plantation Drive 2017 under Social Service and community Development plant seedling were planted in campus on **15 August 2017**.
- In regards to the Swacch Bharat Abhiyaan under Social Service Activity on **2 October 2017**, a Shramdan was carried out by cleaning areas inside college campus by removing the weed plants, paper and plastic waste materials.
- On **27 November 2017**, NCC cadets visited and distributed food packets to the inmates of St Andrews Pain and Palliative centre Care Centre, Puthenkaavu, Chengannur.
- On **26 January 2018** Republic day celebrations was conducted by the subunit, on the occasion Dr. Ligi Cheriyan Associate Professor, Dept of Physics hosted the National Flag and Prof Biji Abraham, Assistant Professor, Dept of Economics made a delivered a speech to NCC cadets.
- A 3 day minicamp from **February 1 - 3 2018** was conducted by 10 Kerala Battalion NCC, Chengannur in Christian College.

#### **UNAI ( Convenor: Prof. Linchu Elizabeth Samuel)**

- On **11 October 2017**, as part of the celebration of the *International Day for Girl Child*, Restin Raj (Sem III Physics) and Nithya John (Sem III History) addressed the students.
- Gopika Hari of DC II English represented the college at the United Nations Academic Impact Colloquium held at TKM College, Kollam, from **20-21 January 2018**. She won the Best Negotiator Award.

#### **Career & guidance (Convenor: Dr.Biju Thomas)**

- A placement drive by ICICI bank was organized in the campus on **4 May 2017**.
- On **22 August 2017** Indian Postal Service organised an orientation programme for UG students regarding the services offered by their department.

- St. Xavours Bangalore organized a seminar on importance of Higher Education improving memorising Technique on **12 January 2018**.
- Guiders education organized a seminar on career opportunity on **12 January 2018** in the field of shipping and Logistics, Aviation and Tourism.
- On **9 February 2018** registration campaign was jointly organised with the Employability Centre of the District Employment Exchange of Alappuzha.
- School of Medical scribing, conducted orientation class on the job opportunities in the field of medical scribing on **06 March 2018**.

#### **Best Arts Club (Convenor: Smt. Rekha Unni)**

- Arts festival was jointly organised by students of this club and members of Student Council on **14 -15 February 2018**.

#### **ED Club (Convenor: Dr. Teena Lis Luke)**

- The paper bags made by the trained students of the ED Club were released on **5 June 2017** by Adv. Ramachandran Nair M.L.A. in connection with the World Environment Day celebrations. These paper bags were freely distributed to small retail shops in the vicinity of college.
- The Entrepreneurship Development Club was inaugurated on **4 November 2017**.

#### **Incubation Centre (Convenor : Dr. R. Jayakrishnan)**

- The Incubation Centre of the College organized training on the making of LED Display Boards to its members, and the display board made by them was erected on the walls of the Silver Jubilee Block on **12 December 2017**.
- **On 6 January 2018s**, the Incubation Centre of the College organized Hands-on-training on Making of LED Tube lights to its members and the students succeeded in making 10 LED Tube Lights.

**Red Ribbon club (Convenor: Smt.Nirmala Varghese)**

- Blood Donors' Day was celebrated jointly by the Red Ribbon Club and N.S.S. units of college on **16 June 2017** with a talk by Sri. V.J. Abraham, Blood Bank Technician of Century Hospital.
- The Red Ribbon Club of College in association with Campus Crusade screened a 1 Hour short film for students on **4 December 2017**.

**Bhoomithra Sena Club (Convenor: Dr. Abhilash R.)**

- **On 5 June 2017**- World Environmental Day - the club organized ***Bioblitz – Life Around You***, a nature observation and mobile photography programme. Robbin Kuruvila a member of the club, made a presentation on “**Nature – Deficit, Disorder**” as part of the observance.
- **On 23 June 2017**, Bhoomithrasena club members in association with NSS units various Eco Clubs of the college participated in the Varattaar Rejuvenation Programme- Punarnava.
- The world snake day was observed on **17 July 2017** Athira Balan give an introductory speech on “Snakes and Eco System”, and Anju C. made a presentation on First Aid to be given during Snakebites.
- International Tiger Day was observed by the club on **29 July 2017**. Documentary Screening and a PowerPoint presentation on tiger conservation was arranged for the students.
- The World Elephant Day was celebrated on **11 August 2017** with a slide show “**Elephantine visuals**” - images captured by world famous wild life photographs. A documentary titled “**Gods in Shackles**” by an Indian born Canadian Eco- Journalist; Sangeetha Iyer was also screened on that day.
- A nature study camp was organized for the club members on **18 – 20 September 2017** at Chimmony Wild Life sanctuary.

- **On 27 September 2017** Ozone Day was observed by the Bhoomitra Sena Club. Poet and Environmental activist Sri. O.S. Unnikrishnan.
- On **6 October 2017**, as part of National Wild Life week observance, wall painting was inaugurated at the entrance of the college to highlight the importance of Green living and wild life conservation. All members of the club took wildlife conservation pledge in connection with the celebration.
- National Pollution Prevention Day was observed by the club by clearing the solid wastes in our campus on **4 December 2017**. The collected plastic waste was handed over to waste collectors of the Municipality.
- On **7 February 2018** a seminar on *The Amazing World of Ants* by Dr. Kalesh Sadasivan, (noted environmentalist and plastic surgery from Trivandurm Medical College) was arranged by the club.
- On **14 February 2018** Bhoomithra Sena Club associated with “*Green Roots Nature Conservation Society*” in Turtle release programme at Thottappally, Alappuzha.
- On **16 February 2018** as part of the *പരിസ്ഥിതി* Project of Govt. of Kerala, Bhoomitha Sena Club organized a visit to Konni Forest and Elephant Camp / *മടവനം*.
- A debate on the implementation of Green Protocol was arranged by the Club in association with other Eco clubs on **19 March 2018**. Sri. Saji Cherian, Sri. Sreedharan Pillai and Sri. S. Vijayakumar, candidates who contested for the Chengannur By election expressed their views and students actively participated in the debate with their valid queries.

#### **Birds Club International (Convenor: Dr. Abhilash R.)**

- The activities of Birds’ Club International, Christian College Unit was inaugurated by the famous Film Director and Social Activist, Sri. Jayaraj on **20 July, 2017**.
- On **6 October 2017**, as part of national *Wild Life Week* celebration, Birds Club International conducted a nature education camp to Thattekkad Bird Sanctuary.

- **On 13 November 2017**, in connection with National Bird watching Day, a documentary titled “*Thoovalkuppayakkarude Vismayalokam*” was screened for members of the club. A quiz competition was also conducted for them.
- **On 26 February, 2018**, A survey of Wetland Birds and Wetland Walk program was arranged by the club to Randam Puncha Wetland near Kulanada.

#### **Nature Club (Convenor: Dr. Preetha Karnaver)**

- In connection with World Environment Day celebration, on **6<sup>th</sup> June 2017**, the club members participated in the one day seminar on “*Sustainable Management of Resources*” held at our college.
- The members of nature Club actively participated in the *Save Varattaar Program* held on **23<sup>rd</sup> June 2017**.
- A nature study tour was organised to Peppara for members of the club on **10 – 12 August 2017**.
- Our students joined the *Green Roots Nature Conservation Forum* to collect eggs of turtles from Pallana area on **27 December 2017**.
- A talk on Turtle Conservation by Sri. Saji Jayamohan, Secretary, Green Roots Nature Conservation Forum was arranged on **2 January 2018**.
- As part of Wetland day celebration, Nature Club organized a field visit to study the Mangrove Ecosystem maintained by Sri. Anilkumar at Puthuppally near Kayamkulam on **12 February 2018**
- Members of the Club participated in the turtle hatching release program (from the eggs collected from Pallana on 27/12/2017) organized by Purakkad Grama Panchayath in association with *Green Roots Nature Conservation Forum* at Thottappilly Beach on **14 Feb 2018**.

### **Biodiversity Club (Convenor: Sri. Biji Abraham)**

- A workshop was organized for the members of Biodiversity club, Eco tourism club and Bhoomitra Sena on Saturday, **3 June 2017** under the leadership of famous environmentalists.
- World Environment Day celebration was organized in the campus on **5 June 2017** at 1 p.m. Sri. Ramachandran Nair M.L.A. was the Guest of Honour. The programme was enriched by nature related folk songs and sur –real Drama.
- On **6 June 2017** Green Foot Ball was organized by Biodiversity, Bhoomitra Sena and Nature clubs.
- Dr. Bijukumar A., Prof & Head of the Dept. of Aquatic Biology, Uty of Kerala, enriched the science students on “*Sustainable Management of Resources*” on **7 June 2017** in connection with the Environmental day celebrations
- As part of the observance of International day of Forests, all Eco Clubs jointly organized a program in association with WWF, Kerala Chapter on **19 March 2018**. The Kerala State Director of WWF India, Sri. Renjan Mathew Varghese inaugurated the program by honoring the Mahogany trees in campus. An exhibition of photographs on wild life and messages on nature conservation arranged by WWF was also arranged on that day.

### **Science Club (Convenor: Dr. Tiju Joseph Mathew)**

- Science day was celebrated jointly with department of Chemistry on **1 March 2018**.
- A sky watching programme was organised for the members of the club to observe the sky and heavenly bodies through a telescope on **9 March 2018**.
- Members of Science club visited VSCC and planetarium on **14 March 2018**.
- On **26 March 2018** World Meteorological day was celebrated. Dr. Suresh Babu was a invited speaker.

### **WWS (Co-ordinator: Dr. Susan Abraham)**

- An English language and grammar Mock Entrance Exam was conducted for the second and third year mentees on **3 April 2017**.
- A motivational talk by Sri. Eldhose Mathew Punnoose I.F.S. (Under Secretary (Administration), Ministry of External Affairs) was arranged on **10 August 2017**.
- WWS mentees along with Co-ordinator and 2 Mentors attended an interactive session with Dr. Sriram Venkataraman IAS at Eraviperoor on **27 August 2017**.
- The WWS mentees organized an Inter-department Quiz Competition on **5 October, 2017**.
- A meeting of the Parents, Mentors and Mentees (PMM) of WWS was arranged on **21 October 2017**.
- “*Own the Stage*” an inter-departmental stage performance competition was organized by WWS Mentees on socially relevant topics on **3 November, 2017**.
- A career guidance and motivation talk by Dr. Asha Banu Soletti, Dean, School of Social Work, TISS, Mumbai, was arranged for WWS Mentees on **9 November, 2017**.
- A subject-wise mock JAM and competitive entrance examination was conducted for final year students by second year WWS mentees on **3 February, 2018**.

### **Scholar Support Programme (Co-ordinator: Dr. Jim Chacko)**

Students who are weak in their studies are given extra help outside normal working hours by faculty from respective departments.

### **Women’s Study Unit (Co-ordinator: Prof. Pheba Ann Zachariah)**

Activities of Women’s Study Unit were carried out with the financial assistance from KSWDC (Kerala State Women’s Development Corporation).

- On **11 October 2017** observance and awareness campaign of the UN International Day of the Girl Child was done.
- .On **1 November 2017** a competition for selecting *Malayali maran and Manka* was conducted by WSU.
- Dr. Oleena, a Social Activist and Associate Professor of Malayalam from M.G. College, Trivandrum, inaugurated the activities of the Women's Cell on **10 January 2018**.
- On **13 February 2018** a talk on 'Human Trafficking 'was delivered by Sri. Anson Thomas.
- On **7 March 2018**, an open forum was arranged for students, teaching and administrative staff on "Sthreeyum Thozhilum".
- International women's day was celebrated in the college auditorium on **8 March 2018** at 1.30 to 3.30 pm. Adv. Elizabeth George gave a talk on "കുറേയേറെ സ്ത്രീകളുടെ അനുഭവം".
- On **8 March 2018**, as part of *Salute to the Silent Worker* programme, Smt. Umadevi Andarjanam was honoured by the student community. She is a lay woman in Budhanoor village who encourages reading among members of the community ignoring her old age.
- Salad making competition was conducted in the college seminar hall on **9 March 2018**.

**Centre for Social Action (CSA) ( Convenors : Prof. Thankam K.Abraham & Prof. Fancy D.R.)**

- The *Centre for Social Action* (CAS) was inaugurated on **14 November 2017** by Dr. Sairu Philip, Vice principal, T.D.Medical College, Alapuzha & Professor and Head of the Dept. of Community Medicine (State Award Winner for the Best Doctor with Social commitment) to coordinate the social extension activities undertaken by all departments.

- Under the effective leadership of the *Centre for Social Action* (CSA), on **20 December 2017**, 4 wheel chairs were handed over to paraplegic friends, who are active members of *Wheel Chair Association*.
- **On 20 December 2017**, *Centre for Social Action* (CSA) organized a sale of the detergent materials produced by the paraplegic friends.
- **On 20 December 2017** at 1 pm, Members of the college choir along with members of the staff visited Thejus, Vallamkulam, a school for differently abled children, to celebrate Christmas with them.
- **On 14 February 2018**, the centre organized a talk on Human Trafficking by Sri. Anson (Social Activist & NDTV Real Life Hero Award Winner) in the seminar Hall at 10.30 am.
- The members of **“Koottu”**, an association of the former students of the University of Kerala, visited the college on **20 March 2018** and started a scribe unit for helping differently abled students appear for University examinations. As per their suggestions a *Scribe Bank* – list of volunteers ready to help differently abled students – was prepared. Students of this centre took the initiative in recording study materials for blind students. They provided the needy students with these materials.

#### **Health Club (Convenor: Prof. Linchu Elizabeth Samuel)**

- The Health Club & Indian Dental Association jointly organized an awareness flash mob in the campus against the use of drugs by students on **6 March 2018** at 12.30 pm.
- A talk on “Healthy Food Habits and need for a balanced diet” was given by Smt. Sinimol, Dietitian, Medical Trust Hospital, Kulanda on **9 March 2018**. A sale of organic vegetables was also conducted on that day.
- An organic vegetable sale was conducted by the Association in association with Health club on **10 March 2018**. Students brought vegetables grown in their courtyard and they were sold to members of college community. The proceeds from the sale was set apart for charity purpose.

We have been able to extend our helping hands to students and many sick people around us who had to undergo prolonged medical treatment. All God given opportunities, facilities and health we enjoy should instill humility in our minds and prepare us for a meaningful existence and wider leap into this World. Before I conclude, let me thank all committees and their Heads, and the Convenors Prof. Mariamma Varghese and Dr. Desy P. Koruth who have done a marvelous job for the successful conduct of our College Day programme on **16 March 2018**. My sincere gratitude is due to Sri. Maqbool Salman, cine artist popular among the young crowd, for making our college day programme lively. We ought to be grateful to all those who had been instrumental in keeping us so far in good stead, especially to our retired Teaching and Administrative Staff who keep this institution continuously in their prayers. Before concluding this year's report it is binding on our part to thank our Manager, His Grace Dr. Joseph Mar Thoma Metropolitan for the guidance given to us during this academic year. Let us promise to work together to take our "Home away from Home" to greater heights in the years yet to come!.