

NAVAJYOTHI COLLEGE CHERUPUZHA

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Academic Report 2021-22

The world has been undergoing through a catastrophic pandemic situation due to the wide spread of COVID -19 for the last two years. Global and regional lockdown have adversely affected the entire system that we have been following. In spite of all the state of affairs were unfavourable, we have some rays of hope in the rise of technological development and adapting to the new alternatives. The face to face lecturing has been turned to the online mode of teaching for the last two years. However, we have had three months of offline classes in the academic year 2020-21. The college has begun the academic year 2021-22 in the month of June on online mode as per the government rules. Due to COVID pandemic, the new admission to the first year degree and PG programmes were late and the off line classes were started on 25th October 2021. We have 537 students and 39 teaching staff and 13 supporting staff in the college.

Induction Programme

Each department has conducted Induction programmes for each batch under different names. Department of Management studies organized DEBUTE 2021, and INIZIO 2021, Department of Economics- BENVENUTO-2021, PG Department of commerce- FOCUS- 2021, PG department of English- SILEO-2021, and Department of Computer studies also organized induction programme for all the semesters. The induction programme was an orientation for the students to create awareness on the course outcome and programme outcome of their programme of study.

Faculty Development Programme

A one day faculty development programme on the topic of “**Academic Leadership: A Journey towards Teacher Career Progress**” was conducted for the teaching staff on 19th June 2022. The session was led by Prof. M L Saikumar, an eminent Scholar and academician from Hyderabad.

Academic Pursuit: Certificate Courses and Add on Courses

Apart from the courses taught based on the syllabus, the college has conducted certificate courses for all the students. The following are the certificate courses departments.

1. Essentials of English Grammar - PG department of English
2. Stock Market: Theory And Practice: Pg Department Of Commerce
3. Business Communication: Department Of Management Studies
4. Certificate program in R programming language &
5. Certificate course in basic and advanced technologies for learning : Department Of Computer Studies
6. Mathematics for Economic Analysis : Department Of Economics

Co curricular Activities

P G Department of Commerce

-Conducted a webinar on International Yoga Day on 21st June 2021. The session was handled by Mr Vijayakumaran K. , Kerala Yogasana Sports Association Senior Vice President.

- As part of observing environment day, the department conducted an intercollegiate competition titled OKOLINA, art from recycled materials.

- Organized cleaning water sources on 31st November at ward no 15 of East Elery Gramapanchayath.
- Organized corporate week celebration titled Explorica 2k21 on 19th November 2021.
- Organized Food Fest titled Bites of Love by ED club of the department of Commerce.
- Conducted an interdepartmental pavilion competition titled Galeria 2k22

PG Department of English

- Inkjourn and pg department of English conducted a reels competition on anti child labour day.
- A webinar was conducted on the topic "Relevance of Print Media during Covid 19 Pandemic" by the department. the session was handled by Mr Sijith Payyanur, Reporter Malayalamanorama Idukki.
- Conducted a painting competition on Independence day
- Celebrated the 400 birth year of Dostoevsky by publishing wall magazine.
- Conducted a interdepartmental photo-story competition in January.
- Released content videos title pratheekam.
- Organized two day workshop titled Fourth Estate for the students.
- Organised a Media Visit at Deepika Press Kannur in the month of January.
- Conducted a workshop on Research writing and IPR in march.
- Conducted a photography competition on sports Day.
- Released an e-magazine on 15th march titled 'Women in You' as a part of women's day observation.

Department of Management Studies

- As part of the academic requirements, the department conducted a virtual industry visit due to COVID pandemic on 14th June 2021.
- Organized videography competitions on the occasion of World Tourism day title Bon Voyage 2k21.
- Organized an online workshop in association with Hedge School of applied Economics on the topic 'Gateway to Financial Freedom' on 11th October 2021.

Department of Computer Studies

- Conducted a troll competition on the theme Online classes during COVID 19.
- Conducted an on line technical interaction with Mr Anoop V T on Technovation
- Organized a workshop on IT and Professional opportunity in association with Avodha Group of education on 10th February 2022. Participants were awarded with certificates.

Department of Economics

As part of observing the anti child labour day, the department a video status making competition on the theme "A Child is meant to learn, not to earn".

- They have conducted Blooming Blue- a state level online quiz competition in observance of World Oceanic Day on 8th June
- Conducted a national webinar on 11th July 2021 as a part of world population day. The topic of the webinar was “Ageing Population of Kerala and Replacement Migration:Challenges and Prospects” which was led by Dr. Vineesh, Hod Dept of Economics Nehru Arts and Science College Kanhanajgad.
- Conducted a state level debate competition on the world Justice day. The topic was International Court of Justice: Implementing Neocolonial Agenda or Ensuring Transnational Justice.
- Conducted a photographic competition on the world nature preservation day. The theme for the competition was No Life Without Mother No Birth Without Land.
- Conducted a seminar on ‘evolution of eco-nomic ideas...from political economy to freakanomics’ on January 2nd 2022. Dr. Shanavas P H, asst. professor at Krishnamenton Memorial government Women’ College Kannur has lectured on the topic.

NSS

The NSS unit of the college has been awarded the best unit and best programme officer in the Kannur University. We appreciate the able guidance and leadership of the programme officer, enthusiastic assistance of the unit members and whole hearted support of the management , staff, students and other benefactors for helping to achieve the status. NSS has completed seventy three activities on campus and off campus by now. Some of the major activities are distribution of food kit to the covid patients, Snehasparsam- the Parents day celebration, Blood Donation, distribution of food kit to the palliative patients in the panchayath, celebration of teacher’s day, NSS day celebration, bund construction, organic farming, digital literacy programme and initiation of new house construction. We are happy to state that Roshan of second year BBA has been selected to participate in the NIC at Bangalore by the University. The unit has conducted two seven day camps in this academic year.

Flora

Flora the Nature Club has begun in June under the auspice of FR. Jose Thamarakattu. From the very inception, the club has indulged in various activities that promoted the awareness of nature. The members of the club have conducted various competitions. They have completed 50 activities by now both on campus and off campus. Some of the major programmes conducted by the club are photography competitions, Haritha vayana, four webinars on various topics, letter to nature, two prakruthi padana yathra, reels competitions, all Kerala speech competition for school students national level quiz competition on the occasion of world youth day, cleaning river, various competitions on Onam celebration, brain battle and magazine publications many others. Congratulations to the club animators and members for the vibrant activities.

Sports

N-SAC- Navajyothi Sports Animation center is the sports cell of the college, which facilitates and encourages students to participate in the intercollegiate competitions organized by the university. The students participated in the various competitions held at the university and became winners. Tissent, Alan, Jacob, Rincy were some of the achievers in the intercollegiate swimming competition.

We also participated in the inter-collegiate volley ball and football games. Ans Augustine has won second prize in intercollegiate walking competition. N-SAC observed the National Sports Day on 30th August 2021 with several competitions such as skipping, and sports Quiz. Apart from these, the college sports day was conducted on 18th March 2022.

Arts

The college union has conducted on stage and off stage arts competition in the college. The students participated in the Kannur University Union Kalolsaavam.

Scholarships

In order to ease the financial burden, the college management continued to distribute the **Theresian Scholarship and Basilius Scholarships** for the financially backward students. The management has given one lakh twenty three thousand and three hundred rupees to the cause. Apart from these scholarships, the **Navajyothi Excellence Award** for those who scored above 90% in semester examination has been distributed to the students. College has shared one lakh thirty eight thousand nine hundred and fifty rupees. This amount was given to 27 students.

Women Cell

- Conducted a webinar on Suicide Circumstances and Resistance on September 4th on the World Suicide prevention day. The resource person was Dr. Udayabala C, HoD, dept. of Malayalam, All Saints College TVM.
- Women cell has arranged a workshop on Confectionary Making and Sales on 30th September.
- Conducted a debate competition in association of District women and child development council. Ms.Sruthimol P B became the best debater at the district level debate competition.
- Conducted Legal awareness class for the college students on December 3rd 2021. The class was led by Advt. Joseph Mutholi.
- Conducted awareness classes for the women and girls at Koodal Colony, Cherupuzha on menstrual hygiene.

Sain et. al

- Students' Academic Incubator and others of Navajyothi College – (sain et al.) has organized a virtual symposium on World Refugee day. The theme was Borders & Refugees: A Tale of conflict and sunders. There were nine papers presented on various topics from different departments.
- Conducted a three days residential programme for the post graduate students named *Condicio*. The sessions were animated by Geo Kappen, Life Skill Trainer and psychologist from Calicut.

Day Observances and Celebrations

The college has observed most of the national and international days of importance during the academic year. Onam, Kerala Piravi, Christmas, Deepavali, Holi are some of them.

IQAC and NAAC Accreditation

The long cherished dream of the college is on the verge of realization after submitting the SSR towards the NAAC Accreditation process. The entire staff and students have worked under the able leadership of the Principal Dr. Aravindan M and IQAC Coordinator Mrs. Simna Simon. The SSR was submitted on 12th February 2022.

Conclusion

Though the academic year has begun online mode, we have turned to the face to face classroom teaching as per the directions of the government. I am happy to declare that the young men and women of this college has responded responsibly and creatively to the directions given from time to time to eschew from being affected by COVID-19. In spite of all the anomalies of the university examination we have conducted various programmes for the students and teachers. Many of them were mentioned here, yet due to the fear of time, I have not detailed a number of programmes. More than hundred curricular, co-curricular and extension activities have organized by various departments, clubs and cells during this year. I appreciated each and everyone who were behind these and contributed to these activities.