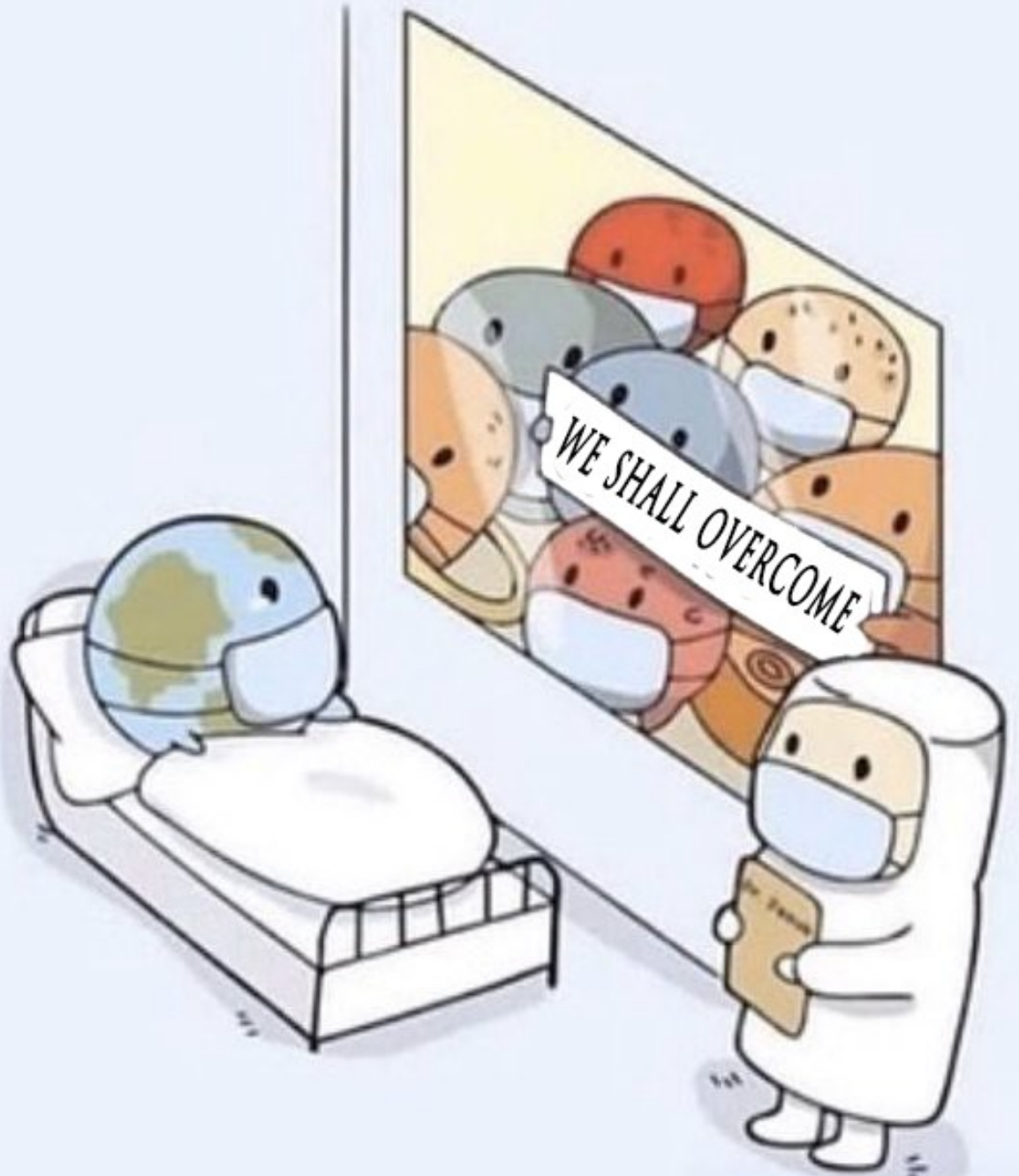


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Dear Sacred Hearts

I am happy to connect to you in yet another edition of Sacred Heart Times. The Sacred Heart of Jesus and our patron Don Bosco have blessed us abundantly during the academic year 2019-2020. The exuberant and lively community of Sacred Heart College has once again proved its excellence in all spheres. It is fitting that *EducationWorld* magazine has ranked our college as the 5<sup>th</sup> best autonomous college in the State and 17<sup>th</sup> best in the Country. I acknowledge the selfless and committed service rendered by all the stakeholders to achieve this notable feat.

The multi - faceted Indian culture which upholds unity in diversity doctrine has to be preserved at this moment. I feel that as a learned community we have to respond strongly to build up the integrity of the nation. We should maintain the spirit of our ancestors and exhibit brotherhood irrespective of religion and caste. Especially the upcoming leaders of our country, our student community has to be carved as harmonious citizens who could make a difference in the leadership of our country.

The breakout of the pandemic of this century, the COVID-19 has become a global concern. This medical calamity has smashed all the differences, status and ego of people. The whole world is fighting against corona virus. Let us pray for all the people who are affected by this deadly disease, and to protect the rest of the world from its clutches. We should also remember all the health workers, doctors and nurses who are risking their lives to serve the victims. I will keep all of you in my prayers and plead the almighty to protect all of you from this infection. I appeal to all of you to be cautious and ensure proper hygiene in your daily life and stay at home during these lockdown days.

I again gratefully acknowledge and appreciate all your efforts in shaping the academic year 2019-2020, an eventful year to relish and remember.

May the Sacred Heart of Jesus and our patron Don Bosco bless all of you!

A handwritten signature in green ink, appearing to read 'D. Maria Antony Raj', with a horizontal line underneath.

Rev. Dr. D. Maria Antony Raj, SDB,  
The Principal.

# SHIYA - 2020



All India Young Innovator Award Competition was organized by Sacred Heart College, Tirupattur on 28.02.2020. It showcased 95 discoveries by 275 students from the Arts and Sciences Colleges of India. In particular, Students from Karnataka, Andhra Pradesh and Puducherry participated in the event. A team of specialists from Tamil Nadu visited the exhibited findings, evaluated the process and selected the top three innovations. They were given a certificate of appreciation and were awarded cash prizes.

Arrangements were made on behalf of the Intellectual Property Rights Center of the College to obtain patent for the selected inventions.

Tirupattur District Collector, Mr. M.P. Sivanarul, inaugurated and addressed the gathering. He motivated the students to take part in such competitions. He said that, only with innovations, the society can progress. The Principal, Rev. Dr.D Maria Antony Raj, Rev. Dr .C.Antonyraj,the Secretarypresided over the function; the Vice-Principal of Shift-II, Rev. Dr. G. Theophil Anand, meticulously planned and coordinated the program.

Innovations on ensuring the safety of women, useful tools and technologies for the farmers, environment, health and hygiene were welcomed by the visitors. Of the 95 inventions that were on display, Sacred Heart College won the first three places for the best thought and innovation. The first place was given for the project titled **Portable Electronic Mobile Charging**, the second place was given for the project titled **Soilless Medium for Rooftop** the third place was given for the project titled **Degradable Sanitary Napkins**. Those who received the first three places were awarded cash prizes with Citation Award.



# Community Day and Pongal Celebration

The Community Day of Sacred Heart College, being one of the moments to remind us of the unity, spirit and solidarity that unites and keeps the Salesians, the Management, the staff and students as a joyful family, was fittingly celebrated on 11<sup>th</sup> January, 2020 to honour our beloved Rector, Rev.Dr. Antony Raj. It was fitting because it's the month of Pongal that reminds us of our Tamil Culture, being one of the ancient and unique cultures in the world.



The Day was brightened with the celebration of the Holy mass, led by Rev.Dr.C.Antonyraj, the Secretary. It was followed by the celebrations in the Kamarajar Arangam. Rev.Fr.Mani Lazar's prayer service and presentation was heart touching that



left the audience pondering on the nature of humanity. Rev.Dr. D. Maria Antony Raj, the Principal, welcomed and felicitated the Secretary with his gracious words and heaped praises on the capacity of father at various levels. The occasion was further academically lit up by the releasing of online Journals: *Journal of Functional Materials and Biomecules* (Physics) headed by, Rev.Dr.G.Theophill Anand, the Vice Principal (Administration

Shift -II) and *Biowings*, magazine by the Department of Biochemistry. It was followed by the releasing of *Sacred Heart Times*, the E- News Letter of the college. Dr.G. Mohan Gandhi, Assistant Professor, Department of Tamil, on behalf of the teaching faculty, bestowed encomiums on the untiring service of Rev.Dr.C.Antonyraj. The Non-Teaching Staff sung a group folk song. The Salesian Community, to express their solidarity performed an action song. The Vote of Thanks was proposed by Dr.S.Kalaiarasi, Assistant Professor, Department of Mathematics.



## Alumni Reunion (1970-74)



On 25<sup>th</sup> January, 2020 the Alumni of Sacred Heart College (1970-1974) gathered for a reunion at RGM Telecom Training Center, Meenambakam, Chennai. Around 200 members turned up for the event. The alumni honoured Rev. Dr. P.P. George, former Principal, Prof. Joseph and family, Prof. T. Ragavan, Prof. Peter Ramayya, Prof. I Gnanaprakasam, Prof. Premus, Prof. Santiago, Prof. Veeraragan, Rev. Dr. C. Antonyraj , Rector, Rev. Dr. Praveen Peter, Vice Principal and other esteemed members. Rev. Dr. P.P. George delivered the special address. In his address Rev. Dr.

C. Antonyraj , Rector wished the members and invited them to have such a gathering at Sacred Heart College Campus. The members gratefully remembered the days and the Salesian Priests who had transformed and touched their lives that have led them to their present status. Members had also brought gifts for their class mates and exchanged their gifts with greater joy. The event was coordinated by Mr. Jayakumar, Mr. Veeramani Jabakumar, and Mr. Jayavelu Ulagan.

## Ramanujan Day



The PG and Research Department of Mathematics (Shift-II) celebrated Ramanujan Day on 18<sup>th</sup> December, 2019. Dr.V. Sadhasivam, Associate Professor and Head, PG and Research Department of Mathematics, Thiruvalluvar Government Arts College, Rasipuram, Namakkal District was the chief guest. In the inaugural session the chief guest addressed the gathering on The Life History and Contributions of Ramanujan. Eight on-stage and six off-stage events like play with alphabets, just 2 minutes, luxury budget,

mind booster, silent killer, memory game, words image clue and flying formulae were conducted. Rev. Dr. K. A Maria Arokiaraj, Additional Principal, Rev. Fr. Stanislaus and the Department Staff graced the occasion.

## Mathematics in Real Life

The Department of Mathematics (Shift I) organized an Invited Talk on 'Mathematics in Real Life' on 28<sup>th</sup>, January 2020. The Resource Person was Dr. J.Prakash, University of Johannesburg. The II PG and Research Forum Students attended the programme. The Resource Person addressed the students on the Fun of Mathematics. The programme was coordinated by Dr. A. Merceline Anita. The Staff and Students of the Department actively participated in the event.

## Workshop on Powder X-Ray



The Department of Physics (Shift I & II) in collaboration with Bruker India Scientific Pvt. Ltd., Bangalore organized a Workshop on Capability Enhancement in Powder X-Ray Diffraction and Rietveld Refinement Analysis on 30<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> January, 2020. Dr. Ravikumar Iyyemperumal, Application Scientist, Bruker India Scientific Pvt. Ltd., Bangalore was the resource person. The workshop imparted technical knowledge corresponding Powder X-Ray Diffraction and Rietveld Refinement Analysis. The PG Students, M.Phil

and Ph.D Scholars of Sacred Heart College and thirty two other external members from various institutions participated in the workshop. Dr.S.R.Xavier Rajarathinam, the Vice Principal (Academics), Rev.Dr.K.A.MariaArokiaraj, the Additional Principal and the faculty members of the department graced the occasion.

## ICMA- 2020



The International Conference on Mathematical Sciences and Applications was organized by the PG and Research Department of Mathematics in collaboration with the Academia for Advanced Research in Mathematics Society (AARM) between 27 and 29<sup>th</sup> January, 2020. The conference had eminent Mathematicians from all

around the globe who were resource persons for the 13 technical sessions: Dr. Lamberto Rondoni (Italy), Dr. J. Prakash (South Africa), Dr. Santo Banerjee (Malaysia), Dr. Asit Saha (Sikkim Manipal University), Dr. Amar Prasad Misra (Visva-Bharathi University), Dr. Sadhasivam (Rasipuram), Dr. Sreenadh (Andra Pradesh), Dr. Solairaja (Coimbatore), Dr. Pitchamani (RIASM), Dr. Rushikumar (VIT, Vellore) and Dr. Sivaraj (VIT, Vellore). The conference invited 480 participants and 132 papers from colleges and universities all around the country. It was presented during the sessions. Rev. Dr. C. Antonyraj, Secretary, Rev. Dr. D. Maria Antony Raj, Principal, Heads and Faculty Members of the Department graced the occasion.

# SAIT' 2020



The Sacred Heart Association for Information Technology, SAIT' 2020 – An Intercollegiate IT Meet was organized by the Department of Computer Applications (UG) on 30<sup>th</sup> January, 2020. SAIT provides a platform to showcase the students' talents and technical skills in the field of Computer Science and Applications. Around 322 participants from 18 colleges have registered and took part in the IT Meet. Rev.Dr. K.A. Maria Arokiaraj,

the Additional Principal, inaugurated SAIT' 2020. Various On-Stage and Off-Stage events were conducted namely: Brain Buster, Tech Talk, Tech-Tuner, Tie-In, Guess Me, Broadcast, Paper Presentation and Debugging. The Overall Championship was won by Islamiah College for Men, Vaniyambadi. The Staff and Students of the Department graced the occasion.



## Certificate Programme on Transactional Analysis



The PG and Research Department of Social Work under the MoU signed with the North East Institute of Social Sciences and Research (NEISSR), Dimapur, Nagaland organized a Certificate Programme on Transactional Analysis. The programme was held on 30<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> January, 2020. Dr. S. Paul Raj, the Head, Department of Social Work welcomed the students of NEISSR. Dr. K. Arockiaraj coordinated the programme. Dr. CR.

Christi Anandan, Dr. Clayton Michael Fonceca and Mrs. E. Lisa handled sessions on ego states, time structuring, stamp collection, life positions, psychological games and script writing. Around 12 students and one faculty from the institute participated in the programme. Dr. Amith, Assistant Professor, Department of Social Work, NEISSR handled a three hour session for the I MSW Students of Sacred Heart College on Health and Role of Medical Social Worker.

## National seminar on The Impact of Cash or Cashless Business India



The PG Department of Commerce organized a National Seminar on The Impact of Cash to Cashless Business in India (Opportunities & Challenges). Dr. N. Suresh, Professor, Department of Management Studies, Ramaiah University of Applied Sciences, Bangalore delivered a lecture on Digital Payments Make the Business Transactions

Easy. CA. T. Pothi Madhavan, Chartered Accountant,

Nungambakkam, Chennai delivered a talk on Does the Cashless Business increase the Revenue of the Nation? Rev. Dr. K. A. Maria Arokiaraj, Additional Principal (Shift-II), Staff and Students of the Department graced the occasion. Around 446 participants from 15 colleges actively participated in the Seminar.



## Invited Talk on Mathematics and Its Applications



The Department of Mathematics (Shift I) organized an Invited talk on 'Mathematics and Its Applications' on 25<sup>th</sup> January, 2020. The resource person was Dr. M. Pichaimani, Assistant Professor, Ramanujan Institute for Advanced Study in Mathematics, Chennai. The lecture focused on the applications of kernel and metric, about sets and mathematical solutions to solve real world problems. The Staff and Students of the Depart-

## Workshop on Specific Learning Disorder

The students of M.Sc. Counselling Psychology attended a certificate Programme on Specific learning disorder in Niraivagam, Chennai. It was organised by the Niravagam (Psychological) Counselling Centre from 27<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> February, 2020. Rev. Dr.I. Joe Sanjay, Head, Ms.Latha Munusamy, College Counsellor along with all the first year students attended the workshop. Mr.Thaddeus, Mrs. Anni and Rev. Fr.James handled the sessions. All the participants were given certificates.



# Awareness Programme on Problems Related to Adolescent Girls and Their Management

The Department of Counseling Psychology organized an Awareness Programme titled Problems Related to Adolescent Girls and Their Management for the III UG Girl Students on 28<sup>th</sup> January, 2020. The event aimed to help the participants to understand their physiological changes, well-being and the way to tackle the challenges in everyday life through Video Presentations. The Stages of Their Transformation, Modern Problems and Its Solutions were also explained. Dr. A. Merceline Anita, Dean of Women Students convened the programme. Rev. Fr. Sanjay, Head, Department of Counseling Psychology, Ms. LathaMunusamy, Counsellor and Rev. Sr. Anthoniammal, Assistant Professor, Department of Counselling Psychology along with the Post Graduate Students coordinated the Programme.

## SHIMS - 2020



Sacred Heart Institute of Management Studies (SHIMS) organized a Salespreneur activity for the I MBA students on 5<sup>th</sup> February, 2020. The activity aimed to hone their business acumen in the field of Management. It was inaugurated in the presence of Rev. Dr. D. Maria Antony Raj, Principal, Dr.S.Sasikumar, Head, and Staff of the Department. The Students exhibited their talents on the three levels of learning: Knowledge (Cognitive) Experience (Affective)

and Application (Psychomotor). They also came up with creative and innovative brand names and erected stalls such as, U&ME (Make the Difference), Tasty to go (Eat healthy Stay Healthy), Pullingo Kadai (Eat Healthy Live Wealthy), Chat- Box (Taste and Yummy), Candy Check Point (Tempt Your Taste Buds) Rock-Vock (Stop Thinking Just Buy It), Single Pasanga (Eat Paani Poori-Enjoy the Music).



# International Conference on The Role of Transport on Development Challenges in India

The Department of Economics, The Department of Commerce and Sacred Heart Institute of



Management Studies organized a two day International Conference titled The Role of Transport on Development Challenges in India on 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> February, 2020. Rev.Dr. D. Maria Antony Raj, Principal inaugurated the seminar and delivered the inaugural address. The resource person of the seminar include: Mr. S.S.Balan, General Manager (OPS), Airport Authority of India, Chennai. Mr. Venugopal Reddy, Airport Authority of India, Chennai. Mr. Ganesh Iyer, Vice President, Business and Finance, Bhadra International India Pvt. Ltd., Chennai. Dr. P.S. Senguttavan. Commander S. Ramachandran, Master Marines (Rtd.), Indian Navy. Mr. Ramesh Venkat,

Head, Industry Partnerships Logistic Sector Skill Council, Chennai. and Dr. John Benjamin, LESOFTEK, CEO respectively. Dr. V. Sivasankar, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, Muthurangam Government Arts College, Vellore, presented a paper on the Problems and Prospective of Indian Road Transport System. Dr. K.A. Maria John Joseph, Head, Department of Commerce, Dr. S. Sasikumar, Head, Sacred Heart Institute of Management Studies and Dr.A. Xavier Susairaj, Head, Department of Economics and the Staff of respective Departments graced

## Retirement Function

Bidding adieu to somebody whose dearest and most cherished is the hardest part of life and one such occasions that the college witnessed was the retirement function of Dr.S. Paulraj, Head, Department of Social Work. The Retirement Function began with the welcome address by Rev.Dr.C. Antonyraj, the Rector. In his address, Father lauded the service and sacrifice of Dr. S. Paulraj, for his dedicated service. He was honoured with mementos by the Rector, staff and students.

Rev. Fr. J. Andrews Raja, Asst. Prof., Department of Social Work, drew accolades to commemorate the wonderful service rendered by Dr. S. Paulraj. Mr. J. Antony Amaraj, office staff, rhapsodized the efforts and service of the retiree. His services were also applauded by the Social Work students, Mr. William Hingba and Ms.Mary Belsethal. Dr.S.Paulraj, the retiree, reflected on his journey that moulded him and fetched him accolades of appreciation. He quoted reminiscences from his personal life. The students of MSW, as a sign of their gratitude, performed a dance. The vote of thanks was proposed by Mrs. E. Lisa, Asst. Prof., Dept. of Social Work.



## ஒருநாள் பயிலரங்கம்

திருப்பத்தூர் தூய நெஞ்சக்கல்லூரியின் தமிழ்த்துறையில் ஆய்வுக்கட்டுரை எழுதும் நெறிமுறைகள் குறித்த ஒருநாள் பயிலரங்கம் 25.02.2020 அன்று நடைபெற்றது.



அண்மையில் விக்கிபீடியாதளம் இந்திய அளவில் ஆய்வுக்கட்டுரைகள் எழுதும் போட்டியினை நடத்தியது. இதில் ஏனைய இந்திய இந்திய மொழிகளைக்காட்டிலும் அதிகப்படியான கட்டுரைகளைப்பதிவேற்றித் தமிழ் முதல் இடம்பிடித்தது. இந்நிலையில் ஆய்வுக்கட்டுரை எழுதுவதன் அடிப்படைகளை மாணவர்களும் ஆய்வாளர்களும் அறியும் பொருட்டு இப்பயிலரங்கு

ஏற்பாடு செய்யப்பட்டது.

இப்பயிலரங்கில் கல்லூரி முதல்வர் அருட்திரு முனைவர் த.மரியஅந்தோனிராஜ் அவர்களும் செயலர் அருட்திரு முனைவர் சி.அந்தோணிராஜ், கூடுதல் முதல்வர் அருட்திரு முனைவர் கே.ஏ. மரிய ஆரோக்கியராஜ் ஆகியோர் தலைமை தாங்கினர். திருப்பத்தூர் கம்பன் கழகச்செயலாளர் முனைவர் இரத்தின நடராசன் அவர்கள் வாழ்த்துறை வழங்கினார்.

புதுச்சேரி காஞ்சி மாமுனிவர் பட்டமேற்படிப்பு மையத்தின் முன்னாள் பேராசிரியர் முனைவர் க.பஞ்சாங்கம், ஆந்திரமாநிலம் குப்பம் திராவிடப்பல்கலைக்கழக முன்னாள் தமிழ்த்துறைத்தலைவர் முனைவர் இரா.விவேகானந்த கோபால், சென்னைக் கிறித்தவக்கல்லூரிப் பேராசிரியர் முனைவர் சு.சதாசிவம், திருவள்ளூர் பல்கலைக்கழகத் தமிழ்த்துறைப் பேராசிரியர் முனைவர் ந.செயராமன் ஆகியோர் கலந்துகொண்டு ஆய்வாளர்களுக்குப் பயிற்சியளித்தனர்.

இப்பயிலரங்கினை தமிழ்த்துறைத்தலைவர் முனைவர் பொன்.செல்வகுமார் மற்றும் முனைவர் ஆ.சந்திரன் ஆகியோர் ஏற்பாடுசெய்திருந்தனர். இதில்வேலூர், திருப்பத்தூர், கிருஷ்ணகிரி, திருவண்ணாமலை மாவட்டங்களைச் சேர்ந்த நூற்றுக்கும் அதிகமானகல்லூரி மாணவர்கள், பேராசிரியர்கள், ஆய்வாளர்கள் கலந்துகொண்டு பயிற்சிபெற்றனர்.

## JOB FAIR' 2020

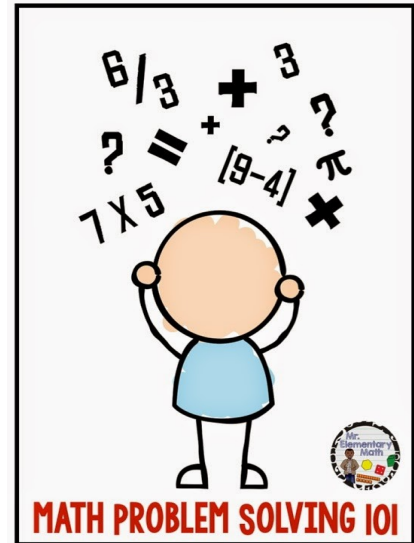
The Career Guidance and Placement Cell, Sacred Heart College in collaboration with Don Bosco Valzhikatti organized a Job Fair on 28th February, 2020. The Job Fair was organized for the current batch and the alumni of Sacred Heart College. Around 768 students registered online and 23 Organizations participated in the Job Fair. Independent stalls were provided for each company and the event took place in DBIS.

In the inaugural session Rev.Fr.Selvaraj Varaprasadham welcomed the gathering. Rev. Dr. C. Antonyraj, Secretary, Rev. Dr. D. Maria Antony Raj, Principal and Dr. S. Paul Raj, Head, Department of Social Work graced the occasion and motivated the candidates.

Student volunteers from II UG and YSR (Youth Social Responsibility) rendered their service in registration. Interview card and stall information brochure were circulated for the participants. A feedback form was given to the participants for future enhancement. Out of 768 online registrations, 513 candidates turned up for the Job Fair. The companies short listed 124 candidates.

# The Applications of Mathematical Modeling

The Department of Mathematics (Shift I) organized an Invited Talk on The Applications of Mathematical Modelling on 6<sup>th</sup> February, 2020. The Resource Person was Dr. K. Ganesamoorthy, Assistant Professor, Coimbatore Institute of Technology, Coimbatore. The II, III UG and I PG Students attended the programme. The Resource Person addressed the students on The Applications of Mathematical Modelling pertaining to the field of Graph Theory. The programme was coordinated by Dr. A. Merceline Anita. The Staff and Students of the Department actively participated in the event.



## COMMITTS' 2020



The Department of Commerce (Shift I) organized the inter-departmental competition COMMITS'2020 on 13<sup>th</sup> February, 2020. Dr.K.Antony Baskaran, President, Commerce Association welcomed the gathering. Rev.Dr.C.Antonyraj SDB, Rector, gave the presidential address. Rev.Dr.D.Maria Antony Raj, Principal, inaugurated and declared the meet open. Dr.S.R.Xavier Rajarathinam, Vice-Principal (Academics Shift-I) felicitated

the gathering. Various events like: Case Study, Quiz, Logo Designing, Group Discussion, Business Plan, Stress Interview, Skit and Product Launch were conducted.

## Economic Survey and Budget 2020



The P.G and Research Department of Economics organized an Invited Talk titled Economic Survey and Budget 2020. The Resource Person for the event was Dr. S. M. Suriya Kumar, Faculty, Bharathidasan Institute of Management, School of Excellence Affiliated to Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli. Around 250 members actively participated in the lecture.

## Psych Expo 2020



The Department of Counselling Psychology along with Extension Education Services and Counselling Centre hosted Psychology Exhibition on 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> February, 2020. The honourable District Collector of Tirupattur Mr. Shivan Arul IAS., inaugurated the Psych Expo 2020. More than 3000 students from government, aided, private schools and various colleges benefited out of this exhibition.



Rev. Dr. C. Antonyraj, Secretary, Rev. Dr. D. Maria Antony Raj, Principal, Rev. Dr. K.A.MariaArokiaraj, Additional Principal and Rev. Dr. I. Joe Sanjay, Rev. Fr. S. Henry Daniel Ambrose, Mrs. Latha Munusamy, Rev. Fr. Selvaraj and Rev.Sr. Anthonyammal, Staff and Students graced the expo.

## CHEMFEST' 2020



The Department of Chemistry in association with Rural Society for Advancement of Chemistry (RUSAC) organized CHEMFEST on 25<sup>th</sup> February, 2020. Dr.Prabhu, Asst. Professor of Physical Chemistry, University of Madras, Chennai and Dr. Poornandhan, President, RUSAC were invited as the resource person. Around 650 students participated in the event. Rev. Dr. C. Antonyraj, Secretary, Rev. Dr. D. Maria Antony Raj, Principal, Rev. Dr. Praveen Peter, Vice Principal (Shift-I) and COE. Rev. Dr.K.A. Maria Arokiaraj, Additional Principal,

Staff and Students graced the occasion. Events like Chem Connections, Paper Presentation, Quiz, Odd Out, Guess Me were conducted.

## Course on Nero Linguistic Programme (NLP)

The students of M.Sc. Counselling Psychology attended a course on NLP (Nero Linguistic Programme) at Atmamitra, Kalady. Rev. Fr. Selvaraj, Sr. Anto and the second year students attended the course. It was conducted by Rev. Fr. Toby Joseph Kozhuppakalam, S.J., the Director of the Center. The course focused on therapeutic techniques, outing and entertainments. All the participants were given certificates.

## Awareness Programme on Nutrition, Health & Hygiene



The Department of Microbiology and Biochemistry organised an awareness programme on Nutrition, Health and Hygiene for the girl students on 10<sup>th</sup> February, 2020. Ms. R. Mahalakshmi, Head, Department of Nutrition, FSM and Dietetics, Marudhar Kesari Jain College for Women, Vaniyambadi was invited as the chief guest. The III UG girl students from Arts Stream participated in the programme. Dr. S.R. Xavier Raja Rathinam, Vice Principal (Academics Shift-I), Staff and

Students graced the occasion.

## Annual Alumni Day - 2020



The Annual Alumni Day of Sacred Heart College was held on 26<sup>th</sup> January, 2020. The members were explained the Life and Annual Membership by the Executive Members and Volunteers. Sports events for alumni were conducted. Rev. Dr. D. Maria Antony Raj, Principal and the Sacred Heart College Unit Delegate presided over the Annual General Body Meeting. Around 132 alumni members participated in the meet. Dr. S.M. Krishnan, the President, delivered the Presidential Address. Dr. C.R. Christi Anan-

dan, Secretary, presented the Annual Report of the Alumni Association mentioning the various activities including the Chapter Meetings held in Chennai and Hosur. Mr. Nicola Prakash, Treasurer, Alumni Association presented the financial report for the annum, 2019-20. The Executive Committee offered scholarship and Mr. Rooph Sing, alumnus sponsored Rs. 10,000. Mr. A. Gopinathan, Vice President of Alumni Association proposed the vote of thanks and concluded the event.



## வீரமாமுனிவர் நினைவு இலக்கியவிழா



தமிழ்த்துறைச் சார்பாக வீரமாமுனிவர் நினைவு இலக்கிய விழா 04.02.2010 அன்று பிற்பகல் 2.30 மணியளவில் போப்.பிரான்சிஸ் அரங்கத்தில் நடைபெற்றது. இறைவணக்கம் மற்றும் தமிழ்த்தாய் வாழ்த்துடன் நிகழ்ச்சித் தொடங்கியது. தமிழ்த்துறைத் தலைவர் முனைவர் பொன்.செல்வகுமார் அவர்கள் வரவேற்புரை ஆற்றினார். கல்லூரி முதல்வர் அருட்திரு. முனைவர் டி.மரியஅந்தோனிராஜ்

அடிகளார் அவர்கள் தலைமையுரை ஆற்றினார். உதவிப் பேராசிரியர் முனைவர் கி.பார்த்திபராஜா அவர்கள் வாழ்த்துரை வழங்கினார். பேரா.மு.ரோஸ் அவர்கள் அறிமுகவுரை ஆற்றினார்.

சென்னை, மீனம்பாக்கத்தில் உள்ள அகர்சந்தமான்மல் ஜெயின் கல்லூரியிலிருந்து, வருகைப் புரிந்த தமிழ்த்துறை உதவிப் பேராசிரியர் மற்றும் ஒருங்கிணைப்பாளருமான முனைவர் ஏ.கோதண்டராமன் அவர்கள் “வீரமாமுனிவரின் தமிழ்ப்பணி” என்ற தலைப்பில் சிறப்புரை ஆற்றினார். வீரமாமுனிவரின் வரலாறும், அவரின் தமிழ்ப்பணிகளும் குறித்து மிகச் சிறப்பானதொரு உரையை மாணவர்களுக்கு வழங்கினார்.

இரண்டாமாண்டு வணிகவியல் மாணவன் சி.மாணிக்கவேல் நன்றியுரை ஆற்றினார். இரண்டாமாண்டு தமிழ்த்துறை மாணவி ஆனந்தி இந்நிகழ்ச்சியைத் தொகுத்தார். உதவிப் பேராசிரியர் மு.ரோஸ் வீரமாமுனிவர் நினைவு இலக்கியவிழாவினை ஒருங்கிணைப்புச் செய்தார்.

## COMCAP 2020



The Department of Commerce (CA) organized COMCAP – 2020 an Inter-Collegiate Competition on 25th February, 2020. Events like: Com Quiz, For and Against, Innovative Launching, Slogan Logo Ambassador Identification, Master Mind, Face Painting, Young Parliament and Photography were conducted. Rev. Dr. K. A. Maria Arockiaraj, Additional Principal inaugurated the event. About 149 participants from various institutions and 215 students from the host department were

benefited out of the event.

# COLLEGE DAY

The 69th College Day Celebrations of Sacred Heart College (Autonomous), were held on 1st February, 2020, in the college ground, at 5:00 P.M. Rev. Fr. Dr. C. Antony Raj, the Rector of the college welcomed the gathering and introduced the Chief Guest, Mr. K. Ravi, Senior General Manager – PE, TVS Motor Company Ltd., Hosur. The Chief Guest, the Rector and Rev. Fr. Principal distributed mementos to the Additional Principal, Vice-Principals, Administrator, Deans, Heads and members of the IQAC for holding various positions of high stature towards the growth and development of the college. Students were honoured for their excellence in their studies and extra-curricular activities. Scholarships and medals were also awarded to meritorious students.



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Mr. N. Shamuddin, a student from the Department of Computer Applications was specially appreciated by the Chief Guest and the College Management for creating a World Record for sketching the smallest drawing of the Seven Wonders of the World at the size of 0.5 mm. This world record was awarded to him by the Universal Achievers Book of Records and Future Kalam Book of Records, Chennai.

Rev. Dr. D. Maria Antony Raj, the Principal of the college read the report of the year 2019-20, followed by an audio-visual presentation. Mr. K. Ravi, Senior General Manager – PE, TVS Motor Company Ltd, Hosur felicitated the gathering. He appreciated & congratulated the faculty and students on their commendable achievements. In his talk, he recalled a Thirukkural “சொல்லுதல் யார்க்கும் எனிய அரியவாம் சொல்லிய வண்ணம் செயல் .” He appreciated the college for their humanity in rendering an unstinted service to the rural poor for the past seven decades. He narrated to the students his transformation from a humble beginning to a gold medalist and now a general manager working with top German Scientists. Mr. K. Ravi, asked the students whether they knew who they were. He said that this was one of the most difficult questions to answer. If one knew the answer to the question he/she would know his/her purpose in life. He stated that one could know oneself only by self-awareness and through others. He also highlighted the ABCD of life, i.e. ‘Having a right Attitude with a Break-through Mindset along with Commitment and Determination’. He exhorted the students to do what they feel is right and that experiments are the key to success. He encouraged collaborative learning. In his concluding remarks he urged students to do a self-examination in identifying the root cause of each problem and to solve them by applying the ABCD in their life to discover and conquer the challenges of everyday life.



Rev. Dr. K.A. Maria Arokiaraj, Additional Principal, Rev. Dr. Praveen Peter, Vice Principal, (Admin. Shift-I)/, Controller of Examinations, Rev. Dr. G. Theophil Anand, Vice Principal, (Admin. Shift-II), Rev. Dr. Gandhi Kallarasan, Administrator, Rev. Fr. S. Henry Daniel Ambrose, Director, Extension Education & Services, Rev. Fr. Selvaraj Varasadam, Asst. Prof., Dept. of Counselling Psychology, Rev. Fr. Isidore Mani Lazar,



Campus Minister and various Deans, Heads of the Departments, faculty and students graced the occasion. The college choir was orchestrated by Rev. Dr. G. Theophil Anand and the vote of thanks was rendered by Rev. Dr. Praveen Peter, Vice Principal - Shift-I/Controller of Examinations.

## 71<sup>st</sup> Republic Day



On the 26 of January 2020, while India celebrated it's 71st republic Day to honour the date on which the Constitution of India came into effect on 26 January 1950, Sacred Heart College with all pomp and glory exhibited their passion and zeal for the nation. The NCC cadets of Sacred Heart College, performed the guard of honour and march-past. Rev.Dr.D.Maria Antony Raj, the Principal, welcomed and wished everyone a happy republic day. He recalled the

tireless efforts of our leaders who toiled for the betterment of the nation. The NCC Cadets both the boys and girls exhibited their skill in tent making and dismantling within a stipulated time limit. It was followed by the Chief Guest Address, Dr.S.Paul Raj, Head, Department of Social Work. He said that India is making rapid progress in all dimensions and students should contribute to the growth and welfare of the nation. The celebrations concluded with the Vote of Thanks and National Anthem.



# Valedictory of Academic Associations, Groups & Movements and Outreach Programme



On 29.02.2020 at 10.30 a.m. in the Kamarajar Arangam, Sacred Heart College, organized the Valedictory of Academic Associations, Groups and Movements and Outreach Programme. The programme commenced with a prayer song led by Naveen and his team. Rev. Dr. D. Maria Antony Raj, the Principal welcomed the chief guest, the faculty and students. He introduced the guest and urged the students to have a purpose, stick to their goals like the stamp on an envelope, and travel with a purpose like the stamp. Dr. I. Niyaz Ahmed, Assistant Professor, Department of Biochemistry, released a book titled, Allied Microbiology, authored by the staff and students of Biochemistry.

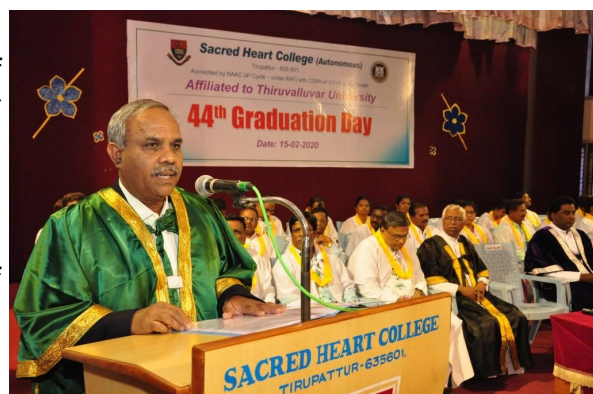
Dr. C.R. Christi Anand, Assistant Professor, Department of Social Work, presented the Outreach Newsletter. The activities of various Associations, Groups and Movements, for the academic year 2019-2020, was presented through Power Point Presentation. It was followed by students laying down the insignia, as a sign of laying down their office.

Dr. S Logarajan, the Chief Guest, Member-Syndicate, Thiruvalluvar University, Associate Professor, Department of English, Government Arts College, Chidambaram, presided over the function. In his address, he touched upon the nature of diversity and the need to be multi-disciplinary. He cited an anecdote to the students on the need to change the inner side of their life, like that of a pencil.

Mr. S. Antony Philomenraj, Assistant Professor, Department of MCA, made a video presentation of the activities of the Associations, Groups and Movements and Outreach. Prizes were distributed to the students and staff who were office bearers of their respective associations and movements. The audience were entertained with music and dance. The Vote of Thanks was proposed by Dr. K. Amala, Assistant Professor, Department of Microbiology.

## 44<sup>th</sup> Graduation Day Report

Sacred Heart College celebrated its 44<sup>th</sup> Graduation Day on Saturday, the 15<sup>th</sup> of February, 2020 at 10.30 a.m. in the Kamarajar Arangam. The celebrations commenced with the academic procession of the dignitaries, the Chief Guest, Dr. L. Karunamoorthy, Registrar, Anna University, Chennai, the Secretary of the college, Rev. Dr.C. Antonyraj, the Principal of the College, Rev. Dr. D. Maria Antony Raj, the Controller of Examinations, Rev. Dr. Praveen Peter, the Additional Principal, Rev. Dr. K.A. Maria Arokiaraj and the Heads of various departments. The dignitaries adorned the dais and after the Thamizh Thai Vazhthu, the Principal welcomed all the dignitaries, invitees, parents, faculty and the graduates. The achievements of the college were showcased through multimedia presentation. In this ceremony, 1144 students from various departments were conferred degrees.





The chief guest in his address extolled the graduates on their successful completion of their courses. He recalled several happy instances of the college and was nostalgic about the virtues imparted to him as a student in the Department of Chemistry. He reiterated three factors that determine the growth of an individual. He opined that one of the changers of life is having an optimistic attitude to fetch good results. The second is positive thinking and the third is Success. Graduates should learn that, humans are different from machines because of the humanness. Therefore he urged the gradu-

ates to inculcate this virtue. He quoted the words of Abdul Kalam to conclude his convocation address as “Learning gives Creativity, Creativity leads to thinking, Thinking provides Knowledge, Knowledge makes you Great.”

The Principal dissolved the proceedings of the 44<sup>th</sup> Graduation Day. The function ended with the National Anthem.

## International Women’s Day



The International Women’s Day was celebrated on 6<sup>th</sup> March, 2020. Rev. Sr. Mary Janet, Youth Ministry, Sisters of Salesians was invited as the chief guest. Rev. Dr.C.Antonyraj, SDB, Rector & Secretary of the institution felicitated the gathering. The chief guest delivered an inspiring speech on: beauty, femininity and love. Dr. A. Merciline Anita, Dean of women students, Shift-I, coordinated the event. Dr. S. Kalaiarasi, Mrs, R. Sandrilla, Mrs. R. Rose, Dr. A. Arockiamary, Dr. R .Kurinji Malar, Dr. K. Amala, Dr. F. Sylvia, Mrs.

M. Poovizhiand and Mrs. K. Saravana Priya graced the occasion.

## National Workshop on Multimedia Tools

The Department of Commerce (CA) organized a National Workshop on Multimedia Tools on 27<sup>th</sup> February, 2020. Rev. Dr. K.A. Maria Arokiaraj, Additional Principal, Shift – II felicitated the gathering. Mr. Godwin Vasanth, Graphics Designer, Genworks Health Private Limited, Sigma Soft Tech Park, Bangalore handled a session on Adobe Photoshop. Mr.S. Suresh MCA & Mr. T.Bharathnathan MCA., PGDCA, Software Developer and Graphics Designer, Rathishna Tech Solutions Pvt. Ltd detailed on Adobe After Effects. About 124 students registered and enriched themselves on multimedia tools.



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