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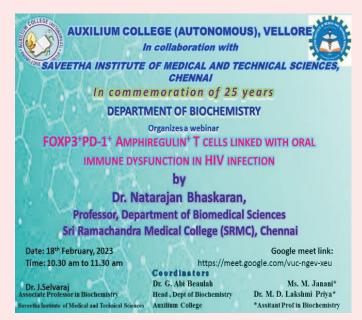
International / National Seminars / Webinars / Workshops/Conferences/Lectures

The Department of Computer Applications, in collaboration with the ICT Academy, conducted a Two-Day International Virtual Conference on 6th and 7th January 2023, on "Applied Data Science and Intelligent Computing". The Resource Person, Mr. Karthik Selvarathinam, Project Manager, Investment Bank, London, UK gave an insight on Intelligent Computing and how to become a good programmer.

The Department of Commerce, in collaboration with the Nature Science Foundation, organized an International Conference on "Emerging Challenges of Green Business in Environment Sustainability" on 4th February 2023. The Resource Persons were Dr. C. Natarajan, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Commerce, Government Arts & Science College, Eriyur, Dharmapuri District, and Prof. Dr. S. Sivesan Sivanandamoorthy, Professor in Marketing, Co-Ordinator / Tourism & Hospitality Management Degree Programme, Faculty of Management Studies & Commerce, University of Jaffna – Sri Lanka.



The Department of Biochemistry organized a Webinar in collaboration with Saveetha Institute of Medical and Technical Sciences, Chennai on 18th February 2023. The Chief Guest was Dr. Natarajan Bhaskaran, Professor, Department of Biomedical Sciences, Sri Ramachandra Medical College (SRMC), Chennai animated on "FOXP3+ PD-1' Amphiregulin+ T cells linked with oral immune dysfunction in HIV infection". Nearly, 135 students benefited through this Webinar.





Training Programme

The Career Guidance and Placement Cell, in association with the Nandhi Foundation, organized a Soft Skill Training Program on "Stepping into the Future World", from 18th January 2023 to 20th January 2023. Mr. Paul Ravichandran, Mr. Gokulnath, Mr. Aravind and Mr. Diwakar were the Trainers for the Program. All the III-year UG students from Shift I and Shift II attended the program. The Training Program focused on developing skills such as Communication skills, Teamwork, Problemsolving, Emotional intelligence, Positive attitude and taking the initiative.

A specialized short-term Personality Development Programme was conducted for the Prison Police officers at the Academy of Prisons and Correctional Administration, Vellore from 10th to 12th January 2023. Sessions were conducted by the Resource Persons Dr. Amudha Arockia Mary, Assistant Professor, Department of English, Dr. Beulah Suresh, Head / Assistant Professor Department of MBA from Auxilium College, Professors from Voorhees College, and CMC, Vellore. They highlighted topics like Interpersonal relationships, Professional Ethics and Morality Etiquette Management, Conflict Management, Dynamic Team Building, Positive thinking, Public speaking, Communication skills, Stress and Time management.





The Department of Business Administration conducted a One-week Management Development Programme (MDP) in association with Matha Educational Trust, Gandhi Nagar, sponsored by MSME, Chennai from 9th to 14th January 2023. 25 students of III BBA participated in the program. The topics included Motivation and Self-confidence, Self-Employment, HR Management, Export Management, Marketing Management, Personnel Management, Financial Management, Risk Taking & Goal setting, Communication Skills, and Creative thinking among others.



The Department of Hospital Administration sent 54 Students from III BBA (Hospital Administration) to CMC Vellore for 2 months Internship from 27th February 2023.

PG and Research Department of Zoology organized Sr. Antoinette Aloysius Endowment Lecture for II B.SC., Zoology. Dr. Cathrine Sofia L, Associate Professor and Head, Department of Zoology, Muthurangam Govt. Arts College (Autonomous), Vellore, was the resource person and delivered a lecture on "Genetics and Syndromes".



ONLINE COURSE

Spoken Tutorial, IIT Bombay conducted an Online Course classes "Libre Office Suite Writer 6.3". Ms. Janani P., Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science, and Ms. A. Kokila, Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Applications, the course instructors conducted classes from 1st December 2022 to 28th February 2023 for 354 students of Arcot Sri Mahalakshmi Women's College, Villapakkam, through Google Meet.

VALUE ADDED COURSE

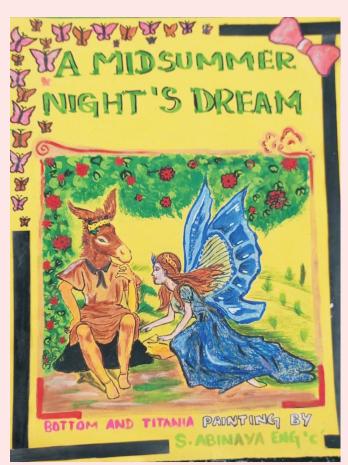
The Department of Commerce (Banking and Insurance) along with Commerce Shift I & II in collaboration with Audacious Dreams Foundation organized a Session to give an introduction to value-added course on "Global Understanding for Sustainable Development Goals" on 6th January 2023. The session was conducted by Mr. Dinesh Gajendran, Catalyst and Executive Director Audacious Dreams Foundation, he gave an explanation about the Course Objective, Course Outline, Teaching Methodology, Course delivery mode, Course facilitators, and certification. A total of 150 students of Commerce (Banking and Insurance) attended this session.



Competitions

To commemorate 135th Ramanujan's birth anniversary, VIT University, Vellore, organized "The National Mathematics Day - VIT MATHFEST 2022" on 22nd December 2022. 2 Ph.D. research scholars participated and won prizes in Paper Presentations, Math Documentary and Quiz Competition.

The English Literary Association conducted an Online Painting Competition on the topic "Paint a Scene from Shakespeare's Comedies" on 8th January 2023 and collected the art work of the students through Google Classroom.



The English Literary Association conducted a Script Writing Competition on "Nature and Fantasy: William Shakespeare's A Midsummer Night's Dream", for UG students I Year (Acts 1 & 2), II Year (Act 3) and III Year (Act 4 & 5) on 11th January 2023.

The English Literary Association conducted an Online Poetry Writing Competition on "Dedicate an Original Poem to any of your Favourite Literary characters" for UG students (Shift I) on 11th January 2023 and collected the poems through Google Classroom.



The English Literary Association conducted "Peace Essay Writing Competition" based on Pope's message (2023) "No One Can be Saved Alone" on 19th January 2023. Ms. Naveena Deborah A, I English A won the First place.



The English Literary Association conducted a Book Talk competition on "A Favourite Book Read Recently" for the UG students (Shift I) on 20th January 2023. Ms. Birundha S. from II English B won in the competition.



The Quiz club of the Department of History conducted a Quiz competition on the topic "Republic Day" on 24th January 2023. The students from the Department of History participated. The students were divided into five teams and Team A secured First place.



The Department of Computer Science conducted the "Resume Preparation Competition" on 24th January 2023. The competition was judged by Ms. Pushpa Antanet Sheeba G. Assistant Professor Department of Computer Science.

The Department of Communication Media conducted the Association activities for the Undergraduate students on the 25th and 27th of January 2023. One-minute Short Film Contest, Poster Contest, and Pebbles Painting Contest was conducted for the students.

The Department of Social Work and Schieffelin Institute of Health & Research Leprosy Center organized a Mini Marathon for 5 km. 100 students from Auxilium College participated and won 1st, 2nd, and 3rd prizes.

Ms. Shivani R., Ms. Subhashini S., and Ms. Nishanthi S. from III English C participated in the National Level Online Intercollegiate Competitions organized by Patna Women's College (Autonomous), Patna

University, Patna, Bihar & Jayaraj Annapackiam College for Women (Autonomous), Peryakulam, Tamilnadu on 10th February 2023 and they secured 3rd Place in Discuss and Tell Competition.

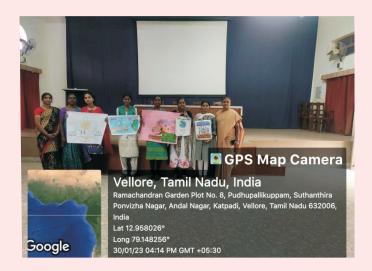
The Journalism Club organized a competition, "A Trailblazer Hunt '23" from 25th to 27th February 2023. Students from various departments participated in the competitions and won Prizes.

The Department of English Journalism Club conducted "The Best Book Reader" Contest on 27th February 2023. Students from various departments participated. Ms. Glynis E. I B.A. English A won the Best Book Reader Award.



The Department of History conducted an Essay writing competition on the theme, "India-a Tourist attraction and its Effects on the Country" on 30th January 2023. Students from the department of History participated and won prizes.

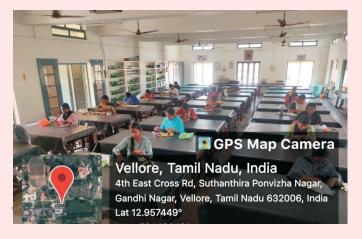
The Department of History conducted the Poster Presentation Competition on the topic "Peace" on 30th January 2023. Students from the department of History participated and won prizes.



An Essay Writing Competition was conducted by the department of History on the topic, "Together towards on the path of Peace along with Pope Francis" on 6th February 2023. Ms. Srimalini from II BAHistory won the **Rolling Trophy**.

The Department of Computer Application conducted Quiz competition on 21st February 2023. The Rounds of the quiz competitions are Find the Term, Jumbled Letters, Abbreviations, Dumb Charades, General Knowledge, and Rapid-Fire Round. Students from the Department of Computer Application participated.

The Department of Zoology conducted an Interdepartmental Vegetable Carving Competition on "The Animal Model" on 21st February 2023. The students from all the departments participated enthusiastically.



Kanagasabai Devotional Poetry competition on the topic "Perozhiyae Iraivaa Arulvaai" on 22^{nd} February 2023. Students and Staff members participated in the Poetry Competition.

The Department of Computer Applications (Shift I) conducted a Paper Presentation competition on Wireless Networking, Blockchain Technology, 3D Printing Technology, Aircraft GPS Tracking, and How to tackle Phishing Attacks on 27th February 2023. Students actively participated and won prizes.

Educational Trip

The Department of Physics went to an Industrial visit to "The Visvesvaraya Industrial and Technology Museum (VITM) & Lalbagh Botanical Garden", Bangalore on 21st January 2023. Students were accompanied by their staff members.

PG students from the Department of Zoology went on a field visit to the Sewage Water Treatment Plant and Molecular Laboratory at Vellore Institute of Technology on 31st January 2023.



The Department of Psychology went to an Industrial Visit on 17th February 2023 to SCARF, India in Chennai and Adharavu Home, a Service-Oriented Charitable trust and rehabilitation center for behavioral disorders. 27 III B.Sc. Psychology students were accompanied by their Staff members.









COLLEGE EVENTS

Tamil Nadu State Rural Livelihood Mission in collaboration with Auxilium College, conducted 'College Bazaar' at Auxilium College on 20th January 2023. Over 20 Self Help Groups put up a stall. Staff members and students benefited.

Ms. Maria Gratia and Ms. Lucy, the nieces of Mother Cecira Galina foundress of Auxilium College visited the Auxilium from 23rd to 24th January 2023.





The Department of Biochemistry, Microbiology and Zoology in collaboration with Christian Medical College, Vellore organized an Awareness Programme on "Cervical Cancer and its Prevention and the Benefits of Human Papillomavirus (HPV) vaccines" on 31st January 2023. Dr. Anitha Thomas, Head, Department of Gynecological Oncology, delivered a lecture on women's health. Dr. Banu, Medical Research Assistant spoke about HPV vaccines. Dr. Sahana Punneshetty, Assistant Professor, Department of Gynecological Oncology, shed light on cervical

Cancer and its preventive measures. The pledge was taken to eliminate Cervical cancer and to initiate awareness about the HPV vaccine.



The Internal Quality Assurance Cell organized the Administrative Academic Audit on 23rd February 2023 under the expert panel of Dr. A. Xavier Mahimairaj, Department of Commerce, Loyola College, Chennai, Dr. Antony Samy, Department of English, Loyola College, Chennai, Dr. T. Augustine Arul Prasad, Department of Chemistry, Chennai, D.G. Vaishnava College, Chennai and Dr. Swathi Pillai, IQAC Coordinator, Department of Hindi, Guru Nanak College, Chennai. All the clubs and movements showcased their projects that took place between 2016 and 2023 in the Seminar Hall, Administrative Block.



New Initiative

The Department of BCA initiated a Project with the ICT ACADEMY through its institutional tie-ups for skilling women and implemented a CSR initiative. 100 students from the Department of Computer Science and Applications got certified by undergoing training from Cognizant Foundation on UiPath Certified RPA Associate for 120 hours. Fund of Rs. 25,000/was sanctioned for this project.

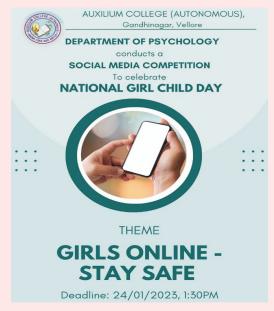
Observation of days of National/International Importance-National days

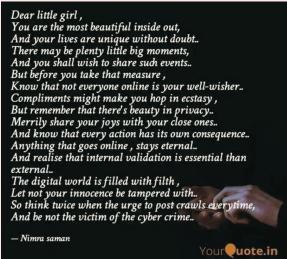
The Department of Business Administration in association with Ambalal Group of Companies, Vellore, observed International Entrepreneurship Day on 11th January 2023. The Chief Guest was Dr. M. Venkada Subbu, Founder & Director, Darling Group of Companies, Vellore, and the Guest of Honor was Mr. G. Praburam, Founder, Alubee Die Casters, Hosur. Mr. Jawarilal Jain, Chairman, Ambalal group, Mr. Karan Jawarilal, Chairman, Ambalal Shares & Stocks. The students of the Department of BBA benefitted from the various motivational speeches of the Resource Persons.





The Department of Psychology conducted a Social Media competition on the theme "Girls Online-Stay Safe" on 24th January 2023 for **National Girl Child Day.** Students were encouraged to create Posters, Photos, Captions, Poetry, or Reels and submit their entries through Instagram.







Ms. Honerine Joseph X, I B.Sc Psychology won Second place in the District level Poster Competition conducted by the District Collectorate of Vellore as part of the commemorations for **National Voters Day** on 25th of January 2023.



The Department of History observed **Martyrs' Day** which is also known as Shaheed Diwas on 30th January 2023 to commemorate the death of Mahatma Gandhi. The students observed a moment of prayer and took a pledge to end untouchability and violence.

Young Innovators Day was organized by the Committee of Research Ethics, Publications, and IPR in collaboration with Tamil Nadu Science Forum (TNSF) Auxilium College Branch to mark the National Science Day on 28th February 2023. Prof. Dr. T. Arumugam, Vice-Chancellor, Thiruvalluvar University, Serkkadu, Mr. Ingersol S., Scientist, Former Group Director, Indian Space Research

Organization, Bangalore and Dr. S. R. Sethu Raman, State Secretary, TNSF, Project Director, IIT Madras – PMC TECH, had been the Chief Guests for the Occasion.





The Department of Microbiology, Auxilium College (Autonomous), Vellore, Tamil Nadu in association with the Microbiologists Society, India celebrated **National Science Day** on 28th March 2023 by conducting a Micro Toon competition for undergraduate students. 18 students from the Department of Microbiology actively participated in the Micro Toon competition.





Celebrations

Sports Day

67th Sports Day of Auxilium College was held on 12th January 2023. The Chief Guest was Mr. Rajesh Kannan, IPS, Superintendent of Police, Vellore. The Department of Commerce won the **Overall Championship Trophy.** The Department of Commerce Shift-I and the Department of Microbiology were the Winners of March Past. It was an energetic day for the Students and Staff members exhibiting their physical talents.





The Department of Tamil conducted Pongal Celebration on 13th January 2023. The Chief Guest, T.A. Yesu Nathaniel Prabhu, Assistant Professor, Department of Tamil, Voorhees College, Vellore, gave a talk on "Isai Pongal" and expressed the importance of the Pongal celebration through songs.





As a part of the Department of Business Administration's Silver Jubilee celebration, Mr. Kulandei Francis, the Founder & President of Integrated Village Development Project (IVDP), Krishnagiri, generously sponsored an outdoor LED panel for the college. The inauguration ceremony of the LED Panel was held on 20th February 2023.



The Department of Communication Media celebrated the Christmas Season in Missionaries of Charity - Nirmal Hirday Destitute Homes for Mentally Challenged Children in Shenbakkam, Vellore on 22nd December 2022. The students performed Cultural programs and distributed Christmas Cake.

The Christmas Celebration for the staff members was organized by Auxilium College on 22nd December 2022. Staff members from Shift I and II participated and shared their gifts.



Christmas celebration was organized for Staff members and students on 23rd December 2022. It was filled with delight, cheerfulness, and worship. Rev. Fr. A. Roy Lazar, Parish Priest, Arni was the Chief Guest, who spoke about the importance of the celebrations of Christmas. The celebrations included festive dance, carols, skit, tableau with profound messages, depiction of the nativity scene, and an add-on surprise by Santa Claus.



Maithra Loushini V of I English A and Vinisha A. of II English A participated in the 26th National Youth Festival 2023 at Hubbali - Dharwad, Karnataka, organized by the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Govt. of India and Department of Youth Empowerment & Sports, Govt. of Karnataka from 12th to 16th January 2023. The students also attended in talk given by Narendra Modi, the Prime Minister of India.



Gratitude Day

Auxilium College organized Gratitude Day on 28th January 2023 for both Shift I & II students. Dr. (Sr) Jayashanthi, Principal, Auxilium College addressed the gathering and distributed sweets to all the students. Cultural program was performed by the students as a token of gratitude towards Rev. Sr. Alice K T, Superior, Principal, Vice Principals, Faculty members and non-teaching staff for their guidance and constant support.



The Feast Day of Don Bosco was celebrated on 31st January 2023. Students of Auxilium College commemorated John Bosco, the Italian Catholic Priest, Educator, Writer, and Saint of the 19th century, with a skit that shed light on how his series of dreams played an influential role in his outlook and work. Students also contributed cultural programmes depicting the life of Don Bosco.

Naan Mudalvan Scheme

For the exposure visit to Naan Mudalvan Scheme Students and Teachers from TMKV Govt Girls Hr. Sec. School, Kangeyanallur, TMKV Govt. Boys Hr. Sec. School, Kangeyanallur, V.K.V.M Govt. Hr. Sec. School, Velapadi, Govt. Muslim Hr. Sec. School, Vellore, and Govt. Hr. Sec. School, Kosavanpudur visited Auxilium College on 24th February 2023.

Staff Members and Catholic students from Shift I & II had a retreat on 25th February 2023. Rev. Fr. Arockia Doss, Rev. Fr. Selvaraj, Rev. Fr. Bala Singham and Rev. Fr. Amal Raj were the Resource Persons.

Extension Activities

NCC cadet Ms. Mohanalakshmi. V II Zoology won 3rd place in FIRING held during the NCC CATC Camp from 04th January 2023 to 11th January 2023.

The Enviro Club organized a cooking competition on Cooking with millets on 27th January 2023. Students actively participated by preparing and exhibiting different recipes.

The IT club conducted a Model-Making competition to excel in innovative ideas in the field of Computer Networks and e-waste on 31st January 2023.

NSS Students from Auxilium College participated in Youth Festival -10 km Marathon and Cycle Rally organized by NSS of Auxilium College (Autonomous) in collaboration with the Thiruvalluvar University on 5th February 2023.

The Career Guidance and Placement Cell, Auxilium College (Autonomous), Vellore in association with King Makers IAS Academy organized a Programme on 'Career Opportunities in Civil Service's UPSC/TNPSC' on 06th February 2023 for final year UG and PG students.

Students from the Department of Microbiology visited Panchayat Union Middle School in Thandalam Krishnapuram, Vellore on 27th Feb 2023 as a part of extension activity to create 'Awareness on Personal Hygiene' Students clarified their queries on the importance of personal hygiene.

NSS Unit arranged for the Mobile Planetarium at Indoor Stadium, Auxilium College (Autonomous), Vellore from 24th to 28th February 2023. Around 3000 students benefited.





Student's Achievements

Don Bosco College, Yelagiri hosted a "National Level Intercollegiate Management Fest" with the theme "Management in AI driven World - Leaping forward towards revolution" on 9th February 2023. 26 students from II MBA participated and won the **Championship Award.**



Ms. Meera Jenifer A., II English A, received a **Certificate of Appreciation** from the house of Veranda Race at Kingston College for qualifying the Preliminary Examination of VEST conducted on 25th February 2023. This certificate also acts as an entry pass for the UPSC Preparation Conference which will be held at Chennai by Mr. U.Sagayam IAS (VR).

Inter-Year Dramatics

The English Literary Association organized an Inter-Year Dramatics competition on William Shakespeare's comedy "A Midsummer's Night Dream" on 31st January 2023. Students participated with great gusto and enthusiasm in this competition. The Judges were Ms. Esther Rajathi M., Ms. Leena Xavier, Ms. Archana Venkatraman, English Faculties, Springdays CBSE School. III years won the First Place, I years won the Second Place and II years won the third place. Ms. Asna Thasneem A. of III A won the Best Actress Award. Ms. Sheena Sahana of I A won the Best Director Award.





The Department of English (Shift II) conducted Inter-Departmental Dramatics on 6th February 2023. The Judges were G. Rekha, Assistant Professor of English, Voorhees College, Vellore. Dr. Saravanan. V., Assistant Professor, Department of English, VIT University, Vellore and Dr. C. Indria, Assistant Professor, Department of English, Marudhar Kesari Jain College for Women, Vaniyambadi. The PrizeWinners were First place- Department of Microbiology, Second place-Department of Computer Science and Mathematics Third place-Department of BBA.



Sports

Students from the Department of Mathematics participated in the Intramurals (200 Metre Dash) organized by Auxilium College (Autonomous), Vellore on 5th January 2023. Ms. Keerthika G. from I B. Sc Mathematics won the first prize.

Students from the Department of Mathematics participated in the Intramurals organized by Auxilium College (Autonomous), Vellore on 6th January 2023. Ms. Keerthika G. of I B. Sc. Mathematics won the Second Prize in 100 Metre Dash.

Achievements

Ms. Vidhya K, Faculty and Research Scholar, PG and Research Department of Zoology, under the supervision of Dr. Sr. Regina Mary, Assistant Professor, PG and Research Department of Zoology and Former Principal of Auxilium College, Ms. Vidhya K defended her thesis on the topic "Bioremediation and Application Studies of Chromium Contaminated Water Using Peels of Musa

Paradisiaca and Seeds of Moringa Oleifera" and was awarded the **Doctor of Philosophy.** The External Examiner was Dr. Jebanesan A, Associate Professor, PG and Research Department of Zoology, Annamalai University, Chidambaram.

Dr. Sr. Jayasanthi. R., received the **Best Principal Award** from the Nature Science Foundation at Nehru Arts and Science College, Coimbatore on 25th February 2023.



Resource talk on Preventive system

Aided Staff and Unaided Staff had a meeting with Sr. Alice K.T., Secretary on 28th February 2023. She emphasized the importance of incorporating St. John Bosco's Preventive System into teaching practices. She highlighted the three pillars of the system: Reason, Religion, and Loving Kindness, and also stressed the need for teachers to establish positive relationships with students, provide guidance, and promote holistic development.



Staff Tour

Auxilium College Management arranged a trip to Hogenakkal, Dharmapuri on 1st December 2022. 60 Staff Members from Shift I and II participated in the trip.



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