

Nirmala Arts & Science College, Mulanthuruthy

ANNUAL REPORT 2018-2019

Warm greetings to all

It is with enormous pleasure that I stand before you to present a brief report of the activities of the college during the academic year 2018-19.

With 12 years of academic excellence in educating and empowering thousands of students to contribute artistically and fruitfully to the society, Nirmala Arts & Science College is heading towards educational quality and I am truly honoured to be part of the family. This is achieved with the endless teamwork of the management, staff and the students that the college is able to reach where we are today.

The students of the college are given equal prospects to nurture and prosper in their life to be treasured to humanity. We also offer them the right platform to advance their distinct talents. In this voyage to become exceptional in their field, our students are steered by the faculty members of the institution. The staff of the college are the mentors of these young minds and I cherish the pain taken by the teachers during this journey.

We are enduring our journey effectively in the path laid by the founder of the institution Very Rev. O. C. Kuriakose Cor-Episcopa, who submitted his life into educating the multitudes in 1956 by providing primary schooling to children in the nearby zones.

I summon the Almighty for granting his optimal blessings on the institution and its adherents **INDUCTION CEREMONY**

The college officially received its new batch of students in a grand ceremony on 19th July. The chief guest of the day was Dr. K. S Radhakrishnan, former Vice Chancellor, Kalady University. His speech imparted understanding, inspiration and motivation to the new students. The event educated the new entrants about the environment of the institution and connected them with people in it.

ORIENTATION PROGRAMMES

Orientation for students

An orientation programme was conducted for the First-Year students by Dr. Mary Matilda, Rtd. Principal of Maharaja's and Personality Trainer, during the month of August. She spoke verbosely about the importance of setting goals in life and how to go about achieving them.

ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES

The College is currently having 5 UG and 1 PG courses, affiliated to Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam;

- 1.B. Com (Finance & Tax)
- 2. B. Com (Computer Applications)

3.BBA

4.BCA

- 5. BA (literature & Communication)
- 6. M. Com (Finance)

UNIVERSITY EXAM RESULTS FOR THE YEAR 2018-19.

Sl. No	Programme	Percentage
1	B. Com (Finance & Tax)	93.75
2	B. Com (Computer Applications)	80.43
3	BBA	100
4	BCA	87.5
5	BA (literature & Communication)	62.5
6	M.Com (Finance)	76.92

• During the academic year 2018-19, 30 teachers attended the Faculty Development Programme.

ADD ON COURSES

Apart from the academics the college provides add-on courses with a view to improve the employability skills of the students. The courses offered by the college are listed below.

- 1. Professional English
- 2. Logistics and supply chain management.
- 3. Basics of accounting software TALLY ERP 9
- 4. Income tax concepts and practice
- 5. Software for data analysis and presentation
- 6. Front end development
- 7. Competitive Exam and soft skill training course
- 8. Bank Exam coaching
- 9. Advanced MS Office
- 10. IATA

ACHIEVEMENTS

• The students represented the college at the M.G. University Youth Festival Drama Competition. The play was well received by the audience & bagged good grades.

• Basil P. P, B. Com CA secured the First Prize at a drawing competition in S. H. Thevara College. He also won the second prize at St. Peter's College for the Painting Competition.

DEPARTMENTAL ACTIVITIES

Post Graduate Department of Commerce

- The activities of Commerce Association of Nirmala (CAN) 2018 2019 was inaugurated by a formal inauguration held in the college auditorium 17th September 2018. Former College Principal Prof. V G Ramanan Chaired the function and conducted a session on the topic latest amendments in companies Act. Principal Dr. C A Geetha, Dean Prof. Daisy N O, Manager George Kuriakose were the other dignitaries on the dais
- The department organized a workshop on Research tools for M. Com students and Research writing techniques for B. Com students by Asst. Professor Priya P S on 10th and 25th October.
- A Speech on the Union Budget of 2019 was conducted on 5th February.
- A Commerce quiz competition was conducted on 25th September.

Department of Computer Application

- The Department of Computer Applications steered 'Exynos' 2018 the Department Fest on September 14 which included events such as Techno Quiz, Gaming, Letter Writing, Debugging, Brain Overload and other fun games. The events provided a great opportunity to the staff and students to have a wholesome experience.
- The Department of Computer Application has conducted a Technical Quiz competition as part of International Programmers Day on 17th September 2018. A total of 3 rounds were conducted with events such as Multiple-Choice Questions, Visual Animation and Abbreviation Test. The students were excited to participate as they got the platform to assess their knowledge level. The winners and participants were awarded with memento and certificates in order to encourage them to participate in many such events coming up in future.
- As part of Computer Security Day Department of Computer Applications has conducted a
 technical event on 30th November 2018. The participants are provided with three rounds including
 coding, brainstorming and debugging. The event provided the opportunity to improve the
 programming skills of students.

Department of Management Studies

 Department of Management studies of our college organised an "Awareness program on modern techniques in production and time management" on November 5TH 2018 at seminar hall for third semester BBA students. The aim of this session is to study time management

- skills and to create awareness on time management techniques among college students. The session was handled by Mr. Rajeev R, Marketing Head, Kitex Garments Unit
- The department organized an orientation programme on the scope of the project on 30th June 2018. Asst Prof. Unnikrishnan M T, Head of the department took part in the session.
- A case study presentation on "Work Life balance in larger organization" was conducted on 7th november 2018 by Ast Prof. Anu Haridas.
- An orientation class on "Effective report writing" was conducted on 16th December 2018 by Asst. Prof Unnikrishnan M T, Head of the department.

Department of English

- The Department of English hosted PR Campaign 2018 'Kinder Stern' with its focus on children's Rights. A plethora of events were lined up in the months of December and January.
- The events included 'Cynosure'- Expert Talk for which there were two speakers Ms. Ferin Ghani, Content Producer, Radio Mango and Dr Nisha Vikraman, Asst.Prof. St. Teressa's college.
- The Final year BA students organized a dance drama depicting the issue of child abuse. They also took classes for students of VII standard at St. Mary's school, Thalacode.
- An exhibition of paintings was conducted on the college campus. **PLACEMENT**

Our college has a well-organized placement cell associated with companies like TCS, Wipro, KPMG, Axis Bank etc. Eldho Peter, faculty, Department of BCA, who has experience in IT industry as well as in teaching steers the functioning of the cell.

2016-2019 graduation batches passed out in flying colours with twenty-four students getting placed with Wipro, Infosys, APTIV Connections, Fidelity National, Financial India, CFCICI, EXL, AGAPPE, Suzuki, Tech Mahindra, TCS and Hyundai

Clubs and Cells

National Service Scheme

- Nirmala College Mulanthuruthy NSS Unit 113 celebrated World Environment Day on June 5, 2018 in association with Nature Club & Mulanthuruthy Agriculture Office. Over 50 NSS volunteers participated in the function.
- The unit celebrated World Yoga Day on June 21, 2018 in which College Manager Sri. George Kuriakose inaugurated the function. The Art of Living trainer Smt. Salini Rakesh gave Yoga lessons to students.
- The formal inauguration of the Nirmala College NSS Unit 113 was held at the college Auditorium on 18.09.2018. The function was inaugurated by Dr. MC. Dileep Kumar, Ex-Vice Chancellor of Sri. Shankaracharya University, Kalady.
- In connection with the 'Clean Campus Green' programme, initiated by the district Shuchitva Mission. The inauguration of 'Clean Campus- Green Campus Programme' was conducted at

- the college on 2nd October 2018, Gandhi Jayanthi Day. The NSS Program officer, Sri. Unnikrishnan M T welcomed the gathering.
- The Seven-day special camp of the college NSS Unit 'Sukrutham' 2019 started at Govt.
 Higher Secondary School, Mulanthuruthy on 21ST December 2018 afternoon. Special camp
 was initiated with the dual objectives of rehabilitation of the flood affected regions and
 cleaning activities instructed by 'Clean Campus Green Campus Programme'.

ACTIVITIES

Flood Relief Camp

The months of July and August last year witnessed a testing period for the state of Kerala as continuous rains lashed out to wreak chaos far and near. The College opened up its gates as a relief camp to serve nearly 200 affected families from regions like Cheranellor. The student volunteers worked day in and out to help those in need.

College Union

- The college union election for the academic year 2018-19 was held on 11th September which was conducted in parliamentary model as per university guidelines. Adarsh Babu was elected as the chair- person and Arya Shanoj as vice chairperson.
- The oath taking of the elected union members was conducted on September 19th.
- The Union Day 'SIDDA' was inaugurated on October 5th. The chief guest of the day was the young talented cine actor Shri. Manikandan R Achari. The day was buzzing with the vibrant energy of the crowd. The formal function was followed by various cultural programmes.

Music Therapy

Music therapy is a type of expressive arts therapy that uses music to improve and maintain the physical, psychological and social well-being of individuals. The College had the wonderful opportunity to provide its students with a first-class music therapy session led by the music director Alex Paul.

The Inter-Collegiate Fest

The Inter-Collegiate Fest Sreshta 2K19 - 'The Quest for the Best' was held on 30th January 2019. A total of twenty-seven colleges and two schools participated in a total of seven events.

Talents Day

Nirmala Arts and Science College Mulanthuruthy had organised talents day on 30th June 2018 to bring out the talents among students. Students participated in various events and exhibited their talents.

Sports

Various sports events marked the week-long sporting fever. Badminton, cricket, football, chess and

carrom saw eager participation from the students.

Christmas Celebration

The college celebrated Christmas with great fervour. Carols and Xmas Tree decoration competitions

added to the festive mood.

College Day

College Day was celebrated in the month of February. The college felicitated the winners of various

competitions and those excelling in academics. The best outgoing students of various departments

were also recognized and prizes were awarded.

Alumni Meet

The backbone of a college is a strong alumnus. Keeping this in mind, the college organised the

Alumni Meet on 23 February. Over 300 ex-students attended the grand event. The Resolute former

principal of the college, Prof. V. G. Ramanan was honoured on the occasion.

Farewell

Farewell for the final year students were conducted on 25th February 2019 in the college auditorium.

Let me conclude this report with the satisfaction that God Almighty has led us well in this

difficult year of the Great flood without much hardship to our students and staff, who have

wholeheartedly co-operated with us. I now look forward to a new dawn of hope and prosperity for

all the students, staff and this institution.

March 2019

Dr. C.A. Geetha

Principal