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Principal's Desk

Dear Students.

Greetings

During the vacation, you had the opportunity to undergo the internship in the chosen organization. By this time, you are a bit familiarized with the functioning of the organization and the subjects you have studied in the campus. Internships are the tools to bridge the gap between the theoretical academics and the practical world.

Those who are entering into the 6^{th} semester need to focus on building their career.

It's the time for you to choose the options like a) Higher studies b) Career c)Self employment

- The opportunity to pursue higher studies requires the clearing of entrance test like PG CET, CAT and MAT. Devote time to study both your subjects as well as entrance tests.
- Those who want to explore career through campus placement, need to focus on the campus placement tests by contacting the HRD Cell in the campus.
- Those who aspire for creating own enterprises need to consult the RUDSETI, Ujire

For any further clarifications and support contact your HODs.

All the very best wishes.

Dr. P.N. Udayachandra

Principal





Kreeda Poshaka Award





It's a proud moment for all of us. The SDM Educational Trust has won the prestigious "Kreeda Poshaka" Award - 2021-22". SDM Educational Trust under SDM Sports Club and its many initiatives have been instrumental in finding the talents and provide best of the training facilities. As a result, one may see several national and international sportspersons shining at national and international levels. The Sports club sponsors several events and organises events at Ujire. The college provided scholarships and freeships for achievements in sports. A free hostel and coaching facilities are for the students, and they are also given special attention in academics. The college sports facilities include Sri Ratnavarma Heggaade Outdoor stadium with 400 Mts track and facilities for all track and field events, Indraprastha Auditorium for all indoor games, a swimming pool, multi-gym and separate, free hostel facility for boys and girls. Trained coaches are appointed, and dietary facilities are provided for the physical fitness of the athletes. SDM E Trust, under the able leadership of Dr D Veerendra Heggade, Sri D Harshendra Kumar, Prof. S Prabhakar and Dr B Yashovarma has been constantly supporting every initiative in sports on the campus and this award befittingly recognises the philanthropic initiatives rendered by the management in the field. Mr Narayana Gowda, Sports Minister, Govt of Karnataka announced the award on 4 April 2022.

Dr Shashiprabha, Assistant Professor, PG Department of Chemistry, is sanctioned with Rs. 20,000/- by Karnataka Science and Technology Academy to conduct workshops/symposia/seminars to spread scientific awareness under the Scheme Small Grants



Dr Shashiprabha, Assistant Professor, PG Department of Chemistry, is sanctioned with a partial grant of amount Rs. 25,000/- for the project titled 'A Study of Colocasia Esculenta Leaf Slurry as an Efficient Surface Applicant Additive' by Karnataka Science and Technology Academy under the Scheme 'Short Term Studies.'



Dr Sudheer K V, Assistant Professor of Psychology, is sanctioned with Rs. 30,000/- for his research project under the scheme of short term research proposal by KSTA, Govt of Karnataka.



Dr Bhaskara Hegde, Head, Department of Journalism, is unanimously elected as the honorary president of The Association of Journalism Teachers of Mangalore University.



Ekalavya Award





Mr Ashwal Rai and Mr Nithin, Alumni of SDM College (Autonomous), Ujire, have secured the "Ekalavya" award of the Karnataka state, which is the highest sports award.





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Mr Nandish is the proud recipient of the Chief Minister's Medal for his outstanding contributions to the Police Departmental services on Police Flag Day held at Koramangala, Bangalore, on 2 April 2022. He was recognised for his works, such as providing final rites to the unclaimed dead bodies, cracking the drug mafia and many more.

Mr Nandish graduated in Commerce from our college in 2000. He is also a proud alumnus of Rathnamanasa and Siddavana Gurukula. We are

extremely pleased to congratulate Mr Nandish on your achievement.

Obituary

Dr K Gopalakrishna Bhat

Retired Professorin Botany, Poornaprajna College Udupi, passed away on Thursday, 7 April 2022. His contribution as an adviser to our college arboretum will be remembered forever. We express our deepest condolences on his sad demise.



Semester End Examinations

Due to the Pandemic and country-wide lockdown, the college could re-open for academic activities a bit delayed. As a result, we could conduct the odd sem-end examinations in the month of March and April 2022. Students have worked hard to perform their best in the examinations. We wish them every success. As per the college calendar, the college undergraduate programmes will resume for the even semesters from 5 May.





Social Responsibility Initiatives

The Department of PG Studies in Social Work, in association with Grama Panchayat, Ujire, and KMC Hospital, Mangalore, organised the "Voluntary Blood Donation Camp and Awareness on Organ Donation" programme on 13 April 2022 at Sharada Mantapa, Ujire. Mr Ravi Kumar, Vice President, Grama Panchayat, Ujire, was the inaugurator of the programme. Dr Akshatha, Health Officer, Primary Health Centre, Ujire, was the resource person. More than 50 volunteers donated blood during the occasion.

Alumni Interactions

The Department of PG Studies and Research in Psychology organised an alumni interaction by Ms Gopika, Academic Counsellor, Kerala, on 1 April 2022. The speaker spoke about competitive examinations and the scope of higher education. I MSc Psychology students attended the session.

Industrial Visits

The Department of PG Studies and Research in Commerce organised a one-day industrial visit to Campco Ltd., Puttur, Directorate of Cashew Research, Puttur, and Gurucharan Industries, Mangalore, for the I M.Com. and I M.Com. (IBM) students on 26th March 2022. This visit was mainly focused on orienting the students regarding the industrial process, organisational culture and behaviour. Dr Priya Kumari and Ms Madhushree, Assistant Professors, coordinated the visit.

Departmental Association Activities

• The Department of PG Studies in Social Work with its Departmental Student's Forum 'Synergy' organised HRD Series - 04 on "Environment Management" on 29 March 2022. Dr Sudarshan P, Assistant Professor, Department of PG Studies & Research in Biotechnology, was the resource person. Dr Chitra B C, Assistant Professor, was the programme coordinator. Around 54 students of I MSW participated in the event.





The Department of PG Studies in Social Work with its Departmental Student's Forum 'Synergy' organised HRD Series - 05 on "Comedy Beats - Laugh with us" on 12 April 2022. Mr Anish Poojary, Comedy Kiladi, was the resource person. Dr Chitra B C, Assistant Professor, was the coordinator of the programme. Around 82 students of I and II MSW participated in the event.

Staff Achievement

- Dr Dhaneshwari, Assistant Professor, Department of PG Studies in Social Work, attended as a resource person and delivered a lecture on the topic "Importance of Social Education for Women of Koraga Community", organised by the Department of Tribal Welfare, Zilla Panchayat, Dakshina Kannda, on 12 April 2022.
- Dr Shashiprabha, Assistant Professor, Department of PG Studies and Research in Chemistry, attended as a resource person and delivered an orientation talk on the topic "How to conduct Research" for the student research project group students, organised by the Co-curricular Committee at SDM Multimedia Centre, Ujire, on 25th March 2022.

Staff Participations

Dr Sanmathi Kumar, Head, Department of History, attended a National Level Webinar Lecture on "Kodagu: Regional and Cultural Identity" organised by the Department of PG Studies in History and Archaeology & IQAC, University College, Mangalore, in association with MANUSHA History Teachers Association, on 9 April 2022.





Students Achievements



- Ms Meghna B C and Ms Deekshanjali attended the 12th Asian Netball Coaching Camp held at Haiyan from 20th March to 10th April 2022.
- Mr Abhishek C Bhandary, Mr Manoj K L, Mr Rohan Shetty and Ms Shriya participated in the 23rd
 Youth National Level Volleyball Championship held at Uttarakhand from 11th April to 16th April
 2022.