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Principal's Desk

The era of uncertainties is in the increase. We are facing all the fronts like social, economic, geographical and political. The sudden changes and uncertainties in the geographical sphere have a vast impact on people. The climatic change and untimely rain will affect food production and food security. It will have a deeper impact on livelihood. It affects household economics. It's the right time that both the central and state governments need to introduce the stimulus package to boost agricultural production. It reduces the stress on farmers and provides relief and security to the farmers in particular and people at large.

Let us be united with the central and state government in their various welfare schemes.

Dr. P.N. Udayachandra

Principal

Programme Organised

- The extra-curricular committee of the college organised 'Koti Kantada Geetha Gayana' programme on 28 October 2022. The stage function was begun at 10.45 am, which was followed by the Koti Kanta Gayana, in which six popular songs written by eminent Kannada poets were sung by 100 lead singers and 1300 degree students. The principal of the College, Dr P N Udayachandra, presided over the inaugural function and Dr B. A Kumar Hegde compeered the stage programme. Dr Sudheer K V, the coordinator of the extra-curricular committee, coordinated the programme.



- The Extra Curricular Committee of the college organised a 'Wall magazine orientation' programme for the staff in-charges of Wall magazines of all the departments on 28 October 2022. The resource person for the programme was Dr Bhaskar Hegde, Head of



the Department of Journalism. The Resource person oriented the staff-in-charges about the overall structure of the wall magazine and appealed to the staff-in-charge to concentrate on bringing creativity to the respective wall magazines. The staff-in-charge of the programme was Ms Deekshitha Kumari, Department of Commerce.

- The Department of History arranged an 'Internship programme' for the students of History at Manjusha Museum Dharmasthala from 22 to 28 September 2022. The internship intended to enhance their Knowledge related to History, Museum and History related objects. 12 Students completed the internship programme. Mr Rithesh Sharma, Deputy Director of Manjusha Museum, designed and supported the programme. Mrs Chitra M, Mr Rajeesh, Mr Subhash and all other staff of the Manjusha Museum coordinated to complete the internship. Dr Sanmathi Kumar coordinated the programme.



- Department of Physics in association with St Joseph Engineering College, Mangalore, organised a webinar on the day of the solar eclipse on "Eclipses-Nature's Hide and Seek" on 25 October 2022. Mr Vasantha Hegde from Sirsi was the resource person who spoke about the reasons behind the eclipse and precautions to be taken during Solar Eclipse. He opined that eclipses are a natural phenomenon due to the relative motion of celestial objects and rectilinear propagation of light. 85 Students attended the programme and interacted with the resource person in the interactive session.
- The Department of Mathematics organised the inauguration programme of "SIGMA – Student Activity Association" on 29 October 2022. The programme was inaugurated by Dr Mahesh K Bhat, Associate Professor, S.D.M Degree College, Honnavar. Mr B Ganesh Nayak, Head of the Department and all staff and students attended the programme.

- NSS Units organised the Fit India Plog programme on 15 October 2022 and collected around 25KGs of Plastic Waste from Perla Road Street, an adopted village, after jogging one way to spread the message of fitness and cleanliness to commemorate Ekta Diwas to be held on 31 October 2022. 35 Volunteers participated in the activity.



- The Women Development Cell and Student Welfare Committee of the college celebrated 'Sister Niveditha Jayanthi' and organised a special talk on "Role of Women in Country's Development" on 28 October 2022. Dr Shalip A.P. Dean of Arts and Head of the Department of Political Science, SDM College Ujire, was the Inaugurator, and Ms Sridevi, Public Speaker, Puttur, was the resource person. More than 200 members participated in the programme. Dr Mahesh Kumar Shetty H, Co-ordinator of the Student Welfare Committee, Ms Malini Anchan, and Ms Vijetha Pai, Co-ordinators of the Women Development Cell, were Present.

Alumni Interaction

The Department of Mathematics organised an alumni interaction by Ms Kayashree on the topic “Scope and Career opportunities in higher education” on 14 October 2022. II B.Sc students attended the session. Ms Poojitha Varma Jain, Assistant Professor, coordinated the programme.

Staff Achievements

- Dr Ganaraja K, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, attended a 15-day online refresher course in Economics from 7 October to 20 October 2022 organised by UGC – Human Resource Development Centre, University of Mysore, Manasagangothri, Mysuru, Karnataka.
- Dr Ajaya Kumar Shett, Associate Professor, Department of Economics, published an article in Udayavani journal on “Atma Nirbhar Bharat”, dated 28 October 2022.
- Dr Mahesh Kumar Shetty H, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, attended as president of the function organised by Women Development Cell on the occasion of ‘sister Nivedita Jayanthi’ held at SDM College Ujire on 28 October 2022.
- Dr Vandan Jain organised a guest lecture on account of World Mental Health day for Psychology students on 22 October. Ms Sindhu. V. Bangalore was the resource person. She spoke on the topic Handling Mixed Emotions.

Staff Participation

- Mr Harish Shetty, Ms Deekshitha Kumari, Ms Pavithra U K, Ms Ashwini, Assistant Professors, Department of Commerce, attended the workshop on ‘Third Semester NEP B.Com Courses’ as a delegate in the course of Business Ethics organised by Mangalore University Commerce Teachers Association MUCTA on 22 October 2022.

- Mr B Ganesh Nayak, Head, and Ms Akshatha B, Assistant Professor, Department of Mathematics, attended a Webinar on “Graph Theory in the Information Age” organised by Math Club and Staff Development Committee, Information Technology Department, University of Technology and Applied Sciences, Muscat, Sultanate of Oman, on 20 October 2022.
- NSS Programme Officer Dr Lakshminarayana K.S attended a Preliminary Meeting on the International Jamboori Event to be held from 21 to 27 December 2022 at Alva’s College, Moodbidre Campus, organised by Bharath Scouts and Guides. The meeting was held on 21 October 2022

Students Achievement

- Eighteen students of the Department of Commerce participated in a two-day Boot Camp on ‘Entrepreneurial Ideas and Product Development’ held at Sri Dharmasthala Manjunatheshwara Information Technology College Ujire on 18 and 19 of October 2022, organised by IAMAI, a Non-Government Organization.
- B.Sc Students of the college participated and won runners-up prize in the Intercollegiate Fest, MATH FIESTA – 2022, organised by the Department of Post Graduate Studies and Research in Mathematics, St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangaluru, on 19 October 2022. Ms Sonakshi and Ms Afrina of III. B.Sc (B) won first place in the MATH HUNT event, Mr Pruthviraj B of III B.Sc (A) won first place in the TECH IT OUT event, Mr Nethaji Naik.S of III B.Sc (B) won second place in the SPEAK MATH event, and Mr Navaneeth Krishna of II B.Sc won second place in the SNAPSHOT event. Ms Poojitha Varma Jain, Assistant Professor of the Department of Mathematics, coordinated the students.



- Eleven NSS Volunteers volunteered for Pratibha Kalpane, a Cultural Programme organised by Rotary Club, Belthangady, on 16 October 2022.
- NSS Volunteers conducted Swachatha Activity on the nearby campus on 19 October 2022.



- NSS Units volunteers organised a Farewell Programme for the Senior Volunteers who completed their NSS term in the college and felicitated them for their contributions on 22 October 2022.
- Six NSS Volunteers volunteered for 'Koti Kanta Geetha Gayana' Programme organised by the Literary and Fine Arts Committee on account of Kannada Rajyothsava on 28 October 2022.