## August-September 2019

Fresher's Day was organized on 5<sup>th</sup> August 2019. The newcomers were welcomed in a friendly atmosphere to encourage their creativity and to boost their confidence.

Due to heavy rain college was closed as per the district collector's order (7, 8, 9, 13, 14 August). The said days will be compensated by working on Saturdays. Those leave days our NCC, NSS, other students volunteers actively participated in the flood relief activities- [9<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> August 2019]

NCC students visited two relief camps, at St. Catherine's HSS Payyampally & Govt. HSS Arattuthara. NSS volunteers in association with KCYM & catechism teachers cleaned the flood affected areas at Kottiyoor. Our NSS volunteers collected food items from Thrilissery and sent them to the camp.

NCC volunteers as a part of Flood Relief Activity, helped in loading, unloading and sorting relief materials sent from various parts of the country with the Mananthavady Taluk Administration at the Divisional Forest Office. They also helped in distributing the relief materials. At the District Forest office Mananthavady, one of the collection & distribution centres the NCC volunteers along with Dr Maria Martin Joseph (Principal), Dr Captain Rajeev Thomas (ANO) & Dr Geetha Antony Pullen (IQAC Coordinator) visited the collection center & became a part of every activity. We concluded our activity by cleaning the Taluk office Mananathavady as a part of Collector's Clean Wayanad Mission.

NSS volunteers cleaned-the flood affected houses at Thavinjal and Koilery, the premises of the scout office at Mananthavady. NSS

volunteers also participated in various programmes at the Arattuthara camp.

The college celebrated the  $73^{\rm rd}$  Independence Day .The national flag was hoisted by the principal and the Independence Day message was also delivered. After the function,we joined the DFO office in the relief activities.

Amal Abraham of II BSc Maths will representing Wayanad in the National Level Youth Parliament at Delhi conducted by Nehru Yuva Kendra. The National Youth Parliament will encourage the youth to engage in public issues, understand the common man's point of view, enhance decision making abilities, to develop in them respect and tolerance for the views of others, to obtain and document their opinions on vision of new India in 2020.

The college has registered itself in the Kerala State job portal. www.kerala state job portal. This will help the students to find employment or carrier as soon as they complete their Degree and PG.

District Legal Services Authority organized a talk on 'Cyber Laws' for the first year students. The resource person was Adv. Sajimon Mathew.

On 29th August College Celebrated the National Sports Day and Fit India Movement 2019. The inaugural session began at 1.45pm. The session was inaugurated by our Manager Rev Fr. George Myladoor. Mr Shefeeque K M (Cult Fit-Centre of Fitness, Bangalore, Dance Fitness Trainer) was the resource person for the day. All the students and staff of the institution participated in the programme. Mr Shefeeque conducted the training session for 1 ½ hours. The students participated with great enthusiasm. The programme ended at 3.30 pm. It was indeed refreshing. Interdepartmental Badminton competition was conducted in the afternoon session.

The college conducted a presentation and screening test in connection with Youth Talk-to select 10 students to represent the college. The selected students will get an opportunity to interact with our Honorable MP Shri Rahul Gandhi on his visit. Debate and discussion on Youth Talk Topic: Man and wildlife conflict.

Department of English conducted a spell-bee competition and quiz competition for the students of the department based on the life and works of Ernest Hemmingway, J. K Rowling, Alexander Dumas.

College Students Union Election training for Presiding officers, Polling officers and Counting officials was conducted. Also Meet the Candidate programme was organized on 4<sup>th</sup> September. On 5<sup>th</sup> September Election for the student'scouncil was conducted in Presidential mode.

Onam was celebrated with fun & frolic on 3<sup>rd</sup> afternoon & 4<sup>th</sup> September with Onappaattu, Maveli, Pookkalam and Onana Sadhya Pre Ph D synopsis submission presentation of Ms Navya Gopal (Research Scholar), Research Dept. of Zoology was conducted on 7 September 2019 in our seminar hall by the Supervising guide Dr Sudha Devi. Principal, Manager, Doctoral Committee Chairperson, research scholars, PG and UG students from Kannur University centre and our college were present.

**Dr Maria Martin Joseph**Principal