

College Union Report 2019-20

The outset of the academic year 2019-20 was marked on 1st July 2019 with "upanayana" a formal initiation ceremony, where all the students were initiated into the cradle of gurujeevitha. This was accompanied by a one week orientation programme to get all the students into the right track.

College Union

To facilitate the effective participation of all the students in various collegial activities, a student's council with elected representatives was constituted.

The members of the college union:

Chairman - Alwin Roy

Vice chairperson - Steffy Ann Sebastian

General Secretary - Geone K.Philip

Councillor to University Union - Jibin Joseph

Arts club secretary - Anjali Dev

Editor of the College Magazine - Reshma Venugopal

Sports Secretory - Sanal Thomas

Lady Representatives - Delona Mathew, Rosmin Cherian

The oath taking ceremony of the newly elected college union was held on 3rd Septemper, 2019. Rev.Fr. Sibichen Kalarickal was the Union advisor of the academic year. The formal inauguration of the college union and various club activities were held in the same day itself. Honourable Dr.C. T. Aravindkumar who is the Pro Vice Chancellor of M. G. University was the chiefguest of the function. The union with strong support of the college faculty organized various pragrammes. "Arangu" & "Enthuzia 2K19" were the cultural programmes, which were the tools for the self discovery of every student.

Onam celebration

Onam strikes Kerala in the month of September. And the college union celebrated onam on 5th of September. The chief guest of onam celebration was Dr. Antony Thomas who is the principal of K.E. College Mannanam. He gave a

heartmelting message to the students about onam and also encouraged the love and affection of Keralites in onam days. The blessing of this festival is its sadhya, which was arranged by the union, and the whole college including the faculties and students had it on this day. Afternoon section of celebration day was all about onakkalikal and ended up with a dance party.

Christmas celebration

On 20th of December, the month of joy where every house is lit up with lights and decorations, our college celebrated Christmas day. Rev.Fr. James Mullassery CMI graced the occasion by accepting to be the chief guest for the event that went over 3 hours. The whole college was decorated and highlighted with spotlights and stars at this special occasion. The union also conducted various cultural programmes to promote the message of Jesus Christ. The beautiful crib made by the students highlighted the message of peace, harmony and simplicity. The celebrations begun with the Christmas dance and it ended up with a special Christmas meal.

Sports Day

The 62nd Annual Sports Meet was held at School of Physical education and Sports Sciences stadium, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam on 31st January 2020. Rev. Fr. James Mullassery CMI, Principal, K.E. English Medium School, Mannanam inaugurated the Meet. Students grouped into four houses namely, Blue, White, Green and Red, participated in the various sports and games events with true sportsman spirit. Red house got the Overall championship. Fr. Sinto P.P. won the individual championship among men and Ms. Lida Augustine won the individual championship among women

Arts Fest

Art is all about thinking different.Being the unique one among the crowd.To bring out such talents looking for a platform, our college organised arts day on 5th 6th of March.The result was mind blowing as we got to see magnificent brains exhibiting their talents.The literary events were conducted a week before the arts days.The champions trophy of arts day was grabbed by the department of Natural science.

Club activities

Nature club

The nature club of our college was formed to develop love and appreciation of students towards nature. The club was headed by Alwin Roy and Bony Sunny under the guidance of Dr.Anisha V. Gopalakrishnan. The club activities mainly focussed on campus cleaning and beautification, planting trees and celebration of days associated with nature conservation.

Social Extension Cell

The social extension club in our college was led by Karthika Vijayan and Delona Mathew under the guidance of Dr. Shaiju Francis. The club conducted an outreach programme on 6th of September 2019. The whole students including our faculties visited Satheerthya Special School, Villonni and Sampreethy Special School, Kudamaloor on this day and performed various entertaining programmes for the blessed angles of this institution. It was a different experience for most of the students and were able to deal with differently abled students.

The entire B.Ed. students visited Government Mahila Mandiram, Kallara and joined in the programme 'Kaipidichu' by JCI Kuruppanthara on 12th October, 2019.

On December 12th, 2019 the college union again conducted a social extended activity. Under the leadership of our union advisor Fr. Sibichen Kalarickal our students cleaned up chavara kadavu for the second time.

Career and placement Cell

Career and placement cell in our college functions to support students in their various endeavours. It is led by Jismol George and Albin Benny under the guidance of Dr.K.M. Benny. The club has taken initiatives to facilitate campus placement opportunities. The club has been very active in all its duties.

Film & Documentary Club

The club aims at generating oppurtunities for students to crirtically approach films and to develop a better sense appreciation and understanding of the medium. The film and documentary club in our college is led by Sruthi Acca John and Rosmin Cherian under the guidance of Dr. Jisha Baby.

Spiritual Animation Club

Spiritual intelligence is a higher dimension of intelligence that activates the qualities and capabilities of soul. For the spiritual and emotional and emotional development of students, a spiritual animation club was formed in our college with Jibin Joseph and Sr. Anju Varkey as the leaders under the guidance of Dr. Tessy Joseph Kallarackal. The club has taken initiatives to lead the weekly prayer meetings in the prayer hall.

Debate and Oratory Club

The debate and oratory club was formed in our college with George S. Painel and Geone K. Philip under the guidance of Dr. Sunitha Susan Jose. The club was formed with a view to help the students to build leadership skills and improve individual responsibility. To teach students to work collaboratively is the main agenda of the club. The club conducted debates on various topics.

Magazine and Literary Club

The literary club in our college was led by Sneha Shaju and Nitha Ann Sebastian under the guidance of Dr. Sunitha Susan Jose. The club conducted various activities. The club members were actively involved in the preparation of college magazine.

Cultural Club

Under the leadership of Anjali Dev and Mariya Joseph cultural club was formed in our college and Dr. Praveena Gopinath was the staff advisor. The cultural club provided opportunities for the students to explore and express their creative talents. Students of our college participated in various programmes held in different colleges.

Women Cell

The well being and empowerment of women is an essential component for the development of any society. With this aim in mind women cell was formed in our college under the leadership of Chanchal Joseph and Roofin Josna. Dr. Tessy Joseph Kallarackal was the staff advisor of the cell.

Other Activities

- ❖ "Earth without ozone is like a house without a roof. Soit is our responsibility to take care of ozone layer from being eradicated completely. In support of this context, our college union had conducted a poster designing competition on 19th of September for spreading awareness about the dos and dont's that can be followed to overcome the depletion in the ozone layer.
- ❖ The college union is much concerned about physical and mental health conditions of our students. So to encourage with physical activities, the union conducted a badminton competition for all the students on 27th of September. The budding players were bought to fame and showcased their core strength and dedication in the field of sports
- Gandhi Jayanthi was observed as cleaning day with the slogan "Swatch Bharat". On the 3rd of October, 2019 our students took an initiative of cleaning up a place called chavara kadavu. This gesture by our students bought a great sense of responsibility among the nearby citizens to keep up their surroundings clean and have healthy hygiene.
- On 11th October, 2019 we had a fun filled activity that brought out creative and brilliant minds with various emotions flowing in the heads of young generation. There was letter writing competition. It was held not in the traditional way of letter writing, but twisted with the concept of "a letter from one to one" were the best letters were later displayed on the notice board.

The various programmes organised in the college helped the young enthusiastic learners to become professional teachers. It helped the learners to become intellectually competent and emotionally matured personalities. Our union is a circle of strength and love. With every student our circle of love grows and very crisis faced together made the circle stronger. The union never walked ahead of any individual rather it stood by each individual. With the blessings of God Almighty and the heartful support of teachers and students, the union could undertake all the responsibilities vested in it successfully.

Geone K. Philip General Secretary