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MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR

"The joy of brightening other lives, bearing each other's burdens, easing others' loads and supplanting empty hearts and lives with generous gifts becomes for us the magic of the Christmas"  
W. C. Jones



From the Principal's desk..

Rev.Sr.Dr. Treesa Dominic

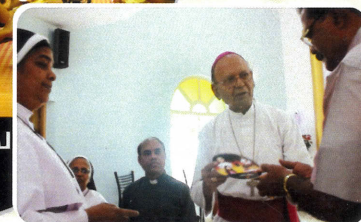
**"Glory to God in the Highest, and on earth Peace to those who have good will"**

Miracles in real life are hard to believe but I sincerely believe hard work pays off as miracles. The effort taken with commitment is sure to do wonders to the initiator of the effort.

Taking stock of this academic year so far the institution has moved over to the next era. The infrastructural modernization taken up a year before is now on the threshold to be inaugurated. Banishing the blues and designing new avenues for experimental creativity is the trigger for growth among young learners. Bestowing persistence and resilience in our students to achieve the coveted goals in life is our pursuit with God's grace.

Festivities are round the corner and it has filled the campus atmosphere with enchanting hues and smells. The vibrations and cloudy confusions are hanging around our minds and lives even amidst the stars and festivities of Christmas due to the Ockhi attack on the shore of Kerala inviting us to think about the longevity of the here and now. The cries and pleads of the affected still linger in our ears inviting us to the sharing, caring fraternity with the brethren. Let us become Christmas presence to those who are needy and hapless.

An anticipation of absolute surprise and joy to welcome a new year is ahead. May God fill our lives with the peace, joy and purity of Child Jesus and bless us to have a more enriching, treasured 2018. I invite each and every one to choose a road less travelled which will surely lead you to a path of self discovery and maturity.



The Blessed Moment.....

We Support.....

The welfare and extension cell of LF College under the leadership of the Principal and College Union extended their care and support for Ockhi victims at Blangad beach and Munakal Kadavu, Chavakad on 17th November 2017. Houses affected by the tidal waves were repaired and restored with professional help and essential food items, cloths, stationary items and festival cakes were distributed.

The docufiction, "Rekthapushpam" produced by Little Flower College, Guruvayur in association with Tau Creations on Blessed Martyr Sr. Rani Mari was released during her beautification ceremony at Indore on November 4th 2017. The docufiction was first screened at St Marys Cathedral, Ernakulam on 11th November 2017 during the thanks giving ceremony conducted by Syro Malabar Church and Franciscan Clarist Congregation in connection with the Beautification.





# Congratulations!

## Awards and Recognitions



**Ms. Swapna Johny**  
Asst. Professor, Dept of Zoology

Deposited DNA barcode of *Dayella malabarica* for the first time in NCBI GenBank with sequence accession number KY712426



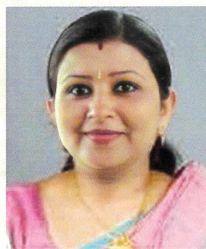
**Dr. Annam Sini**  
Asst. Professor Dept. of Malayalam

MG University awarded her PH.d Degree on Folk identity in Ezhuthachans Kilipattu



**Dr. Esther Mani**  
Asst. Professor, Dept of English

She has been awarded an honorary D.Litt degree by the University of South America for her extensive contributions in the field of English language and Literature and English teaching.



**Ms. Reely Raphael**  
Asst. Professor, Dept of English

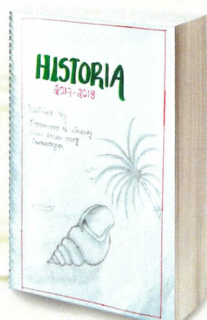
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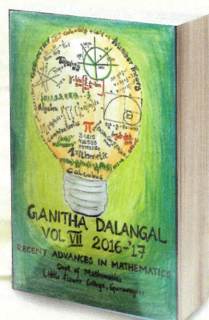
**Mr. Justin P G**  
Asst. Professor, Dept of Sanskrit

First Position in District level Malayalam Speech Competition conducted by Kerala State Youth Welfare Board and Thrissur District Panchayath in connection with Keralolsavam 2017 at Choondal on 28th November 2017.

## From the campus.....



**Historia 2017-18**  
Manuscript Magazine published by the students of History Department



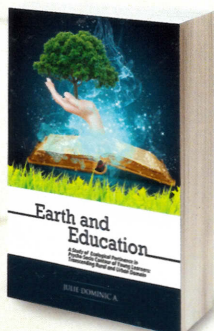
**Ganitha Dalangal- Vol. 7**  
Manuscript Magazine by Mathematics Department.



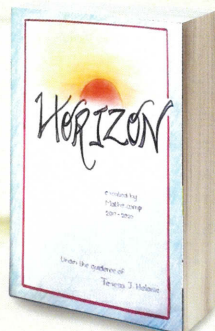
**THE SEMICOLON**  
A novel by Gayathri M R, I DC English released on Amazon as an e-book.



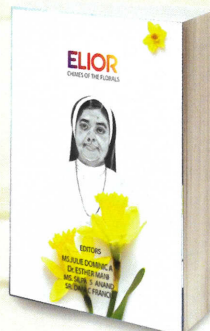
**THALASSOPHILE**  
Lover of Sea – A short trip to the sea shore transformed into a collection of stories, travelogues, poems, letters and bound into a manuscript magazine by the department of English.



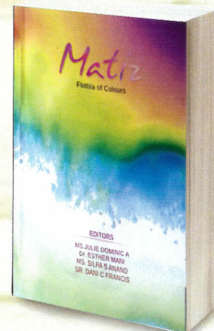
**EARTH AND EDUCATION**  
A book on "A Study of Ecological Pertinence in Psycho-Socio Contour of Young Learners: Transcending Rural and Urban Domain" by Julie Dominic A Asst. Professor, Dept. of English



**HORIZON**  
A manuscript magazine prepared by the NSS unit from the study material collected to teach Better English in relation to World Literary Week



**ELIOR**  
A tribute of poems to our loving Principal. Elior means light of the Lord, is a book of selected poems from staff and students.



**MATIZ**  
Flotilla of Colours – is the collection of 70 research papers weaves the tapestry of colour around us. Published by Sooryagatha Publishers, Initiative of Dept. of English



# Celebrations.....



Principal's day and Patron's day celebrations on 21st October 2017

This year's **Social Service Day** was held on 12th December 2017. Rev Sr. Little Mary Asst. Provincial, Assisi Province, Thrissur inaugurated the function. Students organised various programmes to raise fund for the poor. As a part of the programme a blind orchestra was also arranged.



## Collaborations...



### Speak for India – Kerala Edition 2017

Our college hosted the block level competitions of Mathrubhumi - Federal Bank inter-collegiate debate competition called "Speak for India – Kerala Edition 2017" on 25th October 2017. 8 of our students got selection to the District level and Smina A.K of P.G Malayalam won the district level.

### NCI Metro Colour Fest 2017

Our college hosted the State Level Drawing competition NCI Metro Colour Fest 2017 organised by Metro Links on 25th November 2017.



## PTA General Body...

This years PTA General Body meeting was held on 12th November 2017. Rev Sr.Dr.Treesa Dominic, Principal presided over the function. Mr.Justin P.G, Asst. Professor, Dept of Sanskrit led an awareness class for the parents on the topic "Effective Parenting in the present scenario" Mr. A.A Shaju Varghese elected as the new PTA vice president.





# Association Inaugurations



The activities of Computer Science and Applications Association were inaugurated by Dr. Binu P. Chacko, Associate Professor, Prajyoti Niketen College, Pudukad on 24th October 2017. The inauguration was followed by a seminar on "Artificial Intelligence".



The association activities of Chemistry department were inaugurated by Dr. Binitha N, Asst. professor, dept of Chemistry, S N college Pattambi on 17th November 2017. She delivered a talk on "Pilot scale production of Biodiesel over Catalyst Derived from low cost materials".



Botony Association was inaugurated by Dr. Jain Therattil, Asst. Professor, Dept of Zoology, St. Aloysius College, Elthuruth on 15th December 2017. As a part of the programme he led a seminar on "Biodiversity conversion – Challenges and opportunities of Kerala"



The association of Economics, ECONOMICA was inaugurated by Dr. Julie P Lazer, Head and Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, St. Mary's College, Thrissur on 2 November 2017. As part of the association activities a talk was also arranged on the topic "Research Methodology and Career Development."



Malayalam Association was inaugurated by Sri Mathew Muttath, Retd Professor, K E college, Mannanam on 1-11-2017. He has taken a session on "New perspectives of Post Modernism".



Mathematics Association was inaugurated by Dr. Sajith G, HOD and Associate Professor, SS College, Areacode on 25th October 2017. He delivered a Talk on "From Geometry to Calculus" to PG students.



Dr. Bindhu Krishna, Asst. Professor of Sri Kerala Varma college, Thrissur inaugurated Physics Association on 25/11/2017. She led a seminar on the topic "Fiber optic sensors".



The inauguration function of Commerce Association was held on 22nd September 2017. Mr. Prasanthan.K, Regional manager of Geojit Financial LTD and Mr. Vijesh .C B, General Manager were the chief guests.

## Workshop



Department of Chemistry organized a Candle making workshop on 15th November 2017 for UG and PG Students.



The Department of Commerce conducted a workshop on "Placement Readiness for Graduates". organised by the HAPPY VALLEY business school, Coimbatore on 21st of November 2017. The workshop was taken by S. Sambathkumar.

## Camp



Department of Zoology along with NSS conducted a Blood Donation Camp in association with Amala Medical College for all the staff & students.



# Seminars



Dept of Botony organised a State level seminar – Cognizance on biome heterogeneity sponsored by STEC on 26th October, 2017.



On 26th September 2017, Mr.Robin C. Koshy, Asst. Prof. Little Flower College, Guruvayur inaugurated the Tourism Club of History department and conducted a seminar on the topic "Relevance of Tourism in Kerala".



A regional seminar was conducted by the Department of Commerce on 16th November 2017 on the topic "INCOME TAX LAW AND PRACTICE". The seminar was led by Dr.Narayankutty . Rtd.Prof.of Vimala college Thrissur.



An interdepartmental seminar was conducted by Department of Commerce on 5th of December 2017, on the topic "GST AND ITS PRACTICES".. S.Kumar, authorized partner, Surround Tally delivered the talk.



A seminar on "Career Prospective" was organised by the department of Computer Science on 14th November 2017. Mr. Jomy P L from Sensorium , Thrissur led the session.



Folklore club was inaugurated by Dr. Usha Balakrishnan on 1st November 2017 and led a seminar on "The pertinence of Folklore in the present scenario"



The Department of B.Voc Pharmaceutical Chemistry organized a seminar on "Bonding Academy with Industry" for Life Science students in our college on 11/10/2017, to get an exposure towards the advanced analytical method used in Life Science industry. Vice Principal Rev.Sr.Dr. Molly Clare distributed diploma certificates on Medical Sales Representatives to students of the department.



Department of English and Functional English organised a National Seminar and 3rd International Film Fest "Colour" on 13th and 14th December 2017.Poet, Critic and Translator Dr. Jayasree Kambar inaugurated the seminar. Famous personalities like Rafeeq Ahammed, Joseph Annamkutty Jose, Dr. C.S Shymala, Cris Thomas, Happy Jose and Sheethal Shyam led the sessions



Department of Computer Science and Application conducted a seminar on "From e-governance to m-governance"on 15th December 2017. Mr. Suresh K, District Informatics Officer, NIC, Thrissur led the session.



## NSS : "Not Me But You"



# NSS

- World Alzheimer's Day was observed on 24th September 2017. A talk on this topic was arranged by the NSS and the NCC.
- Joining hands with the Ministry of Youth and Sports to welcome and cheer the FIFA -U17 world cup under 17 football tournament being held in the state, 50 NSS volunteers along with Programme Officer Sr. Angela, Ms Silpa Anand and Ms Ginty participated in the Roll the Ball Rally.
- World literacy week was celebrated by the NSS Unit by collecting Study Aids that could be used to teach children Communicative English.
- Ghandi Jayanthi was celebrated in a befitting manner. A small silent prayer and floral offering was made in front of the Mahatmaji's statue. The guest of the day Mr. Ramesh-District Programme Coordinator, gave a talk on Gandhi's view on Service and Education. The day also witnessed the inauguration of the biodiversity park with the release of two bunnies into a natural setting.
- In Collaboration with the Life Palliative care the Volunteers underwent a two day training programme on October 14th and 15th on care for the terminally ill and the bedridden.
- The Rashtriya Sathbhavana divas/National integration Day was celebrated on October 31st. A Run for Unity was arranged to commemorate the Day.
- Commemorating Nehru's Birth day and Children's Day a talk on "Prolife" was arranged on November 14th. The Resource person Sr. Rineth Jacob, Nurse, Mary Immaculate Hospital, Engandiyoor spoke on the preciousness of life.
- Liquid Love 2017-Blood donation camp was organised by the NSS in collaboration with the department of Zoology and Amala Blood Bank on 17th November.
- The week from 19th to 25th of November was celebrated as the communal harmony week. The students had initially had initially bought the flag day stamps and the contribution was sent to the national Foundation for communal Harmony. Various programmes like painting competition, flash dance, cultural programmes at sub jail, Chavakkad, poster exhibition, seminar and discussions were conducted as part of the day.
- AIDS day was observed with a rally, distribution of Leaflets and an effectively delivered street play by the NSS volunteers.



## Significant days

- Alumna Gathering: Family Gathering of retired staff and old students of department of Botany in connection with Jubilee of Department of Botany on 27th October, 2017.
- World Tourism Day Celebration: The Department of B.Voc Tourism and Hospitality Management celebrated World Tourism day on September 27, 2017. The department conducted a departmental Tourism Quiz programme in connection with the Tourism day.
- World Computer Literacy Day: Department of Computer Science and Applications organised a PowerPoint Presentation competition on 15th December 2017 for our students in connection with Computer Literacy Day.
- On 20th October 2017 Department of English Organised a Chocolate Fest.
- Department of English organised a Mask fest on 23rd October 2017
- Kerala pravi celebrations were held on 1st November 2017. Professor Mathew Muttath was the chief guest.
- A Rosary rally was conducted on 31st October commemorating the Rosary Month.
- The annual retreat for the students were held on 27th, 28th and 29th of November 2017.
- Department of History conducted a Golden Jubilee Meet and Celebration on 26th September 2017.
- In connection with Space week, a power point presentation competition and a still model competition was conducted on 10/10/2017 by the department of Physics.
- Department of Zoology conducted memory game, poster competition, ppt presentation and word game in connection with ozone day.
- In connection with Energy Conservation Day celebration, on 14/12/2017, Students of Department of Physics spread awareness to the public by conducting a rally in collaboration with Karuna Foundation, Guruvayur and distributed handbooks including tips for energy conservation to the other departments.





## Orientation Course

- Sr. Reena Poruthur, Asst. Professor, Dept. of Mathematics attended the 100th Orientation course at UGC HRDC, University of Calicut from 09.11.2017 to 06.12.2017

## Paper Presentation/Publication

- Jesy.E.J., "Antitumour and antioxidant activity of *Wrightia tinctoria* (Roxb.) R.Br. leaf oil," International journal of pharmaceutical science and research, vol 8, Issue II, November 2017
- Ms Reely Raphael presented a paper titled "Showcasing of Dolls: women empowerment through the Festival Bomma Golu" in the 21st International Conference on Advancements and challenges in social sciences and business management held at 11th and 12th of November 2017 in Goa.
- Ms. Hitha Paulson Presented a paper titled "Page replacement algorithms : Challenges and Trends" in the conference organised by Conference info in association with Academic science at the Institution of the Electronics and Telecommunication Engineers, Osmania University, Hyderabad on 3rd September 2017, published the same in International Journal of Computer & Mathematical Science, volume 6, issue 9, September 2017.
- Valsa.M.A, Presented a paper on "Madhya Kerala Christhava Nandanpattukalile Sthree Dharsanam" in the two day national seminar conducted by Department of Folklore, University of Calicut as resource person on 11th & 12th October 2017.
- Valsa.M.A, Presented a paper on "Impact of Kuri companies on the Economic Development of Thrissur District in Kerala: A Twentieth Century Scenario" in the Three day International Kerala History Conference conducted by Department of History, MSM College, Kayamkulam on 10th to 12th November 2017.
- Valsa.M.A, Presented a paper on "Micro finance and Kuri companies: Twentieth century Scenario in Thrissur" in a Three day International seminar conducted by Kerala History Congress at Farook College, Kozhikkode on 9th to 11th December 2017.
- Valsa.M.A., Presented a paper on "Rise and growth of Kuri companies in Kerala with Special Reference to Thrissur District: A Historical Outline" in a Three day International conference conducted by Indian History Congress at Jadhavpur University, Kolkotta on 28th to 30th December 2017.
- Dr. Arun Thomas M., "Tellicherry and the Indian Ocean Network" National Conference on "Western Indian Ocean" at JDT Islam Arts and Science college, Calicut on 26 October 2017.
- Rajitha M.R, "A Brief Study of the Nationalist Press in Kerala During the Gandhian Era", Three day International seminar, Kerala History Congress, Farook College, Kozhikkode on 9th to 11th December 2017.
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- Faculties and Students Contributed 21 research papers to the Book MATIZ: Flotilla of Colours – the collection of 70 research papers weaves the tapestry of colour around us, Published by Sooryagatha Publishers, Initiative of Dept. of English

## Extension Lectures

- Valsa M.A, Delivered extension lecture on "Life Guidance" in St. Clare's HSS Thrissur on 01-09-2017.
- Valsa M.A, Delivered extension lecture on "Tips for Leadership" to the HS, HSS, Degree students of Kootala Parish on 17-09-2017.
- Ms. Hitha Paulson delivered a lecture on "Informatics Practices" to the students of MES Asmabhi College, Kodungalur on 7th November 2017
- Mr Justin P G-Served as a Resource person in the UGC SPONSORED LECTURE SERIES organized by SreeSankaracharya University of Sanskrit Regional Centre Tirur, and delivered a Lecture on Contributions of MelputturNarayanaBhattapada to Champu Literature on 15th September 2017.
- Mr. Justin P G-Given an Orientation Class on Faith Formation in Families to the animators of Children Ministry, Arch Diocese of Thrissur on 11th November 2017 at DBCLC Thrissur.
- Mr. Justin P G-Given an Orientation Class to the parents of college students on "EFFECTIVE PARENTING IN THE PRESENT SCENARIO" in connection with PTA General Body Meeting on 12th November 2017 in the L F College Auditorium
- Dr. Mariamma Antony, Asst. Professor department of Statistics, delivered a talk "Introduction to Statistical Inference" at the National seminar, Statistics: Life and Praxis by the dept of collegiate Education at department of Statistics, Sree Neelakanta govt. Sanskrit College, Pattambi on 11th December 2017.



## NCC – “Unity and Discipline”

- 1st September to 10th September 60 cadets attended the combined Annual Training camp held at Police Academy, Thrissur. They secured cultural competition trophy and over all trophy.
- NCC cadets conducted Flash mob in connection with Swachbharath programme on September 26th
- Sgt. Manju. M attended the IGC camp for RD selection. UO stemy mariya & cpl. Aiswarya s attended the national Integration camp at silchar, Assam during 8th to 28th December 2017



## Sports

- Tennis team secured University championship
- Jr. Archery team secured the first place in the thrissur Dist Jr. Archery championship.
- Senior ball badminton team secured the first place in the thrissur Dist Sr. ball badminton championship held at Mattom.
- Archery team secured 2nd place in Indian round and 3rd place in Recurve competition in the Calicut university intercollegiate Archery championship held at Christ college and Anandi T.M secured 2nd place in individual category
- Ball badminton team secured 3rd place in the intercollegiate competition in the Calicut university intercollegiate ball badminton championship held at Carmal college Mala



## Arts day 2017 Kalaakeli



## Relax....Refresh.....Recharge...



Staff day was celebrated on 23rd September 2017



The 9 gems of Little Flower.....  
A tribute to retiring staff.....



On 30th November 2017 a staff tour was organised to Njarakkal Fish Farm. More than 80 staff members participated in the tour

## Extending the Boundaries of Class rooms....

Final year Degree and PG students gone for leisure trips clubbed with field visits during the month of August/ September/October to their places of relevance.



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