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Report

Red ribbon club activities 2023-2024

Red Ribbon Club, Little Flower College, Guruvavoor

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<u>World blood donor day – June 14th, 2023</u>

Safe blood and blood products and their transfusion are a critical aspect of care and public health. They are key in treating people suffering from a range of diseases and as a result of accidents, natural disasters and armed conflict. The need for blood is universal, but access to it is limited – especially in low- and middle-income countries, where shortages particularly impact women and children as these tend to be the people who need blood most. Becoming a regular voluntary blood donor is a simple but selfless step that everyone can take to strengthen their communities, support local health systems and save lives. In order to raise awareness on blood donation, the members took a pledge on 14-06-2024 . Prior to this an awareness quiz was also conducted in the campus on 13-06-2023. 69 students participated in the event.







A blood diagnostic drive in association with Metropolis laboratory was also conducted on 15-06-2023. 39 staff members participated in the drive.





International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking, 2023

The International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking, or World Drug Day, is marked on June 26 every year to strengthen action and cooperation in achieving a world free of drug abuse. In order to raise awareness about impacts of substance use and to empower young people and communities to prevent drug use and addiction, a pledge was taken in the campus on 26-06-2023. Also an awareness class was conducted on 27-06-2023 by Mr. Binju Jacob, Junior Health Inspector, Kandanassery, Guruvayoor. 104 students attended the seminar. The aim of this year's campaign is to raise awareness about the importance of treating people who use drugs with respect and empathy; providing evidence-based, voluntary services for all; offering alternatives to punishment;

prioritizing prevention; and leading with compassion. The campaign also aims to combat stigma and discrimination against people who use drugs by promoting language and attitudes that are respectful and non-judgmental.







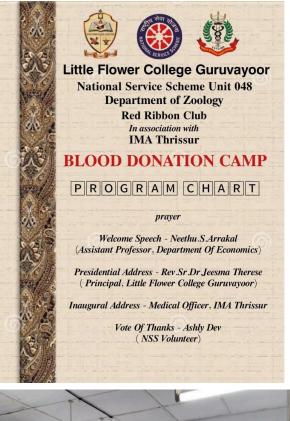






Blood Donation Camp, July 4th 2023

Red Ribbon Club & NSS Unit 48, Little Flower College, Guruvayoor jointly organized a blood donation camp on 04-07-2023. 49 students and 21 staff participated in the camp. Of the 70 participants more than 40 donated blood. During the event officials of IMA Thrissur honoured the college for excellent contributions for Blood donation camps conducted by IMA.







Drama competition

Members of the Red Ribbon Club participated in the KSACS (The Kerala State AIDS Control Society) Youth day Special Programmes. The Drama team secured IInd Prize (Rs. 5000/-) in the district level drama competition hels at Sree Krishna College on 9th August 2023. Team members - Shafna Sherin (II DC History), Ashly Dev (II B.Com), Shifana Shari (II DC Economics), Lima Krishna (II DC Botany) and Thasna mariya (II DC Economics)





National Blood Donor day, Oct 1st



IMA Award for contributions toward blood donation, Banerji memorial Club, Thrissur on National blood Donor Day, Oct 1st



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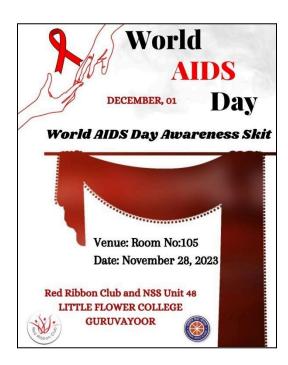
Registration of new members and awareness about functioning of RRCs 3rd Oct 2023

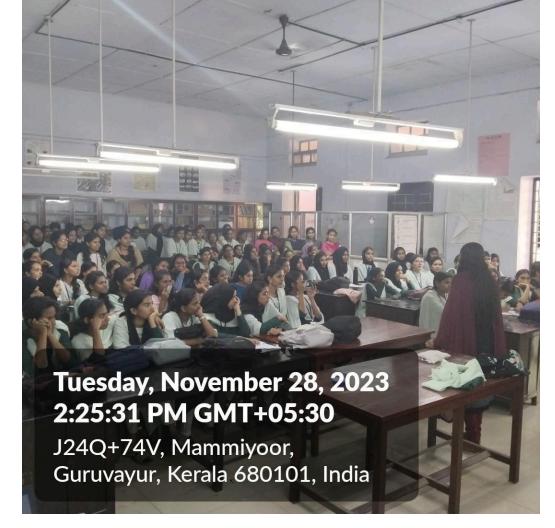


World AIDS Day - December 1st, 2023

Every year, on 1 December, the world commemorates World AIDS Day. People around the world unite to show support for people living with and affected by HIV and to remember those who lost their lives to AIDS. This World AIDS Day is more than a celebration of the achievements of communities; it is a call to action to enable and support communities in their leadership roles. The theme *Let Communities Lead*, reveals that the world can end AIDS as a public health threat by 2030, but only if communities are fully included to lead the way.

Red Ribbon Club members at Little Flower College commemorated the day with a variety of awareness programmes. On 28th December, our team who had participated and won second prize at district level drama competitions conducted by KSACS youth fest, performed a skit based on a theme illicit drug use and spreading of HIV among students. Youth and adolescents are vulnerable to HIV infection due to various social factors, like their age characteristics, inquisitive nature, for experiment, availability of injecting drugs, high risk behaviour. On the other hand they can play the role of ambassador in the fight against HIV AIDS.





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On December 1, the solemn pledge-taking ceremony was carried out in the college aimed to emphasize our collective commitment to raising awareness about HIV/AIDS and fostering a supportive community. As we stood united in this endeavor, the oath-taking ceremony served as a powerful moment, symbolizing our dedication to promoting education, empathy, and prevention in the face of this global health challenge. After that a flash mob was held by the Red Ribbon Club members and highlighted the motto "Let Communities Lead". https://youtu.be/zggSPZ-7WfM?si=3Ao7yibqplfir_ZR



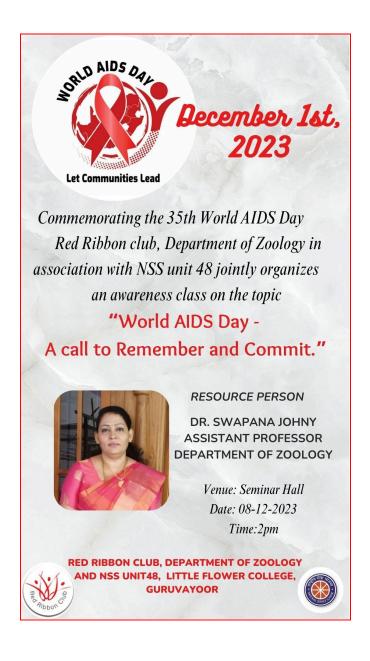




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J24Q+74V, Mammiyoor, Guruvayur, Kerala 680101, India The Red Ribbon Club, Department of Zoology in association with NSS Unit of Little flower College, Guruvayoor organised a Webinar in connection with observance of World AIDS day based on the theme "World AIDS Day – a call to remember and commit". Dr. Swapana Johny, Assistant Professor, Department of Zoology, Little Flower College served as the resource person. The talk was very thought provoking and spoke out against HIV stigma, to increase HIV awareness and knowledge, and call for an increased response to move toward ending the HIV Epidemic. More than 100 students participated in the Webinar.



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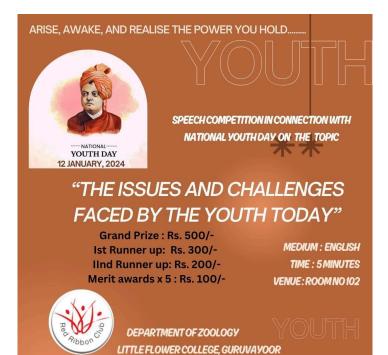
A motivational session on the basis of Gender and Emotional Intelligence was jointly organised by Red Ribbon Club, Departement of Zoology and Women Cell of Little Flower College, Guruvayoor on 13-12-2023. Mr. Sangeeth Sebastian, the founder of Vvox and an expert on gender and sexuality, was the resource person of the day. Our responses are key skills we can use to make a difference in our lives and the lives of others. How we respond to our challenges, express our emotions, and interact with others is always important. Today we have got an opportunity to understand the practical implications of emotional intelligence and how to use it for wholesome and healthy living. The session was really educational and captivating. More than hundred students participated in the seminar.







National Youth Day January 12th, 2024





AIDS awareness campaigns in campuses by RRC

