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Arabic

One Day Cycle Expedition was organised by our cadets as a part of Cancer Awareness Campaign. As a part of Independence Day Celebration a quiz competition titled Tryst with Destiny – The Story of Glorious Struggle was conducted for all senior division subunits under Calicut group. A Leadership Camp titled Energiser 2K7 was conducted on November 3rd and 4th, 2009.

NCC day was observed on 24th November and the cadets visited Government Leprosy Hospital, Chevayoor. NCC Girls Wing organised a One Day Trekking to Adianpara. The army cadets also attended various camps held at West Bengal, New Delhi and Haryana.



Childline

The NICP workshop for Anganavadi teachers from Koduvally Block Panchayat on 30th December 2009 discussed effective parenting and children's psychological issues. Two different workshops for police personnels and NSS programme officers were also conducted on 27th January and 25th February 2010.

PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE



Prof. A. Kuttialikutty

Excellence is Not a Skill but an Attitude

Bearing the torch of knowledge to generations of students, Farook College leaves its eternal footprints on the sands of time to mould the destiny of the nation. The shifting paradigms of knowledge endorse a novel scientific outlook towards the edification of generations of students. The college is heading forward to the zenith of glory holding fast to the tradition and indigenous culture with necessary changes. To objectify the vision of a better citizen it is imperative to channel our efforts according to the spirit of the time and prove that excellence is not a skill but an attitude.

The changing needs of the times call for a change in perspective and design of Campus Vibes too. The *raison d'être* of the Vibes is the feeling that the youth would embark upon its creativity in various realms of knowledge so as to attain the beatitude of wisdom to cherish as a beacon for the future. This newsletter documents the most remarkable activities of Farook College: 2009-10. It highlights the ideas and ideals which guide the College in organizing various National and International Workshops and Seminars on themes of contemporary relevance which resulted in the deliberations of the exponents in various disciplines. As the principal of this college, I am cognizant of the team work which has brought out this issue of Campus Vibes.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'A. Kuttialikutty'.

Prof. A. Kuttialikutty
Principal



Prof. Saradhamoni, Social Scientist and former Professor, Indian Statistical Institute, Delhi, inaugurates the UGC sponsored National Seminar.

History

“Globalization has reduced women to a mere marketable product particularly through the medium of advertisement. Though the UN continues to make declarations on the rights of women, nothing has been put into practice”, commented Prof. Saradhamoni, famous social scientist and former Professor, Indian Statistical Institute, Delhi, while inaugurating the UGC National Seminar on Women in Modern Kerala : Historicising Gender, Status and Identity conducted on 3rd – 4th February 2010. Her keynote address Need for Kerala Women to Look Inward and Around enlightened the audience.

Dr. Geetha made a presentation on, Self Image of Women in Autobiographies and its significance in the Writing of History. K.K. Baburaj made a presentation on Dalit Feminism in Kerala: Historical Roots and Social Implications. Dr. Anandi presented a paper on Gender Issue and the Social Reform Movements of Kerala. Dr. Vasanthi made a presentation on Gender Question and the Communist Movement of Kerala. Dr. Sister Jesme presented a paper on An Overview of the Role and Status of Nuns in the Catholic Church and the Society at Large. Dr. Shamshad Hussain presented a paper Neither Muslim nor Women: Representation of Muslim Women in the Media. B.S. Sherin made a presentation on Re-defining Feminist Agency: The Role of Muslim Women in Kerala’s Cultural Reformation. In a paper, The Institutionalization of Dowry in Kerala: Indissoluble Monogamy and Women’s Conjugal Subjectivity, Dr. Praveena Kodoth tried to link conjugal monogamy with the evils of the present day marriage culture. In the paper, Woman-

writing = Manreading? Pennezhuthu, Women Writers and the Literary Public in 20th Century Kerala, Dr. J. Devika attempted to analyze the stories of Sara Joseph from a feminist perspective. Dr. T. Muhammedali presented a paper on Religious Reform and the Muslim Women of Kerala. The two day seminar strengthened women’s claim for honour and equality.

The Department of History also organized Extension Lectures on various topics. Dalit Movements in Kerala by K.S. Madhavan was held on 6th September 2010. Megalithic Excavations in Kasargod District by Dr. Jayasree Nair was held on 15th September 2009. Dr. Pavithran talked on Ancient Scripts of Kerala on 10th January 2010.

P. Allassankutty, presented a paper on National Service Scheme and Extension Dimension of Higher Education: A Historical Perspective at the South Indian History Congress held in Kannur in February 2010. Dr. Manmathan M.R. presented a paper on Social Reform Movements of Kerala : A Historiographic Survey in the 30th Annual Session of South Indian History Congress held on 6-8 February 2010. He also presented a paper on Land Ownership Rights and Modern Challenges: Nambuthiri Brahmins in Twentieth Century Malabar in the 70th Session of the Indian History Congress held at Delhi University from 10th – 12th May 2010. He also published a paper Theatre as an Apparatus of Reform: Reflection on Adukkalayil Ninnu Arangathekku in the Journal of the Institute for Research in Social Science and Humanities Vol. 4, No. 2 July – December 2009.



Zoology

Focusing on the effects of global warming, Dr. Rajmohana, Senior Scientist, Zoological Survey of India, Kozhikode commented, "The 21st century might see temperature rise of about 2-8 degrees.

As a result climate patterns may shift, glaciers melt and sea levels may rise modifying the patterns and quantity of rain fall. These may boost the occurrence of floods, famines, heat waves and tornados." She inaugurated Zoology Association on 14th October 2009 and delivered a lecture on Biodiversity and Climate Change.

Prof. K.K. Elyas, Dept. of Biotechnology, University of Calicut lectured on Immuno- Techniques on 17th June 2009. On 23rd July 2009, a lecture on Infectious Diseases was made by Dr. Asma, Assistant Professor, Medical College, Calicut. Dr. Jafer Palot, Scientist Zoological Survey of India, Calicut, talked on Mangroves on 18th August 2009.

Wildlife Photo Exhibition by Sandeep Das was conducted on 2nd November 2009. Sandeep secured John. C Jacob Memorial Prize on Wild Life Photography awarded by MNHS. Dr. Bazoobandi, Scientist of Tehran, Iran, visited the college on 9th December 2009 and interacted with the students on the subject Toxicology and Weed Science.

Dr. Bazoobandi emphasized the role of weeds as potent tool for treatment of municipi-



Dr. Bazoobandi, Scientist of Tehran, Iran, addresses the gathering.

pal waste. He stated, "Weeds can also be used for remediation of heavy metal pollution."

Botony

The Botany Association was inaugurated by Dr. G. Prasanna Kumar, HoD of Plant Science, N.S.S. College, Manjeri on 15th October 2009.

He made a presentation on Tissue Culture Techniques in Horticulture Plants.

Dr. M. Bazoobandi, Professor and Weed Scientist, Khorsan Agricultural Natural Resource Research Centre, Mashhad, Iran rendered a talk on The Science of Controlling Weeds on 9th December 2009.

Computer

The Department of Computer Science organised Two Day Seminar under BITZ Computer club.

A paper on Microsoft. Net presented by Mr. Rakesh Vallen, Project Manager, Big Leap Solutions (Pvt) Ltd. discussed history, feature, structure, use and scope of .Net in current situation. Professor Mohammed Ilyas gave a lecture on Mobile Computing.

Science

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Malayalam

The academic year was an eventful and prestigious one for the Department of Malayalam. Malayalam Association was inaugurated by famous young poet Tijo Illikkal on 15th October 2009, followed by a talk on New Poetry by the poet P.R. Ratheesh.

On 27th October 2009 Prof. M.N. Vijayan Commemoration Speech was made by famous writer Babu Bharadwaj. On the occasion of Malayala Bhasha Varacharanam, Shibu Mohammed, Sub Editor, De-shabhimani spoke on The Challenges of Malayalam Literature. A One Day Seminar cum Book Release was organised on 21st January 2010. The seminar discussed Malayalam Imagination Before and After Basheer. Papers were presented by renowned Critic Kalpetta Narayan-



Mr. M.V. Devan inaugurates One Day Seminar on Malayalam Imagination Before and After Basheer.

an, and poet Veeran Kutty. A Book Vellichathinenthoru Vellicham, published by the Publication Division of Farook College, edited by K.M. Naseer was released by famous writer M.V. Devan. The famous writer Shri P.K. Parakkadav received it. Commemorating the distinguished Malayalam writer Vaikom Muhammed Basheer, Prof. M. Thomas Mathew delivered a speech.

Chemistry

The activities of the Department of Chemistry began with the inauguration of Chemistry Association by Dr. A.R. Iyer, a U.S.A. based pharmaceutical. FALChem, Chemistry Alumni Association and family-get-together was inaugurated on 10 October 2009 by Dr. K.V. Salahudheen, Chairman, Public Service Commission, Kerala.

On 30th December 2009, Dr. M. Jafar presented a paper in UGC Sponsored National Seminar at PSMO College. Physical Chemistry Lab was inaugurated by Dr. Abdu, Scientist from Brazil.

He spoke on Sun Earth Connection. Dr. Jaya Krishnan Vice-Chancellor University of Kerala addressed students on 15th February 2010.



Dr. Jaya Krishnan, Vice-Chancellor, University of Kerala, addresses the students.

Islamic History

Dr. T.A. Mohamed and K. Ummer attended the 30th session of the South Indian History Congress held at Kannur from 6th – 8th February 2010. Dr. T.A. Mohamed presented a paper on P.K. Usman and the Resistance Against the French in Mahe and Mr. K. Ummer on Attitude of Mappila Muslims Towards Colonial Modernity.

Dr. T.A. Mohamed presented a paper on Dimashq in History at the 70th Session of the Indian History Congress held at Delhi from 15th -17th May 2010.

On 19th October 2009, V.M. Kutty, famous Mappilapattu Singer, interacted with the students. Mr. Yassar, Programme Officer of Kalianger Television, Chennai, made a talk on Islamophobia to the students on 5th November 2009.

Mass Communication & Journalism

The students were able to fine-tune their practical skills while bringing out the Department Laboratory newspaper Farook Campus Observer. Suresh Menon, a business Journalist in Singapore presently with the Singapore Press Holidays explained the nuances of Business Journalism in the international scene.

Rajeev Menon, Bureau Chief, Malayala Manorama, Calicut, inaugurated the opening day ceremony of the MCJ Junior class, by sharing his

experiences of covering the Beijing Olympiad. His excellent sense of humour was evident as he narrated several anecdotes and shared practical tips with the young budding Journalists.

Mr. V.M. Ahammed, Editor-in-Chief, Yojana, Thiruvananthapuram, and Mr. Premchand, Editor, Chitrabhoomi graced the inaugural ceremony of the Journalism Association. Various media personalities such as Lal Mohan, Senior Sub Editor, Malayala Manorama delivered Lectures.



Jubilant Victors of LUMINANCE : All India Management Meet

Commerce

The year 2009 commenced with a promising note for the Department of Commerce with vibrant activities. A seminar on Union Budget 2009-10 by members of FACCOMS was the curtain raiser, held on 23rd July 2009. The Department brought out a seminar on Emerging Trends in Global and Indian Economic Scenario as part of the commemoration of Prof. Abdulla Peringat (Former HoD), held on 5th August 2009. Dr. Vijayakumar, Lecturer, Sree Krishna College, Guruvayoor presented the topic.

On 24th September 2009, the Department organised a seminar on Logistic Management. The seminar was spearheaded by Mr. Govind Raj, Director of Indian Institute of Logistics and Shipping. Commerce Association was inaugurated on 6th October 2009 by Mr. Elamaram Kareem, Minister of Industries, Kerala State. Mr. Mohandas,

Deputy GM of Federal Bank Calicut was the Chief Guest of the programme.

On 19th December, students of the Department of Commerce were taken to attend 5th All India Management Meet. Farook College won the overall championship in LUMINANCE held at DC School of Management and Technology, Vagamon, Idukki. The Department organised a Personality Development Programme on 18th January 2010. Mr. Madhu Bhaskar, a well known international trainer led the class.

A seminar for PG students was conducted on 19th January 2010 on Analysis of Financial Statements. Mr. Ramesh, reputed chartered accountant and visiting member of faculty of IIMK and Mr. Rajendran, FCA and visiting member of faculty of IIMK presented papers on the same topic.



Statistics



Dr.N.Raju inaugurates the Statistics Association.

Department of Statistics conducted a Quiz Competition on the birthday of Mahalnobis on 19th June 2009. Dr.N.Raju inaugurated the association on 21- Aug-2009,

which was followed by a talk on Decision Theory. The Department of Statistics conducted an exhibition on Child – a Boon or Bane on 13th November 2009. Dr. Radakrishnan , Nehru Arts and Science College delivered a talk on Statistical Package SPSS on 25th January 2010. Dr. P Anilkumar, delivered a talk on The Power of Tossing a Coin on the same Day. The students of Statistics won the second prize in the quiz competition organised by Devagiri College, Calicut. The Statistics Association launched a website-viz. www.statista.webs.com on 11 December 2009.



Exhibition on Child – a Boon or Bane.



Dr. P.B.Salim, Kozhikode District Collector presents memento to Mr.Ashiq Karattil,3rd Rank Holder in the Indian Economic Service Examination 2009.

P M Institute of Civil Service Examination

Students, Teachers and Management of Farook College honoured Mr.Ashiq Karattil, a student of the Farook College P.M.Institute of Civil Services Examination, who secured the 3rd Rank in the Indian Economic Service Examination 2009 conducted by the UPSC. Dr. P.B.Salim, Kozhikode District Collector, was the chief guest on the occasion.

Thirteen students of the P. M. Institute qualified the Preliminary Exam.2009 and Mrs. Minnu C. Raj passed the Main Examination and appeared for the personality interview at Delhi. The visit of Justice Abdul Gafoor, Chairman of the P. M. Foundation and another member Prof. Bahauddin to the institute and the interaction they had with the Management and members of the Faculty is a rich tribute to the institute.





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Arabic

“Arabic as a world language has furthered world peace and advocated freedom of expression and ideological propagation”, stated H.E. Adli Swadique, Ambassador of the State of Palestine to India while inaugurating the Two-Day National Seminar on Arabic Language and Literature – A Universal Threshold to Job, Education and Trade held on 18th and 19th November 2009. He applauded the support India is extending to the people of Palestine. Dr. N.A.M. Abdul Khader (HoD of Arabic, University of Calicut), Adv. M. Mohammed (Manager, Farook College) and Dr. Hussain Madavoor (Principal, R.U.A College) felicitated the

gathering. The seminar initiated creative discussions on the development of Arabic Language & Literature in the present scenario.

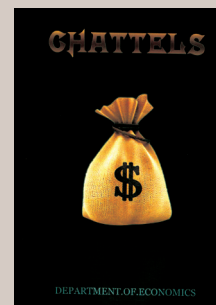
The activities of the Arabic Association for the year 2009-10 was inaugurated by Sayyid Munavvar Ali Shihab Thangal on 10th September, 2010. An intellectual lecture on Islamophobia was conducted in the initial session. A lecture on ‘Who Are You and Who Created You’ by M.M. Akbar was followed by a talk on Culture of Mappila Songs led by V. M. Kutty. Dr. N. Abdul Jabbar, Reader in Arabic, published a book entitled Easy Communication in Arabic and English was published by him.

ELF@farook

With the objective of enhancing the literary and research aptitude of the English Language Lovers, a body named ELF @ FAROOK was constituted by the Department of English. In the inaugural ceremony held on 4 November 2009, Principal Prof. A. Kuttialikutty highlighted the relevance of research in higher education and the importance of such forums inculcating research initiatives. Dr. Sherif, Department of English, University of Calicut enlightened the PG students on Research Methodology. The forum brings home the retired professors, Alumni of the college, and all other literati. A blog ELF @ FAROOK has been formed at e Blogger.com

Economics

The Department of Economics organised a seminar on ASEAN – An Analysis on 26th August, 2009. The discussion was spearheaded by Prof. P.P. Yusuf Ali. A discussion on Budget was held on 8th September 2009. An interactive talk on Career Opportunities to Economics Aspirants was conducted by the Department on 7th September 2009. Dr. M. Usman, Principal, Amal College, Nilambur interacted with the students.



Chattles, the magazine was released on 11th February 2010 by Madhu Sankar, Press Club President, Calicut. It was followed by a talk on Media and Economic Policies. Dr. K.N. Raj commemorative speech delivered by Prof. P.T. Abdul Latheef.



English

The Department of English hosted various programmes under the banners of VIVA English and Punctuations, the English Association 2009-10. Prof. Mohandas, Retired Principal, Government Arts and Science College, Calicut inaugurated the activities of the Association for year. The students of English Association received prize from Cine Star Asif Ali on 29th October for being the top scorers in Fantasia, the Inter Association Off-Stage competition conducted by the College Union.

The Department organized a UGC Sponsored National Workshop on Literature of the Marginalized: Theory, Issues and Relevance in association with CREST, Calicut, on 24th and 25th March 2010. Padmabhushan Dr. U.R. Ananthamurthy, in his vibrant inaugural address, highlighted the history of the marginalized. He opined that the literature of the marginalized is



Padmabhushan Dr. U.R. Ananthamurthy inaugurates the National Workshop.

Library & Information Science



Mr. P. Jayarajan MBE, former Head, British Council Libraries, addresses the gathering.

Department of Library and Information Science organised the Annual Extension Lecture on Towards a Knowledge Society by Mr. P. Jayarajan MBE (Member of British Empire), former Head of British Council Libraries in India, on 4th January 2010. He held the view that it is an emerging area in the context of application of information and communication technologies in the modern world.

The Department initiated its academic programmes by setting up the computer lab which was inaugurated by Prof. M. Gopinath, Former HoD. The launch of the website (www.maths.farookcollege.ac.in) was done on the very same day by Prof. T. Balakrishnan, Former HoD. A Two Day Workshop on Python Programming Language and Latex for the Second Semester B.Sc. Maths students of the colleges affiliated to the University of Calicut was conducted on 31st December 2009 and 1st January 2010.

Mr. T.K. Rajan (Department of Mathematics, Govt. Victoria College, Palakkad), Mr. K.P. Priyadarshan (Department of Mathematics, CKG College, Perambra), Dr. K. K. Abdulla and Dr. P.A. Subha (Department of Physics, Farook College) were the resource persons.

Prof. N.V. Beeran Sahib Memorial Lecture was held on 31 December 2009. Dr. A.J. Parameswaran, Director of Kerala School of Mathematics, Kozhikode, delivered the Me-



the long time suppressed voice of the underprivileged people. He said, "I have become a writer because I frequented to the backyard. If I had frequented to the frontyard, I would have become a politician." He glorified the writings of Vaikam Muhammad Basheer.

The keynote address was rendered by Dr. M. Dasan, Head of the Department of English, University of Kannur spoke on Theorising Marginalised Narratives. Dr.M.P. Radika, Providence Women's College, presented the Feminist Theory. Dr.(Sr) Jesme spoke on Autobiographical Feminist Narratives .Dr.Santhosh, Assistant Director, Centre for the Study of Social Exclusion and Inclusive Policy, Mangalore University dealt with Islamic Feminism and the Question of Marginality. On the second day Dr. Rajan, Reader, Department of English, Sree Kerala Varma College presented a very enlightening paper on Postcolonial Theory .Dr. V. Prathibha, Reader, Department of English, University of Calicut spoke on Black Feminism. Dr.Anita Ramesh, Department of English, Zamorin's Guruvayurappan College, Calicut analysed several short stories in her paper from a gender perspective. The most vibrant and colourful session of the second day was of Dr. T Muraleedaran, Reader, St. Aloysius college, Thrissur who came up with his new observations on Queer Theory. Dr. Asha. S, Head of the Department of Eng-

lish, SS College, Areacode spoke on The Fixation of Veil. Another striking session was by Mr. Habeeb C, Department of English, Farook College who spoke on Literature and the Visually Impaired.

Dr.Asha Muhammad was the Resource Person at the workshop for Higher Secondary Teachers on the topic Readings of Literature Based on Latest Critical Theories. Dr. T. V. Prakash was the Resource Person at the Workshop on NAAC Re-accreditation at Providence College, Calicut, MES Mampad College, Mampad, and WMO College, Muttill, Wayanad. He delivered an Extension Lecture on Stucturalism and Deconstruction held at EMEA College, Kondotty on 14th December 2009. Ms. Sajitha. M.A presented a paper on Four Skill Assessment in Mixed Ability Classroom at the Fourth International and 40th Annual Conference on Managing Mixed Ability Classes held at JBAS College, Chennai on 7th-9th August 2009. Her paper Front Office Management Course was published in Assonance No.13, December 2009, Journal of Russian and Comparative Literary Studies, University of Calicut.Mr. Habeeb.C inaugurated English Association and rendered a talk on Postcolonial Studies at Unity Women's College, Manjeri on 4th June 2010.

Mathematics



Dr. A.J. Parameswaran delivers the Memorial Lecture.



The launch of the website by Prof. T. Balakrishnan.



Prof.M.Gopinath, Former HoD, inaugurates the Computer Lab.

morial Lecture on Indian legacy in Mathematics.

Dr. K. Sudheer, presented a paper on The Finiteness of Von Neumann Algebras Relative to Groups of Automorphisms in the NBHM sponsored National Conference on Operator Theory and Application (OP-TAS) organised by the PG Department and Research

Centre in Mathematics, Payyannur College, Payyannur, held on 1st and 2nd October 2009.

He published a paper titled Vector Generated Fuzzy Measures on Hilbert Spaces in the Bulletin of Kerala Mathematics Association Vol.5 , No.2 (2009, December).



OUR GLORIOUS WINNERS

first rank



M.K. Haseena
(M.A. Arabic)

M. Ramya
(B.Sc. Statistics)

second rank



A. Najda
(B.A. English)

R. Nithin
(B.A. Sociology)

T. Adbunnassar
(M.A. Arabic)

P.A. Sunaina
(B.Sc. Statistics)

P.M. Aiswarya
(B.Sc. Chemistry)

third rank



M. Ismail
(M.A. Arabic)

M. Farsana
(B.Sc. Statistics)

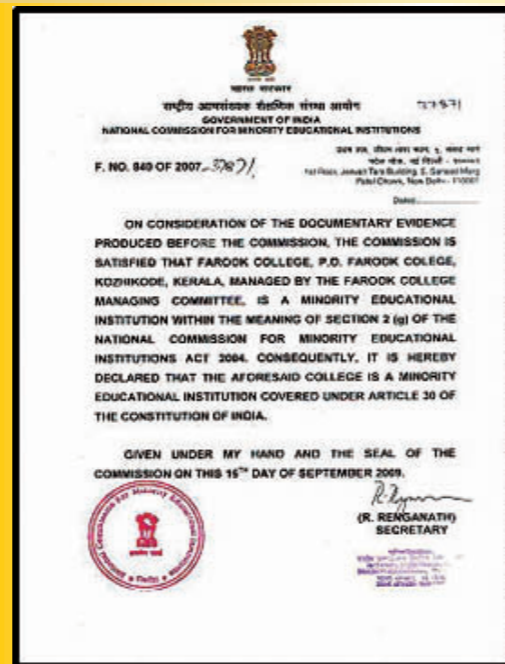
J.M. Rajina
(M.Sc. Zoology)

*P. Barsheena Mumtaz (II Rank, B.A. Sociology) and
B.K. Saquiya Beevi (III Rank, B.A. Arabic & Islamic History)
also bagged ranks.*

Recognition & Achievements



Prof. A.Kuttialikutty, Principal, Farook College receives the certificate of Accreditation at the NAAC Accreditation Ceremony held at Bangalore.



Recognized as a 'Minority Institution' by the National Commission for the Minority Institutions, Govt. of India.

Visits of Distinguished Personalities



Adv. M.Mohamad presents memento to Dr.Hameed khan, Senior Scientist, National Institute of Health, USA.



Justice MSA Siddiqui, Chairman National Commission for Minority Educational Institutions visits the College .

Sociology



Hameed Khan, Senior Scientist, National Institute of Health, USA, interacts with the students.

Sociology Association conducted 'CELIBRATING-09', a get together with University Rank holders and USA Study Programme Awardees on 12th August 2009. M. Muhammad Thahir (Principal Consultant, Oracle Corporation, Washington, USA) was the chief guest. An active interaction with chief guest on American Society: Its Culture and Challenges was part of the session.

N.P. Hafiz Mohamed participated in an Educational Seminar Burden of Education on Parents and Students in the Middle East during the Anniversary Program of FOSA, QATAR. Two students Nithin. R. and Nas-sif Mohammad attended US Study Programme.

Physics



Prof. R. Shrinivasan, the former Director of UGC DAE Consortium for Research at Indore, talks on The Applications Cryogenics.



Dr. K.M. Udayanandan, Reader, Nehru Arts and Science College Kanhangad inaugurates Physics Association.

The Department of Physics organised a programme on Astronomy and Astrophysics on 8th October 2009. Prof. R. Shrinivasan, the former Director of UGC DAE consortium for Research at Indore, delivered a talk on The Applications Cryogenics on 4th December 2009.

A talk on Indian Calendar was delivered on 15th January 2010. Dr. K.M. Udayanandan, Reader, Department of Physics, Nehru Arts and Science College Kanhangad inaugurated Physics Association and delivered a talk on Origin of the Universe. Physics Association released Ripples - a Physics Magazine, which was dedicated to Prof. K. A. Mathew.



Impact of Genetical Revolution on Our Lives

Dr. Hameed Khan, Senior Consultant Scientist at the US based National Institute of Health (NIH), USA who was also part of the revolutionary Human Genome Project talked of Chromosomes, genes and related subjects. He urged the gathering to contemplate the benefits of modern genetic science and come out of the clichéd mindset.

Modern scientific activities are rather destructive for mankind. He opined that the socio-religious atmosphere in India and even in most western countries barricade the positive growth of genetic science. Regarding human cloning and studies on stem cells, he said such studies were highly expensive and should not be done by individuals who may seek destructive results. Dr. Hameed Khan was presented the memento by Adv. Muhammad, Manager of Farook College Management Committee.

SERIES OF TALKS

Film and History

Mannil Mohammad
Film Producer
19th August 2009

A Pattern for Life

N. Gopala Krishnan
(Retd. IRS Officer, Writer)
15th September 2009

Social Aspects of Diseases

Dr. K. Suresh Kumar
(Director IPM , Calicut)
16th September 2009

Films and Social Problems

T. Damodharan
(Script Writer)
30th September 2009



Mr. K. Manoj Kumar, Senior Scientist, INFLIBNET, demonstrates N-List Programme.

Library

The facility to access to e-resources through programme entitled National Library and Information Services Infrastructure for Scholarly Content (N-List) under National Mission on Education through ICT has been extended to Farook College by the INFLIBNET Centre, Ahmedabad. The programme provides access to more than 2100 e-journals and more than 51,000 e-books.

N-list is a joint project of UGC – INFONET Digital Library consortium, INFLIBNET centre and INDEST – AICTE consortium, IIT Delhi. A demonstration of the programme was conducted by Mr. K. Manoj Kumar, Senior Scientist, INFLIBNET, Ahmedabad.

As part of National Library Week Celebration, an exhibition cum sale of books was held on 16th and 17th November 2009. On the occasion of Independence Day, Republic Day and Gandhi Jayanthi, the books and posters were exhibited.





Victorious Farook College Team.

Fine Arts Club

Fantabulous activities of the Fine Arts Club were set to motion with the inauguration of fine arts day programme, Khayal 09, by Cine Artist, Asif. The college retained the overall championship in the B-zone Arts Fest held at Calicut Law College. Nikhil Raveendran and Abdul Rashid were selected as the Kalapratibha and Sargaprabha respectively. At the Interzone Arts Fest held at Calicut University Campus, the vibrant Farookian team bagged the Overall Championship consecutively for four years with a lead of 34 points.

PRINCIPALS' MEET



Sri. E. Ahmed, Minister of State for Railways, inaugurates the Principals' Meet.



Dr. Gopakumar, Deputy Secretary, South Western Region of UGC engages a session.

Sri. E. Ahamed, Minister of State for Railways, inaugurated Two Day Workshop for the Principals' of Aided Colleges in Kerala organised by All Kerala Principal's Council at Farook College on 21st May 2010. Prof. Anwar Jahan Zuberi, Vice Chancellor of University of Calicut chaired the sessions. Prof. K.A. Jaleel, the Founder Secretary was honoured on this occasion. NAAC Advisor, Dr. Ponmudi Raj handled a session on Quality Enhancement in Higher Education Institution and Dr. Gopakumar, Deputy Secretary, South Western Region of UGC, handled a session on UGC Assistance to Higher Education Institution.



Three-Day Residential Workshop of Total Improvement Programme (TIP) inaugurated by Jb. C.P. Kunhimammed.

PATHWAYS TO HIGHER EDUCATION

Farook College has been sanctioned a berth to Pathways Programme funded by Ford Foundation. It is monitored by the Higher Education Cell of the Centre for Studies in Culture and Society (CSCS) for a period of three years.

Three colleges each from Maharashtra,

Karnataka and Kerala have been selected for a yearly grant of five lakhs. The programme aims to enhance the all round development and technological skills of the selected students facing the present day challenges in Higher Education. A Pathways Cell has been set up on the campus.



Sports

The academic year 2009-10 brought intrinsic achievements in the field of sports and games. The baseball, handball, softball and shuttle badminton teams are worth applause for retaining their university championship to the date.

The volleyball team bagged third place in the interzone championship. The football and cricket teams clasped the B-Zone championship with their team work and the struggle throughout. Midhilesh Sunder secured the captaincy of University Badminton team. Arun Vishnu represented India in the World Badminton Championship and secured runner-up position in All India Inter University Championship.

Manu Joseph lead the Kerala Youth Volley Ball Team which ended up in the National championship. Muneer. K. was made the captain of Kerala Youth Football team.



University Softball Champions



University Handball Champions



University Shuttle Badminton Champions

Staff Club

Staff club organised a talk on Choice Based Credit Semester System and also a workshop on Grading System by Mr. Joshi, Syndicate Member, University of Calicut. A talk by Mr. Nizam, a Professional Trainer, on The Role of Teachers in Mentoring was also arranged. The Manuscript Magazine Chiaroscuro was released as a means to express the creativity of the faculty. Staff Club conducted a Musical evening Journey Down Memory Lane headed by Mr. Jithin Das, an Alumnus of the college.

Pain & Palliative

Palliative Clinic takes care of nearly 200 terminally ill, bed-ridden patients in the vicinity of Ramanattukara, Feroke and Vazhayoor Panchayats. 14 new patients registered this year. Home visits of nurses and doctors were undertaken for 107 days. 15 families were given provision for food, medicine and educational support for their children.

The clinic provided 17 waterbeds, 28 wheel chairs, 7 walkers, 3 stretchers, 4 walking sticks, 1 air bed and 3 commodes to patients.





One Day Workshop on Communication Skills entitled Lingua Compendium.

FILS

Farook Institute of Language Skills (FILS) organized a One Day Workshop entitled Lingua Compendium meant for enhancing the communicative skills in English. Mr. Manohar, Lecturer RIE, Dr. Anita Ramesh – Lecturer, Zamorin’s Guruvayurappan College and Mr. Niyas, CIGI were able to enrich the language proficiency of the students.

Reader’s Forum

Readers’ Forum 2009-10 was inaugurated by Dr. M. Gangadharan, Historian, on 14th October 2009. On the occasion R. S. Waseem (I BA Malayalam) made a presentation on Jaswant Singh’s Jinnah: India – Partition – Independence. A debate was held on ASEAN AGREEMENT on 22nd October 2009, initiated by M.K. Mufeed of M.A. Economics.

Edu Support

Targetting the economically backward students, Edu-Support offered financial assistance to 172 students. An amount of Rs. 5,48,917 was spent for the Hostel food, books, medicine, dress material and travel of the deserving students. Major contributors to the Edu Support are FOSA, Qatar and Jeddah units, Leila Yusuf Al Sagar of Kuwait, PTA, Staff and Alumni.

Film Club

The Constitution of Farook College Film Club (FCFC 2010) was marked by the Screening of a film Parinamam directed by G. Harikrishnan, Lecturer in Physics, Govt. College, Madappally on 17th March 2010



Justice Sreedevi, Chairperson of Vanitha Commission makes keynote address.

Women’s Cell

A talk on Legal Rights of Women was held on 11th February 2010. Justice D. Sreedevi, Chairperson of Kerala Vanitha Commission delivered the keynote address. She highlighted the importance of education in empowering women and motivated the students to stand on their own feet to eliminate exploitation.

Aiming at developing the interest of students in Home Management, a Food Fest was conducted on 14th December 2009. A talk on Personal Hygiene by Dr. P.A. Lalitha was organised exclusively for girls on 9th February 2010.

Health Club

The centre organized Speech and Hearing Check-up for school children. A Public Awareness Class on Fever was conducted with the help of DMO, Calicut District. It also runs a Diabetic –Hypertension clinic where free check-ups are given.



U.C.Raman, M.L.A, inaugurates NSS Special Camp 2009-10.

NSS

As a part of *Nammude Maram* Programme, the NSS students planted 200 saplings in and around the campus on 25th June 2009. An Awareness Campaign on H1N1 was held on 2nd September 2009. NSS also conducted a study class on Legal Literacy and a One Day Seminar on AIDS Awareness on 11th November and 3rd December 2009 respectively. Mr. U.C. Raman, MLA, inaugurated a Seven Day Special Camp in December 2009.

Informatics Centre provided courses on Introduction to Linux, Introduction to Internet Technology, C Programming Basics, Introduction to Web Designing, Training Programme in Hardware and Networking and PG Diploma in Multimedia and Animation.

The Informatics Centre conducted a workshop on Introduction to Linux for teachers on 16th November 2009.

Informatic Centre



One Day Cycle Expedition as part of Career Awareness Campaign.

NCC

A Leadership Camp titled Energiser 2K7 was conducted on November 3rd and 4th, 2009. NCC day was observed on 24th November and the cadets visited Government Leprosy Hospital, Chevayoor. NCC Girls Wing organised a One Day Trekking to Adiyannpara. The army cadets also attended various camps held at West Bengal, New Delhi and Haryana.

One Day Cycle Expedition was organised by our cadets as a part of Cancer Awareness Campaign. As a part of Independence Day Celebration a quiz competition titled *Tryst with Destiny – The Story of Glorious Struggle* was conducted for all senior division subunits under Calicut group. LC Sirajudheen K. K attended Republic Day Camp and

bagged fifth position in All India Competition. He was awarded Chief Minister's Trophy and he also attended the Prime Minister's Rally. C.C. Uvais attended All India Yachting Regatta at INS Chilka and finished sixth in All India Sailing Competition. He also won Gold Medal in Boat Pulling and Sailing and Silver in Semaphore Competition in Pre Nausainik Camp. POC Sajith TP won gold in Boat Pulling and Pre Nausainik Camp. LC Vinaya. N.P and LC Shanib. S won Silver in Ship Modeling Competition in Pre Nausainik camp. In Shooting Competition, our cadet U/o. Nousheeda. C. won gold medal and the Bronze was awarded to Sgt Bijisha M. for Inter Directorate Health and Hygienic Competition. They also attended T.Sc. Camp held at New Delhi.





M.K. Raghavan MP, inaugurates the programme.



Adv. M.I. Shanavas MP, addresses the gathering.



Dr. A. Jayakrishnan, VC Kerala University addresses the gathering.



Dr. Azad Moopan, addresses the gathering.

FOSA

FOSA organized a reception on 15 February, 2010 to honour three of its distinguished members, Adv. M.I. Shanavas, for being elected to the Parliament, Dr. A. Jayakrishnan, for being appointed as the Vice-Chancellor, University of Kerala and Dr. Azad Moopan, for receiving the Pravasi Bharathiya Samman from the President of India. Mr. M.K. Raghavan, Member of Parliament, inaugurated the programme.

Farook College Old Students Association (FOSA) is an active forum of the Alumni to foster and keep up the eternal bond with their Alma mater. Qatar and Jeddah units of FOSA has donated Rs. 3,50,000/- towards Edu-support, a project to support the poor but meritorious students of the college. An educational survey on the topic Burden of Private Education on Expatriate Children, Parents and Teachers was conducted. FOSA has organised numerous Programmes of novel nature to strengthen fraternity and friendship among expatriates.



Placement Cell

A Three Day Workshop on Leadership was organised from 26th – 28th February 2010. Dr. Haroon Al Rasheed, K.M. Noufal, Shanawas A.K., Rashid Koolivayal, Adv. K.K. Issudheen, P. Hemapalan, Vaidyanath Ramanan were the dynamic personalities who enlightened the audience. A seminar on Employability Enhancement and Career Opportunity by Imthyas Tinmake, National Trainer, was organised on 13th August 2009. Explaining New Challenges in Movie Making was a presentation held with the co-operation of Malabar Media City, on 21st October 2009. On 5th November 2009, with the support of CIGI, a talk on Career Opportunities Around the World was conducted.

Childline



Workshop for Police Personnel.

The NICP workshop for Anganavadi teachers from Koduvally Block Panchayat on 30th December 2009 discussed effective parenting and children's psychological issues. The programme was inaugurated by Sri. Nanakkal Muhammed, Social Welfare Officer, Calicut. Adv. Rajeevan Mallisery and Adv. Naseer, leading Advocates from Kozhikode BAR handled the sessions.

Two different workshops for police personnels and NSS programme officers were also conducted on 27th January and 25th February 2010. The programmes were inaugurated by Sri. C.M. Pradeep Kumar, Assistant Commissioner of Police, Calicut and Dr.C. P. Aboobacker, Director, Childline Collab, AWH Kozhikode respectively. Childline also distributed Young Achiever's Award sponsored by UNICEF on 9th December 2009 at EMS Memorial Co-operative College, Calicut. Childline succeeded in conducting out reach and awareness programmes at 40 schools in and around the city.

Student's Union

The students' Union of Year 2009-10 was inaugurated by Sri. E.T. Mohamed Basheer, M.P on 17 August 2009. The Union organized an Interaction with Mr. Rahul Gandhi, M.P. on 7 October 2009. M.I Thangal delivered Seethi Sahib Memorial Lecture on 18 December 2009. The Union organized a seminar on the topic Chithalarikunna Yuvathwam on 29 January 2010.



Prof. A.Kuttialikutty, Principal, presents a memento to Rahul Gandhi, MP, on his visit to the college.

PH.D. AWARDEES



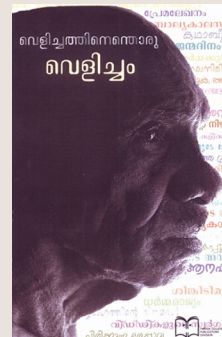
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Asst. Professor in Arabic, P.T.M. Govt. College, Perinthalmanna, Malappuram.

Publications Division

The Publications Division of the college published college News Bulletin – Campus Vibes 2009 in December 2009. The Publications Division also brought out a book on Vaikom Mohamed Basheer, entitled Velichathinethoru Velicham. The book was released by M.V. Devan, Writer and Artist on 21 January 2010. P.K. Parakkadavu, Writer received the book.



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RETIRED TEACHERS



Dr. Asha Mohammed
Joined the Department of English on 20-09-1979 as a Lecturer and retired on 31-03-2010 as Lecturer Sel. Grade.



M. Mohammed Basheer
Joined the Department of Sociology on 28-10-1983 as a Lecturer and retired on 31-03-2010 as Lecturer Sel. Grade.



Mr. K.A. Mathew
Joined the Department of Physics on 22-09-1983 as a Lecturer and retired on 31-03-2010 as Lecturer Sel. Grade.



Fathima
Joined the Department of History on 14-09-1979 as a Lecturer and retired on 31-03-2010 as Lecturer Sel. Grade.



IN MEMORIUM

PROF. ABDULLA K. PERINGATT



Prof. Abdulla

Prof. Abdulla K. Peringatt, served Farook College during the period -----2000. He served as the Head of the Department and was the Student Advisor of the college for a long period. He was the President of FOSA.Coms till his death. He was known as a good organiser and orator. He had a wide circle of friends. One of the remarkable qualities of Prof. Abdulla K. Peringatt was that he could maintain very close relationship with all those whom he met once.

DR.(PROF) V.M. FRANCIS



Dr. V.M. Francis

Dr.(Prof)V.M. Francis served Farook College during the period 1966-98, passed away on 30 Sept. 2009. He was a distinguished scholar of Physics, who strove for the propagation of science through talks and writings in his younger years. He has carried out his research work in the field of quantum mechanics at the University of Calicut. Prof. Francis was characterized by a scientific and pragmatic approach towards life mingled with a great sense of humour. He has authored the books 'Sasthrathile yadrichika vijayangal', 'Bharathiya Sasthranjammar and co-authored another book, 'Madam Curie'.

PROF. K.R.VELAYUDHAN



Prof. K. Velayudhan

Prof. K.R.Velayudhan served Farook College during the period 1966-98, passed away on 09 Oct. 2009. He was known for his systematic, disciplined, calm and composed way of life. Prof. Velayudhan used to take extra care to equip himself with thorough preparation and homework before he engages the students or to deal with any situations in life for that matter. Apart from from being a great teacher who was precise in his words and actions, Prof. Velayudhan would also be remembered as a talented sportsman especially in the field of shuttle badminton and carrom board games.



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