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“Patience and perseverance can melt the ice of difficulties”



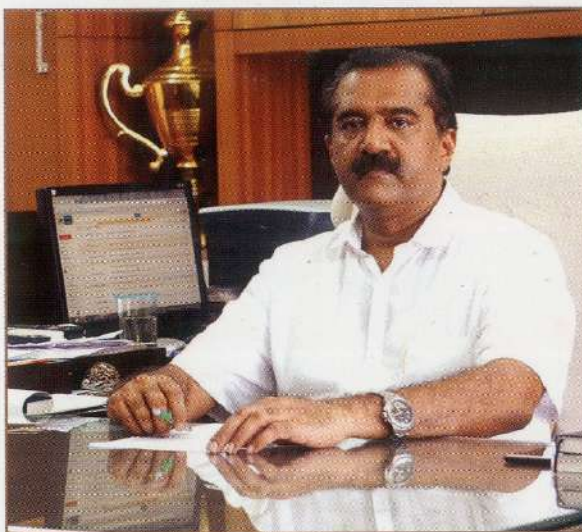
FAROOK COLLEGE

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MESSAGE FROM THE **PRINCIPAL**



I am very glad that the twelfth issue of the Campus Vibes, the newsletter of our college is in print. The year 2016 is a very significant year as far as our college is concerned. The college successfully functioned as an autonomous college during the academic year 2015-16. The college has also obtained A+ in the NAAC evaluation. The variegated activities reflected in this newsletter is a clear evidence that the college has not compromised on any extra curricular activity for the sake of mere academic mobility. The achievements of an organisation are the result of the combined effort of each individual. Once again the college has proven that teamwork divides task and doubles the success rate. Patience and perseverance can melt the ice of difficulties. The achievements of our students in the fields of academics, arts and sports are worth appreciating and celebrating. The teachers of our college also have made their presence felt at the national and international circles. I value the hardwork of the editorial committee of this newsletter for bringing out the newsletter, Campus Vibes 2016.

Prof. E. P. Imbichikoya

Principal, Farook College

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS

GAS HYDRATES AND THEIR POTENTIALS

On 22 July 2016, the department organised Moon Day Celebration to commemorate the day man first walked on the moon. As part of the programme, "Meet the Icon", the department organised a talk by Dr.Sunil.V, Post Doctoral Fellow, Arctic University, Norway. He introduced the topic "Gas Hydrates and their potentials". He also motivated the students to open up the research areas in Geophysics. The Physics Association Aagneya was inaugurated by the renowned scientist Dr.Bevish Ranjan Behra of Punjab University on 17 November 2016. Dr.Behra presented the topic "Particle Accelerators and Nuclear Physics".



Dr. Sunil V, Arctic University, Norway speaks on "Gas Hydrates and their potentials"

The department of Physics in association with Farook College Resident's Welfare Society organised a workshop on solar lantern fabrication and LED Bulb assembly on 30 November 2016. The program was successful in creating awareness among the public about energy consumption and use of renewable energy sources. The participants were given hands-on experience in LED, Solar lantern fabrication. An Inter-Collegiate Science Quiz Competition, Resonance was held on 10 February 2016. Naseem.D, Scientist -C, ONGC delivered a lecture on Alternative carriers in Physical Sciences. Dr.Ajithkumar, Scientist, IUAC, New Delhi and Jithin.B.P. IISER Kolkata introduced different experiments using SEELABLET experimental Kit on 21 May 2016. Optical, electronic and mechanical experiments were demonstrated for faculty members of various colleges and universities. Astro Club Farook College organised a sky watch programme for students and the general public on 06 May 2016. Mr.M.P.C.Nambiar led the programme.

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY

ISSUES OF LGBT COMMUNITY

Recognising the issues of LGBT Community, the department of Sociology conducted an active interactive session on "Issues of LGBT Community" on 6th August 2015. The session was highly interactive and productive. Sheethal, State Secretary of LGBT Association and Faisal, Transgender Activist enlightened the audience. As part of White Cane Day, an inter-department workshop on "Happy Life Is the Key to Success" was conducted 21 October 2015. The resource person was Mr. Jaisal, a Socio Farookian. The workshop highlighted the needs of developing confidence and Self-esteem. The department conducted an Inter-Department Short



Jouhar Munawwir Interacting with the parents in "Be a Real Parent" programme



"The innocent Canvas"- The students in poster making



Chekkutty replying to students in "Construction of Realities"

Film Fest Competition "MELANGE" on 01 December 2015. The film "RED INK" was awarded the Best Short Film in the Competition. The creative imaginations of students added an extra flavor to the programme. A five day Painting Exhibition "RAINBOW" of Ayisha Nimmi, a student of Sociology Department was conducted at Kozhikode Art Gallery. The exhibition was inaugurated by the famous artist Mr.Madhanan on 3 September, 2015. Under the SOFES (Socio-Farook Extension Scheme), Department of Sociology conducted a One Day Workshop for Parents of GLP School, Karinkallay on "Family Life Education" on 08 December 2015. Mr.Jouhar Munawwir Faculty, Farook Training College handled the Session.

DEPARTMENT OF ARABIC

The department conducted a One-day National Seminar titled "Tuhfat Al Mujahideen – A Revisit" in association with Malabar Institute of Research & Development, Vadakara on 06 July 2015. The department released an ISSN numbered annual research journal Majalla Al Sabah on 18 February 2016. The CPE Project - Development of Arabic Audio Study Materials for Visually Challenged Students was launched. A National level Curriculum Restructuring Workshop was held on 24-25 February 2016. The department also conducted an exhibition "Al Nafidah", an intercollegiate quiz competition and an intercollegiate Arabic group song competition on 17 December 2015 in connection with Arabic Day Celebrations. A session on "Access to Online Resource and Norms of Plagiarism Check" was handled by Dr. Vinod, Assistant Librarian, the University of Calicut under the auspices of Research Forum – Arabic. Dr. Qasim Adil, Professor, Zakir Husain College, Delhi delivered a lecture on Arabic literature on 18 December 2015. Dr. Shahin, Assistant Professor, Department of Physics, University of Calicut, delivered a lecture on "Contribution of Ibn Hytham to Modern Optics" in connection with the celebration of the international year of light. The Arabic Club released the 2015 issue of 'AL FAROOK', students Arabic magazine. The International Arabic Day Celebration was held on 18 December 2015. The programme was inaugurated by Dr. Husain Madavoor, Coordinator, Muslim World League South Wing. Haneefa Pulippambal, Editor, Al Arabia Magazine – Riyadh, delivered a lecture on "Arabic Journalism".

DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

MODERN TRENDS IN LITERARY RESEARCH

A one day International Seminar on "Modern Trends in Literary Research" was conducted on 10 June 2015. Dr. K.K. Kunhammed, Assistant Professor, Kannur University and Mr. Ryan Pickard from Australia were the resource persons. The Forum for Research in English conducted two paper presentation series for research scholars. Dr. Asha Mohamed, former Head, Department of English and Ms. Bindu, Associate Professor of English, Providence College for Women chaired the sessions respectively.

Ms. Arya Gopi, research scholar was honoured by the forum for winning the Youth Icon Award. *Native Media in English*, a book prescribed for the III Semester UG students was authored by Rizwana Sultana. The students of the department also won Championship at the National Literary Fest held at Trichy. The CPE projects- PEP, SET and SMS were implemented successfully. The second phase of SWEET ENGLISH- an extension activity was carried out.

Prof. C.K Muhammed Ummer, former HoD, Dept. of English, Farook College delivered a lecture on "Shakespearean Tragedy" on 15 June 2015 as part of VIVA-Meet the Master Lecture Series. As part of VIVA-Meet the Master Lecture Series, Dr. Yaseen Ashraf, former Head, Department of English, Farook College delivered a lecture on "Introduction to the Study of Literature" on 23 June 2015. VIVA English conducted an interdepartmental competition named IGNITION 2015 to commemorate Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam on 04 August 2015. The English Association was inaugurated by Dr. M.D Radhika, former Head, Department of English, Providence Women's College, Calicut on 15 October 2015. The blog of VIVA ENGLISH was launched by Dr. Radhika. VIVA English conducted the annual Interdepartmental Quiz Competition *COMMONEO* on 27 January 2016. "PENDRIVE", the magazine by first semester B.A. English students, was released by M.Noushad, Editor, Other Books on 11 February 2016. The Department of English under the auspices of VIVA ENGLISH organized a meeting on 24 February 2016 to congratulate the students of the department who represented the college and won prizes in various events.



Ms. Bindu Amat, Associate Professor of English speaks at the honouring ceremony

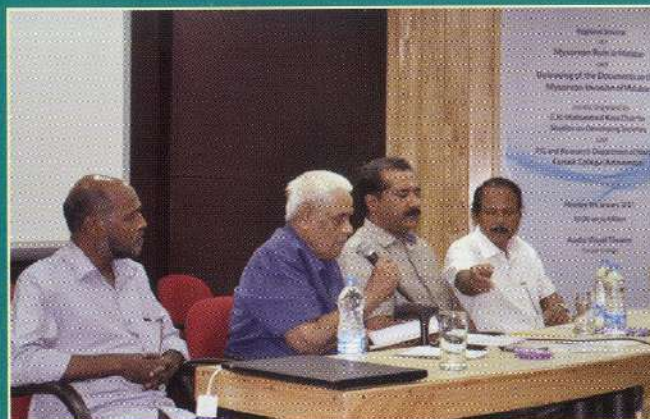
DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY

KERALA MODEL DEVELOPMENT

Dr. M. Viyalakshmi delivered a talk on "Trade in Medieval South India" in connection with the inauguration of activities of History Association 2015-16 on 8 December 2015. As part of the lecture series of the Department, Dr. K. Gopalankutty spoke on "Historiography of National Movement in Kerala" and K.N. Ganesh "Speak on History". The department organised a lecture on "Kerala Model Development: A Historical Perspective" by Dr. P.K. Michal Tharakan on 09 February 2016. Shameer Memorial Prizes constituted by the History Old Students Association was distributed on 13 March 2016 at the occasion of ICHR National Seminar jointly organised by MGS History Foundation and Department of History. A two-day ICHR-sponsored National Seminar on "Discernible Trends in the Historiography of Pre-Modern Kerala" organised by M.G.S. History Foundation in cooperation with Department of History, Farook college was held on 14 and 15, March 2016. Prof. Scaria Zacharia inaugurated the Seminar. Dr. V. Selvakumar, Dr. Jenee Peter, Dr. Kesavan Veluthat, Dr. K.S. Madhavan, Dr. M.R. Raghava Varier and Dr. K.N. Ganesh presented papers. The department organised a certificate course on Indian Epigraphy with Special reference to Kerala from 2 to 28 May, 2016. Dr. M.R. Raghava Varier was the Course Professor. Prof. Y. Subbarayalu and Prof. M.G.S. Narayanan were resource persons.



Prof. Y. Subbarayalu speaks 'Seminar on Epigraphy'



Prof. MGS Narayanan interacts with the audience of the programme of the Book release

DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY

A Short Term Course on "Recent Trends and Developments in Bioplastics at CBPST" was held on 23 and 24 July 2015. Dr. Thomas Mathew from the University of Southern California inaugurated the Lecture Series on 28 July 2015 with a talk on "Carbon ions here and there". The Chemistry Association was inaugurated by Dr. Nandan Santhosh Raghunathan on 04 November 2015. He spoke on the industrial opportunities for chemistry students. Chemfiesta - A National Colloquium on Modern Trends in Chemistry was organised by the Department of Chemistry during 13-29 February 2016. The Colloquium included a Workshop, National Seminar, Paper Presentations, Chem Expo and Cultural Eve. Dr. Joshy Joseph, Scientist, NIIST Trivandrum launched the Summer Project for School Students. The workshop on "Experimental Chemistry" was conducted in association with the 'Anwasha'- Science Club of IISER Trivandrum. The Chem Expo was inaugurated by Dr. Narasimha Prasad, Chief Executive Director, CWRDM Kozhikode.



Exchange of knowledge in the chemistry exhibition

DEPARTMENT OF HINDI

The department of Hindi in collaboration with BRC Balusserry organised a one-day workshop on "The Importance of Hindi Language in the World" at BRC Balusserry for the School teachers in the Kozhikode District.

DEPARTMENT OF MALAYALAM

KAVITTHOTTAM

The Association of Malayalam was inaugurated by Dr. T. D Ramakrishnan, a renowned writer on 10 October 2015. The association conducted an essay writing competition on the topic "Contemporary India: Problems and Solutions" on 10 December 2015. Dr. L Thomasukutty, the famous poet and Associate Professor, University of Calicut, inaugurated 'KAVITTHOTTAM', a special camp for poetry on 14 December 2015. A film fest titled as "THIRAYAATTAM" was held on 25 to 29 January 2016. Dr. Umar Tharammel, Associate Professor, University of Calicut opened the festival. A commemorative programme on ONV Kuruppu, a legendary Malayalam writer was organised on 15 February 2016. Prof. A. Shajahan, former Head of the Department inaugurated the function. A talk on "Contributions of Akbar Kakkattil" was delivered by Dr. MC Abdul Nasar, Assistant Professor, Government Arts and Science College Kozhikode on 18 February 2016

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE & MANAGEMENT STUDIES

The Department of Commerce and Management Studies conducted a UGC sponsored National Seminar on "Derivative Investments – Issues and Strategies" on 08 and 09 December 2015. Dr. P.K Abdul Azis, former Vice Chancellor of AMU and CUSAT, inaugurated the seminar. He opined that the syllabi of the University programmes have to be revised in accordance with the dynamism in the environment.



Dr. P.K Abdul Azis, former Vice Chancellor of AMU and CUSAT, inaugurates the seminar on Derivative Investments – Issues and Strategies

The department conducted a talk on "Goods and Services Tax" on 4th September 2015. The session was handled by Mr. Ajith S. (ICA, ICMA). The Department of Commerce and Management Studies conducted a talk on "Whys and Hows of investing in stock markets" on 28th October 2015. The session was handled by Mrs. Uthara Ramakrishnan, the Business Associate of Motilal Oswal Financial Services. The inauguration of the association was held on 16th December 2015. The chief guest was Mr. Hani Musthafa, Editor of Fly Wheel Magazine. The department of Commerce was victorious in various national and state level management fests. The department won overall championship in

- ◆ AAGRATHA 15 management meet conducted by Providence Women's College, Calicut on 12th October 2015.
- ◆ BIZSPARK management events conducted by National Institute of Technology as a part of Thathaw 15 on 30th October 2015.
- ◆ COM EMPORO management fest conducted by MES KVM College on 7th and 8th December 2015.
- ◆ ARTHAYUDH 2016 management meet conducted by JDT College on 12th January 2016.
- ◆ ZAHANAT JANG management fest held at MHES college of Applied Science and Management, Vadagara on 18th February 2016.
- ◆ MASK 2015 management meet held at ICM college Kannur on 4th March 2016.

PUBLICATIONS DIVISION

The Research Journal 'Social Orbit': Journal of Social Science published by the Publications Division was released by Dr. Michel Tharakan, Social Scientist and Former Vice-Chancellor of Kannur University on 9 February 2016. This Journal is edited by Dr. Manmathan, Associate Professor, Department of History.

NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME (NSS)

The Patheyam project was launched as a part of Snehasparsham venture. The project aimed at distributing food to homeless people. Anti-drugs day campaign was organized in the college. A workshop on "Mind Designing" was conducted by the renowned magician RK Malayath. As a part of the Swachh Bharath mission, the volunteers cleaned the areas in and around the Calicut Railway Station twice. Mr. Anand Prakash, the Railway Divisional Manager appreciated the determination and selfless service of the volunteers. A medical camp was organized with the support of Souhritham Residence Association for the students, teaching and non-teaching staff of the college. A Green campus venture was undertaken by planting saplings. As part of Snehasparsham venture, the volunteers distributed ifthar kits to the needy people in and around the college in the holy month of Ramadan. The unit launched a text audio recording project, Shabda Sahayi, with the help of "Insight" to support the visually challenged students of the college.



Cleaning the railway surroundings as part of Gandhi Jayanthi and Swachh Bharath Mission



Distribution of Ifthar kit to the needy people around the college as part of "Snehasparsham" venture.

PTA

In order to reduce the hassles of commutation of the students hailing from remote areas, the PTA introduced a new bus service enroute Edavannappara, Vazhakkad and Mavoor. The toppers of the Semester Examination of the first Autonomous batch were honoured with awards at a function held in connection with the farewell to the retiring teaching and non-teaching staff. The PTA has been contributing financially for the participation in B-ZONE and Inter Zone art festivals. It also contributes Rs. 75,000 every year to EDU SUPPORT, a scheme established for the financial aid to deserving students.

PAIN & PALLIATIVE

Ramadan talk was conducted by Shabeer Rarangoth, Sub editor Shabab and former SIP co ordinator. Many volunteers participated in Jeevanam project, a survey to detect Cancer patients in Feroke Panchayath on 20th September and 4th October to make the area Cancer free. Sparsham, a get together of patients was held on 20 January 2016. It was inaugurated by Smt Kanathil Jameela. The keynote address was given by Dr Piyush Namboothiripad, Addl DMO Kozhikode.

FAROOK INSTITUTE OF LANGUAGE SKILLS

The Institute of Language Skills has organized a number of Special English Proficiency Courses to enable the students to improve their communicative skills and to equip them with the confidence required to face interviews. Prof. Ryan Pickard from Australia was the resource person. The programme was held under the auspices of PEP - Proficiency Enhancement Programme, a CPE project under the Department of English.

FOSA

The Fostalgia 2015: the Mega Alumni Meet was celebrated on 2 August 2015 with the participation of nearly 2400 members. The programme began with the "Tribute Canvas" initiated by MGS Narayanan as homage to late Dr APJ Abdul Kalam . FOSTALGIA 15 was inaugurated by Capt. Rajagopalan Nambiar, one of the students of the first batch of Farook College.



A Tribute to former President of India, Dr. APJ Abdul kalam



Inauguration of FOSA by Rajagopalan Nambiar, a student of the first batch of the college



Inauguration of the History Exhibition by Dr. M.K. Abdul Khader, the Vice Chancellor of Kannur University



Inauguration of the Football match by Dr. Azad Mooppen

MCJ DEPARTMENT

In the start of the academic year, the department launched its own YouTube channel "Observer TV" to showcase the works of the department and its students to the public. The department undertook a cleaning drive of Calicut beach and surrounding areas. The students went on an outreach programme to Attapadi and they conducted a photo exhibition of the places and people on their sojourn there. Various personalities like T P Cheruppa, Chief Editor, Chandrika, Fr. Anil Philip, leading short film maker, Musammil T P, Faculty, BMMC Dept., Farook College, Sufiyan P, Alumni of MCJ Dept. and Adv. Biju conducted classes and shared their knowledge with the students. The students of the department conducted one day magnificent feast 'Fiesta

Nouvella' for the students of Farook College which the entire campus celebrated.

The association was inaugurated by renowned writer P T Muhammed Sadique. One of the vibrant alumnus of MCJ Department, Noushad, exhibited his collection of old newspaper and magazines called "Nuseum". A short film fest "Shortfie" was conducted. They did 2 documentaries as part of their video production and one programme "Kazhchakal Thedi" for Observer TV. The department also organized a discussion on the topic "Women, Nationality and Politics". The "Kilivellam" project of the department has gained wide recognition from media for the extra ordinary efforts to provide drinking water for birds during summer.

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS

KERALA'S DEVELOPMENT TRAJECTORY IN THE 21ST CENTURY

The department of Economics, Farook College, organised a one day national seminar on the topic "Kerala's Development Trajectory in the 21st Century: Some Major Concerns" on 15 December, 2015 in Association with Kerala State Higher Education Council and Kerala Economic Association (KEA). Prominent academicians like Prof. Dr. M.A Oommen, Prof. Dr. M.G.S Narayanan, Prof. T.P Kunjikkannan, Dr. S. Harikumar discussed various issues. The department of Economics, Farook College, organised a one day national talk on "Crude Oil: Evolution, Impact and Future" by Dr. Anand B, Assistant Professor Rajasthan Central University on 01 January 2016. He remarked that though the crude oil price has been declining, the benefits of that is not available to the people. The team of three students comprising Mohammed Ashhar Second Sem B.A Economics, Muhammed Shameer and Raseem Haroon of Fourth Semester M.A Economics, won overall championship in 'LAEKONOMICS', State Level one day Economic Fest conducted by department of Economics, Central University of Kerala, Kasargod on 03 March 2016. The department of Economics hosted the Second Annual Conference of Kerala Economic Association (KEA) from 27 to 29 May 2016. The conference was inaugurated by Prof. Amit Shovon Ray on 27th May. Prof S. IrudayaRajan, President KEA delivered the presidential address.



A scene from Kerala's Development Trajectory in the 21st Century: Some Major Concerns



Prof. Amit Shovon Ray inaugurates the second annual conference of Kerala Economic Association

The three day conference comprised 4 plenary sessions and 6 technical sessions. The topics of plenary sessions were Kerala Economy at the Cross Roads, Impact of Migration on the Elderly, Migration and Kerala Economy and Climate Change and Kerala Economy. The main speakers in the plenary sessions were Dr. B.A Prakash (Chairman, 5th Finance Commission, Kerala), Prof. PulapreBalakrishnan (Ashoka University), Prof. K.J Joseph (CDS) Prof. D. Narayana (Consultant, Kerala State Planning Board), Prof. S IrudayaRajan, Bharthi Birla (ILO), Prof. K.S James (JNU), Prof. U.S Misra (CDS), Prof. Amit Bharadwaj (IOM, Delhi), Dr. Vinoj Abraham (CDS), Dr. G.M Pillai (WISE, Pune), Prof. Kavikumar (MSE, Chennai), and Dr. ShailendraYashwant (Climate Action Network). On 29 May the valedictory address was delivered by Prof. K.N Harilal. In the valedictory session, Media Award was presented to John Mundakayam, Bureau Chief of Malayala Manorama for his contributions to general articles related to economics.

DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY

BIODIVERSITY

As part of **FOSTALGIA 2015**- a poster exhibition on the floral diversity and rare plant fossil collections of Farook College was conducted in the department on 2 August 2016. The students of 2002-2005 batch contributed an amount of Rs. 15000/- in memory of their expired classmate. Mr. Abdul Rauf. Dr. Mohammed Rafeeqe APM, Former Principal, EMEA College, Kondotti, inaugurated the Botany Association on 14 October 2015. A College level Biodiversity Quiz competition was organised in connection with the Sahyadri Club activity on 14 December 2015.

NCC: ARMY GIRLS

As part of the Swachh Bharath Mission and Gandhi Jayanthi celebration, the Cadets of Army Girls wing, Farook College organised a Hospital Cleaning at ESI Hospital, Feroke. The Army Girls wing conducted a visit to Indian Naval Academy, Ezhimala on 29 October 2016. The Cadets were so much inspired by the INA life and were motivated to join the Defense force. The cadets were escorted by PI Staff Ramswaroop Singh and ANO. Major Dr. Shayida R. The Farook College Army Girls NCC Unit celebrated the NCC Day on 27 November 2016. Sgt Blessy Kurian attended 6 selection camps at the West Hill and attended RDC –IGC at Thrissur. Her team got first prize for group dance and NIA presentation. She also attended Pre RDC I and II camps. She got the selection to attend PM Rally-NIC at Delhi cantonment. Our cadet SUO Gopika.S.Gopal attended trekking camp at Ajmer. Cadet Sgt Silpa Das attended rock climbing camp at Gwalior selection for CATC at KMCT from 24 December 2016.

WOMEN'S CELL

Prof. Gladys Issac, former Principal of Malabar Christian College, Calicut gave an excellent and inspiring talk on "Women Empowerment" Students visited Sukritham Charitable Trust which provides shelter and education to girls aged between 5 and 20. Students of our college spent some time with them and sponsored one day meal to the charitable trust. On Women's Day, posters and charts were fixed on the campus, reminding everyone about the importance of women's day. During the lunch break, lunch packets were distributed to the street children. The students were given training on Yoga in the evening after regular class. The instruction was given by two NCC cadets.

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS

ESTATISTICOS



A scene from coconut survey

The Department of Statistics has been assisting Coconut Development Board, Government of India for the survey of concurrent estimation of production of coconut in Kozhikode district for the last four years. Dr. Abdul Saleem E. and Mr. Fazil K. are the principal investigators. The Statistics Association "Estatisticos 2K15-16" was inaugurated by Mr. M. Girish Babu, Assistant Professor, Department of Statistics, Government Arts and Science College, Kozhikode on 20 October 2015. On the same day, the Association arranged a photo exhibition near Raja Gate in connection with World Statistics Day. He

delivered a talk on "Scope of Statistics". The department conducted an Orientation program for B. Sc students on November 2015 and Mr. Jouhar Munavir, Assistant Professor, Farook Training College delivered a talk on "Way to success". The department also organized a one day workshop on Data Analysis for the students of colleges under Calicut University on 23 February 2016.

DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS

A two-day National Instructional Workshop on "Application of Matlab in Basic sciences" was organised on 18-19 July 2015. FLAME – a cash award instituted by the alumni of B.Sc. Mathematics 1955-88 batch was presented to Ziyad.K.V and Vishnu.K of the 2015 batch. Dr.Sandeep the recipient of Shantiswarup award for young scientists -2015 was honoured by the department."CYPHER", a magazine was released by the first year BSc Mathematics students on 01 February 2016.

DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE

The Department of Computer Science conducted a 3 day UGC sponsored National Workshop on "Expertising Network Infrastructure and Administration Concepts for the Academic Fraternity" (ENIAC) from 10 March 2016 to 13 March 2016. Dr. P.P Abdul Haleem was the Convener. Dr. P. Mohan, Pro Vice Chancellor, University of Calicut inaugurated the function.

DEPARTMENT OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE

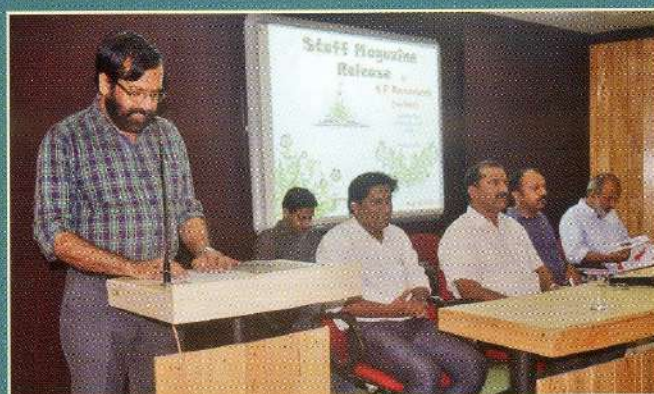
Dr. Hafiz Mohammed, HoD, Department of Sociology, University of Calicut, inaugurated the Students' Association. Dr. Abdul Azeez T.A., University Librarian (i/c), CH Mohammed Koya Library, University of Calicut delivered a talk on INFLIBNET on 03 August 2015.

Dr. K.P. Vijayakumar, Director, Information Literacy programme, University of Kerala delivered a lecture on "Technical Writing" on 10 December 2015. A fifteen-day internship training for Second Semester MLISc students was arranged at CH Mohammed Koya Library, the University of Calicut from 1-20 January 2016. Dr. Harinarayana, Associate Professor, DLISc, Mysore University delivered a lecture on "Professional Skills Required for Librarians" on 30 January 2016. A 5-day state level workshop on "The Scientific Management of Higher Secondary School Libraries in Kerala" was held from 1 – 5 February 2016. 22 High School Teachers and 52 students attended the programme.

STAFF CLUB

The retirement function, CAMARADERIA – 2015 was organized on 30 March 2015. An *Ifthar Meet* was hosted by the Club members on 8 June 2015. Mr.C.K. Usman Farooqui enlightened the gathering with his speech. The Staff Club arranged an 'Onam Sadhya' for the staff on 21 August 2015. *Euphony- A Musical Soiree* was organized on 17 November 2015. An awareness programme on "Dental Health Care" was organized on 26 November 2015. The resource person was Dr. Ausaf Ahsan, Professor and HoD, Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, KMCT Dental College. A family tour was organized by the Staff Club on the 12 and 13 of December 2016 to Munnar and Wagamon.

A commemorative meeting was organised on 30 July 2015 to pay homage to the departed former President Dr. A P J Abdul Kalam, O.N.V. Kuruppu Condolence-cum Commemorative Meeting was convened by the Staff Club in association with the Literary Club on 15 February 2016. Dr. Shahajahan delivered the commemorative speech. A discussion on the topic "JNU Issue- Apprehensions in Academic Circles" was organized on 22 February 2016. The staff magazine THE SIXTH HOUR was released by Mr.Ramanunni, an eminent writer on 16 March 2016.



Eminent writer Ramanunni speaks after releasing the staff magazine, SIXTH HOUR

WALK WITH THE SCHOLAR

The second year mentees visited several research organisations in Calicut, Cochin and Thrissur. The institutions include ZSI, KIRTADS, Media One, MILMA, IIM, CMFRI, NIO, Infopark, KFRI etc. A Trauma Care Training was also given to the mentees at the Police Club Calicut. A forest trekking expedition to Thamarassery forests was also conducted. A cluster workshop for the WWS Coordinators and mentors of 4 neighbouring colleges was hosted by our college.

FINE ARTS

Farook College won the overall championship in the B zone Arts Fest and Interzone Art Fest held during April and May 2016. Fathahurahman and Vivek KC were Sarghaprathiba and Kalaparthiba respectively, in the B zone Art Fest. Anunanda was the Kalathilakam in the Interzone Art Fest.



Anunanda
Kalathilakam



Fathahurahman
Sargaprathibha

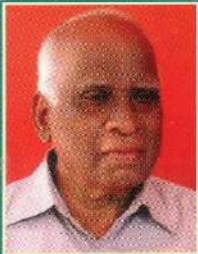


Vivek K.C.
Kalaparthibha



Winners of the oppana team

OBITUARY



Prof. U. Mohammed **(1933-2016)**

Prof. U. Mohammed, the former Principal of Farook College, was born in 1933 at Puthalath, Areacode in Malappuram district. He has a Masters Degree in English and a Bachelor's Degree in Teaching, besides a P.G. Diploma in English Studies from CIEFL, Hyderabad.

He started his career as a teacher at M.I.High School, Ponnani before he joined the Central Secretariat Service under the Govt. of India in 1956. He has also rendered his service to the Ministry of Education, New Delhi for about 10 years. He has served Farook College as a Lecturer and Professor, and was the Principal during 1983-'88. He assumed the charge of the Secretary of the Rouzathul Uloom Association (RUA), in 2001 and continued in the

same till his death. He was also the General Secretary of Muslim Service Society during 1999-2001 and was very active in the activities of Farook College Old Boys Association. He was a member of the Advisory Board of Mappila Studies and Research Centre. Prof. Mohamed served various institutions on the campus in the various capacities.

Prof. Mohammed compiled a volume 'Abussabah Ahmedali: Portrait of A Visionary Leader' which was published by the Publications Division of Farook College. The other books authored by Prof. Mohamed are :

- ◆ Self-financing institutions – Credibility and prospectus
- ◆ Reservation, creamy layer and minorities' rights
- ◆ Muslim minorities – Promises and realities
- ◆ Educational empowerment of Kerala Muslims – A socio – historical perspective
- ◆ Sachar Committee Report – An evaluation

Prof. Mohamed proved his mettle not only as an able teacher, honest researcher and an efficient administrator but also as an active reformer in the socio-cultural walks of the community.

Prof. Mohamed passed away on 22nd September 2016 and is survived by his wife Laila, one son and two daughters.

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION

This academic year, 114 students participated in 14 different games and events conducted by the University. Among them, our students turned winners in Shuttle-Badminton, Table Tennis(Women), Softball and Taekwondo. They were runners up in cricket, baseball and handball.

28 players from our college represented the University of Calicut in various events and seven students got the Bronze Medal in the All India Inter University Championship. Eight students represented the Kerala Senior Teams in the National Championships. Farook College football team was the runner up in the Kerala State College Games. The department hosted three major A zone championships.



Inetrzone taekwondo winners



Interzone handball runners -up



INTERZONE CRICKET THIRD PLACE



Kerala state college games football championship runners-up and a zone winners



Inter zone softball champions, interzone baseball runner up and district softball champions



Interzone shuttle badminton winners



Interzone table tennis winners

Activities of Student Union



REMARKABLE ACHIEVEMENTS



Habeeb C, Assistant Professor of English receives the State Award for the most Efficient Employee in the Differently Abled Category



Dr.Rashiba A.P.,Assistant Professor of Zoology, receives the Second place in the Poster presentation session in the International seminar on 'Biodiversity – its process and procedure' organized by Sreeshankara College Kalady.



Dr. H. Habeebrehman, Assistant Professor of Zoology, receives the Best Paper Award in the International conference on 'Towards the Blue economy, Production, Strategies and Policies' jointly organized by Kerala University of Fisheries & Ocean Science and Nansen International Research Centre during 6 -8 February 2016 at Kochi.

RETIRED MEMBERS OF THE STAFF



Syed Abid Hussain Thangal

Joined Farook College in 1989 and retired in 2016 as the Head of the Department of Sociology



K Mohammed Ashraf

Joined Farook College in 1985 and retired in 2016 as the Head of the Department of Economics



Dr. T.A. Mohamed

Joined Farook College in 1983 and retired in 2016 as the Head of the Department of Islamic History



S.V. Jaffer Ali

Joined Farook College in September 1981 and retired in March 2016 as Lab Assistant HG

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Economics



Muhammed Shameer K
Economics



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Statistics



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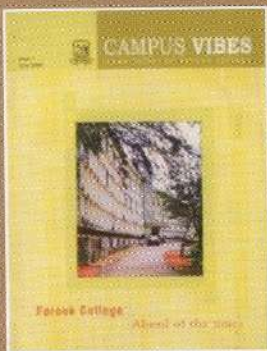
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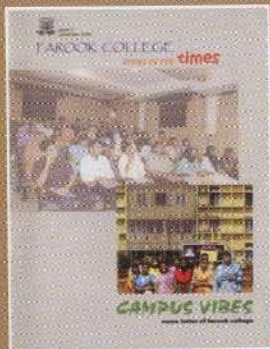


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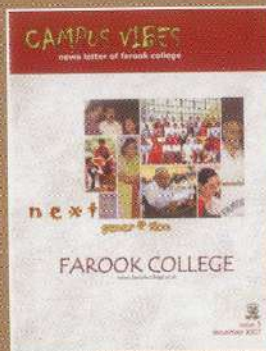
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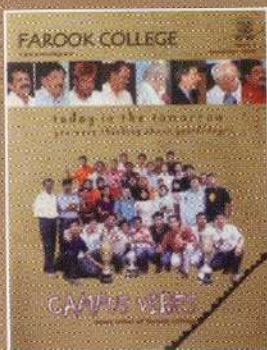
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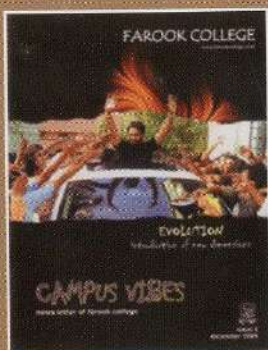
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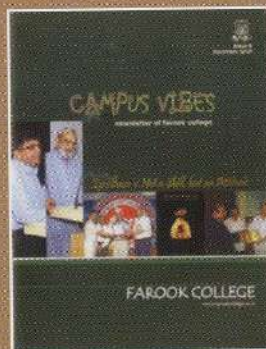
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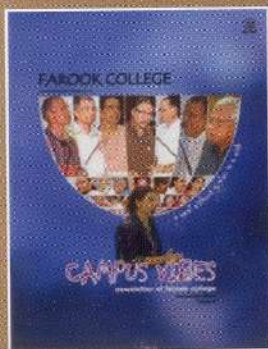
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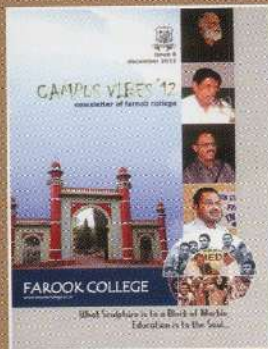
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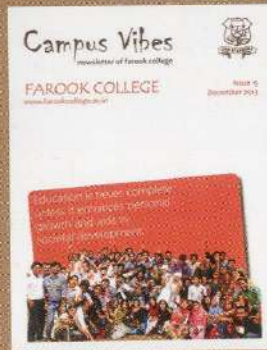
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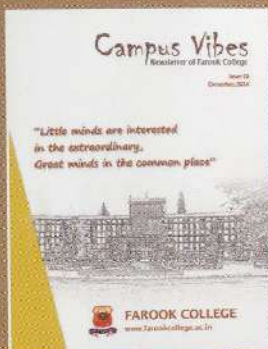
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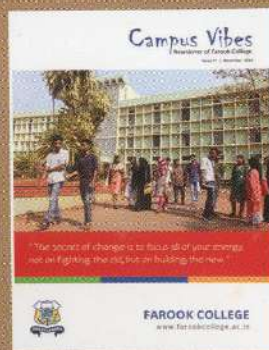
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