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Teacher's Day Celebration Held With Great Gusto

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In India, Teachers' Day is celebrated annually on September 5 to mark the birthday of the country's former President, scholar, philosopher and Bharat Ratna awardee, Dr Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan, who was born on this day in 1888. Ever since then, September 5 is celebrated as Teacher's Day across schools, colleges, universities and educational institutions. Students put on performances, dances and host elaborate shows for their most-loved teachers.

Nilgiri College took all its respon-

Isibility and gave the opportunity to the vibrant students of the col lege to chair the seats and take up the charge on the same day. However, with the normalcy fast restoring and students back in campus, it is once again that time of the year when cultural programmes and events are organised in college. Students bring flowers, sweets and cards for their teachers to express their gratitude and love while senior students dress up in formals and take/supervise classes so that teachers can take a break and enjoy the celebrations.

Teacher's Day; Students To Chair The Seats Of Officials

On September 5, Teachers' Day at Nilgiri College, students took their place on the day to distinguished posts in the college. The students will occupy the positions from college's managing director, principal, academic dean, executive secretary, staff secretary, campus manager, heads of various departments and faculties on Teachers' Day.

Students were selected as teachers and heads for each position by conducting various rounds. The selected students were handed over their appointment letter and charge by each Head of Department including the Principal in the college auditorium.

Nilgiri College Principal Dr. G. Senthilkumar, Campus Manager Ummer PM, Happiness Center Coordinator and Head of Commerce Department Dhanya C. Mathai, Executive Secretary Hashim PM and various HOD's presided over the function. The golden key of Nilgiri College was given to the student Officials on the same day marking the handing over of the charges and duties.

Major Resolution Passed By The Students Officials Wing

The day of bestowing the charge of officials to the students has given the power of authority to make rules and sign new projects and innovatives. The resolutions include launching a listening club, Radio station, seminar halls at new block, reference corner at library for PG students, first aid room etc are few of the resolutions that have been made.



Students Officials Wing On Teachers Day

Getting into the screening rounds of applying to the post of Managing Director, Principal, Academic Dean, Campus Manager, Executive Secretary, Physical Education Director, Staff Secretary, Students Welfare Officer, Campus Welfare Officer, HOD's of the various departments, Librarian and all the faculties, the students have enrolled into the tight competition for getting into the positions. The students who've bagged the core positions are: Rahul S from III BCA was selected as M.D. Nisha Sivakumar from II BA English as the Principal in charge, Ajilan VK from II M.Com as the Academic Dean, Sayed Muhammed Misbah from III B.Sc Psychology as the Campus Manager, Fathima Nooriya V from III BA English as the Executive Secretary, Samaha M from II M.Com as the Staff Secretary, Alvin Johny from III B.Com finance as the Physical Education Director, Jabamalar J from II MA English as the Students Welfare Of ficer, Andrew S from II B.Com Fin as Campus Welfare Officer, Aslam KM from II M.Sc CS as the HOD of computer science department, Thanzil Rahman from III BBA IB as the HOD of Management department, Minnu from II MA English as HOD of English department, Amalna Fathima from III B.Sc Psychology as the HOD of psychology department, Jennifer Priya from II MA English as Librarian, Ajil from III B.Com CA as the HOD of the redepartment, Sandra spective Thomas from III B.Com PA as the HOD of the respective department. All the students' officials had made out the best performance on the day.

The Grand Day For Teachers

Teacher's day at Nilgiri campus was more like a festival where the students took charge as teachers and honoured all the truly dedicating faculties and staff of Nilgiri college for their sincere commitment towards their work. They are the torchbearers of our campus who lead, mentors and support the students to mold them out to be their best version. A grand celebration was organised under the happiness center at the college auditorium for the teachers. The day came to an end where the students officials

wing gave back the golden key of Nilgiri College which was given to them on the appointment day.

The day was more special for Nilgiri family as our beloved Prof. Dr Mohan Babu, the Academic Dean of Nilgiri college was celebrating his golden 50 years of his teaching experience. The function was presided by the MD, Mr. Rashid Gazzali, Principal in charge Dr. G. Senthilkumar, campus manager Ummer PM, PTA members, HOD's, faculties and other staff members.



Donate Blood, Save Life! - YRC Organises Blood Donation Camp

The YRC unit of Nilgiri College has put straight a blood donation camp for the scholars and faculties who are fit to donate. One could live a life longer with blood donation. The camp conjointly conducted by student members of YRC and YRC faculty coordinator Mr.Mubashir was a valiant effort.

The camp was held on 2nd

September at Nalanda Hall from 9:30am onwards. The camp was by the whole of Government Taluk Hospital, Sultan Bathery. Students were encouraged and made aware to keep their body fit and to donate blood those who could make it. Being a reason for someone's heart beating stronger is such a happy deed. It's always great to give without any sweat for a change!



Skill Bank Under NCAS Unfurls Diases - A Dawning For The Scholars

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Though Skill bank conducts numerous programs for scholars to enhance their skills and talents, it reassures the participation and inclusion of every student to be the part of the skill bank. To amplify the unseen knacks and chops, Skill bank has arranged a dream come true moment. Students were given a QR code and a registration link.

The registration remained open

until 7pm of 15th September,2022 Various clubs namely Dance, Music, Drama, Speaking and Writing, Arts and Handicraft, and Media clubs imparted copious mastery activities. Each student was allowed to take part in maximum of three clubs and minimum of one club atleast. Many registration were received on behalf of it. The Skill bank is now all set to inflate the scholars for the year 2022–2023 with new proposals and intentions.

Unbox 2.O - Sets To Unleash The Talents!

Every year Skill bank of Nilgiri college conducts the event titled 'Unbox' exclusively for First year UG students. The event aims at bringing out the inbuilt skills of each and every student. The audience as well as the participants were first year students so that they could perform on stage without any discomfort or inhibitions.



This academic year's 'Unbox 2.0'event as usual helped students to unearth the skills within many scholars.

Guest Lecture on Self Management

The Department of Management organized a guest lecture on the topic 'Self Management'. The resource person was Dr. R. Prabhu, Assistant Professor, Department of Business Administration, Government Arts College, Coimbatore a

well known and efficient professor. It was held on 17th of September, 2022 from 11:30am to 12:30pm at the New block. The session was really beneficial and informative for all of the partici-

Inauguration Of Infosys SDP Training At Nilgiri College

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The Career and Placement Cell is conducting a 15 day skill development training programme for the final year undergraduate students. The training is provided by Infosys, a world renowned IT firm. Out of 200+ enrolls to 128 seats, the students were shortlisted on the basis of a written screening test. In an organized under Bharathiar University and Infosys, the participants are trained by Infosys trainers at Nilgiri campus and after training, the students will be equipped and polished for jobs in various multinational companies and startups including Infosys.

The 128 students are grouped into two batches under the two trainers. The training will be conducted from September 19 to October 6. At the end the students would get the training certificates from Infosys too.

The Managing Director and Secretary, Mr. Rashid Gazzali inaugurated the session and the career and placement cell incharge and the asst. professor of the department of English Ms. Soumya P.B welcomed the gathering, the event was presided over by the Principal Dr G. Senthilkumar and the Infosys trainers Ms. Subha and Nadeem Swagath felicitated the gathering.



Nilgiri College Sets New Benchmark In Placement Drives

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Nilgiri college of Arts and Science conducted a placement drive for alumni in collaboration with ICICI Bank. A total of 30 Alumni participated in the drive and 10 of our Alumni got recruited on various positions. This is one of the many times that so many people have got jobs in one effort. Training and employment generation will be

given the highest priority to create similar job opportunities in the future too.

The main aim of this placement drive was to attract young talent who wish to pursue a career in sales and relationship banking. It was designed to develop a pool of first level managers with banking knowledge and required skill-sets to perform efficiently in their day to day activities.

Workshops conducted eminently

The Department of BCom CA organized a two day successfull workshop on 19th and 20th of March, 2022. On 19th, the workshop was on 'Microsoft Excel' and the resource person was Mr. Shihab K, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce. On the second day the session was about 'Hardware and Networking' and the resource person was Mr. Moncy Varghese, IT support executive, Nilgiri College. The students commented that it was very informative and will definitely be useful for them.

Quiztopher: BCom PA forum programme



The department of BCom PA conducted an extensive programme named "Quiztopher" which included Business quiz, current affairs and logo making. It was conducted on 17th of September, 2022 between 1:30pm to 3:40pm at Nalanda hall. Students participated and engaged enthusiastically and bagged prizes.



Readers Club-Declares The Vanquisher Of "Find Me If You Can"

Readers club concealed with Dr APJ Abdul Kalam Library of Nilgiri college has unveiled th treasures. The competition held online from 29th to 31st of August named 'Find me if you can' has put the competitors in a great enthusiasm to find the name of the book that

Find me if you can

was preferred by the clues revealed each day. Among the many registrations received, the winner was selected hardly. The preferred book was 'Delhi Diary' penned by Mahatma Gandhi. The hero of the competition was Mr. Anaghesh Krishna P of II Ma English.

Workshop On Language And Linguistics

The department of English has conducted a workshop on 'Language and Linguistics' on 17th of
September, 2022. The session was
lead by the linguistic expert and
founder of John's Academy Ms.
Sheeba Mathew. The plenary expansion has made the students
aware of the importance of linguistics where it captures the
unique conceptualization of the
world and has its own ways of

constructing words, phrases and sentences for communicating ideas. It has become a regular aspect and part of the department of English, to conduct academic programmes to organise and mold our students. The session was welcomed by the presence of the head of the department Ms. Leema Thomas and other faculty members.



Workshop On Tally.ERP 9

The department of Commerce has undertaken a seminar session lead by Ms.Sunitha KC, assistant professor of commerce department. The workshop was held on 23 September 2022 based on Tally ERP9. The workshop held for first BCom PA students has discussed on the practical experience of Tally. The department undertakes further programs to be implemented usefully for the students.



Winners Making History Again -TamilNadu HSS Zone Games

Nilgiri College hosted Pandallur zone Tamil Nadu state games on 14 September 2022. The games took place vividly at the college auditorium for 5 days. It comprised of major games including Throwball, Volleyball, Football and Shuttle. A total of 16 schools in Tamil Nadu participated and secured their winnings. These types of opportunities encourages students to have a

higher standards of achievements.It's only natural to apply more effort when the stakes are higher and less effort when the outcome is of less importance. With greater effort in sport comes greater improvement in a variety of different areas like skills, fitness, teamwork and potentially awards. Due to examinations conducted in the college the remaining games are to be continued soon.



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27 ancient, rare, native varieties of paddy seeds on 3rd September 2022 in the college premises. The sowing was inaugurated by Principal of Nilgiri College Mr. Senthilkumar, Campus manager Mr. Ummer,Mr. Siraj and Mr. Muthukumar T took part in the initiative. The event was coordinated by Ms. Rajeshwari and Mr. Abhishek of Nature Club. Students and teachers together worked passionately on the field by stepping out to the mud and coolness of our mother earth.

Psychology Department Welcomes The New Batch

Psychology department of Nilgiri College has organised a forum activity as a part of welcoming the new batch for the year 2022-25. The program coordinated by second and third years of Psychology, held on 3rd September 2022 at Nalanda Hall, was introduced by student coordinators Shermila Sherin and Safeedha, The HOD of

The HOD of the department, Ms.Muhsina helped out to arrange the program. Several cultural events like couple dance, modern oppana and so on was performed by the newly admitted students. Fun games to entertain them was arranged and taken actively. The faculty and students had made the more memorable!

Nature Club Nurtures Nature With Immense Pleasure!

'Time spent amid nature is never wasted time.' It's said that those who contemplate the beauty of the earth find reserves of strength that will endure as long as life lasts. In nature nothing is perfect and everything is perfect. Perceiving the necessity to alert the present generation, Nature club concentrates on numerous activities and programs to ensure biological conservation.

One-day seminar session was held on 23 September 2022 at Sarangi auditorium from 2pm onwards addressing the scholars of the college, exclusively the first vear batch. Students were asked formerly to register in Nature club who had keen interest in taking part in nature related activities. The conclave was triggered by the presence of Ms.Kowsalya, Re-Founder searcher and Vivekananda Organic Team and Trust at Gudalur. The seminar was on the topic 'Endangered and Endemic Species and The Importance of Bamboo ". The main focus of the sitting was to ensure awareness on endangered and endemic species including birds, trees, and the Orchid plants seen on the Western Ghats of the Nilgiris.

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The Dean of Academics At 50 Years Of Teaching Experience

EDITORIAL

Dr.G.Senthilkumar Principal, Nilgiri College

Having that ability to smile, console others, and bestow upon the courage to face anything that comes in the path of betterment, is the best teaching a teacher can ever teach. Research conducted between teachers and students in the year 1998 revealed that 'A good teacher is friendly but strict, demanding but understanding, consistent, objective, unprejudiced, direct, patient, respectful, well educated. He is a friend, a master, and has excellent subject knowledge'.

Nilgiri College of Arts and Science has called in precise, our Nilgiri family is blessed with a colour-filled teacher professor. Mohan Babu, who has now completed his 50 successful years of outstanding teaching experience. A person with par excellence in every venture of academic teaching is the Dean of Academics at our college. Prof. Mohan Babu is a person who stands by our beloved managing

director Mr Rashid Gazzali in up with pre-eminent academic records, he is playing a key role in academics and is itself a colour-filled feather in the cap of the College. The way he guides, the way he befriends the people on the college premises, and his vision filled on looking towards the future is a blessing from above the college, Nilgiri College of Arts and Science.

He has successfully paved and dedicated his known presence in all aspects of our college to the highest standards with his vision and commitment. The man who takes his passion as profession, has really amused and motivates the faculties, students and staff with the hard core values and virtues that he holds. We the Nilgiri family is truly proud and blessed to have such a proficient and eminent personality with golden 50 years of his teaching experience to chair the position as the Dean of Academics.



"Not Me But You" -To Be Sustained For Years!

The motto of NSS 'Not Me But You', reflects the essence of democratic living and upholds the need for self-less service. NSS helps the students development & appreciation to other person's point of view and also show consideration towards other living beings. On behalf of NSS Day on 24th September 2022 NSS unit of Nilgiri College has conducted session on fire and safety awareness combining with

Fire and Rescue Department, Gudalur at Sarangi auditorium by 11am. The sitting was handled by Mr. Sankar, fireman from Fire department of Gudalur.

Awareness session on First Aid awareness and CPR training was given to NSS volunteers at happiness garden by O2.30pm. The gathering was handled by 108 ambulance unit Pandalur taluk.



National Cadet Corps to pave their way towards unity and discipline

Discipline is the soul of an army. It makes small number formidable; procures success to all the weak, and esteem to all. The vibrant NCC cadets of Nilgiri College of Arts and Science attended the ATC Camp on 11 September 2022 held at Ava Hill, MRC Wellington. 13 cadets including 8 SD and 5 SW



took part in the camp. The five day camp ended on 18 September 2022 by teaching the cadets the

importance of unity and discipline and infusing courage and strength to be a better citizen.

The Newly Tagged Members Of PTA

The sitting held on 5th September 2022 has declared the newly elected members of the Nilgiri College PTA. Mr.Rashid Gazzali preferably became the Patron of the committee along with Prof.T.Mohan Babu as the Vice patron.

The General secretary was preferred to be Dr.Senthilkumar.G and the Campus manager as Mr.Ummer PM. The post of president is handed over to Mr.Anil KV joining the Vicepresidents Mr.Ravikumar and Ms.Saraswathi. The Joint secretary members are Mr.Muneef and Mr.-Sudhishkumar. The treasurer is elected as Ms.Sindhu with Follow-up officer as Mr.Sariul Varghese and Coordinator as Ms.Roshma PR. A panel of Executive members namely Ms.Rasaiya, Ms.Rahmath, Mr.Sidhique AM and Ms.Daliya was chosen.



The Press Corps Of Live









Fathima Nooriya (III BA English), 2. Ashiqa, (II BA English), 3. Devatheertha, (II BA English), 4. Amani Jaleel, (III B.Sc. Psychology).



Period Lesson Plan: Menstrual Awareness Session

Nilgiri college in association with NGO- ACCORD, Gudalur has put in order a menstrual awareness session on be half of Women Cell. The session held on 23 September at 1pm onwards at Nalanda Hall has been put straight understanding the need of menstrual education for the generation. Menstrual education entails all the learning to empower period management as a natural process, devoid of social judgements. The session was led seriously by Ms.Thulsi Prasad, who works as a menstrual educator, to ensure healthy menstrual hygiene. The sitting has overseen dominant and practical facts on menstrual hygiene from the base to the peak.



Ozone Day - To Be Remembered!



Department of Psychology observed Ozone Day on 16th September, 2022. Mr. Sufiyan gave an enlightening session to the students about the significance of Ozone Day Observation and ozone conservation. Students sang "bhoomigeetham" and pledged to take steps to ensure that we do our parts inprotecting our environment.

A step towards development; One day workshop by RDC

Research Development Cell organised a One-day workshop on 'Research grants for various Government/Non-Government Projects and Post Doctoral Fellowship' on 23rd September 2022, Friday at Nilgiri College of Arts and Science. It was a sponsored projects for Post Graduate students, Skill centre approval, Funding projects for faculty members, Funding for pursu ing Post Doctoral. It created an awareness on how postdoctoral positions usually act as a stepping stone between the student experience and the full-time professional experience. Research advisor in management studies and Head of skill department cell(SDC) ,Dr. P. Vijaya Banu, Principal of Indra Ganesan College of Arts and Science led the session and shared her virtue solemnly.

"Odukkathonam'22" -Nilgiri College Celebrates Kerala's Biggest Festival

Onam is a festival celebrated by Malayalis in Kerala and many other parts of the world to mark the homecoming of the great king Mahabali. Nilgiri college celebrates the festival wholly entitled 'Odukkathonam'22'. The fest was held on September 6th commenced by the entry of Mahabali, costumed by the students themselves, was a clean sweep for the fete.

Numerous competitions were organised by the student coordinators of every department to serve best on the day. Cheeriness expelled from games arranged for the scholars was on the peak. Obsessive fun games such as biscuit eating water filling, sack race, passing the ball, lemon spoon and so on were encouraged massively. Winners were offered with prizes also. A grand 'Sadhya' was arranged at Sarangi auditorium for every faculties and scholars, that gained attraction of the day. Thus, the 'Odukkathonam'22' had an upbeating wind up!



Internship At KISE



To be allied with the immersion program, the first year batch of 2022-2025 BBA IB(1-09-2022 to 6-09-2022), B Com PA (13-09-22 to 18-09-22), BSc Psychology(19-09-22 to 23-09-22) and BSc Multimedia (24-09-22 to 29-09-22) has been infatuated to KISE Training Centre at Mysore. The five days training program commenced for each batch would equip students to untangle their situations and steer an easy street. The whole class has attended it lively.

'Pen A Poem': Poem Writing competition Held By Reader's Club

As part of the Mahakavi day which was on 11th September, the Reader's club of Nilgiri College conducted a poem writing competition in the name of 'Pen a Poem' on 13th September 2022, at APJ Abdul Kalam library. The competition was held in three different languages of English, Malayalam and Tamil. The topic for English language was 'Solitude' and the prizes were bagged by Rafna from third year BSc Psychology (first), Amani Jaleel Kavungal from third year BSc

psychology (second) and Ayisha Nibah from first year BSc Psychology (third). The topic for Malayalam language was 'Nerarivu' and the prizes were won by Ajilan V.K from second year M. Com (first), Fairoosa Faizal from first year BA English (second) and Muhammed Suhail from third B. com PA (third). The topic for Tamil language was 'Arthamulla Azhagu' and the prizes were pocketed by Zakkiriah Ramzan from second year B. com PA (first) and Tamilarasu from second year BCA (second).

First Internal Examination Held

The first internal examination for the odd semester was successfully conducted in Nilgiri College of Arts and Science from 14th September 2022 to 16th September 2022. There were forenoon and afternoon sessions. All the students and faculties co-operated well for the smooth functioning of the examination procedures.

Young minds to seize Data World; Webinar conducted on Data Science Applications

Department of BCA of Nilgiri College of Arts and Science organised a webinar on Data Science Applications using Python on 22 September 2022, Thursday. Jain (Deemed-to-be University), Assistant professor Mr. M P Karthikeyan MCA, M.Phil, (PhD) led the didactical lecture. Python is a popular data science programming language because of its simple syntax and intuitive features. This also makes it the perfect choice for beginner programmers. It offers a host of robust tools and libraries that make it easy to process data and produce business intelligence.