



Signing In :

All the world awaits eagerly the dawn of a New Year. We do express our longing for something good and beautiful in the New Year. We can very clearly and obviously observe this nostalgia from the form of celebrations conducted in welcoming the New Year. In fact, it is this optimistic hope which gives ample strength to move on in life. If not for this hope (a belief that things are going to be better) we all would have been dead people. The New Year 2020 has ushered in. we shall welcome it enthusiastically and begin to use every moment to draw out the maximum from it. We shall pledge to build a better and stronger Society devoid of all the difference which will uphold our Unity in Diversity. **HAPPY NEW YEAR 2020.**

Principal's Desk :

At the very outset, let me wish you a **Prosperous New Year 2020.** We are all back to the campus with renewed energy to launch ourselves into the deep to gather more. We have welcomed the New Year with lots of fresh ideas and team work. I am so glad to experience your tremendous response to the various programmes we had organized. It only shows that our coming together can bring out wonderful results of Unity in Diversity. This Unity in Diversity is the theme which we should preserve to build a better TODAY and TOMORROW. I do appreciate each of you for your wonderful team spirit and for your generosity to work together. May I wish that this bond of oneness be preserved and defended every time. I wish each one of you a **Grace filled New Year 2020.**



- Dr. Sr. Marietta D'mello.

General Block :

67th College Day:

C.H.S.D.St. Theresa's 67th College Day was celebrated in a grand manner on 30th January, 2020 with pomp and glory amidst Esteemed Guests, Special Invitees and Beloved Parents. It was very colourful and spectacular event of the academic year 2019-20. The President of the day was Most Rev. Jaya Rao Polimera, Bishop of Eluru Diocese, Eluru. Due to unavoidable circumstances the Chief Guest for the day Shri Alla Kali Krishna Srinivas, Deputy CM could not be present. Guests of Honour Mrs. Taneti Vanitha, MLA, Sri K.R.M. Kishore Kumar, I.P.S., Professor P. Suresh Varma, Rector and Former Vice-Chancellor, ANUR and our Special Invitee Sri A.S.Khan, I.P.S. graced the occasion.

After Welcome Ceremony **Dr. Sr. Marietta D'mello**, the Principal presented the Annual Report of the College and emphasized the credits and achievements in the fields of Education, Co-curricular and Extra-curricular activities. The President, Guests of Honour appreciated, admired and encouraged the Management, Staff and Students with their heart touching and inspiring speeches. Later, the students entertained the gathering with their power packed performances.

Dr. R. Madhavi, HOD of English and **Mrs. Ume Salma, HOD of Telugu cum Hindi** rendered tremendous and marvelous justice for Formal as well as Cultural Programmes of the day. Congratulations to St. Theresa's College, Eluru.



Students' Block :

Entrepreneurship Development Programme (EDP):

The **Department of Social Sciences** motivated the students to conduct Entrepreneurship Development Programme(EDP) On 9th January, 2020, the students of Social Sciences kept various food items and sold at college level. Through this programme, the students learnt how to improve themselves as entrepreneurs in future .

Guest Lectures Organized :

Demonstration on Soft Toy:

Ms.B.Radhika, Lecturer in Community College, Ch.S.D.St.Theresa's College for Women (A), Eluru demonstrated a Soft Toy (Panda) preparation to the students of B.Sc., Home Science on 10th January, 2020. Home Science students observed, enjoyed and learnt the method of making Soft Toys.



Department of Commerce organized a **Guest Lecture on Opportunities For Paradigm Shift In Management** by **Dr. J.Sanath kumar, Principal, Ideal College, Thanuku** on 25th

January, 2020. It was commenced by greetings from **Dr.Rev.Sister Marietta D' Mello, Principal**. The programme came to an end with an interactive session with students.

Virtual Class Room Teaching:

Dr.K.L Saraswathi Devi HOD of Mathematics and Statistics gave a Virtual Class on the topic **Hermite Polynomial** to West Godavari District Colleges at **St. Theresa's College, Eluru**, on 22nd and 28th January, 2020



Training Programmes:

Department of Commerce organized a Two Day Training Programme on '**GST, Income Tax and Tally**' on 9th and 10th January, 2020. This was inaugurated by **Dr Rev. Sister Marietta D'Mello, Principal** by lighting of the lamp. **Sri G.Srikanth**, one of the leading Chartered Accountants, Secretary of CA Institute in West Godavari District, was the resource person who delivered a talk and discussed on the both theory as well as practical issues on GST and Income Tax and on

the Second Day students were trained by **Sri VSV.Chalapathirao, MS (IT)** on Tally and by **Mr RaviTeja** on GST Returns.



Skill Connect Drive:

The skill connect drive was inaugurated with the blessings of **Dr.Sr. Marietta D'Mello Principal**, on 23rd January, 2020. Six Companies namely Yalamanchali software solutions, Adecco from Vijayawada, Muthoot Finance Corporation, Bajaj Capital from AP, Rising Star Mobiles and Amarhaja from Sricity Nellore participated in the drive. About 1000 students from various colleges of West Godavari District with different educational backgrounds like B.Sc, B.Com, B.A. and B.Tech/B.E. participated. Total 220 members were placed in Rising star mobile company which is situated at Sricity, Nellore. Out of 220 students, 200 students are from our college. Apart from that another 108 students were shortlisted in various companies, they have to face the final round at the Head Offices of the respective companies.

The details are given below:

S.No	Name of the Company	No of Students Participated	No of students Placed/Short Listed
1	Yalamanchli Software Solutions	150	28
2	Adecco	100	25
3	Muthoot Fin Corp	100	21
4	Bajaj Captial	150	24
5	Rising Star Mobiles	600	220



Orientation Programme :

Orientation Programme was organized by **Dr CA Jyothirmayee, HOD of Chemistry**, for all the Inter Campus Students on 25th January,

2020 at St. Theresa's Degree College. **Dr Sr Marietta D' Mello** Principal gave an inspirational message. **Dr A Nirmala Jyotsna**, HOD of Physics & Electronics presented the History of the College, facilities and infrastructure available. **Dr Jyothi Kumari** HOD of Applied Biosciences, explained about all the Courses available and Career Opportunities. **Dr P Ratna Mary**, HOD of Arts, gave a talk on Best Practices and Extra Curricular Activities. **Major Dr. P. Celine Rose** created an awareness on the importance of NCC, Sports and GYM. Later, all the Intermediate students were guided to visit to the Corresponding Departments and Library.



Ethnic Week Celebrations :

The Department of Social sciences organized Ethnic Week Celebrations from 23rd to 28th January 2020. Sr . Ubalda from Rome addressed the gathering and Dr.Sr. Marietta D'Mello Principal wished the Student Community . As a part of this Programme Mathru Pithru Pujyothsavam was conducted. Arts Students honoured their Parents with much love and respect. Guest Lectures by Mrs. K. Aruna, Faculty, Department of Telugu, on Traditions and Customs and Dr. K. Jyothi Kumari, HOD of Applied Sciences, on Health Care in Adolescent Age were organized. Also various competitions like Extempore, Sampradaya Ruchulu, Mehendi and Fancy Dress were held in this regard. Students participated in various events and won the Prizes.



Field Trips :

The Department of Botany organized a Botanical trip to **Vananatharam, Addatheegala, Maredumilli, East Godavari District** in the months of December and January. 65 Botany students attended and acquired knowledge on many medicinal plants and their uses in medicine preparation. Under the guidance of Medical Practitioner Mr. G. Bullayya, the students prepared medicine. They visited nearby villages and interviewed the tribal people, also collected herbarium from the Addatheegala forest and submitted to the department of Botany. **Dr.B.B.R.G.Vijaya Lakshmi**, HOD and **Mrs.G.Rani**, Faculty accompanied the students.



Botany department organized a field trip to III BZC Botany Cluster Students to Ankannagudem and observed cultural practices of various fruit yielding gardens like Coco, Mango, Cashew, Coconut and Palm Oil. They also visited Organic Kitchen Garden and observed 3 varieties of Dates, Oranges, Goose Berry, Indian Plum (regu), Guava and 10 varieties of Vegetables altogether 17 varieties are being cultivated at Koppakagudem. Students gained knowledge about the Organic farming practices. **Ms.B.Asha Latha**, Faculty, accompanied the students.



Competitions and Achievements:

Botany Week Celebrations :

Botany Department organized Botany Week Celebrations and conducted Competitions on various events. On 9th January 2020 Dr.Sr.Marietta D'Mello presented the certificates to all the prize winners.

Prize Winners List:

S.No	Event	1 st Prize	2 nd Prize	3 rd Prize
1.	Mehendi Competitions	I.Prathyusha – II BZC	N.Sonia – I.MBC	Ch.Annapurna – III BZC
2.	Vegetable Carving	B.Tara Mariamma – III BZC	G.Kavya – II MPC – I Sec	.
3.	Flower Bouquet Preparation	G.Kavya – II MPC – I Sec	K.Prasanna – II BZC	S.Dimpu – I BZC
4.	Poster Painting Competition	G.Kavya – II MPC – I Sec	K.V.S.Niharika – II MPC – I Sec	D.Sai Sree – III BZC
5.	Floral Carpet	I.Likhitha – III Home Science	S.Dimpu – I BZC	G.Kavya – II MPC – I Sec



Ethnic Week Celebrations-Prize Winners :

Fancy Dress competitions :

1st Prize - B.Kiranmai & S.Yashaswini I B.A HEP EM

2nd prize-Tanmai Sudha & V.Yashwitha I B.A HEP EM

3rd prize - MD . Zubeda – I B.A HEP EM

Consolation: V. Jyothi - I B.A

Extempore in Telugu

First prize : Sr. J. Sujana - I.B.A EPSW

Second prize : G. Khyathi - I. B. A HEP EM

Extempore in English

1st prize -A. L.S. Sowmya III.B.A HEP Em

2nd prize -A.J.Harikha I.B.A EPSw

3rd prize -S.Poojitha I.B.A EPSw

Consolation -P. Roopika

Traditional Food

1st prize – Sr. Nomitha – I.B.A Epsw

2nd prize - M. Sunitha – II.B.A HEP EM

3rd prize S.G.Krishnaja - I.B.A HEP Em

Mehandi

1st prize - M Nazareni - I. B.A HEP EM

2nd prize – S. Ravali - III. B.A HEP

3rd prize - Zubeda – I. B.A HEP

National Voters Day-Winners :

1st prize - A. L. S Sowmya - III B.A HEP EM

2nd prize - V. Anusha – II. B.A HEP EM

3rd prize - Bhagya Lakshmi - I. B.A HEP EM

Consolation - S. Hema Nagalakshmi III. B.A EM

Extempore

1st prize - A. L. S Sowmya - III B.A HEP EM

2nd prize - V. Anusha – II. B.A HEP EM

3rd prize - Bhaga lakshmi - I. B.A HEP EM

Consolation – M . Purnima - III. B.A HEP TM

Library Week Celebrations-Winners:

Essay Writing

Topic : Digital Initiatives for Learning.

S.No.	Name Group	Year	Prize	Version	U.G/P.G
1	P.Sujana Kumari	M.A.English	1	Telugu	P.G
2	S.Hema Latha	H.E.P.E.M	2	Telugu	U.G.
3	Sk.Shareefa	M.Sc.Maths IYr	Spl.	Hindi	P.G
4	P.Jahnavi	M.A.English IYr	1	English	P.G
5	S.R.Sruthi	M.A.English IYr	2	English	P.G

Elocution

Topic : How to improve book reading habit

Sl.No.	Name	Group	Year	Prize	U.G/P.G
1	M.Poojitha	M.S.Cs.	II	I	U.G.
2	G.Glory	M.S.Cs.	II	II	U.G.
3	K.Indira	M.A.English	II	I	P.G
4	S.R.Sruthi	M.A.English	II	II	P.G

Debate

Topic : ICT learning advisable or not

S.No.	Name	Group	Year	Prize
1	N.Mounika	M.A.Economics	II	I
2	R.Priya Madhuri			
3	A.Chinna Seshamma	M.Sc.Mathematics		
4	Sk.Alisha		II	II

Topic : Quiz

First Prize – Group A

Sl.	Name	Group	Year
1	A.Sruthi	M.A.English	II
2	K.Santhi Mani Priya	M.A.English	II
3	G.Sirisha	M.A.English	II
4	P.Meghana	M.A.English	II
5	E.Mounika	M.A.Economics	II
6	P.Naveena	M.A.Economics	II
7	N.Mounika	M.A.Economics	II
8	K.Lavanya	M.A.Economics	II
9	K.Tulasi	M.A.Economics	II
10	G.Ganga Bhavani	M.A.Economics	II
11	S.Naga Bhargavi	M.Sc.Maths	II
12	R.Poorna Prathibha	MPC –II sec.	II

Second Prize – Group D

S.No	Name	Group	Year
1	B.Amulya	MPC – II sec.	II
2	G.Geethanlaji	MPC – II sec.	II
3	Ch.Keziya	MPC – II sec.	II
4	T.Prasannalatha	MPC – II sec.	II
5	M.Rupa Sree	MPC – I sec.	II
6	S.Deevena	B.Z.C	II
7	U.Nikila	M.Sc.Chemistry	I
8	N.V.K.Kavitha	M.Sc.Chemistry	I
9	Ch.Nikitha	M.Sc.Chemistry	I
10	B.Sandhya	M.Sc.Chemistry	I
11	G.S.K.D.V. Lakshmi	M.Sc.Chemistry	I

Best Library User from students

U.G - Students

Sl. Name Group Yr. Prize

1 Ch.Anjali MBN II I

2 Meghana MPCs. II II

P.G - Students

Sl.	Name	Group	Yr.	Prize
1	P.Chinnari	M.A.English	II	I
2	T.V.Gayathri	M.Sc.Maths	II	II

Best N-List User from Staff

U.G - Staff

Sl.	Name	Department	Prize
1	Mr.Gopinath	Lect. In Maths	I
2	Ms.Y.Sailaja	Lect. In Pol.Sc.	II

P.G - Staff

Sl.	Name	Department	Prize
1	Ms.Y.Rajini	Lect. In Chemistry	I
2	Ms.C.A.,Jyothirmai	Lect. In Chemistry	II



Staff Block :

Participation in Seminars/Workshops/Conferences:

Dr. I. Annapurna, Department of PG Economics and **Dr. N. Gayatri**, Department of Chemistry

participated in a two day Workshop

on **"Autonomous Colleges in India: The Road Ahead"** on

7th and 8th January 2020, organized by B. K. Birla,

Autonomous, Kalyan and Indian Institute of Advanced Study (IIAS), Shimla at

Century Bhavan, Worli, Mumbai. Dr. I. Annapurna presented paper on

"Best Practices and Innovations" on behalf of Dr. Sr. Marietta D'Mello, Principal of St. Theresa's College, Eluru.

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Congratulations!!!

Faculty Development Cum International Exchange Program:

Malaysia:

A few **Students** and Staff of St. Theresa's College, Eluru headed by **Rev. Sr. Lour Mary, Correspondent** and **Dr. Sr. Showrilu, Vice-Principal cum P.G. Director** landed in Malaysia to be enriched and to spread the fame of St. Theresa's College by their Participation, Presentation and Overall Involvement in the **International Conference on Applications of Physics, Chemistry, Engineering Sciences,**

Malaysia-2020 on 9th and 10th January, 2020, at University of Malaya, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia. Let's applaud them all. The **Staff** successfully completed a four Day **Faculty Development Programme** on **"Learning Effective Instructional Strategies"** organized by **IMRF Institute of Higher Education & Research Thailand Chapter** in association with **DRPF, Ministry of Education, Macedonia** at Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, from 8th to 11th January, 2020.

Dr. Sr. Showrilu, received the **Best Scientist Award** in Physics for her Paper titled, **"Crystal Growth, Structural, SHG, NMR, SEM Etching Studies of a Novel Organic-Inorganic Crystalline Material: BCTZ"**.

Dr. CA Jyothirmayee was awarded **Prestigious Academic Award IMRF PAUL JANSSEN Best Researcher Award** for her Superior Performance in Chemistry. She presented paper on **"Growth, Spectroscopic, and Optical Studies of a New Organic Nonlinear Optical Material"**.

A few more **Paper Presentations** by the Staff of St. Theresa at University of Malaya, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

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Dr.M.Padmaja presented on **“Supplementation of Iron, Protein and Vitamin C to the Identified Anemic Adolescent Girls.”**

Mrs. P.S.Bhanu Prasanna presented on **“Infant Stimulation.”**

Ms. T.Jhansi Lakshmi presented on **“Government Schemes for the Benefit of Women and Girl Child.”**

Dr.B.B.R.G.Vijaya Lakshmi presented on **“Farm waste management – A sustainable energy resource at Munduru, Dharamaraopet villages of Denduluru Mandal, West Godavari District, Andhra Pradesh.”**

Department of Computer Science, Faculty, **Mrs.A.Mamatha,** **Ms.N.Anusha Rose** and **Ms.V.Valli Gayathri** participated and presented paper on **“An Optimized Tree Solutions to Handle Key Escrow in DTN”.**



Dr. A. Nirmala Jyothsna, HOD of Physics and Electronics is the **Pride** of our College and she spread the name of St. Theresa's College, Eluru as a Sweet Fragrance to the far and wide, by securing the prestigious **Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam Life Time Achievement National Award** for her remarkable achievements in the field of Teaching, Research and Publications, conferred by IISER in association with Government of India. It's a great honour to St. Theresa's College through Dr. A. Nirmala Jyothsna, the Precious Gem, who will be receiving this Life Time National Award on 29th February, 2020 in Bangalore. Thanks be to God who blessed her hard work, talents and abilities. Let's applaud her success and grand achievement. Hearty Congratulations Miss.



Staff as Resource Persons :

On 3rd January, 2020, **Dr.K.Rani**, Department of Home Science and **Dr. I. Annapurna**, Department of P.G. Economics visited Prakasam Degree College, Koyyalagudem as a part of **PARAMARSH PROGRAMME.**



Dr.M.Rama, Department of Chemistry and **Dr.A.Padmavathi**, Department of Applied Sciences, visited **St. Ann's College, Visakhapatnam** on 3rd January, 2020 as a part of **UGC PARAMARSH Programme.** They enlightened the members about **NAAC Parameters.** A lengthy discussion went on with the members of Mentee College and clarified their doubts regarding NAAC. A few suggestions were given on SWOC analysis and the required registers. Mentee College members were very enthusiastic to know and learn.



Activities Block :

Annual Awards cum Sankranthi Sambaralu :

In the History of St. Theresa's College, for the first time Sankranthi Sambaralu was celebrated in a grand manner. A noble thought of Dr. Sr. Marietta D'mello, Principal brought Colours, Beauty, Cheers, Joy, Glow, Laughter, Satisfaction, Family Bondage and a Festive Mood to the campus of St. Theresa's College, on 13th January, 2020. It was a mesmerizing idea indeed, that was implemented successfully to help the students understand and remember the culture and tradition. Rangoli Competitions, Kolattam Dances were an added attraction, besides cultural items rightly fitting for the occasion. **Dr. Bhagya Lakshmi, Emeritus HOD of Telugu,** meaningfully explained the significance of the feast Sankranthi and made things very clear. Under the guidance and

training of **Mrs. Radhika, Faculty, Department of Computer Science**, the students gave a spectacular and mind blowing performance on the Feast of Sankranti and it's culture colourfully and beautifully. The Sponsors were felicitated and Awards were distributed to the efficient students based on various angles and streams. Every individual was given Paayasam to cherish the sweet moments of the day.

It was an unforgettable event that every Theresian witnessed, enjoyed and preserved in Heart as a beautiful and lovely memory. Once again, our Heartfelt Thanks to our beloved Dr. Sr. Marietta D'mello, the Principal.

Ms. Ume Salma, HOD of Telugu and Hindi organized the entire programme meticulously and enriched all of us with her MC.



Pongal at Akarsh Club:

Pongal was celebrated on 3rd and 4th January, 2020 at Akarsh Club, **Department of Home Science**. I and III B.Sc Home Science Students celebrated by making beautiful Rangoli Designs and Pongal Decorations respectively.



Jesus Youth :

Cultural Exchange Program:

A few **Students of Jesus Youth** journeyed to **Kerala State** to take part in the Cultural Exchange Program from 14th to 31st December, 2019. They returned with rich Cultural and Spiritual Experience. The students attended a Retreat at Potta Retreat Center, Kerala for a week and then to families in different Parishes to experience the Culture and the Prayer Life of

Families in Kerala. It was an opportunity given by the Management to many students every year. Heartfelt thanks to Dr.Sr. Marietta D'Mello, the Principal.

National Voters Day 2020:

The Department of Social Sciences Headed by Dr.P. Ratna Mary and other staff members organized National Voters Day **Awareness Programme** on 25th January 2020. Dr. T.Rajesh Associate Professor in Management Studies at Sir .C.R.Reddy College (A), Eluru gave a talk on National Voters Day. He stressed on the responsibilities of youth towards voting system. Dr.sr. Marietta D'Mello, Principal advised the students to enroll their names in the voters list and secure the power to form a better Government. Later, the Department administered the oath and organized Essay Writing and Elocution



71st Republic Day:

71st Republic Day Celebrations were conducted at Ch.S.D.St.Theresa's College for Women (A), Eluru on 26th January, 2020.

Dr.K.Rani Associate Professor, **Department of Home Science** was the Chief Guest. She enlightened

the students on the importance of Constitution of India. Guest of Honour **Dr.K.V.Padmavathi HOD of Home Science** wished the gathering. College Principal Dr.Sr.Marietta D' Mello extended her warm wishes to the Staff and Students of the College.

Signing Out :

Our Campus is bubbling with full of activities. A quick glance through this Newsletter will make you convinced of that. Perhaps there is no Second Campus in the whole of Eluru, where such vibrancy is felt. There are still more things in the offing. Stay tuned....

