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THE COLLEGE CREST



The College Crest is enshrined within a lotus in full bloom to represent the cult of the devotion preached by Mahaprabhu Shri Vallabhacharya. At the centre of the Crest is a sacrificial fire which symbolises the Lord himself "Yagna Vai Vishnu". The Lord is reached by the three steps of the altar signifying KSHRAM, AKSHARA AND POORNA PURUSHOTHAMA. The Volume on the foot of the altar stands for the Book of Knowledge (the Vedas) and the three flowers on it show the factors that conduce to the accumulation and propagation of Knowledge, Intelligent Action and Material Resources. The aim of all Knowledge is the realisation of the Supreme Truth and this is embodied in the College Motto taken from Srimad Bhagavatam.

"SATYAM PARAM DHEEMAHI"

The colours are flaming red and sky blue.



राष्ट्रीय मूल्यांकन एवं प्रत्यायन परिषद्

विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग का स्वायत्त संस्थान

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*W. S. S. S. S.
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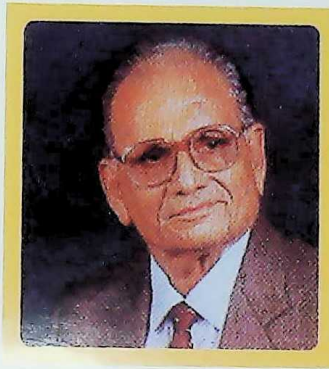


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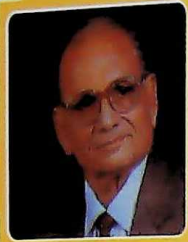
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What you have is His gift to you,
What you do with what you have is your gift to Him

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Dr. S. Ramachandran
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Addressing the Gathering



A memento given by our Secretary



Tmt. Nalini Ravindran,
Director of College Education, Govt. Tamilnadu
Addressing the Gathering



Secretary, Chairman, Chief Guest and
Principal on the dais



University Rank Holders
with the Chief Guest
and the other
dignitaries



1st Rank Holders
with the Chief Guest
and the other
dignitaries

University First Rank Holders



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Editorial.....

“They say my work is just a drop in the Ocean. I say the Ocean is made up of drops”

This magazine is a record of vivid life at Vaishnav that is captured in a nutshell. The magazine offers avenues for thought in English, Tamil, Hindi and Sanskrit. Try, Believe, Persevere are the key words that have helped our students unlock the treasure box of successes this year.

Philosopher Bertrand Russell said. “Change is scientific, yet progress is ethical”

Taking into account at which the world is changing, it is increasingly apparent that the right education is the guiding light that will enable us to retain clarity of thought and vision. We, here at S.D.N.B. Vaishnav, with awareness and adaptability ingrained in our foundation and with time and tradition to fortify it, seek to be reasonably grounded in reality as well in quality education and aspire towards becoming a part however big or small of this continuous process of enlightening the souls.

COLLEGE DAY REPORT

Good Evening to all of you. Respected Chief Guest, Revered Chairman, Honorable Secretary, Members of the Management Committee, Distinguished Guests, my dear staff and my beloved students. I extend a warm and hearty welcome to you all on the 40th college day.

*Vasudeva Sudham Devem
Krishnam Vande Jagatgurur*

With the blessings of the lord Krishna, I humbly place before you a brief sketch of an eventful academic year 2007-2008.

2. AUTONOMOUS STRUCTURE

We have entered the II Year of autonomy. The Board of Studies designs and develops career oriented and socially productive curriculum, with enriched contents, which is approved by the Academic Council and Governing Body of our college. It also equips the students with value added skills like communicative soft skills, health and fitness and advanced interview technique skills.

3. E-Edu Governance

E-EDU GOVERN Programme of our college has completed the sixth successful year. The program serves the twin objectives of 100% Computer literacy to our students and complete networking of the various academic and administrative activities. Our Management has organized computer literacy soft skill programme for all the students. Tally, MS Office, SPSS are taught for all Arts and Commerce students and Multimedia, Flash, and Photoshop for science students.

4. IQAC (Internal Quality Assurance Cell)

The IQAC Committee periodically submits its annual reports to UGC and University of Madras. The committee monitors the post accreditation achievement with facts and figures.

5. Academic Expansion

Twelve new staff members have been appointed in the Day college.

Two new courses B.Sc. Visual Communication and M.Sc. Bio-Statistics have been introduced this year.

Skill based certificate courses were inaugurated on 13-12-07 by Mrs. Gariyali, Principal Secretary to His Excellency The Governor of Tamil Nadu and Dr. Murugesan, Controller of Examinations, University of Madras delivered the key note address. Skill based certificate courses like Logistics Management, Retail management, E-publishing, Cosmetology and Apparel designing were introduced for II year students and all first year (both UG and PG) students are learning Communicative English skill based certificate programme.

6. ACADEMIC INDEPTH PROGRAMME

The Department of Computer Science organized a symposium "Compexpo" - 'Technology meets Industry and Academics' on Sep 5th 2007 which was presided by Dr. C. Chandramouli, IAS, IT Secretary Govt. of Tamil Nadu and the keynote address was delivered by Mr. Sriram V. Rajagopal, Director, HR, CTS.

Department of Plant biology & Plant biotechnology organized a National symposium on "Vistas in Algal Research" on 22nd & 23rd September 2007 in collaboration with Krishnamurthy Institute of Algology - Chennai. Rev. Father Dr. S. Ignacimuthu, former Vice Chancellor, University of Madras and Present Director of the Department of Entomology, Loyola College presided over the function. Prof. V.Krishnamurthy, Director, Krishna murthy Institute of Algology delivered the Keynote address. S.Umavathi, D.Bhuvanewari, G.Bharathi, C.Sumathi of II M.Sc. P.B.P.B. presented papers along with other participants from other parts of India.

Dr. Raja Ganesan, former Head of the Department of Education, University of Madras, conducted a faculty development workshop for the staff.

7. MOU

To establish the good relationship, which exists between our campus and CTS, our college management and CTS unanimously,

signed up an MOU. On 5th September 2007, our Hon'ble Secretary Sri. C.M. Tolia and Shri.Sriram V.Rajagopal, Director HR, CTS, signed up MOU, in the presence of Dr. C. Chandramouli, IAS, IT Secretary, Govt.of Tamil Nadu.

MINOR RESEARCH PROJECTS

Dr. Geetha Natarajan, Dr. Anantha Vijayakumari, Mrs.Radha and Dr.Lakshmi have been sanctioned minor research projects for the year 2007-08.

Four staff members, Dr. Mrs. S. Chenthamarai, Dr. Mrs L. Vijayalakshmi, Dr. Mrs. G. Rani and Dr. Mrs, K. Pushkala, have been sanctioned minor research projects by U.G.C for the year 2008-09.

RESEARCH

Total no.of staff who have obtained
Ph.D Degree = 24

Total No. of staff who have obtained
M.Phil Degree = 81

and 10 staff members will be getting their Ph.D Degree soon.

Scholarship

Nearly 757students are getting Rs 12,49,716 worth of scholarships, of which 613 students are getting Rs 10,37,216 worth of Govt. scholarships and 144 students are getting Rs 2,12,500 scholarships given by private organizations.

(SLIDE PRESENTATION-Details of Scholarship given during 2007-08)

Nature of Scholarship	No.of.Students	Amount (in Rs)
Govt- B C	53	16079
M B C- (II & III)Yrs	211	211458
Fresh (I Yrs)	111	156778
S C/ ST	238	652901
Total Govt. scholarships	613	1037216
Private scholarships	144	212500
GRAND TOTAL	757	12,49,716

PRIZES INSTITUTED DURING THE CURRENT YEAR

Together they lived, together they left. In memory of their parents-in- law Mrs. R.Savithri Dept of Commerce has instituted two endowments of Rs 5000/- each, this year. Sri. S. Subramaniam memorial prize to be given to the best speaker in English and Smt. S. Saraswathi memorial prize to be given to the best speaker in Tamil.

8. UNION ACTIVITIES

The members of the College union are

Sri A.K. Tareen, Trade and Investment Director for India and South Asia, Govt.of Australia inaugurated the college union on 9th July 2007. He highlighted the significance of education and added "Learning should not be a process of being told, one should learn through discovery and innovations.

The Freshers Day was celebrated on 3rd July 2007, and the seniors welcomed the freshers by presenting them variety entertainment leaving behind wonderful memories in the hearts of every one.

World Environment Day was celebrated on 22nd July 2007, Shri D.K.Hari of Bharat Gyan and Shri. Amiralingam a researcher in Ecology presided and 6 teams were able to disseminate a meaningful message on various topics like water, transport, biodiversity, waste management, energy and global warming.

Sri Krishna Jayanthi, was celebrated on 3rd September 2007. Dr. Laxmi Narayanan, Head of the department of Tamil, D.G.Vaishnav college spoke on the life and teachings of Lord Krishna.

World Tourism Day was celebrated on 27th September 2007. Painting, Quiz and slogan writing competitions focusing on the theme, 'World Tourism opens door for Women Entrepreneurs', were conducted.

Founders' Day was celebrated. Dr (Mrs) K.Rajalakshmi, Head of the Dept of Physics spoke on the noble and philanthropic contribution made by our founder chairman Shri. Nanalal Bhatt.

Building pooja for the new building was performed and Ms. Mathioli Saraswathi, Founder President Nandalala Trust participated.

The Students of Vaishnav witnessed a live show of traditional folk art in 'Chennai Sangamam' on 11th January 2008. Dance, percussion, and the rhythmic beats were a feast to the eyes and ears.

With the deep sense of patriotism the tricolor flag was hoisted on Independence day and Republic day to honour the nationalistic feelings of our students and to remember the sacrifices made by the freedom fighters to uphold the honour of Mother India.

In connection with Sarvodaya Day students wrote an examination on the autobiography of Mahatma Gandhi, "Sathya Sodhna."

Oil conservation day was celebrated on 30th January 2008. Ms. Shabeena, Assistant Manager, Petroleum Conservation Research Association spoke on the need for conserving energy resources.

Human Rights Awareness Day was celebrated on 14th February 2008. Hon'ble Justice Thiru A.S.Venkatchalamuthy, Chairperson, State Human Rights Commission delivered the Presidential Address. Dr. P. Kandasamy, Principal, C.Kandasamy Naidu College, Chennai delivered the special address and Mrs. Sudha Ramalingam, Advocate, High Court, Chennai delivered the key note address.

Our staff and students donated Rs 5000/- to Help Age India. They also donated

Rs 18350/- to K.Hemalatha of III B.Sc. Computer Science for her medical treatment.

Blood donation camp was organized on 5th March 2008 in collaboration with Hindu Mission Hospital and Lions Club of Keelkattalai and 75 units of blood were donated.

International Womens' Day was celebrated on 8th March 2008. Mrs.Girija Raghavan Editor and Publisher- Ladies Special and media personality delivered the presidential address.

9. CONVOCATION

Annual convocation was held on 16th February 2008. Dr. S. Ramachandran, Vice-Chancellor, University of Madras delivered the convocation address and Tmt. Nalini Ravindran Director of Collegiate Education, Govt of Tamilnadu delivered the key-note address and distributed the diplomas.

We are proud of our 65 University Rank holders (within 10 Ranks) of which 11 are University First Rank holders. In Part-I Language there are five university First Ranks (3 in Sanskrit and 2 in Tamil). In Part-II English there is one University First Rank. In Part-III Major UG courses there are four First Ranks in History, Mathematics, Statistics and Plant Biology and Plant Bio-Technology and there is also University First Rank in M.Com Degree course.

10. SMRTI

SMRTI- the annual inter-collegiate cultural festa denotes memory. This year SMRTI - "COOL YOUR HEELS" was inaugurated by Sri.S.P.B.Charan popular playback singer and Sri Venkat Prabhu film artiste, who graced the occasion with their dignified presence with great zeal.

Classical Dance, Carnatic Music, Group Song, Group Dance, Rangoli, Shipwreck, Adzap, Bridal makeup, Tamil and English oratory, Hindi quiz, Gita recitation and Face painting competitions were held. Eminent and famous personalities from different walks of life, judged the competitions.

The valedictory function was graced with the presence of Shrimathy Malathy renowned playback singer and a spark of excitement and contentment was seen in every ones eyes.

11. PLACEMENT CELL

CTS, Zeal Academy, Perot and Radiant Academy provided effective training to the students. Various corporate were invited to pick the abundance of resources, in our college premises on campus Recruitment Drive. A total of 169 students have got good placement in reputed organization.

S.No.	Name of The Company	No.of Students Selected	Designation
1.	CTS (Technical)	43	Programmer Trainee
2.	TCS (Technical)	16	Graduate Trainee
3.	Accenture (Bpo)	24	Process Associate
4.	Ajuba (Bpo)	2	Trainee Account Executive
5.	Perot Systems (Bpo)	6	Trainee - Ar
6.	Ford	27	Junior Team Member(Trainee)
7.	Abn Amro	12	In Process
8.	Maersk Global Service Centres	4	Processsing Officer
9.	Shrimathi Sundaravalli School	10	Teacher
10.	Scientific Publishing	10	
	Total	154	
OFF CAMPUS			
1.	Wipro Wase	5	
2.	Scope International	10	
	Total	15	
	Grand Total	169	

12. WOMEN ENTREPRENEURIAL DEVELOPMENT CELL

Self support and self reliance are the twin objectives of the WEDP cell. Artificial jewellery making, flower bouquets making, oil painting, embossed painting, glass painting, fabric painting, tailoring and embroidery, are taught by experts with enough practical sessions to attain perfection. An exhibition of articles prepared by the EDP cell members was organized on 3rd March 2008 to exhibit the talents of the members and test their entrepreneurial ability.

13. STUDENTS IN FREE ENTERPRISE (SIFE)

The SIFE cell works with our Principal as the Faculty advisor along with a Staff Co-

ordinator Mrs. Y.Kalaivani, Dept of Commerce and five student representatives as members of the cell. Our College participated in both the Regional and National Level Competitions at Mumbai and have won the All India Second Position.

14. FINE ARTS

Fine Arts Association organized various inter class competitions like classical music, classical dance, group dance, mehendi, bridal makeup, painting, face painting, pot painting and rangoli. Our students have actively participated in many intercollegiate competitions and have come out in flying colors in many competitions and have got overall championship from many prestigious forums.

15. SPORTS

The 40th annual Sports Meet was celebrated with great spirit. It was declared open by Mr.V.Varadharaju, IPS, Deputy Commissioner of Police. Grand Master Mr. R.B. Ramesh, Deputy Manager, IOC was the Guest of Honour.

There are, 16 National Players, 19 University Blues and 33 State Players totaling to an impressive 68 top sports students in our college and our college is ranked in the 3rd place among other colleges affiliated to Madras University.

16. ROTARACT

Our college Rotaract Cub has got the award for the overall active participation and three rotaractors Rtn. Soundarya, Rtn Swapna and Rtn. Sowmiya have been awarded individual awards for their contribution in the annual rotaract conference. Rtn. Soundarya has won the best female Rotarian award.

17. NSS

NSS camp was conducted at Mudichur village and they celebrated Pongal vizha along with them. They participated in Two- wheeler road safety rally and students regulate traffic regularly in G.S.T Road, Chromepet. They visit many places and render services and they also visited compost yard. Yoga training is given to NSS volunteers. They also conduct various health camps. Red Ribbon Club takes care of creating awareness for prevention of AIDS and allied diseases.

18. NCC AIRWING

Cadet. S. Hemalatha had participated in the Republic Day Camp, 2008 at New Delhi.

She represented the NCC Directorate of Tamil Nadu, Pondichery and Andaman Nicobar which got III Place at the Annual NCC Republic Day camp. She participated in the Prime Minister's rally held at New Delhi. She was also a member of the contingent drill and cultural team.

She also attended tea party with Air chief Marshall, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Delhi Mrs. Sheela Dikshit, Hon'ble Vice President Mr. Ansari, Hon'ble Higher Education Minister of

TamilNadu Mr. Ponmudi, Hon'ble Defence Minister Mr. A.K. Antony, and the team was felicitated by the Governor of Tamil Nadu.

Our cadets participated in the CATC camp and G.M. Nithya won the gold medal, R. Nirmala Devi won the silver medal and S.Hemalatha won the bronze medal.

19. STAFF ACHIVEMENTS

PARTICIPATION IN CONFERENCES & SEMINARS

Our Staff faced challenges from academic intelligence both in national and International platforms. Six of our staff members participated in international seminars and 12 in the National seminar. Many among these staff members have more than two papers to their credit. They have participated in workshops, have many publications to their credit and they have guided many M.Phil students.

20. BIDDING FAREWELL

" Years tell the age
Smiles tell the Youthfulness
And Actions tell the Mind "

This year we are bidding farwell to 5 of our college staff.

1. Dr. (Mrs) V. Muthulakshmi
(H.O.D Department of English)
2. Dr. (Mrs) S.Nimmi.
(H.O.D Department of Tamil)
3. Mrs. Lalitha Balachandran
(H.O.D Department of English)
4. Dr. (Mrs.) K. Rajalakshmi
(H.O.D Department of Physics)
5. Mrs. K. Lalitha
(Department of Physics)

21. STAR ACHIEVERS

R. Gayathri, *Star Achiever II MSW*
S. Hemalatha, *NCC Cadet*
Participated in Republic Day camp at New Delhi
S. Lakshmi Priya, *Merit in MSW*
R. Padmapriya, *Winner Talk your way to Japan*

Best Outgoing Students :

P.Rajarajeswari of III P.B.PB
T.V.Heema, III B.Com (Evening)

Best overall performer :

Vishnu Priya, III Comp.Sc

Best Union President:

V.Divya, III B.com
T.V.Heema, III B.Com (Evening)

Best Overall Union Member:

R. Swathi. III B.B.A.

FIRST RANK HOLDERS:

Tamil :

M.N. Mala B.A.
S.Kavitha B.Com. C.S.

Sanskrit :

Rajeswari.C, B.Com.
Iyengar Gayathri Jaganathan, B.Com. C.S.
Santhosa Sakthi, B.B.A

English : K. Ashwarya, B.C.A.

History : R. Saritha

Maths : V. Kala

Statistics : Vidhya

P.B.P.B : M.Mary Shalini

P.G. M.Com : S. Lakshmi.

Best speaker in English :

R. Padmapriya- II C.Sc.Eve.

Best speaker in Tamil :

S. Parkavi, II B.Sc. Phy.

Best Singer : V. Janaki, II M.S.W.

Best Dancers :

Twin Sisters, N. Shri Aishwarya and
N. Shri Soundarya II.B.Com

Best Player :

R. Rekha, III.B. A. Eco

SIFE National II Prize Winners :

V. Gayathri
R. Sambumani Priya, II B.Sc Comp Sc
S. Parkavi of II B.Sc Physics,
M.S. Sukanya and
N. Jayashree of II B.Com (Eve)

Best Rapportiers :

Anusha & Hindhu, III Maths.

22. OUR VISION

" Courage to think different
Courage to travel into an unexplored path
Courage to discover the impossible
Courage to combat the problem and succeed "

23. CONCLUSION

"Learning gives creativity
Creativity leads to thinking
Thinking provides knowledge
Knowledge makes you great"

COLLEGE UNION VALEDICTORY REPORT 2007-2008

Respected Chief Guest Dr. P.T.Srinivasan, Respected Guest of Honour, Mr. Kalyanasundaram, Revered Chairman, Honourable Secretary, Members of the Management Committee, Madam Principal, Distinguished Guests, staff members and my dear students. I am indeed very happy to present the college union valedictory report for the year 2007-08.

The College Union activities commenced with the election of office bearers.

Our Principal is the President of the Union and its allied associations.

Students Union Vice Presidents : Dr.R.Malathy Dept of Statistics and Mrs.R.Savithri Dept of Commerce.

Students Union President : V.Divya, III B.Com.

Students Union Secretary :
Janavi, II B.Sc.Physics.

Students Union Joint Secretary :
Revathy, I B.A.Economics.

Fine Arts Secretary : Ayeesha, III B.Com.

Evening College

Students Union Vice Presidents:
Miss. A.C.Ranganayaki Dept of Commerce.
and Miss. B.M.Gayathri Dept of Computer Science.

Students Union President:
T.V.Heema, III B.Com (Eve).

Students Union Secretary :
R.Priya, III B.Sc.Maths. (Eve).

Students Union Joint Secretary : M.A.Preethi Kaveri, III.B.Sc.Comp.Sc. (Eve).

Fine Arts Secretary : R.Swathi- III B.B.A.

Sri A.K. Tareen, Trade and Investment Director for India and South Asia, Govt.of Australia inaugurated the college union on 9th July 2007. He highlighted the significance of education and added "Learning should not be a process of being told, one should learn through discovery and innovations.

The Freshers Day was celebrated on 3rd July 2007, and the seniors welcomed the freshers by presenting them variety entertainment leaving behind wonderful memories in the hearts of every one.

World Environment Day was celebrated on 22nd July 2007, Shri D.K.Hari of Bharat Gyan and Shri. Amiralingam a researcher in Ecology presided and 6 teams were able to disseminate a meaningful message on various topics like water, transport, biodiversity, waste management, energy and global warming.

Sri Krishna Jayanthi, was celebrated on 3th September 2007. Dr. Laxmi Narayanan, Head of the department of Tamil, D.G.Vaishnav college spoke on the life and teachings of Lord Krishna.

World Tourism Day was celebrated on 27th September 2007. Painting, Quiz and slogan writing competitions focusing on the theme, 'World Tourism opens door for Women Entrepreneurs', were conducted.

Founders' day was celebrated. Dr (Mrs) K.Rajalakshmi, Head of the Dept of Physics spoke on the noble and philanthropic contribution made by our founder chairman Shri. Nanalal Bhatt.

Building pooja for the new building was performed and Ms. Mathioli Saraswathi, Founder President Nandalala Trust participated.

The Students of Vaishnav witnessed a live show of traditional folk art in 'Chennai Sangamam' on 11th January 2008. Dance, percussion, and the rhythmic beats were a feast to the eyes and ears.

With the deep sense of patriotism the tricolor flag was hoisted on Independence Day and Republic day to honour the nationalistic feelings of our students and to remember the sacrifices made by the freedom fighters to uphold the honour of Mother India.

In connection with Sarvodaya Day students wrote an examination on the autobiography of Mahatma Gandhi, "Sathya Sodhanai."

Oil conservation Day was celebrated on 30th January 2008. Ms. Shabeena, Assistant

Manager, Petroleum Conservation Research Association spoke on the need for conserving energy resources.

Human Rights Awareness Day was celebrated on 14th February 2008. Hon'ble Justice Thiru A.S.Venkatachalamuthy, Chairperson, State Human Rights Commission delivered the Presidential Address. Dr. P. Kandasamy, Principal, C.Kandasamy Naidu College, Chennai delivered the special address and Mrs. Sudha Ramalingam, Advocate, High Court, Chennai delivered the key note address.

Our staff and students donated Rs 5000/- to Help Age India. They also donated Rs 18350/- to K.Hemalatha of III B.Sc. Computer Science for her medical treatment.

Blood donation camp was organized on 5th March 2008 in collaboration with Hindu Mission Hospital and Lions Club of Keelkattalai and 75 units of blood were donated.

International Womens' Day was celebrated on 8th March 2008. Mrs.Girija Raghavan Editor and Publisher- Ladies Special and media personality delivered the presidential address.

Skill based Certificates Courses

Skill based certificates courses was inaugurated on 13-12-07 by Mrs. Gariyali, Principal Secretary to His Excellency The Governor of Tamil Nadu and Dr. Murugesan Controller of Examinations University of Madras delivered the key note address. Skill based certificates courses like Logistics Management, Retail management, E-publishing, Cosmetology and Apparel designing were introduced for II year students and all first year (both UG and PG) students are learning a Communicative English skill based certificate programme.

ASSOCIATION ACTIVITIES

TAMIL ASSOCIATION

The Department of Tamil organized a variety entertainment competition. The teams portrayed several aspects of human values like humanity, integrity, equality, patriotism, etc. using innovative techniques. On 5th February 2008, Pulavar Ramalingam delivered a thought provoking speech on "Sigarathai Nokee" which made the audience spell bound and Sri. Thamizhnenchan was the moderator for the patti mandram.

HINDI ASSOCIATION

Hindi Association 'SADHBHAVANA' organized a One-day workshop on NEWS-WRITING on 8th February 2008. Dr. S. Jayalakshmi Subramanian, Retd. H.O.D. of Hindi of our college presided and she analysed the literary and functional aspects of News-Writing with the help of Newspaper cuttings. The workshop was very useful as it provided useful information to the students who aspire for a career in the field of 'Journalism'. Hindi quiz competition was conducted by Dr. L.V.K.Sridharan of Vivekananda College

SANSKRIT ASSOCIATION

For the past four years Department of Sanskrit is conducting a workshop on functional and spoken Sanskrit. This year, it was conducted by Dr. Ramachandran, Dept. of Sanskrit, RKM Vivekananda College, Chennai. It was aimed at popularizing age-old language, Sanskrit and it helps the students to know the fundamentals of the language in a simple way without books.

HISTORY ASSOCIATION

Bharath, The History Association meeting was held on 20th July 2007. Kalaimamani Shri V.K. Balan, Chairman and MD, Madura Travels presided over the function and gave a lecture on Indian Tourism. His main emphasis was on the availability of jobs and resources in the Tourism Industry. Various competitions like Multimedia presentation on Tourism Issues, state costumes, and food carnival were conducted.

ENGLISH ASSOCIATION AND DEBATE CLUB

Dr.Nirmal Selvamony inaugurated the English association and debate club on 9-8-2007 and he spoke on eco-criticism. On 5-2-08 Mr. C. Ratnasamy monoacted Shakespeare's famous plays like Julius Caesar, Hamlet and Othello. Various inter class competitions like oratory, pot pourri, poetry reading, essay writing and collage were held.

ECONOMICS ASSOCIATION

As part of "Crux Eco Fun" 2007-08, various inter class competitions like Dumb charades, Debate, Rangoli, Collage, Miss Economics and Kavithai were conducted. On 29th January 2008, Mrs. Girija Suresh, M.A., M.Phil., Lecturer selection grade in Economics, Chellammal College, Chennai addressed the students on "The Impact of Globalisation in India".

MATHEMATICS ASSOCIATION

Mathematics association, MATH ZOOM was inaugurated on 29.02.2008. Dr.S.Siva Subramaniam, Assistant professor, Easwari Engineering College delivered a lecture on "Application of Mathematics in day to day life". Inter class quiz competition and intercollegiate competitions like, Quiz, Cross word were also conducted.

STATISTICS ASSOCIATION

Statquest, 2008, was held on 8.2.2008. Dr. R. Ramakrishnan, Deputy Director. National Institute of Epidemiological Research (ICMR) presided and he spoke on the importance of application of Bio-statistics in the field of epidemiology and clinical trials. He stressed that Bio-statistics has tremendous scope in pharmaceutical industry. Various intercollegiate activities like, Quiz, Dumb Charades, Cross word were also conducted.

PHYSICS ASSOCIATION

Dr. G. Kumarasathyan inaugurated the VAISPHYZ 2007, Head of the Department of Physics Department, Madras Christian College on 22.01,08, and he spoke on the scope and opportunities in the field of Physics and about the importance of microprocessors. Various interdepartmental competitions like, Debate, make out of Waste, Pot pourri and intercolle-

giate competitions like Mind Blasters, Lab Masters and Mudo were conducted.

CHEMISTRY ASSOCIATION

Chem Vaishnav 2007-2008 was inaugurated on 7th January 2008, by Dr. (Mrs.) K. Pushkala M.Phil., Ph.D., Reader, Dept. of Zoology, and she spoke on "Chemistry for the benefit of mankind". Inter class and Inter departmental competitions like chem lyrics, chem talk, Adzap, Quiz and Dumb charades were conducted. Dr. C. Muralidharan, Deputy Director of CLRI, Adyar, delivered the valedictory address and distributed the prizes.

PLANT BIOLOGY ASSOCIATION

As part of 'MADHULIKA' the Department of Plant Biology and Plant Bio-technology had organized an exhibition on 'Nutritive food and Health care on 1st August 2007. A workshop on 'Herbal Soup' was conducted by Mrs. Premavathy. Mrs Kunthala Ravi, Dietician, from Ramachandra Medical College, highlighted the ingredients of 'Balanced diet' and its importance. Dr. (Thiru). K. Nammalvar., President, Tamilnadu organic farmers movement, addressed the students on 'Ecofriendly farming and Evergreen Revolution'.

ZOOLOGY ASSOCIATION

In connection with Charles Darwin's Bi-centenary celebrations, Dr. A. Mahalingam, gave a special lecture on 'Evolution' on 27th February 2008 and Dr.P.Manoj, Psychiatrist, spoke on 'Sleep and Memory'.

COMPUTER SCIENCE ASSOCIATION

IT DOT NET -2007-2008 was conducted on 13th February 2008. The interdepartmental competitions like Essay Writing, Web designing, Quiz and Variety Entertainment were conducted. At the inter collegiate level, Quiz, NET FUNDU, PATCH UP, BRAIN SQUEEZER'S were conducted. Mr. B. Sajith, Regional Manager NIIT and Mr. R.Vathsangam, Director, NIIT, presented an interesting lecture on job opportunities. Our department students wrote "IT-Check" conducted by NIIT and were awarded with one cash prize of Rs.2000/- and 3 cash prizes of Rs.1000/-, watches and gift vouchers. Mr. S.Mohammad Shadiq Ali,

Manager, IFX & MR. G.Anandh, Technical Head, IFX gave a lecture on current trend in animation to our students.

COMMERCE ASSOCIATION

VAISH COMFEST - 2008

The Annual Bonanza of the Commerce department Vaish Comfest - 2008 Break even point, was held on 25th January 2008. Various inter class competitions like Ad-zap, Variety Entertainment, Best buyer & Best seller, Mock interview, Ad- designing and Product packaging were held to bring out the hidden potential of the students. Inter-collegiate competitions like Ad-Zap and Product packaging were conducted, and more than 15 colleges participated with great interest and involvement. Mrs. Shyamala Jayaraman Vice-President (R&D) Ramco Systems, Chennai, delivered the Presidential address, Mr. H. Ramanathan, CEO, Layam Management Solutions Pvt Ltd delivered the valedictory address and Mr. N. Rajkumar, Business Head, Layam Management Solutions Pvt Ltd delivered the key note address.

MSW

SPARK '08 was held in Central Leather Research Institute (CLRI), Adyar on 21and 22nd of February 2008. The theme for SPARK was

"Strategies towards Human Development". The seminar sessions were based on the current trends of Human Resource Management and Medical & Psychiatry. Mr.Pandiyarajan (Chief Executive Officer, Mafoi Consultants Ltd) and Mr.K.Ganeshan (Senior Vice President Resource Management Group, Covansys) presided the inauguration and delivered the Presidential address. Students from various colleges of Chennai attended the seminars. Students actively participated in the Quiz and Mime competitions and Director Vasanth was the Guest of Honour for the valedictory function.

EVS ASSOCIATION

Mr. S.R. Ramanan, Director, Regional Meteorological Dept. Nungambakkam, Chennai, delivered the speech on "MONSOON & ITS IMPACT ON ECOSYSTEM" on 23.1.08. On 25/2/08 Dr. R.Venkatesan, Scientist, National Institute of Ocean Technology, spoke on the impact of ocean on the marine ecosystem.

FINE ARTS ASSOCIATION

Fine arts association organized various inter class competitions like classical music classical dance, group dance, mehendi, bridal makeup, painting, face painting, pot painting and rangoli. Our students have actively participated in many intercollegiate competitions

S.No.	Name of The Company	No.of Students Selected	Designation
1.	CTS (Technical)	43	Programmer Trainee
2.	TCS (Technical)	16	Graduate Trainee
3.	Accenture (Bpo)	24	Process Associate
4.	Ajuba (Bpo)	2	Trainee Account Executive
5.	Perot Systems (Bpo)	6	Trainee - Ar
6.	Ford	27	Junior Team Member(Trainee)
7.	Abn Amro	12	In Process
8.	Maersk Global Service Centres	4	Processsing Officer
9.	Shrimathi Sundaravalli School	10	Teacher
10.	Scientific Publishing	10	
Total		154	
OFF CAMPUS		5	
1.	Wipro Wase	10	
2.	Scope International	15	
Total		169	
Grand Total			

and have come out in flying colors in many competitions and have got overall championship from many prestigious forums.

PLACEMENT CELL

CTS, Zeal Academy, Perot and Radiant Academy provided effective training to the students. Various corporate were invited to pick the abundance of resources, in our college premises on campus Recruitment Drive. A total of 169 students have got good placement in reputed organization.

STUDENTS IN FREE ENTERPRISE (SIFE)

The SIFE cell works with our Principal as the Faculty advisor along with a Staff Co-ordinator Mrs. Y.Kalaivani, Dept of Commerce and five student representatives as members of the cell. Our College participated in both the Regional and National Level Competitions at Mumbai and have won the All India Second Position.

NSS

NSS camp was conducted at Mudichur village and they celebrated Pongal vizha along with them. They participated in Two-wheeler road safety rally and students regulate traffic regularly in G.S.T Road, Chromepet. They visit many places and render services and they also visited compost yard. Yoga training is given to NSS volunteers. They also conduct various health camps. Red Ribbon Club takes care of creating awareness for prevention of AIDS and allied diseases.

NCC AIRWING

Cadet. S. Hemalatha had participated in the Republic Day Camp, 2008 at New Delhi.

She represented the NCC Directorate of Tamil Nadu, Pondichery and Andaman Nicobar which got III Place at the Annual NCC Republic Day camp. She participated in the Prime Minister's

rally held at New Delhi. She was also a member of the contingent drill and cultural team.

She also attended tea party with Air chief Marshall, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Delhi Mrs. Sheela Dikshit, Hon'ble Vice President Mr. Ansari, Hon'ble Higher Education Minister of TamilNadu Mr. Ponmudi, Hon'ble Defence Minister Mr. A.K. Antony, and the team was felicitated by the Governor of Tamil Nadu.

Our cadets participated in the CATC camp and G.M. Nithya won the gold medal, R. Nirmala Devi won the silver medal and S.Hemalatha won the bronze medal.

ROTARACT

Our college Rotract Cub has got the award for the overall active participation and three rotaractors Rtn. Soundarya, Rtn Swapna and Rtn. Sowmiya have been awarded individual awards for their contribution in the annual rotract conference Rtn. Soundarya has won the best female Rotarian award.

WOMEN ENTREPRENEURIAL DEVELOPMENT CELL

Self support and self reliance are the twin objectives of the WEDP cell. Artificial jewellery making, flower bouquets making, oil painting,, embossed painting, glass painting, fabric painting, tailoring and embroidery, are taught by experts with enough practical sessions to attain perfection. An exhibition of articles prepared by the EDP cell members was organized on 3rd March 2008 to exhibit the talents of the members and test their entrepreneurial ability.

In a most democratic manner, the college union elections were held on 7th March 2008 for electing the new office bearers. The following are the new office bearers.

PORTFOLIO	DAY	EVENING
Students Union President	Aswini II B.Sc.Comp Sc	A.Christy Aparna Mary II B.C.S.
Students Union Secretary	Lavanya II B.Com.	S.Subhashini II B.Com.(Eve)
Students Union Joint Secretary		S.Priyadharshini II B.C.A.
Fine Arts Secretary	M.S.Srinidhi II B.Sc.Comp Sc	C.Revathi.II.B.I.S.M.

Star Achievers



R. Gayathri
Star Achiever II MSW



S. Hemalatha
NCC Cadet - Participated in Republic Day camp at New Delhi



S. Soundarya
II B. Com Rotract President



Lakshmi Priya S
Ment II MSW



Vishnu Priya, III Comp. Sc
Best Overall Performer



R. Padmapriya
Winner 'Talk your way to Japan'



Anusha R. P.
Comperer



Hindu. B.
Comperer

Best Out Going Students

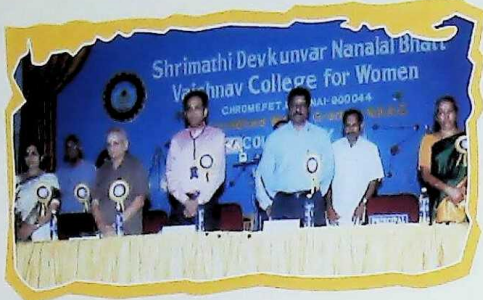


P. Rajarajeswari III PB PB (Day)



T. V. Henna III B.Com (Eve)

College Day



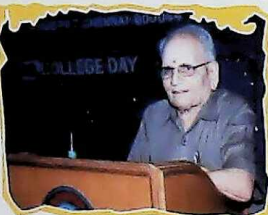
Chief Guest with our Chairman, Secretary, Principal & Staff on the dais



Gopikrishnan Gaddam, Head Campus Relation Cognizant Technical Solutions Pvt. Ltd.,



K. Ganesan, Secretary to Govt. Department of Higher Education Govt. of Tamilnadu.



Address by our Chairman



Dignitaries



Welcome address by our Principal



Dignitaries



Dignitaries



A Classical Dance



Entertaining the Audience



Group Song



Silently conveying the message of Time management



Modern Dance

Union Diary



Building of Ms Mathioli Sarasawathi Foundation President Nandalala Trust participated



CERTI Inauguration, Dr. Murugesan Controller of Exams with the Dignitaries



CERTI Inauguration, by Mrs. Gariyali, Principal Secretary to the Governor of TamilNadu



Independence Day - Flag Hoisting by our Principal



Republic Day Celebration

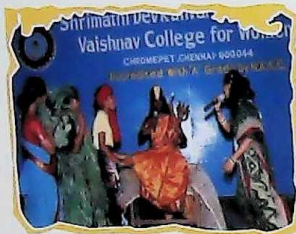
Union Diary



Cosmetology



Tamass



Tamass



Classical Dance



Bridal makeup



Dental Camp



Workshop for Teachers

College Union Inauguration



Sri A.K. Tareen,
Trade and Investment Director
for India and South Asia,
Govt. of Australia
inaugurated the
College union



Chief Guest with our Chairman,
Secretary, Principal & Staff on the dais

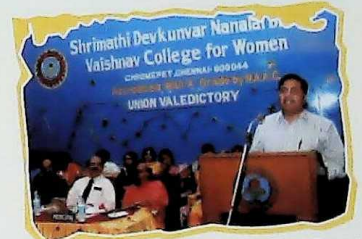


Office bearers with Chief Guest
and other dignitaries

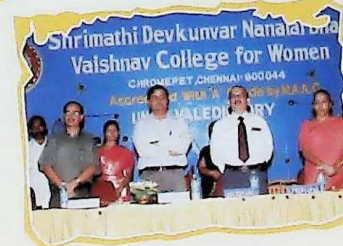
Valediction



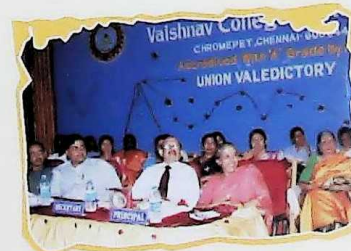
Lighting of Lamp
Mr. Kalyanasundaram
Guest of Honour



Addressing by the Chief Guest
Dr. P.T. Srinivasan
Union Valedictory



Union Valedictory



Union Valedictory



Prize Distribution

National Service Scheme (NSS)



NSS Camp in Madura



NSS visit to Compositary



Yoga



AIDS Awareness Camp

Blood Donation Camp



Our College Union Students & NSS Volunteers at Blood Donation Camp



Value Added Course



Add on Course Entrepreneurship Department of Economics



Logistics



Yoga

National Cadet Corps NCC



Cadet S. Hemalatha participated in the Republic Day Camp, 2008 at New Delhi

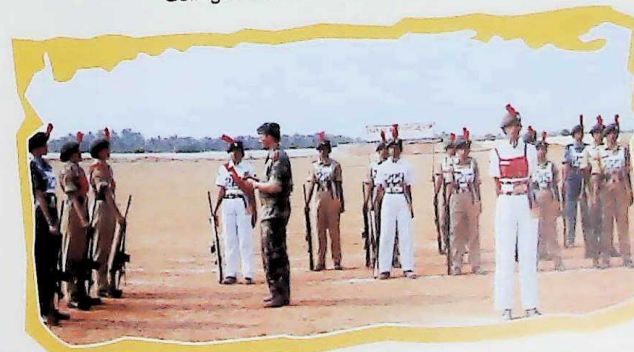
She also attended tea party with Hon'ble Vice President Mr. Hameed Ansari Hon'ble Defence Minister Mr. A. K. Antony Hon'ble Chief Minister of Delhi Mrs. Sheela Dixit, Chief Air Marshal, and Hon'ble Higher Education Minister of Tamilnadu Mr. Ponnmudi



NCC Drill Demonstration by our College NCC Students



Tamil Nadu Contingent



Cadet S. Hemalatha along with other cadets

SMRTI-07

was inaugurated by
Shri. S.P.B. Charan, Play Back Singer
and Shri. Venkat Prabhu,
Film Artiste



Chief Guest, with our Chairman, Secretary, Principal & Staff on the dais



Valedictory function was
graced by the presence of
Smt. Malathy,
renowned play back singer



Striking a colourful Pose



Bridal make-up winners
with Judge



Group Dance



Face Painting



Classical Dance winners
being Announced



Judges
grading the
Rangoli
Competition



Rangoli

Our Retiring Staff



Chairman Presenting a bouquet
to Mrs. K. Lalitha



Presenting a bouquet
to Mrs. S. Nimmy



Farewell Speech by Dr (Mrs.) S. Nimmy
Tamil Department



Farewell Speech by Dr. (Mrs.) K. Rajalakshmi
Physics Department



Dr. (Mrs.) V. Muthulakshmi,
Dept. of English



Chairman Presenting a bouquet to
Dr. (Mrs.) K. Rajalakshmi



Mrs. Lalitha Balachandran
Dept. of English

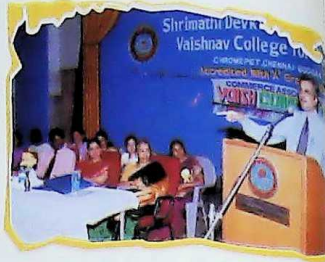


Farewell Speech by Mrs. K. Lalitha
Physics Department

Our Heartfelt Gratitude and thanks to all the retiring staff,
Who served the College with true Dedication & Sincerity

Vaishcom Fest-2008

Mr. Ramamurthy,
CEO, Cayon Management
delivered the Valedictory Address



Inter Collegiate competition
"Ad-Designing & Product Packaging"

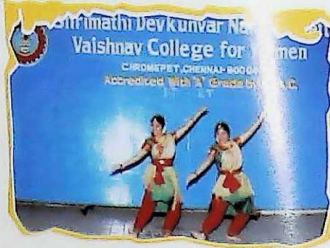


Inter Class Competition
"Best-buyer" & "Best Seller"

Women's Day



Mrs. Girija Raghavan
Editor & Publisher -
Ladies Special & Media
Personality delivered the
Presidential Address on
8th March 2008



SIFE

Our College
Participated in the
Regional and National
level competitions
at Mumbai and won the
All India Second
Position



Human Rights Day



Mrs. Sudha Ramalingam
Advocate High Court delivered the
Keynote address



Hon'ble Justice
Thiru A. S. Venkatachalamurthy
Chairperson, State Human Rights
Commission delivered the
presidential address



Dr. P. Kandaswamy Principal
C. Kandaswamy Naidu College
Chennai delivered the special address.

Compxpo Symposium



Department of Computer Science
Chief Guest
Addressing the gathering

Mr. P. Sajith
Regional Manager
NIIT and
Mr. R. Vathsangam
Director
NIIT
presented
lecturers



Department of Computer Science
Welcome Address



Department of Computer Science



Department of Computer Science

Placement Cell



Students taught Communication Skills



Students taking a test



Ford - Group Discussion



Placement Team



CTS BPO Campus Interview



Students taking an Online Test - High Tech



CTS - Evolve Campus Interview

Sports Day



V. Varadharaju I.P.S.,
Deputy Commissioner of Police
Addressing the gathering



Olympic Torch



March Past



Guest of Honour
Grand Master R. B. Ramesh
with the Chief Guest

Our Sports Stars



Athletics Team



Badminton Team



Basketball Team

Our Sports Stars



Foot Ball Team



Hockey Team



Hand Ball Team



Kabaddi Team



Kho - Kho Team



Volley Ball Team



Cricket Team

Chennai Sangaman



Students of Vaishnav witnessed a live show of Traditional Folk Art on 11th January 2008



SPARK 2008



Indiarajan, CEO Majari Consultations Ltd., & Mr. K. Ganeshan Vice President, Convensys Presided the Inauguration



EDP

Exhibition of Oil Painting, Fabric Painting, Embossed Painting and Glass Painting



Artificial Jewellery exhibited on 3rd March, 2008

Association Activities



Tamil Association

Pulavar Ramalingam delivered a Thought Provoking Speech on 'Sigarathai Nokee'



Tamil Association

Dr. S. Jayalakshmi Subramanian Retd. H.O.D of Hindi Presided and Organised a work shop



Hindi Association

Hindi Association



Hindi Quiz conducted by Dr. L. V. K. Sridharan of Vivekandha College

Dr. Ramachandran, Dept. of Sanskrit, Vivekandha College conducted a workshop



Sanskrit Association



History Association



Kalaimamani Shri V. K. Balan Chairman & MD Madurai Travels Presided over the function



History Association

Dr. Rajagopal, H.O.D of English, MCC gave a lecture on "Stress and inflexions"

Association Activities



English Association

Dr. Nirmal Selvamony Inaugurated the English Association on Eco-criticism



English Oratory



English Association



Economics Association



Economics Association Inaugurated by Mrs. Girija Suresh Lecturer, Chellammal College



Economics Association - Rangoli

Miss Economics



Economics Association



Cross word



Maths Association

Dr. Sivasubramanian Asst. Professor Easwan Engg. College delivered a lecture



Maths Association MATH ZOOM

Association Activities



Quiz



Statistics Association
Inaugurated by
Dr. R. Ramakrishnan
Deputy Director, ICMR



Statistics Association



Statistics Association



Physics Association

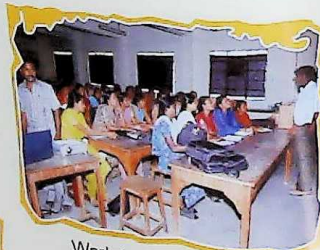


Dr. G. Kumara Sath H.O.D., Dept. of Physics, M.C.C. College
Inaugurated the VAISPHYZ



Chemistry Association

Dr. (Mrs) K. Pushkala, M.Phil., Ph.D
Reader, Department of Zoology
spoke on 'Chemistry for the benefit
of Mankind'



Workshop on Herbal Soup



Miss Madhulika - Contest

Association Activities



Dr. Nammalvar
President, Tamilnadu
Organic farmers movt.
addressed the students

Plant Biology - Plant Bio-Tech



Computer Science Association
IT DOT NET



Patch - up
Computer Science
Association IT DOT NET



Computer Science Association
IT DOT NET

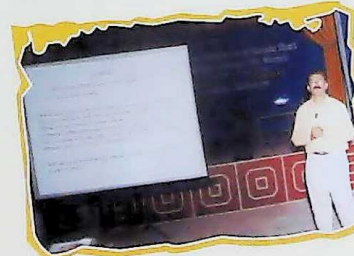


Computer Science Association
IT DOT NET



Mr. R. Vathsangam, Director
NIIT presented a lecture on IT
Job Opportunities

Computer Science Association
IT DOT NET



Dr. P. Manoj
Psychiatrist
spoke on Sleep & Memory

Environmental Biology



Dr. A. Mahalingam
gave a lecture on
Evolution

Zoology Association

Association Activities



Mrs. Shyamala Jayaraman
Vice President
Ramco Systems
delivered
Presidential
Speech



Commerce Association

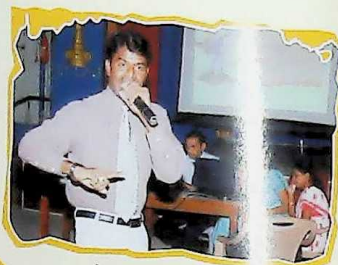
Mr. N. Raj Kamal Business Head,
Layam Management Sol. Pvt. Ltd
delivered the Keynote address



E-Publishing

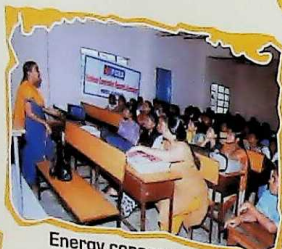


Layam Course



Layam Course

Ms. Shaseena, Asst.
Manager, Petrotown
conservation research
spoke on the need for conserving
energy resources



Energy conservation Day



Rangoli



Rangoli



Radian

STUDENT UNION OFFICE BEARERS 2007 - 2008

President : Dr. (Mrs.) T. Sumitra, Principal.
Vice Presidents : Dr. (Mrs.) R. Malathi, Dept, of Statistics &
Mrs. R. Savithri, Dept. of Commerce

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		A. Radhika III B.com
		Swetha Srihari, III B.Sc, C.Sc(Eve)
		Kannammal, III B.Sc
		C.Sc (Eve)
		Prashanthi Vidhya
		Venkateshwar, III B.Com (E)
		B. Nagalakshmi, III B.Com (E)
		Aparna III B.Com (E)

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Evening College Co-ordinators : Ms. A.C. Ranganayaki, Dept. of Commerce & Ms.B.M. Gayathri, Dept. of Comp. Science

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President : T.V. Heema, III B.Com (Eve)
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M.Com	Mrs.Vimala	Ramya II M.Com
M.S.W.	Mrs.Heera	Gayathri II M.S.W.

STUDENTS UNION DIARY

S. No	Date	Event	Chief Guest/Conducted By
1.	29/6/07	Felicitation to SIFE-prize winners	Union
2.	29/6/07	Farewell to Dr.(Mrs).V.Muthulakshmi, H.O.Dept of English	Union
3.	3/7/07	Freshers Party	Union
4.	9/7/07	Union Inauguration	Sri.A.K.Tareen, Trade & Investment Director for India & South Asia, Govt. of.Australia.
5.	22/7/07	World Environment Day	Sri.D.K.Hari, of Bharat Gyan & Sri. Amirtalingam, Researcher in Ecology.
6.	15/8/07	Independence Day	Principal
7.	3/9/07	Sri.Krishna Jayanthi	Dr.Lakshmi Narayanan, H.O.D of Tamil, D.G.Vaishnav College,Chennai.
8.	27/9/07	World Tourism Day	Union & History Department.
9.		Ayudha Pooja	Union
10.		Fund raised for medical treatment of K.Hemalatha, III. B.Sc.Comp Science.	Union
11.	13/12/07	Inauguration of Skill based certificate courses	Inaugral address by Mrs.C.K.Gariyali, I.A.S.& Key note address by Dr. Murugesan, Controller of Examinations, University of Madras.
12.	14/12/07	Founders Day celebration	Dr. (Mrs).K.Rajalakshmi, H.O.D of Physics
13.	14/12/07	Buiding Pooja for new building	Ms. Mathioli Saraswathi, Founder President, Nandalal Trust.
14.	11/1/08	Chennai Sangamam	Union
15.	26/1/08	Republic Day	Ms. Shabeena, Asst.Manager, Chennai Petroleum Conservation Research Association.
16.	30/1/08	Oil Conservation Day	Union & Tamil Department.
17.	30/1/08	Sarvodaya Day. Examination on the autobiography of Mahatma Gandhi, Sathya Sodhanai.	

S. No	Date	Event	Chief Guest/Conducted By
18.	14/02/08	Human Rights Awareness Day	Inaugral address by Hon' Justice Thiru. A.S. Venkatachalamurthi, Chairperson, State Human Rights Commission & Special Address by Dr.P. Kandasamy, Principal, C.Kandasamy Naidu College, Chennai. & Key Note Address by Mrs.Sudha Ramalingam, Advocate, Chennai.
19.		Fund raised for Help Age India	Union
20	05/03/08	Blood Donation Camp	In collaboration with Lions Club of Keelkattalai & Hindu Mission Hospital- conducted by Union & N.S.S.
21.	06/03/08	Students Union Elections for the year 2008-09	Union
22	17/03/08	Union Valedictory	Valedictory Address by Dr.P.T.Srinivasan, Campus Director & H.O.Dept of Business Administration, University of Madras. & Key Note Address by Mr.Kalyanasundaram, General Manager, Supply Chain, Reliance Retail Ltd., Chennai.
23.	28/03/08	Farewell to Dr.(Mrs) S.Nimmi, Mrs.Lalitha Balachandran, Dr.(Mrs). K.Rajalakshmi, Mrs. K.Lalitha & Dr. Mrs. V. Muthulakshmi	Union

40th ANNUAL SPORTS REPORT FOR THE YEAR 2007 - 2008

Distinguished Chief Guest of the 40th Annual Sports meet Mr. V. Varadharaju IPS, Deputy Commissioner of Police, St. Thomas Mount, Guest of Honor Grand Master Mr. R.B. Ramesh, Deputy Manager IOC, venerable Chairman, respected secretary, members of the Managing Committee, Dear Principal, beloved colleagues and my dear Students.

I am very happy to present this report of the major Sports and Games activities of this year on the 40th Annual Sports Meet.

Our College has a rich tradition of winning heaps of prizes in sports and games activities, thanks to the active support of the Management and the Principal, who has been extending encouragement and assistance to the students with skills in sports and Games. I am very happy to state that this year also we could' come up with a very impressive performance.

In Football, our records are very impressive. Our team secured the First place in the Bhatt Tournament held at our College. They secured the second place in the YMCA Buck Memorial tournament. It was a matter of pride when our football team won the First place at the Intercollegiate level, and they secured First place in the Madras University too. R. Rekha of III Economics, K. Srilakshmi of III B.C.A., S. Rajeswari of III B.Sc., Maths, B. Sindhuja of II Economics, A. Silambarasi of II Economics, and S. Kavitha of I B.Com., were selected to represent the Madras University team for All India Inter University match held at Gwalior.

In Kho-Kho our team secured the First place in the Bhatt Memorial tournament held at our college. In the Intercollegiate Kho-Kho match held at Queen Mary's College, our team won the First place. Our college secured First place in the Madras University competition held at University union. S. Suganthi, A. Saranya, R. Latha, G. Bhuvanawari II B.Com., and V. Jayanthi. I B.Com., were selected to represent the All India Inter University match held at Palayamkottai.

The Ball badminton team of our college won us laurels this year too. In the Bhatt Memorial tournament, our college secured Runners-up position and in the inter-Collegiate Ball Badminton Tournament held at JBAS College, our college team won the second place. P. Chitra, A. Srivalli from II B.Com., A.S. Durga Devi I Economics were selected to represent the Madras University in the Inter University Ball Badminton tournament held at Hyderabad and the team won Fourth place. Reiterating our achievements, V. Sangeetha II Economics and Ezhilarasi I B.Com., were selected for the Tamil Nadu state in the 53rd Senior National Women's Ball Badminton Championship held at Nellore from 08.01.08 to 11.01.08. They won the Third place.

In Hockey our team won the second place in the Inter-Collegiate tournament held in our College, R. Rekha III Eco, V. Jaya II History, M. Sharmila II Eco, R. Oevi I Compo Sci, G. Sandhiya, S. Kausalya I B.Com., Y. Sharmila I Eco were selected to represent the Madras University A zone team, and they won Third place. In All India Inter University Hockey match R. Rekha III Eco., S. Kousalya I B.Com., and Y. Sharmila I Eco were selected to represent Madras University.

In National Women's Hockey tournament V. Jaya II history, S. Kausalya and G. Sandhiya I B.Com and Y.Sharmila, I Eco have been selected to represent the Tamil Nadu and have brought honor and pride to our college.

In the Inter-collegiate cricket match our team secured Third position and it is noteworthy that Vijayavani I MS IT, S. Aruna II Maths, J. Swathika II BISM, O. Shobana, and S.Swathi ka II BISM, O. Shobana, and S. Swathi from our College were selected to represent the Madras University A Zone for the Inter Zone match.

In the Intercollegiate chess Tournament held at Kumara Rani Meena Muthiah College, our College secured the Runners - up position. S. Pavithra III Comp, Sci, G. Apurva II B.Com were selected to represent A zone. G. Apurva II B.Com represented Tamilnadu for the National Junior girls (u- 19) championship held at Nagpur and placed 13th on the merit list. In the Inter zone Kabaddi match our college Girls T. Abrami I Eng. Lit., R. Rasathi I Eco represented the team.

In the Intercollegiate Athletics meet held at Madras University Union, N. Sangeetha I Comp.Sc., (Eve) secured the First place in Shot put and Discus, S. Suganthi III B.Com secured the First place in Hammer throw, Third in Discuss. R. Latha II B.Com (Day) Second place in long jump R. Rajeswari II Statistics First place in 200 mts and T. Abirami I Eng Lit secured First place in High jump and Heptathlon. We secured the first place in 4x100 mts and 4X400 mts. Relay. In A zone Athletic meet we won the over all championship.

It is noteworthy that three girls from our college were selected to represent the Madras University 'A' Zone. In the same meet, N. Sangeetha, I Comp.Sci, has secured I place in shot-put, and Second in Discuss throw, T. Abirami I Eng Lit has secured Third place in High jump and Heptathlon, R.S. Rajajeshwari I Eng Lit has secured Third place in Hammer throw.

In the A. L. Meet our college won the over all third place. N. Sangeetha I Comp.Sci secured I place in Shot-put and II in Discuss throw, T. Abirami I Eng Lit Third place in High jump and G. Rajajeshwari I Eng lit third place in Hammer throw. In Junior National Athletic meet held at Vijayavada N. Sangeetha I Compo Sci Secured Sixth place in shot put.

To give you the statistics at glance, we have 19 University blues, 16 National players and 33 State players totalling to an impressive 68 in all. This is a commendable effort of our players. To crowning glory is the information that we stand in the third position in the University of Madras. The next year shall be more promising, urging us to occupy the first position in future.

In the year 2007-08, our cadets attended various camps conducted by the NCC Directorate (T.N. Pondicherry Andaman & Nicobar). We take pride in placing on record the participation of our NCC Cadets in camps like combined Annual Training camp from 10 July to 21 July 2007. Our cadets won the cross country Banner. Flight cadets Nithya, G.M. Nirmala Devi. R won the silver medal and S. Hemalatha won the Bronze medal and they won 1 st place in Line Area Competition. In VSC-IGC camp 2007 which was held at

TRIVENI ACDAMEV: our cadets, Nithya. G.M and Nirmala Devi. R were selected for the contingent drill. S. Hemalatha of II B.Sc., Maths attended the RDC inter group competition camp. After attending various camps and under going tough selection process at different stages, she is selected for RDC PARADE, which was held on 26th JANUARY 2008. Trekking Camp was held at Ooty from 3rd May 2007 to 16th May 2007. 9 NCC cadets from our college attended the camp.

In conclusion, I would like to record my sincere gratitude to the respected Chairman and our beloved Secretary for their continuous support. I also wish to place on record my thanks to management committee members and our principal for their trust and encouragement, and without them these achievements would not have been possible. My thanks are due to the members of the sports committee who guided and rendered assistance all the time and my colleagues for their moral backing, displaying their wholehearted support to sports and games, the members of teaching staff and the old students who have instituted cash awards for 'outstanding sports persons. I sincerely thank them all.

I thank the officials and coaches who volunteered to do timely and devoted service in coaching the various teams with sportsman zeal. I thank the judges for being present early today to judge the march past skills of our students.

Let me finish this brief report extending my sincere thanks to all the guests present here at this function. Finally let me wind up congratulating all the prize winners at this 40th sports meet. We look forward to more guidance and directions from the management in future also. With dedicated efforts from every corner we could spell success in all endeavours. "As long as we have hope, we have direction, the energy to move & the map to move by, we have a hundred alternatives, a thousand paths and infinity of dreams".

With hope and confidence we hope to set many more impressive records In the years to come.

Thank you,

CONVOCATION ADDRESS

The members of the Management and Principal of the Shrimathi Devkunvar Nanalal Bhatt Vaishnav College for Women, Tmt. Nalini Ravindran, Director of Collegiate education, Government of Tamil Nadu,

Dear Young Graduates,

Dedicated Faculty', bright students and committed staff of the college, Proud parents and well wishers, Ladies and gentlemen, a very good afternoon to you all.

It is my pleasant duty to preside over the Annual convocation of the Vaishnav College which is going by the report of your dynamic principal has had an action packed and successful year.

I take this opportunity to congratulate the Principal, Management and faculty for tapping the hidden potential, widening the knowledge base and honing the leadership skills of the fortunate young women of Chennai who entered these portals three years ago with hope in their hearts and who are successfully striding out today' armed with a valuable degree.

We in India are going through an ambiguous phase of development. While on one hand women are coming into their own and moving into all traditional male dominated fields including that of mechanics in the railways, we are facing on the other hand the alarming truth that the ration of girls to boys continues to drop steadily. What can institutions of higher education for women do is the question that torments us everyday? Institutions such as Vasihnav with its foresight and its vision have successfully channelled all their programmes, be they academic, curricular or co-curricular with the aim of equipping the young women who study here with the skills and knowledge to empower themselves and thus face every challenge that life has to offer. And the results are there for us to see here in the sea of bright young faces gathered here today.

As I see the rows of young ladies, having successfully earned the right to call themselves graduates, eager to cross the safe threshold offered by the college and go out into the world to embrace the opportunities and challenges that will surely

come your way I have this to say: Life does and surely will offer many challenges. You win some! You lose some! Isn't it rare to get a hundred percent every time? Of course, you must enjoy winning. But, do not believe that winning is really everything. It is more important to stand for something. If you do not stand for something what do you win? And if you do happen to encounter failure along the way, treat it as an equally natural phenomenon. As Wendell Philipps said: *What is defeat? Nothing but education; nothing but the first step towards something better!* The important thing is that when you lose, you do not lose the lesson!

According to one of our most famous sons Narayanamurthy, the three most important qualities that any young Indian should imbibe are: **Dignity of labour Professionalism and Intellectual independence.** Do not ever Compromise on anyone of these qualities and you can be sure that they will lead you to a full and satisfying life.

As you set out on this long and winding road that leads to the adventure that is life there is something that I would like you to remember. Recent events around the globe have proved how small the great wide world really is. They cannot be ignored in this age of globalisation. It therefore behaves each and everyone of us to make a conscious effort to rekindle the spirit of cooperation, understanding and caring that h;s dormallt within us. We need to do so to bring to the fore all that is noble and good in human nature - to bring harmony and peace in the world. Institutions such as Vaishnav College with its value centred education do just that. You have an important and unique role to play in the transformation of society and you are doing a wonderful job. As the famous Jonas Salk said "The greatest reward for doing is the opportunity to do more."

The youth is normally associated with the following attributes:

Boundless enthusiasm; Endearing exuberance; Aggressive assertiveness; Ardent aspiration; Soaring inauguration; Committed concern for fellow beings; Daring to question the received wisdom and the courage to strike out in a new as' yet unexplored direction. You have this all. Use this for all the advancement of your self and the nation in all positive direction

I leave you now with this thought by a great American writer, philosopher who believed in the universality of creation and the primacy of personal thought and experience- Henry David Thoreau. He said, "If you have built castles in the air, your work need not be lost. That is where they should be! Now put the foundations under them..."

So take in, absorb, imbibe all the essential qualities that will create the strong foundations of your character and your spirit and allow you to stand tall among your peers, for it is in your young and competent hands that we entrust the destiny of our country.

Wish, you all the very best and god bless you all

Thank you!

Prof. S. Ramachandran,
Vice Chancellor, University of Madras

CONVOCATION REPORT

Distinguished Chief Guest, Dr. Ramachandran, Vice-Chancellor, University of Madras, Honorable Guest of Honor, Mrs. Nalini Ravindran, Director of Collegiate Education, Government of Tamilnadu, Revered Chairman, Honorable Secretary, respected members of the Managing Committee, Other dignitaries on stage, Special invitees off stage, representatives of press and media, learned faculty, beloved alumni and dear parents, I extend a very cordial and Hearty welcome to our Convocation.

Dear graduates, each one of you is educated in disciplines desperately needed today for the foreseeable future. You have been tutored in the most needed areas demanded by our local and Global society. If our vision document is realized it is due to the benevolent act and dedicated service of our Management members in seeding this institution.

Quoting honorable Abdul Kalam

*"Learning gives creativity
Creativity leads to thinking
thinking provides knowledge
Knowledge makes you great"*

SDNB belongs to this new generation institutes, in higher education, involved in the task of knowledge acquisition, knowledge imparting, knowledge creation and knowledge sharing. We have here created the right ambience both for employment and capacity building.

This college is also innovating new job oriented self-financing certificate courses in frontier areas of Logistics, Retail Management, Communication, Soft skills, Cosmetology, E-publishing and Apparel designing. Field visits are mandatory as a preparation for industry needs. The projects are well conceived, viable and practicable, in house training and on the job training is provided to ensure employability. The placement cell plays a vital role in motivating, guiding and facilitating the career placement of students. The students are trained in various skills, inter personal relationships, personality and aptitude test training. Our efforts have been authenticated with placement of 350 students through, in Campus and off campus recruitment in prestigious organizations like Cognizant, Ajuba, Accenture, TCS, HCL, Ford. ABN Amro, Scientific E publishing and a few others.

NSS with 200 student volunteers, NCC with 24 cadets and Rotaract with 150 students are the Extension services provided by the College enabling students to shape their personality through service and discipline.

AT this graduation ceremony we honour graduates whose academic accomplishments have been one of the key determinants of our College's top ranking status. With great sense of pride and appreciation I place on record the list of our rank holders.

LIST:

I close once again with Honorable Abdul Kalam's Words for our students to ruminate upon

*"Courage to think different
Courage to travel into an un explored path
Courage to discover the impossible
Courage to combat the problem and succeed"*

We are proud that you are all embarking on new careers. To day is a celebration of your achievement and also of your persistence and dedication. We are confident that you will be leaving the portals prepared to contribute in a significant way to society as leaders in education and the human service fields.

I wish, for all of you, a life characterized with continued success and happiness.

"God Bless You All".

Thank You.

- Principal

UNIVERSITY I RANK HOLDERS APRIL - 2007

PART - 1 TAMIL

Register No	Name of the Candidate	Rank
A403562	Mala M.N	1

B.Com., C.S.

CS41737	Kavitha. s	1
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SANSKRIT

B.Com.,

C406060	Rajeswari	1
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B.Com., C.S

CS41778	Ayyangar Gayathri Jaganathan	1
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B.B.A

NG41199	Santhosha Sakthi. R	1
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PART - II ENGLISH

B.C.A

PK41139	Iswarya. K	1
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PART - III MAJOR

Branch - I - History

A403633	Saritha. R	1
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Branch - I Mathematics

S407915	Kala. V	1
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Branch - II- Statistics

S408079	Vidya. S	1
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Branch - V- A - Plant Biology & Plant Biotechnology

A407819	Maryshalini. M	1
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M.Com.,

K530426	Lakshmi. S	1
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UNIVERSITY I RANK HOLDERS (WITHIN 10 RANKS)

PART - 1 TAMIL

Register No	Name of the Candidate	Rank
A403477	Kalyani. P	3
A403445	Madhavi. S	6
A403517	Sasikala. K	10

B.Sc.,

S407873	S. Ranjani	3
S407857	Devishree. K	4

B.C.A.

PK41160	Sowmya. C	4
PK41159	Shalini. A	5
PK41139	Iswarya. K	8

B.Sc., ISM

PN40251	Janasirani. R	2
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HINDI

B.C.A

PK41171	Nandini. R	7
PK41170	Krithika. G	9

SANSKRIT

B.C.A

A403592	Pavithra Ragavan	2
A403591	Gayathri. V	4
A403593	Rekha. R	9

B.Sc.,

S408079	Vidya. S	7
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B.Com.,

C406058	Lavanya	2
C406065	Srilatha. P	3
C406190	Charanya. H	4
C406061	Ramya. M	9

B.Com., C.S.

CS41781	Supraja. C.V	9
CS41776	Akila. N	10

B.C.A

PK41174	Mitravinda.V	5
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BISM

PN40279	Sri Devi Jaganathan	5
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Part - II ENGLISH

B.A.,

A403592	Pavithra Raghavan	2
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SIFE

B.B.A

Register No	Name of the Candidate	Rank
NG41169	Mahalakshmi. V	6

BISM

PN40271	Kavitha K.V.	2
PN40273	Pinky. G	9

PART - III MAJOR

Branch - IV - Economics

A403592	Madhu. S	3
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BRANCH - I - MATHEMATICS

S407891	Anju. T.K.	4
S407906	Kanaga Sankaragomathy. M	9

BRANCH - II - STATISTICS

S408051	Iochana. V	2
S408068	Suganya. C	3
S408078	Tharangini. V	4
S408058	Pavithra. V	5
S408075	Vasanthi. G	6
S408043	Chithra. R	7
S408076	Vijayalakshmi. R	9
S408074	Vasanthi. D	10

BRANCH - III - PHYSICS

S407982	Aiswarya T.S.C	3
S407961	Lakshmi. M	5
S407951	Aswini. V	9

BRANCH - IV - CHEMISTRY

S407873	Ranjani. V	3
S407880	Shreelatha. P	7

BRANCH - V - A - PLANT BIOLOGY & PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY

S407808	Archana. M	3
S407825	S. Revathi	4
S407813	Janaki. G	8
S407817	Madhuvathi. K	9

BRANCH - XII - COMPUTER SCIENCE

S408024	Superna. P	9
S407993	Brinda. C	10

B.COM.,

C406190	Charanya. H	2
C406060	rajeswari	7

M.A - SOCIAL WORK

K520135	Shylaja. P.R	10
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Our college, has a SIFE cell successfully working with our Principal as the Facility advisor and Mrs. Kalaivani, Lecturer Department of Commerce (Evening) as the faculty coordinator. The college is participating in the SIFE competitions for past 4 Years. The representative members of the cell are:

- V. Gayathri, 2nd B.Sc., Com. Science
- N. Jayashree, 2nd B.Com
- S. Parkavi, 2nd B.Sc., Physics
- R. Sambumanipriya, 2nd B.Sc., Com. Sc.
- M.S. Sukanya, 2nd B.Com

This year our college has done a project to provide a sustainable regular income to the rural Women of various villages Though the area in every village has developed from a village to a semi-town, the living standard of the people remains without much change. The families suffer with the meagre income of the family-head. The Women who wish to work, in order to earn additional income for their family are unskilled and do not get proper training opportunities or jobs in the nearby areas.

We identified a suitable programme to provide training and employment to the women of many villages, We selected the hammock industry and approached *Inca Hammocks Pvt. Ltd.*, a pioneer in the production and export of hammocks in India.

The company immediately accepted our idea of training the women to produce rope hammocks, as it was already in a need to expand its production.

INCA HAMMOCK MANUFACTURING & EXPORT PVT. LTD. was established in the year 1990 as a 100% Export oriented unit to deal in hammocks and Swings made out of Cotton, Polyester, Olefin fabrics and many other specialty outdoor durable fabrics. It is the only ISO-9000 certified rope hammock manufacturers in the World.

Its main markets include North America, South America, western Europe, Eastern Europe, Eastern Asia, Southeast Asia, Mid East, Africa and Oceania.

Its total annual sales volume is US\$10 Million - US\$50 Million. The company could produce 2,000 hammocks a day and is still not able to meet the demand.

Nearly 25-30 Women from the Village we approached, actively turned up for this venture and learned the production of rope hammock women are enthusiastically performing at hi rates of productivity. They are earning nearly Rs. 2250 per month during the training period and increments according to their month production. This project has not only improved the lives of the Women but has also contributed to increase in export of hammocks for India.

FINE ARTS ASSOCIATION 07-08

Cultural involvement builds confidence and gives freedom of expression. The pressure of the modern day has robbed the fine arts of its intrinsic appeal. However, our Fine Arts Association, not forgetting our traditional values, organized various competitions at the collegiate and inter-collegiate level. the

Association conducted many inter class events like classical music (solo), classical dance (solo), Group Dance, Mehandi, Bridal Makeup, Painting, Face Painting, Pot Painting and Rangoli, Our students have actively participated in all inter class and intercollegiate competitions and have come out in flying colours in many competitions. Congratulations to all the prize winners.

Inter - Collegiate Achievements

Prize	College	Competition	Winners
I	Kanniyaka Parameshwari	Rangoli	J. A. Tulasi Latha, II B.Com., (Day)
I	Kanniyaka Parameshwari	Bridal make-Up	S. Vaidhehi, II B.Com., (Day)
I	Annai Velankanni	Bridal Make-Up	S. Vaidhehi, II B.Com., (Day) G.B. Mangala Veena, II B.Com., (Day)
III	S.S.S. Jain	Bridal Make-Up	S. Vaidhehi, II B.Com., (Day) S. Subha, II B.Com., (Day)
Runner up	Sanskriti at Music Academy	Group Dance	M.A. Ysha, III B.Com., (Day) P.T. Purnima, III B.Com., (Day) R. Suganya, III B.Com., (Day) R. Kavitha, III B.Com., (Day) G. Aarthy, III B.Com (Day) Thilagavathy, III B.Com., (Day) Shanthi Devi, II B.Com., (Day) Manasa, II Phy (Day)
III	Iskon	Group Dance	B. Poornima, I B.Com., (Day) B. Janani Priyadarshini, I B.Com., (Day) J. Dhivya, I B.Com., (Day) Mubeen Sulthana, I B.Com (Day) Meghala Snandi, I B.Com., (Day) Ramya, I B.Com., (Day) Nandhini, I B.Com., (Day) M. Divya, I B.Com., (Day) Delhi Bai, I B.Com., (Day) Janani, I B.Com., (Day)
III	Anna Adarsh	Group Song	V.R. Anjhana, I B.Sc., (CS) (Day) R. Swethalakshmi, I B.Sc (CS) (Day) S. Vidhya, I B.Sc., (CS) (Day) V. Sowmya, I B.Sc., (CS) (Day) B. Jananipriyadarshini, I B.Com., (Day) S. Vaishnavi, I B.Com., (Day) B. Poornima, I B.Com., (Day) N. Savithri, I B.Com., (Day)
II	Iskon	Group Song	V.R. Anjhana, I B.Sc., (CS) (Day) S. Vidhya, I B.Sc., (CS) (Day)

Prize	College	Competition	Winners
I	Agarsen College	Junkart	E. Jhansi Rani, III PBBT (Day) G. Kavitha, III PBBT (Day)
II	Annaivelankani College	Junkart	E. Jhansi Rani, III PBBT (Day)
II	Annaivelankani College	Face painting	M. Sujitha, III PBBT (Day)
I	Agarsen College	T-Shirt Painting	A. Jantha Umopathy, III PBBT (Day) R. Nikihila, III PBBT (Day)
I	Agarsen College	Face painting	Ajanthaumapathy, III PBBT (Day) R. Nikihila, III PBBT (Day)
I	G.S.S. Jain College	Solo Vocal	Swathi, I BiSM (Day)
I	G.S.S. Jain College	Glass painting	Subashri, III B.Com., (C.S) (Eve)
I	Kanyaka Parameshwari College	Mehandi	Vimala, II B.Com., (C.S) Kaviya, II B.Com., (C.S) (Eve)
II	M.C.C	Face Painting	Chitra, I B.Sc., VIS. Com(Eve) Karpagam, I B.Sc., VIS. Com (Eve)
II	Kanyaka Parameshwari College	Kolk Dance	Vandana, II B.Com., (C.S) (Eve) Jayasri, II B.Com., (C.S) (Eve) Harini, II B.Com., (C.S) (Eve) Pavithra, II B.Com., (C.S) (Eve) Anjali, II B.Com., (C.S) (Eve) Latcha, II B.Com., (C.S) (Eve)
II	Loyola College	Variety Entertainment	Bhuaneswari, III B.Com., (Eve) R. Jayalakshmi, III B.Com., (Eve) D. Vanaja, III B.Com., (Eve) T.E. Harini, III B.Com., (Eve) J. Sharmila Devi, III B.Com., (Eve) G. Uthra, II B.Com., (Eve)
II	Nadar Sangham	Group Dance	S. Subhashini, II B.Com., (Eve) B. Geetha, II B.Com., (Eve) Gomathi Muthu, II B.Com., (Eve) K. Krishna Veni, II B.Com., (Eve) S. Vasantha Devi, II B.Com., (Eve) Sowmiya, II B.Com., (Eve)
III	Gita Bhavan Trust	Devotional Song	L. Sowmiya, II B.Sc., (C.S) (Eve)
III	M.O.P Vaishnav	College	Akshya Aravindan, I B.Com., (Eve) Dimple, I B.Com., (Eve)
III	Dr. M.G.R Janaki	AD-ZAP	Mathangi, I B.Com., (Eve) Sowmiya, III B.Com., (Eve) Vaishnavi, III B.Com., (Eve)
Special	Hari Krishna	Pot painting	Bhuvaneshwari, III B.Com., (Eve) Harini, III B.Com., (Eve) Sharmila Devi, III B.Com., (Eve) Subashri, III B.Com., (C.S)(Eve)

Over all Shield :-
Kanyaka Parameshwari
Agarsen College
Sanskrit

INTER - CLASS COMPETITIONS PRIZE WINNERS 07-08

Classical Dance (Solo)
I Prize N. Shri Aishwarya, II B.Com.,
II Prize N. Shri Sowndarya, II B.Com.,

Carnatic Vocal
I Prize V. Jannani, III M.S.W.
II Prize M. Saradha, I Phy

Painting
I Prize S. Subhasree, III B.Com., (C.S)
II- Prize V.B.Vishnu Priya, III B.Sc.,(Comp Sci)

Rangoli
I Prize Revathy, II B.Com.,
Nandhini, II B.Com.,
Mahalakshmi, II B.Com.,
II Prize A.N. Priyadarshini, III BBA
A. Sasikala, III BBA
M. Seetharamani, III BBA
III Prize Jayanthi, III B.Se., Chemistry
Srividhya, III B.Sc., Chemistry
Aadhitiya, III B.Sc., Chemistry

Pot Painting
I Prize C. Saranya, I B.A. (Eng Lit)
II Prize Jagadeshwari, I B.A. (Eng Lit)

Mehandhi
I Prize R. Gayathri, II B.C.A
II Prize K. Siddiq Behazir, II B.Com.,
A. Priyanka, II B.Com.,

III Prize M. Chandini, I BISM
A. Sonam, I BISM
III Prize C. Nithiya Kalayani, III B.Com.,
S. Kanchana Mala, III B.Com.,

Bridal Make - Up
I Prize Jayashree & Radhika, III PBBT
II Prize Nikila & Srividhya, III PSBT

Group Dance (Day)
I Prize M. Aysha, III B.Com.,
R. Suganya, III B.Com.,
A. R. divya, III B.Com.,
G. Aarthy, III B.Com.,
P.T. Purnima, III B.Com.,
Thilagavathy, III B.Com.,
Shanthi Devi, II B.Com.,
R. Kavitha, II B.Com.,

II Prize N. Chitra, III PBBT
P.C. Indhumathi, III PBBT
R. Sangeetha, III PBBT
Manjula, II PBBT
Jenifer, II PBBT
K. Sangeetha, I PBBT
C. Kusha Nandhini, I PBBT

Group Dance (Evening)
I Prize S. Ramya, II B.Com.,
A. Satya, I B.Com.,
G. Sangeetha, I B.Com.
R. Ramya, I B.Com.,
R. Aishwarya, I B.Com.,
K. Mohanapriya, I B.Com.,
S. Sumathi, III B.Com.,
K. Krishna Veni, III B.Com.,
S. Ishwarya, II B.Com.,
A. Gomathi Muthu, II B.Com.,
B. Geetha, II B.Com.,
S. Subhashini, II B.Com.,

II Prize A. K. Hanima, I BCA
T. Kalpana, II BCA
B. Sasi Priya, II BCA
V. Saranya, II BCA
G. Archana, II BCA
A. Kosalya, III BCA
M. Pallavi, III BCA

INTER - DEPARTMENTAL COMPETITIONS FOR THE YEAR 07-08

S.No	Name of Events	Name	Class	Prize
1.	Oratory	Shobana. P	III B.Com., (Evg)	I
		Daarini. S	I B.Com., (Day)	II
2.	Essay Writing	Vishnu Priya. V	III Comp. Sci (Day)	I
		Yasodhai. D	III B.A. Eng Litt	II
		Santhosh Kumari G	I B.I.S.M	III
3.	Pot Pourri	Usha. G	III B.Com., (Evg)	I
		Sowmiya. M		I
		Gayathri		I
		Revathy C	II B.I.S.M (Evg)	II
		Meenakshi. R		II
4.	Collage	Bhargavi P		II
		Nirmala. S	III P.B. & P.B.T	I
		Sujitha. V		I
		Vanadevi. R		I
		Santhosh Kumari G	I B.I.S.M. (Evg)	II
		Poonam. S		II
		Chantini. M		II
		Karthika. M	II B.A Eng. Litt	III
Preethi N.Y		III		
5.	Poetry Reading	Jayashree. S		III
		Akila. G	I B.Com., (Day)	I
		Revathy. C	II B.I.S.M (Evg)	II
		Meenakshi. R	II B.I.S.M (Evg)	III
6.	Short Story	Yathursy. M	I B.Com., (Evg)	III
		Dimple Jain. G	I B.Com., (Evg)	I
		Malini. D	I B.Com., (Evg)	II
		Meenakshi. V	I B.Com., (Evg)	III

NSS

NSS camp was conducted at Mudichur village and they celebrated Pongal vizha along with them. They participated in Two-wheeler road safety rally and students regulate traffic regularly in G.S.T Road, Chromepet. They visit many places and render services and they also visited compost yard. Yoga training is given

to NSS volunteers. They also conduct various health camps. Red Ribbon Club takes care of creating awareness for prevention of AIDS and allied diseases.

NCC REPORT FOR THE YEAR 2007 - 2008

The 1 (TN) Air Wing, National Cadet Corps of SDNB Vaishnav College comprises 5 senior cadets and 22 cadets from 151 and 2nd Year.

Staff Incharge :

Dr. Mrs. S. Lakshmi, Reader in Physics. Mrs. K. Lalitha, Librarian'.

Student Incharge :

Cdt. Cpl. J. Yuvapriya, III BCS
Cdt. Sgt. Jhanani. S.V, III BCA
F/C G. Jayadevi, III B.Com.,

In the year 2007 - 2008, our cadets attended various camps conducted by the NCC Directorate (T.N. Pondicherry, Andaman & Nicobar). We take pride in placing a record, the participation of our NCC Cadets in camps like combined annual training camp from 10 July F/c Nithya. G.M won the Gold medal, F/c Nirmala Devi. R won the silver medal and F/c S. Hemalatha won the Bronze medal.....

Flight cadets of our college won the 1st prize in Line area Competition.

In VSC-IGC camp 2007 which was held at TRIVENI ACADEMY, our cadets, F/c Nithya. G.M., F/c Nirmala Devi. R were selected for the contingent drill

F/c S. Hemalatha of 2nd B.Sc., Maths attended the ROC inter group competition camp. After attending various camps and under going tough selection process at different stages, she is selected for *RDC PARADE WHICH IS TO BE HELD AT DELHI ON 26 JANUARY 2008*

Trekking and Rural Camp:

Trekking Camp was held at Ooty from 3rd May 2007 to 16th May 2007. 9 NCC cadets from our college attended the camp. Rural Camp was held at Thiruchendur from 15th May 2007 to 27th May 2007. 3 NCC cadets from our college attended the state level rural camp. J. Glory Jeya, D. Bhuvaneswari, and R. Revathi won Silver Medal in Tug-of War.

Combined Annual Training Camp (Catc) :

CA TC Camp held at Kanchipuram from 10th July 2007 to 21st July 2007. 13 NC Cadets from our college attended the camp. F/c. G.M. Nithya won Gold Medal, F/c. R. Nirmala Devi won Silver medal, F/c. S. Hemalatha won Bronze medal in Cross Country.

REPUBLIC DAY CAMP (ROC)

Participant: Cdt Cpl. S. Hemelatha.

She represented the NCC Directorate of Tamil Nadu, Pondicherry and Andaman Nicobar, which won the III Place at the Annual NCC republic Day Camp held at New Delhi from 30.12.2007 to 29.01.2008. She participated in the Prime Minister's Rally held at new Delhi on 28.01.2008. She was a member of contingent Drill and Cultural Team.

She attended Tea Party with Air Chief Marshall F.H. Major, Hon'ble Chief Minister, Delhi Mrs. Sheela dixit Education Minister Mr. Ponmudl, Honble Defence Minister Mr. A.K. Antony, Hon'ble Minister Mr. Pallam' Raju and the Governor of Tamil Nadu Mr. Surjith Singh Barnala.

ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES ASSOCIATION ACTIVITIES

- * Mr. S.R. Ramanan. Director Regional Meteorological Dept, Delivered the special lecture on Monsoon & its impact on Ecosystem.
- * A Colourfull poster on solid waste Recycling was designed by Botany Dept, & it was released by the Chief Guest.
- * Dr. R. Venkatesan. Scientist from Ocean science & Technology gave a special lecture on oceanography on 25.2.08.
- * There was a good interaction between the students & the Chief Guest.

ASSOCIATION REPORT 2007- 08

TAMIL ASSOCIATION

On 5th Feb 2008, Tamil Association was conducted under the gravious presence of Mr. Ramalingam he delivered a thoughtful speech on "Sigarathai Nokee" after which the audience

were found dumpstrick. He honoured the prize winners and conveyed his best wishes to the students to scale the height of success.

HINDI ASSOCIATION REPORT

"Love & courage are the spire wings waiting to noble actions"

Hindi Association "Sadbhavana" organized a one-day workshop on NEWS-writing on 8th February 2008. The resource person was Dr. S. Jayalakshmi Subramanian, Retd. H.O.D. of Hindi Department, S.D.N.B. Vaishnav College

for Women. She analysed the literary and functional aspects of News-Writing with the help of Newspaper cuttings. Students prepared their own News-report on various topics as well as on various medias. Our Chief-Guest rewarded the best News-Reporters. The workshop was very useful providing information that was helpful to the students who aspired for as career in the field of 'Journalism'.

Sadbhavana Prize Winners 2007 - 2008

S.No.	Date	Competition	Prize	Name & Class of the Winner
1.	08.02.08	News - Writing	I	G. Dimple, S. Kushboo, M. Chandani, R. Sneha, S. Poonam & D. Divya
2.	08.02.08	News - writing	II	D. Teena, M. Rubadevi, E. Kavitha & V. Anusha

Inter-Collegiate Competition Prize - Winners (2007-2008)

S.No.	Name of College / Institution	Competition	Prize	Name & Class of the Winner
1.	Geetha Bhavan Trust	State Level Essay - Writing on Spirituality	I	Maheswari, I B.Com., (Eve)
2.	M.O.P. Vaishnav College	Kavi - Samaelan	III	Sonam Gandhi, I BISM
3.	G.S.S. Jain College	Kavitha - Lekhan Kavithanjali	I	Santhosh .G, I BISM
4.	Anna Adarsh College	Essay - Writing on Budding Youths	I	Santhosh .G, I BISM Santhosh .G, I BISM
5.	Anna Adarsh College	Humourous Skit	I	Twinkle Sharma, III B.A. Eco
			II	Santhosh .G, Poonam .S & Chandani. M, I BISM Dimple .G, I B.Com (Eve) Karthika, I B.B.A.

HISTORY ASSOCIATION

"Every civilization depends upon the quality of the individuals it produces"

Bharath, the History Association meeting was held on 20.07.2007. Chief Guest for the inauguration was kalaimamani Mr. V.K.T. Balan, Chairman and Managing Director, Madura Travels. He Spoke on Indian Tourism. In his address be brought to the notice of the students the availability of jobs opportunities in Tourism Industry.

On the same day Inter - departmental competitions were held.

- 1) Multi -media Presentation on "Tourism Issues"
- 2) State Costumes
- 3) Food Carnival

The talents of the students were tapped to the fullest extent by these competitions.

ENGLISH ASSOCIATION

"To follow knowledge like a sinking star Beyond the utmost bound of human thought"

- Tennyson

The English Association and Debate Club have launched their activities' with the enthusiastic participation of the students.

The English Association and Debate Club was inaugurated by Dr.Nirmal Selvamony, a distinguished Professor, Department of English, Madras Christian College, Tambaram, Chennai on 9.8.2007. He spoke on Eco-Criticism, a topic on Contemporary Literature.

The activities of the English Association for this academic year il)cluded a number of inter-departmental competitions with an overwhelming response from our students. Competitions like Oratory, Essay Writing, Collage, Pot Pourri, Short Story Writing and Poetry Reading were conducted to bring out the latent potentials of our students.

The English Association and Debate Club conducted various competitions like Dumb Charades, Ship Wreck and Oratory to select eligible students for SMRTI, a cultural fiesta hosted by our college.

The English Debate Club started with the year's activities on a winning note. In the *Gratorical* Competition "TALK YOUR WAY TO JAPAN", conducted by ABK-AOTS SOSOKAI, Padma Priya.R, II B.Sc., Comp Sci (Evg), S.D.N.B. Vaishnav College for Women, Chromept, Chennai won the First prize. She represented our State as a 'Cultural Ambassador to Japan, bringing laurels to our Institution.

At the inter - collegiate level, our students have participated in a number of competitions adding glory to our College. In the "Visual Presentation of a Poem", conducted by Sri Kanyaka Parameshwari College for Women, our students of Eng Litt headed by Keerthy S bagged the I prize. In the Debate competition held in Ethiraj College our Students Priyadarshini. S, II B.C.A and Padma Priya. R, II Comp Sci won the I Prize. Ashwini M.S. And Shrinidhai.G of II B.Sc., Comp Sci received the I prize in the 'Power Point Presentation' conducted by Ioyola College. Lavanya .S of I B.Com., got the I Prize in the oratorical Competition conducted by the University of Madras.

Mr. Rathnaswamy M.A B.T., a retired Headmaster of a reputed school at Coimbatore performed Monoacting from the plays of Shakespeare on 5th December 2007. This year the U.G.C. sponsored Lectures added colours to the Literary Activities. Dr. R. Rajagopalan, Who is a Vibrant Speaker,H.O.D., Madras Christian College gave an interesting lecture on Language and Linguistics. Prof. Watson Solomon's lectures'on Journalism, Basics of Editing, News Reporting, Format of a Newspaper proved highly informative. Dr. Swarnalatha's speech on Eco-Criticism with reference to D.H. Lawrence's poetry kept the students spellbound.

The English Association and Debate Club invited Dr. Sridevi CTTE college, Perambur, Chennai. She motivated the students on Indian Writing in English with special reference to Nissim Ezekiel's poems. There was good response from the students of Literature.

*"Not enjoyment, and not sorrow,
Is our destined end or way;
But to act, that each tomorrow
Brings us farther than today"*

We hope to conduct more interesting competitions in future and look forward to an active participation from our students in the upcoming academic years.

ECONOMICS ASSOCIATION

Profitability is the sovereign criterion of the Enterprise.

Under the Auspices of the Economics Association "Crux Eco Fun" 2007-2008, various interclass Competitions were conducted on 22nd and 23rd January 2008. The winners of the various competitions are listed below.

ECONOMICS ASSOCIATION ACTIVITIES 2nd January - 2008

1. Dumcharades

1st Prize - I Economics

1. Aisha Siddika
2. M. Lakshmi

II Prize - II Chemistry

1. Jayanthi. E
2. Adithya. V

III Prize - III Chemistry

1. Preety. T
2. Srividhya. N

2. Debate

Topic - "Is the progress of IT Sector is a solution for the problem of unemployment in India".

1st Prize - III Plant Biology

1. V. Rajarajawari
2. M.S. Vishnu 'Priya

II Prize - I B. Com.,

1. Lavanya
2. Janani

3. Rangoli Competition

Topic - "Global Warming"

1st Prize - II Computer Science

1. M.S. Ashwini
2. R. Sangeetha

II Prize - II Plant Biology

1. M. Praveena
2. S. Srividhya

III Prize - III Economics

1. M. Mangaiskarasi
2. Revathy. I

4. Tamil Kavithai

1st Prize.. I Economics

1. E. Devi

II Prize - I Economics

1. Vidhya. A

III Prize - I Economics

1. S. Kanaga
- 2.

5. Miss Economics Contest

1st Prize - III rd Economics
1. R. Jayashree

II Prize - 1st Economics

1. S. Saiyathali Fathima

III Prize - 1st Economics

1. Sinasn Banu. A

6. Collage Competition

Topic - "Tsunami relief"

1st Prize - III Plant Biology

1. S. Nirmal
2. M. Sujitha

II Prize - III Plant Biology

1. G. Kavitha
2. E. Jhansi Rani

III Prize III Plant Biology

1. R. Nikila
2. Janthaumapathy. A

On 29th January 2008, Mrs. Girija Suresh, M.A. M.Phil, Lecture Selection Grade in Economics, Chellammal College, Chennai has addressed the students on the topic, "The impact of Globalisation in India."

She started her inspiring speech by saying that, globalisation is the integration of international markets for goods and services, technology, Finance and to some extent labours. It is the integration of the country with the world economy.

She focused on the positive and negative impact of globalisation. Under positive impact, she concentrated on free trade, advanced communication, international financial markets and importance to MNC. Under negative impact, She mentioned about pollution and infection disease.

She concluded that, globalisation has its brighter as well as darker sides. But a country like India, should be extra ordinarily careful in proceeding deep into this as we have awkward dualism and also backwardness.

MATHEMATICS ASSOCIATION

Nine-tenths of education is encouragement

Mathematics association, MATH ZOOM was inaugurated on 29.02.2008. Dr.S.Siva Subramaniam, Assistant professor, Easwari Engineering College delivered a lecture on "Application of Mathematics in day to day life". Inter class quiz competition and intercollegiate competitions like, Quiz, Cross word were also conducted.

STATISTICS ASSOCIATION

"It's not the voting that is democracy its the counting"

Statquest, 2008, was held on 8.2.2008. Dr. R. Ramakrishnan, Deputy Director, National Institute of Epidemiological Research (ICMR) presided and he spoke on the importance of application of Bio-statistics in the field of epidemiology and clinical trials. He stressed that Bio-statistics has tremendous scope in pharmaceutical industry. Various intercollegiate activities like, Quiz, Dumb Charades, Cross word were also conducted.

PHYSICS ASSOCIATION

"The art of our necessities is strange, and can make vile things precious"

The VAIS PHYZ 2007 was inaugurated by Dr. G. Kumarasathyan, H.O.D, Physics Department, Madras Christian College on 22.01.08. He rendered a very interesting speech in Scopes and Opportunities in the field of Physics and also highlighted on the importance of microprocessors.

The interdepartmental competitions were conducted on 14.08.2007 and we had enthusiastic participation from various arts and science groups of our college. Debate, Make out of Waste, Pot pouri were the various competitions organised for the students.

Vais-Phyz 2008, Intercollegiate competitions 29.01.08 was a grand success with a good number of participation from various colleges around the city. Students from around ten colleges participated in competitions like Mind Blasters, Lab Masters and Mudo and won

prizes. Mrs. Preethilatha. G, Physics Department, SDNBVC being the Quiz Master. On the whole Vais - Phyz 2007-08 turned out to be grand success.

CHEMISTRY ASSOCIATION

"Persons with any weight of character carry like planets, their atmospheres along with them in their orbits"

Chem Vaishnav 2007-2008 was inaugurated on 7th January 2008, by Dr. (Mrs.) K. Pushkala M.Phil., Ph.D., Reader, Dept. of Zoology, and she spoke on "Chemistry for the benefit of mankind". Inter class and Inter departmental competitions like chem lyrics, chem talk, Adzap, Quiz and Dumb charades were conducted. Dr. C. Muralidharan, Deputy Director of CLRI, Adyar, delivered the valedictory address and distributed the prizes.

PLANT BIOLOGY & PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY ASSOCIATION

"One touch of nature makes the whole world kin"

MADHULIKA 2007 - 2008

* Madulika - Association of Plant Biology & Plant Biotechnology organized a 3 days exhibition on Nutritive Food & Health Care on 1st, 2nd, 3rd August 2007 which was inaugurated by the Principal of S.D.N.B. Vaishnav College

* Three Inter departmental & Nine Inter Collegiate competitions were conducted.

* Six special lectures were organized on topics like Balance diet, Herbal soup, Organic farming & Evergreen revolution, Medicinal plants, Tissue culture & Home Exnora.

**Prize Winners List at the Inter Collegiate Competitions
Plant Biology & Plant Biotechnology 07-08**

S.No.	Name	Class	Event	College	Prize
1.	V. Geetha, S. Srividya, N. Ambika, M. Praveena, Ajanthaumapathy, E. Jansirani & S. Nirmala	III Year	Blo-Zap	Loyola	I
2.	R. Nikhila & Ajanthaumapathy	III Year	Vegcarving	Loyola	I
3.	S. Nirmala & E. Jhansirani	III Year	Floral Arrangement	Loyola	Consaltion Prize
4.	Ajanthaumapathy	III Year	Sketching	Loyola	II
5.	R. Nikhila & V. Rajarajeshvari	III Year	Biocartooning	Loyola	II
6.	Ajanthaumapathy	III Year	Debate	New	I
7.	V. Rajarajeshvari	III Year	Biocartooning	New	I
8.	V. Geetha & S. Srividya	III Year	Jam (Just a Minute)	Asan Memorial	II
9.	M. Praveena, T. Chitra & E. Jansirani	III Year	Biozap	Stella Maris	II
10.	V. Geetha & R. Pramila	III Year	Biolyrics	Stella Maris	I
11.	V. Mageshwari Srutividyaashankar&G. Kavitha	III Year	Floral Carpet	Stella Maris	III
12.	E. Jansirani & V. Mageshwari	III Year	Quiz	Stella Maris	III
13.	G. Kavitha	III Year	Biocartooning	Stella Maris	I
14.	S. Srividya	III Year	Jam	MCC	II
15.	R. Nikhila, V. Mageshwari & Srutividyaashankar	III Year	Biocartooning	MCC	I
16.	R. Nikhila & R. Pramila	III Year	Junk Art	MCC	I
17.	E. Jansirani	III Year	Junk Art	MCC	I
18.	Ajanthaumapathy & Sujitha	III Year	Face Painting	Annai Velankanni	II
19.	M.S. Vishnupriya, V. Rajarajeshvari, V. Saraswathi, S. Thenmozhi, C. Vanitha, B. Archanadevi, N. Ambika & K. Gowthami	III Year	Villisai	Kumara Rani Meena Muthaiah College	I
20.	V. Geetha & R. Pramila	III Year	Biolyrics	SIET	I

COMPUTER SCIENCE ASSOCIATION

"The direction in which a man starts education will determine his future life"

**CompXpo
Technology meets Industry
Symposium**

The department of Computer Science organized a symposium "CompXpo" - Technology meets Industry and Academics on Teachers day Sep 5th 2007. The presidential address was delivered by Dr. C. Chandramouli, IAS, IT Secretary Govt. of Tamilnadu and the key note address was delivered by Mr.. Sriram V. Rajagopal, Director,HR, CTS. Various speakers including Mr. B. Srinivasan, Senior software consultant, TCS, Mr. G.G. Dhandapani, C/o Sundaram clayton, Mrs. Shyam Sundaram, Technical head, Inlogic Bizcom Pvt. Ltd, Dr. A Kannan, Professor, School of CSE, Anna

University, Dr.. S. Srinivasan, Project Scientist, AU. KBC Research center. MIT campus, Anna University were invited to speak on various topics like Software Project Management, IT and Business Mobile Databases, Technical Innovations in life sciences, student projects in FOSS platform. The staff and students enjoyed the symposium and needless to say entire show was informative and yet another resource in everyone's knowledge bank.

**IT DOT NET 2008
(INTERCOLLEGIATE FUNCTION)**

The department of computer science on 13/02/2008 conducted intercollegiate function IT DOT NET 2008. Around 20 colleges participated and the function was a grand success.

Under the auspices of Computer Science Department various inter department and inter collegiate competitions were conducted. The inter departmental competitions were Web designing, quiz and Play & Win. The inter collegiate competitions were NET FUNDU, PATCH UP, BRAIN SQUEEZERS that had overwhelming response from more than 25 colleges.

Interdepartmental Competition Winners List

S.No.	Winners	Competition	Course	Prize Winners I /II
1.	N. Vinodhini P. Ramya	Eassy Writing (Individual Event)	II B.Com., (Day) II B.Com., (Day)	I Prize II Prize
2.	R.P. Anusha K. Srividhya	Web Designing (2 / Team)	III Maths (Day) III Maths (Day) III Stats (Day) III Stats (Day)	I Prize I Prize II Prize II Prize
3.	M. Sowmya G. Usha T.S. Sindhuja G. Ramya B. Lalitha M. Nandhini	Quiz (3/Team)	III B.Com., (Eve) III B.Com., (Eve) III B.Com., (Eve) I Chem (Day) I Chem (Day) I Chem (Day)	I Prize I Prize I Prize II Prize II Prize II Prize
4.	V. Rajarajeswari S. Nirmala U. Ajantha Nikila	Collage (2/Team)	III PB (Day) III PB (Day) III PB (Day) III PB (Day)	I Prize I Prize II Prize II Prize
5.	S. Sowbarnika R. Geetha	Play and Win (Individual Event)	III B.Com III Maths	I Prize II Prize

Intercollegiate Competition Winners List

S.No.	Winners	Competition	Course	Prize Winners /III
1.	B. Vijay S. A. Krishnan K. Praveen	Fire Brain Quiz	Vivekananda College	I Prize
2.	R. Mathangi R. Prasanthi Akila Venkatramani	Fire Brain Quiz	M.O.P Vaisnav College	II Prize
3.	S. Sathish Kumar Kumar R. Shankar S. Vijay Ganesh	Patch Up (Debugging)	Vivekananda College	I Prize
4.	Y. Manasa K. Lakshmi Priya T. Sravanthi	Patch Up (Debugging)	Sri Kanyaka Parameswari Arts & Science College	II Prize
5.	B. Gayathri G. Aishwarya	Net Fundu	Annai Velankani College	I Prize
6.	M. Gomathy S. Kokila K.V. Sunish	Net Fundu	Queen Mary's College	II Prize
7.	Gokulnath T. Thangaraj M. Rahesh	Brain Squeezers (Puzzle)	Gurunanak College (Eve)	I Prize
8.		Brain Squeezers (Puzzle)	New Prince Venkateshwara College	II Prize

Mr. B. Sajith, Regional Manager NIIT and Mr. R. Vathsangam, Director NIIT Presented an interesting lecture on IT job opportunities. Our department students wrote "IT-Check" conducted by NIIT and were awarded with one cash prize of Rs. 2000/- and 3 cash prizes of Rs. 1000/- watches and gift vouchers.

Mr. S. Mohammad Shadiq Ali, Manager, IFX & Mr. G. Anandh, Technical head, IFX gave a lecture on current trend in animation to our students.

COMMERCE ASSOCIATION

"A National debt, if it is not excessive,
will be to Us a national blessing"

VAISH COMFEST - 2008

The Annual Bonanza of the Commerce department Vaish Comfest - 2008 Break even point, was held on 25th January 2008. Various inter class competitions like Ad-zap, Variety Entertainment, Best buyer & Best seller, Mock interview, Ad- designing and

Product packaging were held to bring out the hidden potential of the students. Inter-collegiate competitions like Ad-Zap and Product packaging were conducted, and more than 15 colleges participated with great interest and involvement. Mrs. Shyamala Jayaraman Vice-President (R&D) Ramco Systems, Chennai, delivered the Presidential address, Mr. H. Ramanathan, CEO, Layam Management Solutions Pvt Ltd delivered the valedictory address and Mr. N. Rajkumar, Business Head, Layam Management Solutions Pvt Ltd delivered the key note address.

SANSKRIT ASSOCIATION REPORT 2007 - 2008

Sanskrit Association organized a workshop on Functional and Spoken Sanskrit, which was conducted by Dr. Ramachandran, Dept. of Sanskrit, RKM Vivekananda College, Sanskrit. Even though it is easy to learn Sanskrit, the workshop made it even simpler.

Our Students also made a noteworthy participation in various inter-collegiate competitions such as Quiz, Oratory, Sloka writing and Sloka Recitation and so forth. Special mention may be made of Ms. V. Ksheerajaa of II B.Com who participated in all the inter-collegiate competitions. She has won the first prize in Oratorical Competition & Quiz on the

Ramayana conducted by Jeeyar Educational Trust, Chennai, Gita Recitation conducted by Loyola College, Chennai and II prize in Essay Writing on Kalidasa conducted by Sri Kanyaka Parameswari Arts & Science College for Women.

It is common knowledge that our students come out in flying colors winning as many prizes as possible in every single competition they participate.

We the members, thank the almighty for showering His infinite blessings on us and making it possible for us to perform so well each time. We also pray that all our future endeavors also turn out to be as successful as ever.

INTER COLLEGIATE PRIZE WINNERS

S.No.	Name of College	Competition	Prize	Name & Class of the Winner
1.	Jeeyar Educational Trust, Chennai	Oratorical Competition	I II	V. Ksheerajaa, II B.COM V. Vishnupriya, III B.Sc Computer Science
2.	Jeeyar Educational Trust, Chennai	Quiz on the Ramayana	I	V. Ksheerajaa, II B.Com B. Pavitra, II B.Sc Mathematics
3.	Loyola College, Chennai	Gita Recitation	I	V. Ksheerajaa, II B.COM
4.	Sri Kanyaka Parameswari Arts & Science College for Women	Essay Writing on Kalidasa	II	V. Ksheerajaa, II B.Com

NSS

Programme Officer 1:
Mrs. R. Mangayarkarasi,
Dept. of English (Day College)

Programme officer 2 :
Mrs. S. Brammarambigai,
Dept. of English (Eve. College)

1. Mrs. Sathiyar - Field Officer, RRC conducted a 10 hour Module Session from 26th September 2007 to 4th October 2007. It was a mixed crowd of 15 from Evening college and 15 from Day college.
2. 20 students (10+10) attended an orientation programme at University of Madras on 11.8.07 conducted by NSS.
3. 10 students (evening college) participated and received certificates after attending an Awareness Programme "On Drug Abuse and HIV Infection" held at RRC DG Vaishnav College on 13th August 2007.
4. Independence Day was celebrated on 15th August 2007 in the college campus along with Rotaract. The Principal hoisted the flag and addressed the students. NSS volunteers were split into groups who visited various orphanages between Padappai and Porur.
5. Mrs. Mangayarkarasi, Programme Officer attended a 5 day International Conference at Ramada Park, Chennai from 21st August to 25th August 2007 on 'Youth at Risk' with special reference to suicide, militancy, human trafficking and Youth in conflict with law organized by Rajiv Gandhi Institute National Youth Development and Commonwealth Asia Youth Programme, Chandigarh.
6. Two of our volunteers participated in Teen Thunder, a cultural competitions at MGR Janaki College on 25th and 26th August 2007 and won II Prize in Vegetable Carving.
7. On 6th September 2007 Mrs. Mangayarkarasi Programme Officer attended the Preliminary Consultative Meeting for adoption of 150 slums and villages at University of Madras.
8. 10 Volunteers received a one day training on "Medical Coding and Billing Specialist" organized by NSS University of Madras and Lexicon a ITES-BPO on 14th Sep. 2007.
9. 11 girls attended a District Level Workshop on "Awareness on Chemical Dependency and HIV Aids and Co-infection" at Asan Memorial College of Arts and Sciences, Jaladampet on 22nd September 2007.
10. On 27th September 2007, 20 student volunteers participated in honouring Bagat Singh at Chromepet.
11. As a part of the NSS Special Camp of St. Louis Blind School, 15 of our NSS Volunteers participated in their cleaning activity in the slums around Saidapet. Our volunteers also entertained the public in the Valedictory Culturals of St. Louis Blind School on 18th October 2007.
12. Mrs. Brammarambigai, Programme Officer attended a One day District Level Seminar on 17th October 2007 at Hindustan College of Arts of Science, Kancheepuram.
13. January 2008 2nd - 11th special camp at Mudichur.
14. Road Safety Day was celebrated on 8th February 2008 twenty students held placards and shouted slogans to create awareness.
15. February 7th and 8th 2008, 3 students participated in 2 day Training Programme on Adoption of Slums under the auspices of 150th celebrations of University of Madras.

REGULAR ACTIVITIES

Scribes : 15 Volunteers are scribes at all exams conducted by Presidency College. Volunteers are also Readers for blind student at St. Louis School for the Blind. Adyar, volunteers are sent in rotation to Christian Foundation for the Blind, Pallavaram to record + 2 syllabus for blind students.

Traffic Regulation : 12 volunteers are regulating traffic on GST Road at Chromepet, on a regular basis especially in the morning.

General medical Camps and Eye Camps : Volunteers numbering between 5 & 8 are sent on Sundays and Wednesday to organize Narayana Seva (General Camp) and Kannapar Seva (Eye Camp) along with hindu mission Hospital, Tambaram.

Egmore Children's hospital : During weekdays between 7 a.m. - 11.30 NSS volunteers assist doctors and paramedical staff in sorting out patients at the outpatient unit at Egmore Children's Hospital. On Sundays Student Volunteers of Day College provide counseling to New mothers on cleanliness and child care.

Orphanage Visit : Evening college volunteers regularly visit Good Will Orphanage, West Tambaram Every Weekend to spend time with the inmates.

Nethrodayas : Students visited 'Nethrodayas', an organization working for the Welfare of the blind during weekends to help them in various activities.

STATQUEST 2007 - 2008

Statquest, 2008. The intercollegiate festival was conducted on 08.02.2008, Dr. R. Ramakrishnan, Deputy Director, National Institute of Epidemiological Research (ICMR) preside over the function. He gave a talk on the importance of application of Biostatistics in the field of Epidemiology and clinical trials. He stressed that Bio statistics has tremendous scope in pharmaceutical

industry where plenty of job opportunities for Biostatisticians exists. He urged the students to undergo training on applied statistics.

Various intercollegiate activities like quiz, Dumb Charades, cross word were also conducted. Students from various Colleges participated in the competitions.

KEY NOTE ADDRESS CONVOCATION

Mrs. Nalini Ravindran

Shrimath Devkunvar Nandal Bhatt
Vaishnav College for Women (Aut)

Respected Vice Chancellor, Univ of Madras, The Management, Principal, Staff, Students of SDNB Vaishnav College for Women, the new graduates who are assembled here today, parents of the graduates, other dignitaries of the press & TV - I extend my greetings to one & all.

First of foremost, all the staff & Students assembled here should devote 1 mt. to remember the founder father of this inst. Shri Nalinal Bhatt Dhruvesly, a visionary, whose ideas about women's education 5 decades ago, has brought name & fame to the college & made it possible for all of you to graduate from well-established Institution. We will commence with heart-felt silent thanks giving to the founder team who have made everything possible.

Secondly, I wish to thank the Management, Principal & Staff for inviting me to be the Guest of honour to deliver the key-note address.

I plan to touch on a few aspects in my key-note Address.

Dear young students, you have send for of inputs from your parents, your faculty the management & society. I would like you to by his philosophy of Education, Swamiji brings home that Education is not a mere accumulation of information, but a comprehensive training for life. To quote him, "Education is not the amount of information that is put in your brain & funs not there undigested, all your life. Edu for him means that process by which character is formed, strength of mind is increased, the intellect is sharpened, as result of which one can stand on one's feet.

As we take a walk down the corridors of history, let us take a look at the views of Abdul Kalam.

India's greatest strength is the high % of youth, so rightly labelled as the "Demographic Divident" Population growth which was considered as a liability is thing out to be an asset. There are 540m below 25yrs, in a population of a billion people.

The nation needs "You" the young leaders who can command the change for tranformation of side into a developed nation embedded with & knowledge society. One of the 'X' ingredients for success of the vision of transforming India into a developed nation by 2020 is the evolution of creative leaders. The high the propostion creative leaders in a naion, the higher the potential of success of vision like "developed India"

Let us see how the student community can acquire the capacities required. for national development during education

Capacity building must be educated right from the beginning of the students life when students graduate, certain capacities are required to enable them to face the challenges in the real world to facilitate their & participation in the task of national development.

Capacity for recording transfer of knowledge, capacity to use high Technology, capacity for entrepreneur leadership, of capacity for moral leadership - should be built in their formative years.

The 21st is the about the mgt. of Knowledge of Information. We must equip our students the skills with which they find a way through the sea of knowledge. We should be life - long learning which is required for sustained .development.

I would like the young graduates seated in the audience to wil lnote an aptitude for entrepreneurship, to learn to take calculated risks for the sake of leader gain .

You should also develop Moral Leadership Moral leadership inudues 2 things first it requires the ability to have powerful drops or visions of human betterment. Moral leadership requires a disposition to do the right thing and indulgence of others also to do right things.

Civil heritage of value sytems will be the foundation for moral leadership.

To sum up (enquiry, creativity, technology, entrepeinsity of moral leadership are the 5 capacities required to be built throughr the education process these 5 capacities will produces "Autonomus Corners" a self - directed, self- contecalled, life long corner who will both respect authority and at the

sametime is capable of questioning authority in an appopriate manner. These are the leaders who work together tranfering nation into a developed nation in a time bound manner.

I am an avid reader of books on self - improvement. I would like to sharewith you the principles, rules, keep compiled from the rest . These rules will definitely unlock the doors to success. Use these rules - they have helped me.

They will keep you to gain the winning edge in leading you form mediocrity to success.

In the list of quotient that contribute to success, ability accounts for 5% knowledge - 5% Discipline - 10% Attitude - 40% enthusiam - 40%

The ladder of Success :

0% - I won't
10% - I Can't
20% - I don't know how.
30% - I wish I could
40% - I could
50% - I think, I might
60% - I might
70% - I think, I can
80% - I Can
90 % - I will
100% - I did

Need to change

The dinosaur, the largest animal which ever lined, had never changed and become extinct. Welcome change to be part of the change. Life is not a game of change. Life is what we make of it.. Out life is the sum total of all our things upto this present minute. We can use our options of choose what kind of life we want to lead, life of a winner or loser.

Enthusiasm in the Face of success.

Let us say you have a vehicle. You have chosen a destination to go, the vehicle can convey up to your destination. for the vehicle to move & reach the desined destrination, fuel is reqd. so also with life. if god is chosen & even if all the reqd. resources / Inputs reqd, for attaining the desired goals are available , with out the buming desire , the goal cannot be reached. The burning desire facted by unwaring

commitment turns the impossible into possible.

After being thrown out of the train in Apartheid S. Africae Mahathma Gandhii developed. The obsention to send the British away.

Edission used to work in his laboratory non-stop, often for 2-3 days, inventing the light bulb.

Be in pursiut of Exceclence

Strive for Excellence, not perfection Don't be perfect, just be your best. That is excellance. Efficiency is doing things right. Effectivemnt is doing right things. Excelece is doing right things right.

all of you must be familiar with the strong rays at sunrise. Every morning in Africa, a Gazelle wakes up. It knows that it must run faster then the fastest Lion or it will be killed Every morning a Lion wakes up, It knows that it must out run the slowest Gazelle, or it will starve to death. it doesnot matter whether you are a Lion or a Gazelle. When the sun comes out you better be running.

Be careful what you plant now, it will determine what you will reap tomorrow. It has been by said that you sow an action you reap a habit. you sow a habit you keep a character. You sow a character you reap a destiny.

The paradox of our times in history is that

1. We have taller building, but shorter temple, wider freeway but narrower viewpoints.
2. We have multiplied possessions, but reduced our values
3. We have learned how to make a living but not a life.
4. We've added years to life but life to you.
5. We've conquered outer space; but not inner space.
6. We've cleared the air, but polluted the soul.

Do all the good you can,
by all the means you can,
in all the ways you can,
in all the places you can,
at all the tires you can,
to all the people you can
as long as you can

VAISH COMFEST 2007
Prizes won by Students at Inter Collegiate Level

S.No.	Institution	Competition	Names	Department	Prize
1.	M.O.P Vaishnav College For Women	Interior designing (Imagen Corprotiva)	M. Devaki S. Subhasree	I B.Com (Day) III B.Com (CS) Eve	I
2.	S.S.Shasun Jain College For Women	AD - ZAP	N. Vinodhini P. Karthiga S. Nishanthi A.K.A. Kathijaa, BEE R. Deepika	II B.Com (Day)	III
3.	SIET College For Women	AD - ZAP	N. Vinodhini P. Karthiga S. Nishanthi	II B.Com (Day)	I
4.	Gurunanak College of Arts & Science	AD - ZAP	N. Vinodhini P. Karthiga S. Nishanthi G. Tamilselvi K. Senthamizhselvi	II B.Com (Day)	II
5.	Gurunanak College of Arts & Science	Best Buyer Best Seller	N. Vinodhini S. Nishanthi	II B.Com (Day)	I
6.	Gurunanak College of Arts & Science	Logo Designing & Caption Writing	N. Vinodhini S. Nishanthi	II B.Com (Day)	I
7.	Ethiraj College For Women	Power of Precision	S. Mohanapriya C. Krithika	III B.Com (Day)	III
8.	MGR Janaki College	AD - ZAP	Sowmya, Vaishnavi, Bhuvaneshwari, Harini, Sharmil & Devi	III B.Com (Eve)	III
9.	MCC College	Quiz	Usha & Gayathri	III B.Com (Eve)	I

VAISH COMFEST 2007
Break Even Point
Inter Collegiate Events (Prize Winner List)

S.No.	Name	College	Event	Prize
1.	R. Vishnupriya & D. Dhanja	Ethiraj (Day)	Product Packaging	I
2.	Preethi & Swathi	MOP Vaishnav (Day)	Product Packaging	II
3.	Kaviya Suseph, K.T. Indira, R. Sangamithra, V. Aruna, S. Akshaya & C. Karpagam	MOP Vaishnav (Day)	AD - ZAP	I
4.	K.C. Bhanupriya, S. Shankavi, M. Bhavani, M. Arulselvi, M. Arulselvi, B. Preeja, B. Karthika & Selvi	Ethiraj College (Day)	AD - ZAP	II

VAISH COMFEST 2007-2008
Break Even Point
Inter Departmental (Prize Winner List)

S.No.	Name	College	Event	Prize
1.	D. Malini, R. Iswarya & G. Nithya	SDNBVC B.Com (Eve)	AD - Designing	I
2.	N. Vinodhini, P. Karthika & J. Umadevi	SDNBVC B.Com (Day)	AD - Designing	II
3.	V. Padnashini, M. deepika & K. Saranya	SDNBVC B.Com (Eve)	Variety Entertainment	I
4.	K. Abhitha, G. Vidhya & A. Priyanka	SDNBVC B.Com (Eve)	Variety Entertainment	II
5.	Best Seller Priya Dharshini	SDNBVC BBA III (Eve)	Caveat Emptor	I
6.	Best Buyer Sarala	SDNBVC B.Sc III (Eve)	Caveat Emptor	II
7.	L. Charanya	SDNBVC BCS I (Eve)	Caveat Emptor	III
8.	Sasikala & Jennifer	SDNBVC BBA (Eve)	Product Packaging	I
9.	Sujitha & Sasi	SDNBVC BBA (Eve)	Product Packaging	II
10.	S. Srividhya	SDNBVC BISM (Eve)	Strees Interview	I
11.	Santhosh Kumari	SDNBVC BISM (Eve)	Strees Interview	II
12.	C. Revathi	SDNBVC BISM (Eve)	Strees Interview	III
13.	S.V. Devipriya, K. Sowmya, V. Saranya & V.S. Vaibhavi	SDNBVC M.Com	Brain Storming Session	I
14.	S.G. Janani, N. Suguna, G. Archana & Ramya Rajkumar	SDNBVC M.Com	Brain Storming Session	II
15.	N. Vinodhini, P. Karthiga, S. Nishanthi, G. Tamilselvi, K. Senthamizselvi & J. Umadevi	SDNBVC B.Com (Day)	AD - ZAP	I
16.	Sowmya, Vaishnavi, Bhuvaneshwari, Harini, Sharmila & Devi	SDNBVC B.Com (Day)	AD - ZAP	II

PLACEMENT CELL 2007 - 2008

A Service run by the management of the institution for providing on campus employment opportunities that fit in with the life style of the students.

The 'Motto' of the Placement cell is "to reach radiant & vibrant heights of fame"

It mainly focuses on motivating, guiding & facilitating the career Placement of students & enabling them to be ahead of their competitors.

Since we understand the issues & financial responsibilities encountered by our students, we give them a regular updated source of employment opportunities.

The Placement cell headed by The Principal & the Placement Officer together with the student placement co-ordinators manage the working of the cell.

Invitations are sent to the prestigious corporate & the training organizations along with all relevant information to participate in the campus recruitment. Regular correspondence is maintained with various industries. Personal visits by the placement officer & core committee.

On Campus & Off Campus Recruitments :

This academic year girls got selected in companies like CTS (technical), TCS (technical), ACCENTURE (bpo), AJUBA, PEROT, FORD, ABN AMRO, MEARSK global services, Scientific publishing, Wipro wase, Scope International, TCS (bpo), Zion Metric. Hr. Sec. School, Shrimathi Sundravalli Memorial School, Sparsh (BPO), Sitel (BPO), Andromed (BPO), CTS (BPO), Nearly 250 students have got placements.

Month / Date	Name of the Organization	Activity
06.06.2007	Zeal Speak Easy	Presentation for Evening College. (Communication skills)
18.06.2007	Zeal Speak Easy	Presentation for Day College (Communication skills)
20.06.2007	Zeal Speak Easy	Training class for batch I, II, III, IV for Evening College, on Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays. Totally 24 Sessions. From (10:00am - 12.00 am)
21.06.2007	Zeal Speak Easy	Training for batches V, VI, & VII on Tuesdays, Thursdays & Saturdays. Totally 24 sessions. On Tuesday & Thursday - 10:00-12:00 on Saturday-2:00pm-4:00 pm.
27.06.2007	Zeal Speak Easy	Presentation on Personality developmnet for Day College
10.07.2007	Zeal Speak Easy	
13.07.2007	Placement Cell	Training Commenced - 24 sessions - 3 to 5 pm
16.07.2007	Placement Cell	General meeting regarding campus recruitment with the placement officer
13.08.2007	Radian Academy	General meeting
		Conducted training on aptitude, resume writing, interview techniques

Month / Date	Name of the Organization	Activity
18.08.2007	Cognizant technology solutions-campus recruitment (technical)	No. participated-150 no. got selected - 43 Job post: Programmer trainee
03.09.2007	Tata consultancy services-campus recruitment (technical)	16 selected as graduate trainee
05.09.2007	CTS-MOU	
06.09.2007	ACCENTURE-voice/not voice-campus recruitment (bpo)	24 selected, 22 - non voice, 2- voice
25.09.2007	Merit trac presentation	Presentation on aptitude
28.09.2007	Radian academy	Presentation on aptitude and communication skills
03.10.2007	AJUBA solutions-voice	2 selected
04.10.2007	CTS evolve programme	Training for final year on interview handling skills
17.12.2007	Radian academy	Training for the final years on aptitude
19.12.2007	Campus recruitment PEROT SYSTEMS (bpo)	6 selected
27.12.2007	Campus recruitment SUTHERLAND	5 selected
30.01.2008	FORD campus recruitment	27 selected
02.02.2008	AJUBA (OFF CAMPUS)	1 selected
02.02.2008	WIPRO WASE	5 selected
06.02.2008	ABN AMRO	12 selected in second round
07.02.2008	MEARSK global services	4 selected
08.02.2008	SSM School	8 selected
08.02.2008	SCIENTIFIC publishing	10 selected
09.02.2008	SCOPE INTERNATIONAL (OFF CAMPUS)	9 selected
04.02.2008	TCS BPO	8 selected
15.03.2008	CTS BPO	31 selected

PLACEMENT CELL

Placement Record (2007-2008)

ON CAMPUS

S.No.	Name of the Company	No of Students selected	Designation	Compensation per Year
1	Cognizant Tecnology Solutons (Technical)	43	Programmer Trainee	Rs 1,91,500
2	Tata Consultancy Services (Technical)	17	Graduate Trainee	Rs 1,80,000
3	Accenture (Bpo)	24	Process Associate	Voice - Rs 2,00,000 Nonvoice- Rs 1,31,250
4	Ajuba (Bpo)	2	Trainee Account Executive	Rs 2,04,003
5	Perot Systems (Bpo)	6	Trainee-Ar	Rs 1,62,096
6	Ford	27	Junior Team Member	Rs.1, 44,000
7	Maersk Global Services	4	Processing Officer	Rs 1,50,000
8	Abn Amro	12	Still In Process	
S.No.	Name of the Company	No of Students selected	Designation	Salary
9	Srimathi Sundaravali	5	Teacher	Rs.7500- 15000 p.m
10	Scientific Publishing	10	Trainee	Rs. 6000 p.m
11	TCS (Bpo)	8	Process Associate	Rs.1,66,000
12	Sutherland	5	Trainee	Rs.1,74,000

Total - 163

OFF CAMPUS

S.No.	Name of the Company	No of Students selected	Designation	Salary
1	Wipro Wase			
2	Scope International	5	Programmer	Rs.7500(P.M)
3	Ajuba	9	Trainee	Rs.1,20,000
4	Sparsh (Bpo)	1	Trainee	Rs.2,00,000
5	Andromed (Bpo)	6	Trainee	Rs.6000(p.m)
6	Sitel	10	Trainee	Rs.10000(p.m)
7	Cts (Bpo)	1	Trainee	Rs.9000(p.m)
8	Zion School	31	Process Executive	Rs.108000
		9	Teacher	Rs. 6000(p.m)

Total - 72

Total Girls Placed - 235

PRIZES GIVEN BY CTS

I Best Faculty Award : Dr.(Mrs)K.Rajalakshmi,M.sc, M.Phil, Phd., Reader &Hod In Physics

II Best Outgoing Student : V.Raja Rajeshwari, Illrd Bsc.Plant Biology

III Ascend Awards

S.No	Roll No	Name	Dept	%Till 4 th Sem	Overall	Difference%
1	4085	T.Deepika	Bsc.Maths(Eve)	77	84.14	7.14
2	4303	T.K.Anuja	Bsc.Maths(Day)	92.5	96.6	4.1
3	4320	M.Kanaga Sankara Gomathi	Bsc.Maths(Day)	91.1	95.1	4
4	4126	P.K.Aarthy	Bsc.Maths(Eve)	83.84	88.36	4.52

1. Best Awards of this year :

Best Over all performer award in the College - V. Vishnupriya

Best Union office Bearer - R. Swathi, III B.B.A.,

S. Hemalatha, IIB.Sc., Maths has Participated in Republic Day Parade, New Delhi.

Best Anchor : R.P. Ahusha, III Maths, B. Hindu, III Maths

2. World Environmental Day :

Ist Prize	IInd Prize
S. Darani, I B.Com S. Lavanya, I B.Com S. Anupriya, I B.Com Malini, I B.Com (Eve) Ramya & Sangeetha, I B.B.A	V.R. Anjhana, I B.Sc., Computer Science S. Vidhya, I B.Sc., Computer Science A. Gayathri, I B.Sc., Computer Science R. Shwethalakshmi, I B.Sc., Computer Science J. Poongodi, I B.Sc., Computer Science

3. World Tourism Day :

QUIZ

Ist Prize	IInd Prize
N. Preethi, II B.A English Lite., R. Rebecca, II B.A English Lite.,	R.P. Ahusha, III Maths K. Deepika, III Maths

PAINTING

1st Prize
N. Soundarya, II B.Com.,

4. NIIT Pallavaram Centre :

Ist Prize	IInd Prize
K. Suganya, I M.Sc I.T P. Angel, I M.Sc I.T	A. Muthulakshmi, II B.C.A E. Shanmugapriya, II B.C.A

5. Certificate Courses :

E-Publishing Prize Winners :

Batches	1st Prize	2nd Prize
"A" Batch	V. Gayathri, II B.Sc Physics (Day)	G. Anitha, II B.Sc Maths (Day)
"B" Batch	G. Ramya II B.Sc Comp. Sci (Day)	Sabari Anusha, II B.Sc Comp Sci (Eve)
"C" Batch	S. Divya, II B.Com (Eve)	V. Poonguzhali, II B.C.A (Eve)

Apparel Designing Prize Winners :		
"A" Batch	S. Kayalvizhi, II B.A History (Day)	H. Sivajothi, II B.A History (Day)
"B" Batch	R. Malathi, B.Sc Physics (Day)	H. Sivaranjani, II B.Sc PB & PBT (Day)
"C" Batch	M. Saranya, II B.Sc Comp Sci (Day)	V. Ksheerajaa, II B.Com (Day)

Cosmetology Prize winners :

Day : M. Revathi,

II B.Sc Computer Science

D. Praveena, II B.Com (Practical)

Evening : M.S. Sukanya, II B.Com (Theory)

B. Sharfunisha,

II B.Sc Com. Sci. (Practical)

Over All Performance :

Day : S.K. Hajira, II B.Sc (Physics)

Evening : K. Aarthi, II B.Com

6. Certificate Collecting Girls : Logistics

Day : N. Vinothini, II B.Com

Evening : K. Archana, II B.Com

Retail Management :

Day : A.K.A. Kadhijabee, II B.Com

Evening : Anandalakshmi, II B.Com

E-Publishing :

Day : V. Gayathri, II Physics

Evening : Vasanthi, II BISM

Apparel Designing :

Day : S. Devika, II B.A History

Cosmetology :

Day : S.K. Hajira, B.Sc Physics

Evening : K. Aarthi, II B.Com

Layam :

Day : S. Daarini, I B.Com

Evening : G. Santhoshkumari, II BISM

7. Day College Union Office Bearer :

V. Divya,

III B.Com Student Union President

M. Aysha,

III B.Com Student Union Fine Arts Secretary

R. Janavi,

II B.Sc Physics Student Union Secretary

P. Revathi,

I B.A. Economics Student Union Joint Secretary

8. Evening College Union Office Bearer :

T.V. Hema,

III B.Com Student Union President

R. Swathi,

III B.B.A Student Union Fine Arts Secretary

R. Priya,

III B.Sc Maths Student Union Secretary

M.A. Preethikaveri,

III B.Sc Computer Science Student Union
Joint Secretary

9. NSS Secretary : A.K.A. Kadhijabee, II
B.Com

10. Blood Donation Certificate :
Sasidevi, II BBA

11. NCC Secretary : S. V. Jhanani, B.C.A

12. Sife : V. Gayathri, II B.Sc Com. Sci

13. Rotract Secretary: S. Soundariya, II B.Com

14. Sports Secretary: R. Nikhila, III PBBT (Day)

15. Placement Cell Secretary :
V. Sharmila, III Statistics (Day)

DANNY AND DREAMS

The day dawned bright and sunny for the residents of Privet Square in London. But the owner of No.9 alone felt dizzy and drowsy on this autumm morning. The house was perfectly silent except for the rhythmic snoring of Danny. There was a slight distrubance in the bed sheet that covered over a small mound that was Danny. He slowly pulled off his sheet and got up wiping his eyes. The reason for his drowsiness was his dream. Denny, who was 21, always had dreamt about what had happened to him. But this day was entirely different for he had dreamt about a fairy that was helping him in all his endeavors. Now that he dreamed such a thing, his brow was creased in concentration....

Danny who was a basketball player was tall and fair with straight blond hair. He had blue eyes and a dimple chin. Unlike other guys, he was the talk of the town especially among girls who adored and admired him. But he had no interest in them. Whenever his mates talk about them, he wouldmove away from that place saying girls are nothing but another creation of God.

It all happened so suddely that, four years ago, one sunday morning in November, he started off in a hurry from his home, as he was late for the mass prayer in the church. when he was about to get in his car, he saw a girl struggling with the door that was directly opposite to his own. He soon crossed the road and went to help her. when he was couple of feet away from her, she turned towards him coincidentally. It was at that moment Danny believed that girls are not just another creation of God but something more than that and worth speaking all day. she was tall and slender. she had brown eyesand shoulder length blond hair. Something made him say, "she was his".

Next couple of minutes are those what you call the symptoms of love. He could see her lips part and form different words but he couldn't make any of them. Her smile made him drown in the shower of a thousand stars. he was drawn back to his self by the fire engine that sprang its siren while passing that

drive. He coughed and asked her if he could be of any help to her, she gave him a puzzled look that said, " Then what was I saying all these time? " and gave him the key. he locked the door and asked her where she was going. when she said she was on her way to church, he offered a drive that she politely refused and walked off.

After this, the time became sweet and killing for Danny. He had to do much of ground-work to find out here everyday schedule. the next day he started off to nowhere in particular. He called to her from his door while she was locking her door "changed the lock I reckon?". she turned and said with a smile "Oh! Yeah". As if this was a great conversation he went to her and started with a new track. he held out his hand and said:

"Hi. I'm Daniel Diggory. You can call me Danny."

She took his hand, that he felt as a feather, and said 'I am Emily Pennington."

Hardly she finished the sentence when he said:

"so I'll Call you Emily". It was not even a question but a statement.

"what you do?", he asked.

"I work for a national organization". she said without meeting his eyes but rummaging in her bag for something. she then bid him goodbye and walked off before he could ask any other question. soon after he got acquainted with her they became friends.

Though it had been four years ago yet it seemed to him that it all happened just yesterday.

Danny, sitting on his bed, shook his head as if to come out of his reverie. He said to himself, "All this sort of fairy tale happen only in books and not in reality. Even if I'm wrong. fairy helps only small kids and not a grown up like him, who is 21." With that he got up and dressed. He saw the clock that read 10:00 "Still 8hrs to go", he thought for emily has promised to meet him at the beach bench where they usually sit. so he made up his mind to clean his home, which would keep him busy for 8 hours, after brunch.

When he was almost finished with his room, the clock read 03:55. He decided to stop with his work. He dressed and waited for her to come in the bench that was under a mistle toe tree. Twilight started to fall when he heard some sort of a fluttering nearby. He turned towards the sound and shut his mouth to stop himself from screaming. He was surely seeing a fairy because it was of the same description given in the books that he had read when he was small. she was awesome that he couldn't say who looked best, Emily or the Fairy. It was small with golden wings rising from her back and as usual she was in white.

"So Danny, waiting for her again?"

He was awestruck and asked in turn, "How do you know?"

"I'd been watching you all your life. so don't worry."

"I don't believe you."

"what should I do to make you believe?"

Racking his brain for some sort of an idea, Danny looked left and right and his sight rested on the old man sitting on the next bench. He said, "Make that old man walk towards me and drop a 100 pound on my lap". Danny hardly closed his lips when the old man got up from his place with so much difficulty and came towards him to do the deed that he had been asked for. Danny couldn't believe his eyes for what he had been seeing all this time.

"Now do you believe me?", asked the Fairy.

"It was just a coincidence, he said for those were the words that first appeared in his lips. He pointed out a girl on the other side of the drive and said to fairy, "Make that girl to come and tell me that I'm looking awful, despicable and whatever words that describes me as a rude, brutal man." He knew that no man or woman in this world would say such a thing to a total stranger. But all he wished happened within seconds and it was an embarrassing moment for him for all of them in the vicinity had their eyes on him.

"Stop it! Stop it! I believe you. But why are you here?" he asked.

"To make you understand things that you haven't yet understood."

Though he wasn't able to perceive what it was saying he thought better not to argue for Emily had come. After the exchange of greetings, there were a few minutes silence in which the fairy asked Danny, "Shall I make her say what you want her to?" At first he was overwhelmed by this offer but then said, "I want to make her tell that myself".

"Sorry but I didn't catch that Danny", said Emily.

"Err never mind. It was nothing", he glared at the fairy.

It was 10:00 p.m. when Danny returned home and there it was, the fairy, sitting on the writing desk. "Wasn't that spicy as well as sweet?", enquired the fairy. "That was none of your business..." Other words drowned in the words of the fairy "I said about your dinner. He gave it a chuckle and went for sleep. As the days passes he started liking the fairy and even named it as Tiffany. He felt that he was no more alone when Emily had gone for her work. A couple of months passed with this threesome though it was only duet according to Emily.

Once in March, Emily went to her work as usual but never returned. It was almost three days when Danny became so worried that he wished to Tiffany that Emily must soon contact him. The next day she called him. He was so happy to hear her voice at the same time angry for not keeping in touch all these days.

"Sorry Danny. The work is keeping me so long."

"where are you now?" he enquired.

"That doesn't matter to you when I say that I'm coming tomorrow?"

After a few minutes chat they hung up. Danny raced to his room to tell Tiffany what had happened and also to thank her for she has become his best friend.

The next day he went to her home. It was still locked. He had seen Emily hid her key in the bushes on the windowsill and so he picked up the key and entered the house. It was

dark and gloomy. The curtains were never drawn of their window to let the light in. when he did so he saw that the whole floor was covered in dust. He made up a plan to give her a surprise when she entered. So he started cleaning the drawing room. He picked up the papers littered on the floor and prised the drawer that was below the mantle piece to shove all these papers in. He stepped back as if in a shock when he saw what was inside it. There was a revolver and cyanide on a few more papers. he couldn't decipher what the paper contained. So he took the papers out and saw the first one contain the sketch of the palace where Prince Charles lives. The second one contained the sketch of the army camp that was supposed to be held in the following week and in which Pince Harry was going to take part. the third and final paper contained a few instructions regarding the last date and also ways and means to destory forth-said things. He quickly understood that she was not a national server but she was in an anti national organization.

"This is why I'm here. This is what I wanted to make you understand. I didn't want you to lose major part of your life". Tiffany sat in the corner of the bookcase on the left-hand side of the mantle piece. eyes brimming with tears he carefully lifted the revolver that was loaded with his handkerchief. At that precise moment there was a turn in the door handle and Emily entered with her hair disheveled. without a second thought he raised the revolver and shot at her. Not only did Emily fall down but also Danny's hope, life and love. He quickly destroyed all the evidence that said she was a criminal and also buried her in the middle of the night for which Tiffany helped. He placed roses in her tomb and said, "I never wanted to see you behind the bars and people grudging at you. That's why I committed this act. I love you." He turned to go away when Tiffany said, "She will surely forgive you. She also turned out in a bad way not because of her desire but due to circumstances. So with all the power I can do is wipe out your tears by way of making you happy. Emily will be a fairy too."

There appeared Emily out of thin air Just as Tiffany and said, I'll always be with you. I love you. "She kept her tiny hand on his head that gave him the feeling that he had bathed in the shower of thousands of stars.

THE "FAQ" WITHOUT SENSE.

The frequently asked question to students by all, be it teachers, family - friends, and for that matter by every Tom, Dick and Harry is 'WHO IS YOUR INSPIRATION?' Everytime people ask me this question, there is a bell that rings in my mind and my brain searches for my latest attraction, who obviously would be my inspiration for that period of time. Immediately after answering, the question that arises in my mind is "why are people so keen to know who has inspired others?" the reason for this thought in me is, presently calling Sania Mirza, Abdul Kalam, and Mother Theresa as inspiration has become one big fashion statement. I feel that this inspiring feeling about a person in a person's mind lasts only for a few minutes when he/she is answering the above mentioned "FAQ" Today there is hardly anyone who follows the footsteps of their 'so called inspiration'. Nothing wrong in having inspiration. But the real fruit behind an inspiration is to have a mindset to workhard and achieve success like the personality who had influenced one, which people have failed to understand. So, why mention famous personalities as your inspiration when you are not actually inspired by them. I would only put the blame on those who pose this question to students, who in turn start calling out people's names as answers. Seeing all this one question that arises in me is that "Should we so compulsorily have an inspiration without knowing the exact meaning of it?" Its high time we realize our mistake, start setting smarter goals for ourself and no doubt have a peson as inspiration in true sense and chase our dreams. And my request to all those people out there in the questioning side 'Please stop asking people who their inspiration is. Start explaining the meaning and cause of having a person as inspiration rather than asking the same old question.

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TALK YOUR WAY TO JAPAN

R. Padmapriya
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Abx-Aots Dosokai, Tamilnadu Centre, Chennai conducted "TALK YOUR WAY TO JAPAN" English speech contest, held on August 18th 2007. It was a state level competition and more than 92 students from various colleges all over Tamilnadu participated in it. The topic given for the preliminary round was "Saving plant and animal kingdom alone can preserve ecological balance". Out of 92 students 12 of them were selected for the final level, and I was one among them. In the final level, each one of us were given a different topic related to environment. The topic given to me was "is the race of civilization the prime cause for ecological deterioration". Out of 12 participants I was awarded first prize, hence forth I was selected as a Cultural Ambassador of Japan.

The organisers had divided the competition in four categories students in corporation and non-corporation school, students of city and nearby colleges and member of the Chennai chapter of ABX-AOTS DoSOKH. The three other students who came first also accompanied me to Japan. I went on a trip to Japan for 15 days and for six days I had a training in Hiyoshi Corporation to create awareness and develop an eco-friendly environment. Hiyoshi Corporation had

sponsored my trip to Japan. I had an amazing experience in learning about an eco-friendly environment from them. The very first day they gave us welcome party and I did a pre-training presentation about Japan and Hiyoshi Corporation. The following days they gave me training about D.N.A extraction, dionine analysis, waste water management, water Analysis, pumping station observation, paper and bottle, recycling and waste collecting process. The last day of the training a report was submitted based on the training. They gave us a good and memorable send off with a pleasant farewell party. I really learnt a lot from the family of Hiyoshi Corporation.

I also had a chance of visiting "Universal Studios" in Osaka, Disney Land in Tokyo, and the ancient temples in Kyoto. I had a wonderful time there and enjoyed going in each and every ride. The country had a perfect balance between their culture and technology.

ABK AOTS DOSOKAI arranged a one-day stay in Singapore on my way back from Japan. I was stunned by the huge sky scrapers and beautiful shops and highways.

There is a lot of common things between these two countries in spite of the culture. Both Japan and Singapore stand as one of the developed countries. This had happened because of the unity, punctuality, cleanliness and the hardwork of the people who live there. This was the prime thing which I learnt from both the countries in my trip.

SUCCESS

God created
Sun to give heat and light
Flower to be fragrant and bright,
Lakes to look calm and serene,
Forests to be refreshing and green,
Music to enjoy during recess - but
Man to taste the essence of success.

EXAMS

Exams are easy,
But are hard for the lazy,
If you learn more,
Higher will be your score,
If you depend on guide,
Little marks'll be at your side,
Trust on the power of mind,
You'll not be left behind,
Believe in hard work,
For that'll bring you good luck.-

STUDENT'S DAY OUT !

Once I had a thrilling experience in Japan. We, four of us, went to Tokyo Disney Land from Tokorozowa, where we were staying with an Indian family, Sriram San, his wife Aarthi San and their two children. As they were both working, they gave us enough instructions on how to travel about. We need to travel by train for two hours, but there was no direct train for Tokyo Disney Land. So we need to get down in Ikebukuro Junction and board another train. Aarthi San packed up all our lunch and snacks and Sriram San gave our Disney Land tickets and even the train tickets..

We four of us took all our bags and other stuffs and started, keeping all those instructions in mind which Sriram San gave us. Before boarding the train, we have to get in through the ticket checking machines. It would check our tickets and then allow us to the platform. We all did it perfectly and made ourselves comfortable in the train. As Sriram San said, we got down in the Ikebukuro Junction, boarded another train and reached Tokyo Disney Land.

Wow! This was the first word from everyone of us. We rushed into the queue, as we do in our country, showed them our tickets and entered into the land of magic and joy. Our eyes were filled with colours and we were not able to concentrate on one particular thing. We behaved as though we had come from a dark world, everything was new, and ('very thing was a surprise to us. We had a Disney Land Map on our hand which we followed and just ran into each and every ride. We all went crazy in Jurassic Park ride, Spiderman ride, Terminator 40 animation show, Big Thunder Mountain ride, Shrek 40 show and lots and lots.

We folks were completely out of our world, we forgot our food, water and were wandering around the land for fourteen hours. Imagine! For fourteen hours we were in Disney Land. At last we became familiar with the landmarks (y < the place. It was 10'0 clock at night, all the rides started to close and the security there was actually begging us to leave the place. But then there was no single calorie of energy in us. We were trying to gain energy sitting in one of the benches and

started eating the snacks which Aarthi San gave us.

Suddenly a bell of caution rang in our mind. We remembered Sriram San saying "The last train to Tokorozowa is at 11 p.m". Oh my God! We were still in Disney Land. Once again we packed up all our things and started running to the Station. We boarded the train to Ikebukuro and it was a 45 minutes travel and it would take 15 minutes to change to next platform to board the other train. So we had exactly one hour and we started praying to make it in time. After few minutes, we reached Ikebukuro and ran as fast as we could to catch the next train. We reached the ticket checking

Machines and at that time one of the girls shouted, "I had forgot my bag in the train". We were all shocked as all of our tickets were in that bag. We were just looking into each other's face and we were having only five more minutes to board the train. We had only one chance that is to get tickets for ourselves. We went near the machine and it was good it had instructions on it. But that was of no use, it was all written in Japanese. We were in jitters, at that time a Japanese man came to get his tickets. We were just watching him keenly on how he was proceeding about. Somehow we took tickets and just slipped into the door of the train at the nick of the moment.

Only then we got back our breath. We all sat down and looked into each other's face with a sign of relaxation. We were all feeling sleepy and so decided to take turns. I was the third person, so I woke up my friend and slept. I could remember only that. When I woke up, I could see all the other three sleeping and when I peeped through the glasses of windows, I realized that the train was moving from the platform of Tokorozowa. I just turned around and shouted, "Guys get up, we missed the Station!". Before we could think what we could do, we reached the next station, Nishi Tokorozowa". We got down there blankly and was wailing along the empty platform. We found a Policeman there, we somehow succeeded to convey our situation. He replied in Japanese, but we could make out

that he was trying to say that there was no more train service and the only way which we had was either we could walk to Tokorozowa which would take 15 minutes or to board a Taxi. We nodded our head and came out of the Station.

It was midnight at 12'0 clock. I had never happened to be out of my home at this unusual time. There was not a single person in the street. We were in a confusion to board a taxi; we thought it would not be safe. Actually we wanted to walk, but all the streets looked alike and we couldn't understand anything from the sign boards. We didn't want to waste anymore time and got into the taxi. We four were young, we were in a new country, new culture and new language. Only at that time, we panicked was our exact conversation inside the taxi. I was asking others. "Do you guys believe in this taxi man?". The other said "No! Can you trust whether this man would take us to the exact place?" We just holded each other's hands very tightly and were praying. Within few minutes, we happened to see Tokorozowa station, each one of us had a smile in our face. We got down from the taxi and looked for Sriram san who had promised

to wait for us in the station at 11.30 p.m. But then the time was 1.00 a.m. We called him from the public phone and he said he was on the way. When we saw him, we said. "Sorry Sriram San, "We got down in wrong station". To our surprise he said he knew and he was actually coming from Nishi Tokorozowa. We couldn't believe on what he was telling. Actually what happened was when Sriram san found out that we were late behind the Schedule, he had called to Tokorozowa station. There the Police had given him the information that we four of us had got down in Nishi - Tokorozowa. He was the same man whom we met in Nishi Tokorozowa.

We were all amazed looking at the sincerity of the Police of that Country. We all came back home thinking of what had happened that day. I still wonder upon the dedication of the people there. If this incident had happened in any other place, I couldn't imagine what would have happened to four of us. therefore, I would assure that Japan is a 100% safe country and it was a Student's day out in a place of good culture, amazing technology and deiciated people.

- Padmapriya

FUN WITH ENGLISH

- Which has got a comb but no hair ?
Ans : Honey bees, they have honey comb
- In general 'Q' is always followed by 'U' (eg.) queen which is the only place where 'Q' is not followed by 'U' ?
Ans : Alphabetical Order.
- Which is the longest word in English ?
Ans : Smiles - Because, there is a mile between two s's But in reality the longest word is HONORIFICABILITUDIN, TALIBUS meaning "Honourable"
- Which is the world's richest country?
Ans : Germany
- Who is world's number 1 Potter?
Ans : Harry Potter.

K. SUBRASHREE,
// Plant Biology & Plant Biotechnology

THINGS OF (F) NIGHT

The moving clouds above the mountain
The restless monkeys on the tress,
And, the people in their silent sleep
The barking dogs along the streets,
The calm rivers of the night
Shine so bright in the buring lights.
The lovely birdies in their little nests,
The beautiful buds are half way
down to bloom
Everything belongs to night,
Has a few time more to meet the morn
The blue dark sky and the barking dogs,
The calm rivers and the bright burning lights
The lovely little birds and the sweet
smelling flowers,
Are all on their way of(f) the night.

Mrs. A. Rohini priya,
Dept of Commerce

Some Funny Definitions

N. Preeti, // B.A. Litt.

- School: A place where papa pays and son plays.
- Life Insurance : A contract that keeps you poor all your life so that you can die rich.
- Nurse : A person who wakes you up to give you sleeping pills.
- Marriage :
An agreement in which a man loses his bachelor's degree and a woman gains her masters
- Lecture ; An art of transforming information from the notes of the lectures to the notes of the students without passing through the minds of either.
- Conference :
The confusion of one man multiplied by the numbers present.
- Compromise :The art of dividing a cake in such a way that everybody believes he got the biggest piece.
- Dictionary : a place where success comes before work.

JOKES

- Father : You are sentenced to death before you are hanged, I want you to state you last wish
- Judge : I have one wish.
- Judge : What is your wish?
- Convict : Please take my place.
- Reena : Your husband was black in colour last week. But now he is fair. How did he change his colour?
- Meera : It is very simple. Earlier he worked in a coal factory. Now he is working in wheat flour factory.

- Conference Room : A place where everybody disagrees later on.
- Atom Bomb : An invention to end all inventions
- Etc :A sign to make others believe that you know more than you actually do.
- Father : A banker provided by nature.
- Boss : some one who is early when you are late and late when you are early
- Politician : One who shakes your hand before elections and your confidence later.
- Doctor : A person who kills your ills by pills, and kills you by bills.
- Classics : Books which people praise but do not read.
- Philosopher :A fool who torments himself during life to be wise.
- Criminal ; A guy no different from others except that he got caught
- Smile ; A curve that can set a lot of things straight.

- Father : Can you do something that others can't?"
- Raju : "Oh, yes, i can read my own hand writing"
- Man : Why does the prime Minister go for walks during evening?
- Sardar : he is the 'PM' and not 'AM'
- Wife : Dear, move a little slower. You are moving at 100km/hr. I am afraid.
- Husband : Then close . your eyes, just like me.

S. Ramya, B.Com I yr.

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Without telling tales
Types of advertising are as follows:
Receiving messages in home is indoor.
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Through which comes various variety -
For marketing goods and services;
All around the global premises.
Ad creates direct contact
Between buyers and sellers under no contract.
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That could be via
T.V, radio, web and press,
That reduces producers' stress.
Ad through television,
Helps build people's decision.
Ad through radio,
Is an audio but lacks video
Ad through press,
Ends up in mess
Ad through display
Makes their real play.

Tough competition in the market
Induce producers' to attain target.
They try to create demand
Which Turns out later to command
Ad is best for products that are new
Which in the present world is not few.
It introduces price deal
Depending on what consumers feel.
Thus it serves as a powerful tool.
Spending on that is no fool.

S. lavanyal, I B.Com

A to Z of Success

A good student must;
Bring pride to the teacher
Catch lessons easily
Do the homework daily, be
Eager to learn new subjects and be
Friendly with college mates, be
Grateful to teachers, be pure in
Heart, proud to be an
Indian, be
Jealous in studies, have
keen interest in sports
Learn each and every word
Memory is important
Never do evil to others
Obey the teacher and elders
Play in the evenings.
Question one's knowledge
Read every day
Study all the pages
Try to do the best, make
Unily part of the life, No Violence
watch one's behaviour
X-ray one's thoughts,
Young memories are ever green, be
Zealous to reach the Everest.

S. Ramya, B. Com Iyr.

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இறைவா! எங்கள் இறைவா!
அத்தனையும் காத்திட தவறிவிட்டோம்
இறைவா! எங்கள் இறைவா!
இயற்கை அன்னையின் தாலாட்டில்
இம்மைகள் இன்றி இயல்பாய்
அக சுகங்கள் ஆயிரம் கண்டோம்
செயற்கை செவிலியரால்
அக, புறம் சுகமின்றி
அந்தரத்தில் நிற்கும் திரிசங்கானோம்!
காவிரி, தென் பெண்ணை, பாலாறு உடன்
வைகை, பெருநனை என
வற்றாமல் நமக்கு வளம் தந்தவைகள்
கண்முன்னே கழிவு நீராய் காட்சியளிப்பதைக்
கண்டு

- உருகுதே மனம்!

உண்டி கொடுத்தவர் உயிர்தந்தவர்
உணவின் மூலாதாரம் உழவு
காளை கட்டி போர் மாளாது
யாளை கட்டி போர் அடித்தவர்
நெல்மணிகளை நெற்கள் சீயத்தில்
நிரப்பியவன்
தன் பசிப்பிணி மட்டும் ஆற்றிடாமல்
மக்கள் பசி பிணியையும் போக்கியவன்
எலி பிடித்து அனல் காட்டி
தன் பசி போக்கும் அவல நிலைகண்டு

- உருகுதே மனம்!

மனித வாழ்வு வளம் பெற
செல்வங்கள் உண்டாம் பதினாறு
அவற்றின் முதன்மையாம் மழலை
மனம் தன்னில் மணம் வீச வேண்டிய
ரோசாவும், மல்லியும், முல்லையும்
அனல் தொட்டியில்!
பூக்கள் பட்டால் காயம் படும்
தளிர் கரங்கள் வெள்ளியத்தால்
காயம்படுவதைக்கண்டு

- உருகுதே மனம்!

வற்றாத நதிகள் தருபவள்
நிலமகள் மட்டும் தானா?
எங்கள் குல முதிர்கன்னியின்
மான் விழிகளும் தான்
இராமன் வந்து மணமுடித்து
செல்லாவிடினும் - தன்னை
இராவணனாவது தூக்கி செல்லமாட்டானா?
என ஏங்கும் எம் கன்னிகளைக் கண்டு

-உருகுதே மனம்!

தாலாட்டி, பாலாட்டி வளர்த்தவள்
தன் சமையுடன் நம் சமையையும் தாங்கியவள்
இவளைச் சுமந்தால் - நாளை
நம்மை கண்ணுக்குள் வைத்து காப்பாற்றி
நெஞ்சினுள் வைப்பான் என்று
கண்மூடாது காத்த நம் அன்னையும்
தோள் சுமந்த நம் தந்தையும்
அனாதையாய் முதியோர் இல்லங்களில்
முடிவுக்காக்கக் காத்திருப்பதைக் கண்டு
- உருகுதே மனம்

காசிக்குச் சென்றேன், இராமேஸ்வரம்
சென்றேன்
கடவுள் கண்திறக்கவில்லை!
கலங்கிய மனங்கள் எத்தனை?
குலம் தழைக்க ஒரு செல்வம் வேண்டி
தாயின் கருவறையில் பதியம் போட்டு
குப்பை தொட்டிகளில் பூப்பதைக் கண்டு
- உருகுதே மனம்

மனம் உருக வைக்கும்
நிகழ்வுகள் இங்கு ஏராளம்
நான் உளறியவை ஒரு சில!
உலகம் உள்ளவரை
உருகும் மனம் உண்டு
உருகும் மனம் இல்லையெனில்
உலகம் இல்லை.

பா. அகல்யா, ஆங்கில இலக்கியம்,

சுனாமி

மருண் மாலைப் பொழுதினில்
கதிரவன் துயில் கொள்ள இடம் தரும்
கடல் அன்னையே!
நீ உன் அலைக்கரங்களால்
மக்கள் பாதத்தை வருடியபோது
மகிழ்ந்தனர்
அவர்கள் தலையை வருடியபோது
அழிந்தனர்.

கி. ஜெகதீஸ்வரி, இயற்பியல் - இரண்டாமாண்டு

நேரம் ஒதுக்கு ! மனமே ...

காலைத் தென்றலை ரசித்து சுவாசிக்க,
சூயிலின் கானம் கேட்டு மயங்க,
முகில்களைப் பிளந்து வரும் கதிரவனைக்காண,
கார்கால வானவில்லைத் தேடிக்கண்டுபிடிக்க,
விண்மீன்கள் ஒவ்வொன்றாய் தோன்றுவதை,
தென்னங் கீற்றின் வழிநிலவை நோக்க,
நேரம் ஒதுக்கு! மனமே நேரமொதுக்கு!

எனக்கென?

எனக்கென யார் உள்ளார் என்றுநான் சோர்ந்த வேலை நானுள்ளேன் என்று தென்றல் தோளைத் தட்டிக் கொடுக்க மழைத்துளி வந்து முத்தமிட மின்னல் வானவேழக்கை காட்டி இடி என்னைக் கேட்டது "எங்களை மறந்தாயோ?" என்று

எஸ். அருணா

கணிதவியல் இரண்டாமாண்டு

தொட்டு விடும் தூரம்

அன்று ஓர் இனிய மாலை நேரம். பறவைகள் குரல் எழுப்பியபடி, சூரியனை வழியனுப்பிக் கொண்டிருக்க ஓரிடத்தில் மட்டும் மெல்ல மெல்ல விடிந்து கொண்டிருந்தது. பெரிய மரத்தடி பள்ளிக் கூடத்தின், விழா கோலத்தினால் சிட்டுக்களைப் போல, பிள்ளைகள் ஒற்றமையாக, ஆண்டுவிழா கொண்டாட்டத்தில் பங்குபெற ஆவலுடன், விழாவினை எண்ணி காத்திருந்தனர். பள்ளி நிர்வாகத்தினர், விழா முக்கிய விருந்தினரை எதிர்நோக்கி வரவேற்க, வழிமீது விழி வைத்து காத்து கொண்டிருந்தனர். இதற்கிடையில் மாணவர் கூட்டம், கடல் போல் பெருந்திரளாக அமர்ந்து, தங்களுக்குள் உரையாடிக் கொண்டிருந்தனர்.

அப்போது ஒருவன், டேய், யாரு வரப்போறாங்க தெரியுமா? என்று கேட்க. "யாருடா", உனக்கு தெரிஞ்சா சொல்லேன்" என்றான். மற்றொருவன் அப்போது, இந்த ஜில்லாவுக்கே கலெக்டர் அவந்தான் வராங்களாம்டா! என்று கேள்விப்பட்டவுடன், பரபரப்பாக அமர்ந்திருந்தனர் மாணவர்கள்.

அப்போது வாயிலில், ஓர் அழகிய காரில் வந்து இறங்கினார், கம்பீரமான தோற்றத்துடன் தத்தி தத்தி நடக்கும் இயல்புடைய மதுரை மாநகர கலெக்டர். சாவித்ரி வரவேற்க காத்திருந்த பள்ளி முதல்வரை வணங்கிய கலெக்டரை மேடையை நோக்கி அழைத்து செல்லுகையில் ஒரு சிறு சறுக்கல், ஆனாலும் அதை சமாளித்து அருகில் உள்ளவர்களைத் தாங்கிப் பிடித்துக்கொண்டு மேடையில் சென்று அமர்ந்து, பரிசு பெறும் மாணவர்களைக் காண ஆர்வமுடன் இருந்தார். அப்போது பரிசு பெறும் மாணவர்களில் ஒருவன் விளையாட்டு, படிப்பு, தனித்திறன் என்று அனைத்து போட்டிகளிலும் பரிசுகளைத்

தட்டிச்சென்றதால் சிறந்த மாணவனாக அறிவிக்கப்பட்டாமல் சாவித்ரி அவர்கள். அந்த சிறந்த மாணவனான குமரனைப்பாராட்டி பரிசளித்து அவன் திறமையைக் கண்டு மனம் மகிழ்ந்து, மேலும் அந்நிலையைத் தக்க வைத்துக் கொள்ள அறிவுரை அளித்தார். நடுநிலையைக் கடைபிடித்து, அவனுக்கு அடுத்த நிலையில் இருந்தவர்களையும் பாராட்டி அவர்களை மேலும் ஊக்குவித்தார். பரிசளித்து முடிந்த பிறகு, அனைவரும் எதிர்நோக்கியிருந்த தருணம் வந்தது. கலெக்டர் அவர்கள் மேடையில் மாணவர்களிடம் உரையாடினார். முதலில் அங்கிருந்தவர்களையும் பள்ளித்தலைமையாசிரியரையும் வணங்கி பேசத் தொடங்கினார்.

மாணவ மணிகளே, இங்கு அமர்ந்திருக்கும் உங்கள் அனைவருக்கும் தெரியாத ஒரு விஷயத்தை நான் இந்த இடத்தில் கூற கடமைப்பட்டிருக்கிறேன். உங்கள் பள்ளி, இந்த பெரிய மரத்தடி பள்ளிக்கூடம் ஒரு காலத்தில் என் பள்ளியாக இருந்தது, இன்றும் என்றும் இருக்கும். இன்று பல வசதிகளைப் பெற்று, பல துறைகளைப் பெற்று வளர்ந்து நிற்கும் இதே இடத்தில், இன்று இந்த இடத்தில், இன்று இந்த பள்ளிக்கே அடையாளமாக இருக்கும் பெரிய மரத்தடியின் நிழல்தான், எங்களுக்கு அன்று விளையாட்டத்திடல், கல்விப்பயிலும் வகுப்பறை, அனைத்துமாய் திகழ்ந்து ஓர் அடைக்கலமாய் இருந்தது. இங்குதான். வெற்றியை நினைத்து பெருமிதம் அடைந்தோம், தோல்வியால் மனம் தளர்ந்தோம், இன்பம், துன்பம், போட்டி, பொறுப்பு, கடமை என்று அனைத்து உணர்வுகளையும் மகிழ்ந்து கொண்ட நினைவுகள் உங்களைக் கண்டதும், என் மனதில் காட்சிகளாய் ஓடுகின்றன. மாணவர்களே, நான் இன்று முன்வைக்க நினைக்கும் கருத்து, "தோல்வியைக் கண்டு துவளாது மனதிடத்தைப் பெருக்கிக் கொள்ளுங்கள். இன்பமும் துன்பமும் வாழ்வில் இயல்பாத் தோன்றுவதைப் போல வெற்றியையும், தோல்வியையும் சமமாகக் கருதுங்கள்.

தேர்வுகளில் தோல்வியுற்றால், மனம் உடையாமல் வெற்றிக்கான படிக்கட்டுகளாக நினைத்து, அடுத்து எவ்வாறான முயற்சியை மேற்கொண்டு வெற்றிபெறலாம் என்ற சிந்தனையில் மனதைச் செலுத்த வேண்டும். தோல்வியுற்றவனுக்கே வெற்றியின் மகத்துவம் தெரியும் என்பார்கள். ஒரு முறை வெற்றிபெற்றவுடன், மேலும் கடுமையாக உழைத்து அதனைத் தக்கவைத்து கொள்ள வேண்டும். வெற்றி அடுத்தடுத்து வந்ததை எண்ணி

முயற்சியைக் கைவிட்டு, உலகத்தையே ஜெயிக்க எண்ணிய அலெக்சாண்டர், ஹிட்லர், முசோலினி ஆகியர்கள் கடைசியில் வீழ்ந்தது நாம் அறிந்ததே. அடுத்தடுத்த வெற்றிகள் நம்மை தவிர யாருமில்லை என்று எண்ண வைத்து விடுகின்றன. மிகப்பெரிய யானை எந்த நேரத்திலும் பூச்சி, தன் காதில் நுழைந்து விடலாம் என்ற எச்சரிக்கையுடன் காதை ஆட்டிக் கொண்டுக்கிறது. எனவே, வெற்றியை நினைத்து ஆணவத்துடன் தோல்வியால் துவண்டும் விடாமல், சம நிலையில் அணுகவேண்டும் என்று கூறி தன் உரையை நிறைவு செய்து, தான் படித்த பள்ளிக்கே விருந்தினராக வந்த நினைவுகளைத் தாங்கியவாறு, காரில் ஏறி அமர்ந்து, அனைவருக்கும் விடையளித்துவிட்டு சென்று கொண்டிருந்தார்.

சாவித்ரி உடல் ஊனமுற்றவர் என்றாலும் மனதையமும் தன்னம்பிக்கையும் நிறைந்த பெண்மணி. சிறு வயதிலிருந்தே, பள்ளி வாழ்க்கையைப் பெரிதும் விரும்பினாள், காரில் தான் அலுவலகத்திற்குச் சென்று கொண்டிருக்கையில், கடந்து வந்த தன் பள்ளி வாழ்க்கையைப் புரட்டிப் பார்த்தார். போலியோவால் பாதிக்கப்பட்டதால் பலருடைய பரிதாபத்திற்கும், கேலி கிண்டல்களுக்கும் ஆளானவர். பல சிக்கல்களைச் சிறுவயதிலிருந்தே, சமாளித்து, அனுபவ அறிவுள்ளவராகத் திகழ்ந்தார். சிறுவயதிலிருந்தே, அவள் அடைந்த துன்பங்கள் அவளை, மேலும் வலிமையுள்ளவளாகவே மாற்றின. வயதைக் கடந்த முதிர்ச்சியுடன் எந்த விஷயத்திலும் செயல்படுவாள். சாவித்ரியின் உயிர்த்தோழி என்று சொன்னால் அவள் தான் சரோஜினி. இருவரும் ஒற்றுமையாக சகோதரிகளைப் போல, பழகினர். உயிருக்கு உயிராக நகமும் சதையும் போல பழகி வந்தனர். சரோஜினி அந்த கிராம அதிகாரியின் மகள் எனவே செல்வச்செழிப்புடன் வளர்ந்தவள்.

ஆனால். சாவித்ரி அதே கிராமத்தில் இடவி கடை வைத்து பிழைக்கும் அஞ்சலையின் மகள். இவ்விரு துருவங்களை, ஒன்று சேர்த்தது, அந்த பள்ளிக் கூடம் தான். இன்றும், அந்த பள்ளியைப் பார்க்கையில், சரோஜுடன் பழகி திரிந்த நினைவுகள் அவள் மனதில் பசுமரத்தாணி போல, பதிந்து இருக்கிறது. அவளை நினைக்கும் போதெல்லாம், அவள் கண்களின் ஓரம் கண்ணீர் எட்டிப்பார்க்கும் பள்ளிக்கூடம் அவளை நினைக்கும் போதெல்லாம், அவள் கண்களின்

ஓரம் கண்ணீர் எட்டிப்பார்க்கும் பள்ளிக்கூடம் அவ்விருவரையும் சேர்த்து வைத்த பாலமாக இருந்தது. இன்று, அதே பள்ளிக்கு விருந்தினராக சாவித்ரி செல்லும்போது, அதைப்பார்க்க அவள் உயிர்த்தோழி உயிரோடு இல்லை. உயிரோவியமாக அவள் மனதில் வாழ்கிறாள். சாவித்ரிக்கு சரோஜினியைப் பிடித்த காரணமே, செல்வந்தன் வீட்டுப் பெண்ணாக இருந்தாலும், அவளிடம் துளிகூட ஆணவம் இல்லை. அவள் உண்மையான நட்பை, சாவித்ரியுடன் பகிர்ந்து கொண்டாள்.

சாவித்ரி ஏழைவீட்டு பெண்ணாக இருந்தாள், அதனால் அவளுக்கு ஒருநாள் நாம் நம் திறமையால் உழைத்து பெரிய நிலைக்கு வர வேண்டும் என்ற லட்சியம் மட்டும் மனதில் தீ பிழம்பாய் எரிந்தது. ஆனால் பணக்காரர்கள் மேல் அவளுக்கு இருந்த வெறுப்பு "சரோவிடம் தெரியவில்லை." உண்மையான நட்பு மட்டுமே தெரிந்தது. அவள் நினைத்தது என்னவென்றால் நாளை உயரிய நிலைக்கு வந்தாலும், ஏழைகளுக்கு நியாயம் செய்ய மறக்கக் கூடாது என்பதாகும். எனவே அவள் அனைவருக்கும் நன்மை செய்யும் கலெக்டர் ஆக வேண்டும் என்று வெறியோடு செயல்பட்டாள்.

ஒரு நாள், வகுப்பில் ஆசிரியர் பாடம் நடத்துகையில் "அப்போது தான் குழந்தையை என்று எடுத்த ஒரு தாயிடம் மருத்துவர் சொன்னார் நீங்கள் மனதைத்திட்டப்படுத்தி கொள்ளுங்கள் என்று, அதைக்கேட்ட தாய் ஏன் குழந்தை இறந்துவிட்டதா? என்று கேட்டார். அப்போது மருத்துவர் விழியற்று, செவித்திறன்றது, பிறந்துள்ளது எனக் கூறக் கேட்ட தாய், இவ்வாறிருக்கும் நீ உலகில் எவ்வாறு வாழப் போகிறாயோ! என்று வருந்தினார். அந்த குழந்தைதான், கடின உழைப்பால், நுகரும் உணர்திறனாலும், தொடும் உணர்வாலும் பேசவும் எழுதவும் கற்றுக் கொண்டு, பலருக்கும் தூண்டுகோலாக திகழ்ந்த, எண்ணற்ற புத்தகங்கள் எழுதிய ஹெலன் கெல்லர் என்று இந்த உலகத்தால் பாராட்டப்படும் அளவிற்கு வளர்ச்சி அடைந்தார்.

முயற்சி செய்யுங்கால் எதுவும் வசப்படும் ஊனம் ஒரு தடையல்ல என்ற உறுதியைச் சாவித்திரியின் மனதில் ஏற்படுத்தியது ஹெலன் கெல்லரின் கதை. சாவித்ரியை ஊக்குவிக்க சரோ தவறுவதில்லை. விளையாட்டு தவிர அனைத்து போட்டிகளிலும் பங்கேற்றாள். சாவித்ரி, மனவருத்தத்தில் இருந்தால் சரோ சிரிக்க வைத்து விடுவாள். குறைந்த மதிப்பெண் வாங்கியதற்காக வீட்டுக்குச்

செல்லாமல் மரத்தடியில் அழுதபடி இருந்தாள் சாவித்ரி அப்போது சாவி நீ இங்க தான் இருக்கியாக்கும் நான் எங்கெல்லாந் தேடிக்கிட்டுக்கொடுத்தேன் தெரியுமா? என்றான் சரோ, அப்போது சரோ எனக்கு பயமா இருக்கு ஆத்தா கஷ்டப்பட்டு படிக்கச் சொல்லிச்சி. இப்ப இப்ப பாதா என்று அழுத்தொடங்கினான். சரோ அதற்கு அட விடுவியா இதுக்கெல்லாம் சின்ன புள்ள தனமா நீ நல்லா படிக்கிற புள்ளன்னு ஆத்தாளுக்கு தெரியும் கவலப்பட்டாதே! என்று ஆறுதல் கூறினான்

இப்படியே நாட்கள் கடந்தன. முக்கியமான தருணம் வந்தது. அதிகாரியான சரோவின் தந்தை அவனைப்பட்டணத்திற்கு அனுப்பி, ஒரு நல்ல பள்ளியில் படிக்க வைத்தார். அவள் பதினோராம் வகுப்பிலிருந்து அங்கே படித்தாள். அவள் பழகிய இடம் நண்பர்கள் முக்கியமாக சாவித்ரியை மறக்க முடியாமல் இருந்தாள். புதிய நட்பு வட்டம் நீண்டது. சுமாராகத் தேர்ச்சி பெற்றாள். அடுத்த பன்னிரண்டாம் வகுப்புக்கு முன்னேறினாள். தீய நண்பர்களின் பழக்கத்தால் படிப்பில் கவனமின்றி, வாழ்வை வாழ்ந்து வந்தாள் இருந்த நேரத்தைப் பயன்படுத்தாமல் கவலையின்றி கழித்து, தேர்வு நேரத்தில் பதற்றத்துடன் தேர்வு எழுதினாள். சுமாராக தேர்ச்சி அடைவோம் என்ற நம்பிக்கை இருந்தது. முடிவுகள் வெளியிடப்பட்டன.

ஆனால் அன்று அவள் வாய்க்கிய செய்தித்தாளில் தேர்வு எண் பதிவாகாமல் விடுபட்டிருந்தது, அதனால் மனம் உடைந்து தற்கொலை முயற்சியில் ஈடுபட்டாள். உடனடியாக நண்பர்கள் அங்கு வர, அவளைக் காப்பாற்றி மருத்துவமனையில் சேர்த்தனர். தகவல் அறிந்த அவள் தந்தை உறவினர்கள் அனைவரும் விரைந்து வந்தனர். அப்போது, மாவட்டத்தில் முதல் மதிப்பெண் எடுத்த மகிழ்ச்சியுடன் தலையில் கல் விழுந்தது போல இந்த செய்தி வந்ததும் சாவித்ரி ஓடோடி வந்தாள். மரணத்தின் பிடியில் இருந்த சரோ சாவித்ரியிடம் சாவி நான் பேசாம உன்சூடியே இருந்திருக்கலாம்.

அன்னிக்கு உனக்கு தைரியம் சொன்னேன் கடைசியில் இப்படியாயிடுச்சி பாத்தியா எல்லாம் விதி நீ கவலப்படாத நீ கண்டிப்பா ஒரு நாள் நம்ம ஜில்லாவுக்கே கலெக்டரா வருவ! அது எனக்குத் தெரியும் எனக் கூறியபோது சாவித்ரியின் கண்களிலிருந்த கண்ணீரைத் துடைத்த வாறே சரோவின் உயிர் பிரிந்தது. இதற்கிடையில் செய்தித்தாளில் விடுபட்ட எண்கள் வெளியானது. அதில் சரோவின் எண் முதல் வரிசையிலேயே இருந்தது. இன்றைய மாணவர்கள் சரோவைப்போல ஒரு நிமிடம் கூட யோசிக்காமல் விபர்தமான செயலில் ஈடுபட்டு உயிரிழக்கின்றனர். ஒவ்வொரு ஆண்டும் தேர்வு முடிவுகள் வெளியானதும் செய்தித்தாளில் இது போன்ற நிகழ்வுகள் நாம் கண்டுகொண்டுதான் இருக்கிறோம். வாழ்வில் இது போன்ற சூழ்நிலைகளைச் சவால்களாக எடுத்து கொண்டு நாமே சாதித்துக் காட்ட வேண்டுமே தவிர உயிரை மாய்த்துக் கொள்ளக் கூடாது.

சரோவின் நினைவு அந்த பெரிய மரத்தடி பள்ளி ஏற்படுத்திய தழும்பு அது என்றும் மறையாது. சாவித்ரி பள்ளியிலிருந்து திரும்பிய அடுத்த நொடி அவள் சென்றது, சரோவின் நினைவிடம் அதுதான் சரோஜினி அனாதை ஆஸ்ப்ரம், நினைவாலயம் முதியோர் இல்லம் போன்றவை. நட்பிற்கு ஒரு அழியாத நினைவாலயம். தோல்வியைக் கண்டு ஒரு நிமிடம் துவண்டதால் தவறான முடிவுக்குப் போனாள் சரோ. அதே தோல்வியை வெற்றிப்படியாய் மாற்றி தனக்கென இலட்சியத்தை உருவாக்கி அதை நோக்கி செயல்பட்டு மற்றவர்களுக்கு எடுத்தக்காட்டாய் விளங்கும் சாவித்ரி போன்ற மனஉறுதி படைத்தவர்களே இன்றைய போட்டி நிறைந்த உலகில் முதலிடத்தில் நின்று சாதிக்க வல்ல துணிவு மிக்கவர்கள் குறிக்கோளுக்காக உழைப்பவர்களுக்குக் கண்டிப்பாக வெற்றி கிட்டும். இரவில் பார்வை எட்டும் தூரத்தில் உள்ள நட்சத்திரங்களைப் போல் அல்லாமல் குறிக்கோளுடன் கூடிய இளைஞர்களின் வெற்றி என்றமே தொட்டு விடும் தூரத்தில் தான் இருக்கிறது.

பெண்கள் நாட்டின் கண்கள்

முன்னுரை

"மங்கையராகப் பிறப்பதற்கே நல்ல மாதவம் செய்திட வேண்டுமம்மா".

என்ற கவிமணி, பெண்மணிகளைப் பற்றி கனி மொழியாய் ஒரு பொன் மொழியை நமக்கு அளித்துள்ளார். கவிமணி பெண்களின் மேல் கொண்ட அளவிலாப் பற்றையே மேற்கூறிய வரி நமக்கு உணர்த்துகின்றது. நாடு, மண், மொழி, கல்வி, செல்வம், என அனைத்தையுமே, நாம் பெண்களின் உருவில் வழிபடுகின்றோம். எல்லாவற்றிற்கும் மேலாக, உடலின் முக்கிய உறுப்பான கண்களாய்க் கருதி, முக்கியத்துவம் வாய்ந்த இடத்தில் வைத்துள்ளனர். தமிழர் இருந்தும் பெண் சமுதாயம் பிறப்பட்டுள்ளது ஏன்?

பெண்ணின் பெருமை கவிமணி தேசிக விநாயகம் பிள்ளை, பாரதியார், பாரதிதாசனார், பெரியார் என எல்லா தலைவர்களும் பெண்களைப் போற்றிப் பாடலாய் வடித்துள்ளனர். பாரதியார் பெண்களை சிவச்சக்தியுடன் ஒப்பிட்டுப் போற்றினார். அவர் பாடல்கள் பெரும்பாலும் நமக்கு உணர்த்தும் உண்மை இது. ஏசு பெருமானும் தவறு செய்த பெண்ணைத் தண்டிக்க வந்தவர்களை நோக்கி "தவறு செய்யாதவர் தண்டிக்கலாம்" என்றார். நபிகள் ஆண்களுக்குச் சமமாய் பெண்களைப் பலவாறு போற்றியுள்ளார். வள்ளுவப் பெருந்தகை பெண்ணின் பெருந்தக்க யாவுள எனக் கேள்வி எழுப்புகிறார்.

பாரதியார் மட்டுமே "தந்தையர் நாடு என" தம் பாடலில் குறிப்பிட்டுள்ளார். மற்ற அனைவரும் "தாய்நாடு" என்றே பாடியுள்ளனர். எல்லாவற்றிற்கும் மேலாக, உயிரை உலகிற்கு அளிக்கும் ஒப்பற்ற சக்தியை இறைவன் பெண்ணுக்கு மட்டுமே வழங்கி பெருமைப்படுத்தினார்.

காலயாற்றத்தால் பெண்கள் நிலை :

சங்ககாலத்தில் ஔவையார் போன்ற பெண்பாற்புலவர்கள் புலமையிலும் சிறப்பிற்று, அரசியல் ஆலோசகர்களாகவும், நட்புள்ள மேதைகளாகவும், விளங்கினர். ஆனால் இடைக்காலத்தில் பெண்களின் நிலை குறைத்து மதிப்பிடப்பட்டது. மதங்களும் பெண்களைப் பேதையர்களாகவும், பின்புத்தி உள்ளவர்களாகவும் காட்டின. "சதி" போன்ற உடன்கட்டை ஏற்றும் பழக்கமும் நீடித்தது. பின்னர் தயானந்த சரஸ்வதி,

ராஜாராம் மோகன்ராய் போன்ற சமூக ஆர்வலர்களால் இந்நிலை சற்று தளர்ந்தது. அன்றிலிருந்து, பெண்கள் ஆணாதிக்க சமுதாயத்தால் ஒரு படி கீழே நிறுத்தி வைக்கப்பட்டனர்.

பெண் கல்வி:

பாரதியார், பாரதிதாசன் போன்றோர், பெண் கல்வியை வற்புறுத்தினர். பாரதியார் சட்டங்களைப் பெண்கள் அறிய வேண்டும் என்று போராட்டம் நடத்தினார் பாரதிதாசன்

"தலை வாரி பூச்சுட்டி பள்ளிக்கு போ"

எனப் பெண் கல்வி பெற்று வாழ பாடுபட்டார். இன்று பெண்களின் கல்விநிலை உயர்ந்துள்ளது, என்பதை ஒவ்வொரு ஆண்டும் பெண்கள் தேர்ச்சி சதவிகிதம் நமக்கு தெள்ளத் தெளிவாகக் காட்டுகின்றது. பெண் குடும்பத்தில் கல்வியால் உயர்ந்தால், அந்த குடும்பமே செழிப்பாகும், இவ்வாறே நாட்டிலுள்ள பெண்கள் செயல்பட்டால் நாடே கல்வி அறிவு மிக்க நாடாக ஒளிரும்.

சரிநிகர் சமான்

ஆணுக்கு பெண் சரிநிகர் சமான் என்றார், பாரதி அடுப்பூதும் பெண்ணுக்கு படிப்பெதற்கு என்ற மூடர் மடிந்துவிட்டார் என்று பெண்ணுக்கு ஆதரவாக நின்றார் பாரதி

"ஆணுக்கிங்கே பெண் சரிநிகர் என கும்மியபடி பெண்ணே! கும்மியடி" என்று அம்மிபிடித்திருந்தவரை,

கும்மியடிக்கச் செய்தார், பாரதி சமுதாயம் ஆண்பாதி பெண் பாதி என இருப்பின் பெண்ணடிமைக்கு விடை என்ன? என்பதை எதிர்த்து ஒரு தீவிர வாதியாய் செயல்பட்டார் பாரதி.

இன்று ஆண்கள் செய்ய தயங்கும் பல பணிகளைப் பெண்கள் தைரியமாகச் செய்து முடிக்கின்றனர். இருப்பினும் பெண்கள் இட ஒதுக்கீட்டிற்கு 33% த்திற்குக் கூட போராட்டமாய் போராடி கிடைக்காத நிலை உள்ளது.

பாரதியின் கருத்தில் ஒரு பெருமை

பாரதி, பெண்கள் பட்டங்கள் வாங்கி, சட்டங்களை மதித்து நடக்கச் சொன்னார். ஆனால் அவர் ஆண்களை மதிக்க வேண்டாம். எனக் கூறவில்லை பெண்கள், ஆண்களின் வெற்றிக்கு உறுதுணையாக செயல்பட்டு அவர்களின்

இன்புண்பங்களில் பங்கெடுத்து, வாழ்வில் உயர்த்தி, பின்னடைவு அடையத் தேவையில்லை அவர்களுக்கும் உதவி தாமும் வாழ்வில் முன்னேறும் நோக்கில் செயல்பட வேண்டும்

பெண்களைப் பற்றிய விமர்சனம்

பெண்களைத் தெய்வமாய் மதிக்கும் நம் நாட்டிலே தான் கண்ணகி மதுரையை எரித்தாள், சீதை தக்குளித்தாள் என்பதை மறந்துவிடக் கூடாது. பெண்ணே, மற்றொரு பெண்ணுக்கு எதிரியாகச் செயல்படுகிறாள் என்பது வேதனைக்குரியது. "பெண் புத்தி பின் புத்தி" சீறும் பாம்பை நம்பு சிரிக்கும் பெண்ணை நம்பாதே" பெட்டைக் கோழி கூவியா பொழுது விடியப் போகுது" என பல பழமொழிகள் நிலவி வந்தது வருந்தக்கூது. ஆக்க சக்தி அணுசக்தி ஆகலாம் என்பதை மறக்கக்கூடாது

இன்றைய பெண்கள் நிலை

இன்றைய வேகமாக மாறி வரும் பரபரப்பான உலகில், ஆணுக்கு நிகர் மட்டுமல்ல ஆணுக்கு மேலான நிலையில் பெண்கள் உள்ளனர். குடுமையான உழைப்பில் நம்பிக்கைக் கொண்டு, முன்னேற்றம் அடைந்து வருகின்றனர். பெண்ணுக்கு பெண்ணே எதிரியாக மாறிவரும், வரதட்சணைக் கொடுமை இன்றளவும் குறையவில்லை, என்பதை நாம் மறக்கக்கூடாது

எனவே, ஒவ்வொரு பெண்மணியும் தான் வரதட்சணை கொடுக்காமல் திருமணம் புரிய முன்வரும் ஆடவரை மணக்க வேண்டும். இவ்வாறு செய்தால் நம் நாட்டைவிட்டு வரதட்சணைப் பேயை விரட்டி அடிக்க இயலும், இவ்வாறு சமூக அலகங்கள் ஒரு முனையில் நிகழ மறுமுனையில் பதவிகளும் பாராட்டுகளும் குவிகின்றன. சமீபத்திய ஜனாதிபதி தேர்தலில் நின்று வெற்றிபெற்ற பெண் வேட்பாளர் "பிரதீபா பாட்டில்" முதல் பெண் ஜனாதிபதி என்ற பெருமையை அடைந்தார் இவ்வாறு சமூகத்தில் பெண்கள் நிலை உயர்வதைச் காண்கிறோம்.

முடிவுரை

பெண்கள் தன்னினத்தைத் தாமே வெறுக்கும் இழிவினைப் போக்க வேண்டும். புடவை, சொத்து, நகை போன்ற ஆடம்பரத்தை, ஆசையை அடக்கி, அறிவு தீபங்களாகத் தங்களை அலங்கரித்துக்காட்ட வேண்டும். பெண்களின் அழகே அறிவுதான் என்பதை நிலைநாட்டி கவர்ச்சிபொருள் அல்ல என்பதை நினைவூட்டி, வெற்றிபெற வாழ்த்துங்கள்! ஆண்களும் வாழ்த்துங்கள்! ஏனென்றால் உங்களைப் பெற்றவரும் ஒரு பெண் தானே!

ம. மைதிலி

கணினி, மூன்றாமாண்டு

தமிழ் பேரவை

05.02.2008 அன்று திரு. இராமலிங்கம் அவர்கள் தமிழ் பேரவையைத் தொடங்கி வைத்து "சிகரத்தை நோக்கி" என்ற தலைப்பில் மாணவியரின் நட்பு, திருக்குறளின் பெருமை என்பன குறித்துச் சிறப்புறப் பேசினார்.

03.03.2008 அன்று திரு. தமிழ் நெஞ்சன் அவர்களின் தலைமையில் இன்றைய இளைய சமுதாயம் செல்லும் பாதை திட்டமிட்ட பாதையா! திசைமாறிய பாதையா! என்ற தலைப்பில் பட்டிமன்றம் நடைபெற்று, திட்டமிட்ட பாதையே! என்று தீர்ப்பு வழங்கப்பட்டது.

தமிழ் பேரவை ஆப்டெக் நிறுவனத்தாருடன் இணைந்து பல்கலைப் போட்டிகள் நடத்தி நம் மாணவியரின் கலைத்திறமையை வெளிக்கொணர்ந்தது.

தமிழ்த் துறை

தமிழ் பேரவையின் சார்பில் 2007-08 ஆம் ஆண்டு நடைபெற்ற பல்வேறு போட்டிகளின் பரிசு விவரங்கள்

வரிசை எண்	போட்டி	பரிசு	பெயர்
1.	பேச்சு	முதல் பரிசு இரண்டாம் பரிசு	எஸ். பார்வதி - இரண்டாம் ஆண்டு, இயற்பியல் எஸ். ஷீலா லட்சுமி - இரண்டாம் ஆண்டு, வணிகவியல்
2.	கவிதை	முதல் பரிசு இரண்டாம் பரிசு	பி. அகல்யா - மூன்றாம் ஆண்டு, ஆங்கில இலக்கியம் பி. பவித்ரா - இரண்டாம் ஆண்டு, கணிதவியல்
3.	கட்டுரை	முதல் பரிசு இரண்டாம் பரிசு	எம். மைதிலி - மூன்றாம் ஆண்டு, கணிதவியல் எஸ். விஜயலதா - இரண்டாம் ஆண்டு, ஆங்கில இலக்கியம்
4.	சிறுகதை	முதல் பரிசு இரண்டாம் பரிசு	எம். மைதிலி - மூன்றாம் ஆண்டு, கணிதவியல் வே. காயத்ரி - இரண்டாம் ஆண்டு, இயற்பியல்
5.	பல்கலை	முதல் பரிசு இரண்டாம் பரிசு	எஸ். புவனேஸ்வரி, டி.இ.ஹரிணி, ஆர். ஜெயலட்சுமி, டி. வனஜா, ஜே. ஹர்மிளா தேவி, மகாலட்சுமி சவுந்தர், வி. கனிமொழி, எஸ். ஆனந்த லட்சுமி - வணிகவியல் (மாலை நேரக் கல்லூரி) எம்.எஸ். விஷ்ணுபிரியா, என். அம்பிகா, எஸ். அர்ச்சனா, சி. வனிதா, வி. ராஜராஜேஸ்வரி, ஆர். முத்துலட்சுமி. ஜி. கௌதமி, எஸ்.ஸ்ரீவித்யா - தாவர உயிரியல் & உயிர் தொழிற் நுட்பவியல் துறை
6.	செய்கை மொழி	முதல் பரிசு இரண்டாம் பரிசு	என். விநோதினி, எஸ். நிஷாந்தி, பி. கார்த்திகா - இரண்டாம் ஆண்டு வணிகவியல் டி.எஸ். சிந்துஜா, எம். செளமியா, எம். வைஷ்ணவி - இரண்டாம் ஆண்டு வணிகவியல் (மாலை நேரக் கல்லூரி)

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எண் போட்டிகள் இடம்	பேர்	பெயர்	பரிசு
1.	பேச்சு	டாக்டர். எம்.ஜி.ஆர். ஜானகிகல்லூரி	ஆறுதல் பரிசு (புத்தகம்)
2.	கவிதை	காசி நாடார் கலை அறிவியல் கல்லூரி	பங்கேற்பு சான்றிதழ்
3.	கட்டுரை	காசி நாடார் கலை அறிவியல் கல்லூரி	பங்கேற்பு சான்றிதழ்
4.	கவிதை	காசி நாடார் கலை அறிவியல் கல்லூரி	பங்கேற்பு சான்றிதழ்
5.	பேச்சு	மணிகூண்டு தங்க மாளிகை	முதல் பரிசு (மூன்று சவரன் தங்கம் 25,000/-)
6.	கலக்கல் அரங்கம்	ஜாக் டி.வி	ரூ. 1,000/- பரிசு
7.	கட்டுரை	மதுரை தெற்காடி வீதி	சான்றிதழ்
8.	பாடல் ஒப்பு வித்தல் போட்டி	படப்பை சமுதாய நலக்கூடம்	முதல் பரிசு (ரூ. 3,000/-)
9.	கவிதை	"ஈரோடு இல்லம்" அடையாறு	மூன்றாம் பரிசு
10.	பேச்சு	ஒய்.எம்.சி.ஏ	இரண்டாம் பரிசு
11.	பேச்சு ஜெயின்	குரு ஸ்ரீ சாந்தி விஜய் கல்லூரி	முதல் பரிசு

12.	ஒப்பு வித்தல் போட்டி	லயோலா கல்லூரி வி.காயத்ரி இயற்பியல் - இரண்டாம் ஆண்டு	முதல் பரிசு
13.	பேச்சு	கன்னிகா பரமேஸ்வரி மகனிர் கல்லூரி	முதல் பரிசு (சுழல் கோப்பை) (சான்றிதழ்)
14.	பேச்சு	தன்ராஜ் பெய்த் ஜெயின் கல்லூரி	மூன்றாம் பரிசு மூன்றாம் பரிசு சான்றிதழ் (ரூ.200/-)
15.	கட்டுரை	இளைஞர் இயக்கம் தேனாம்பேட்டை	சான்றிதழ்
16.	கவிதை	தன்ராஜ் பெய்த் ஜெயின் கல்லூரி துரைபாக்கம்	மூன்றாம் பரிசு ரூ. 200/-)
17.	வில்லுப் பாட்டு	முத்தையாகலை அறிவியல் கல்லூரி	புத்தகங்கள் (16) குமாரராணி மீ நா கே. கௌதமி, எம். எஸ் விஷ்ணுபிரியா என். அம்பிகா, முதல் பரிசு சான்றிதழ் எஸ். தேன்மொழி, வி. சரஸ்வதி ராஜா ராஜேஸ்வரிபி. அர்ச்சனா. சி. வனிதா - து, ஸ்வர உயிரியல், உயிர் தொழில் நுட்பவியல்
18.	பேச்சு	புதுக்கல்லூரி	மூன்றாம் பரிசு

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— यानी जिन उपायों से आत्मा की शुद्धि होती है उनको धर्म कहते हैं। धर्म की परिभाषा वर्ण, जाति और सम्प्रदाय से मुक्त होती है।

आत्मा की शुद्धि का मार्ग बताती हैं -- धार्मिक सम्प्रदायों। वह हमें अज्ञान से ज्ञान की ओर ले जाती है। वह हमें मूल को समझकर मुक्ति की ओर ले जाती है। संक्षेप में धार्मिक सम्प्रदाय हमारा मार्ग दर्शन कराती हैं। वह हमें दया, करुणा, पुण्य आदि का पाठ पढ़ाकर हमें आध्यात्मिक विकास का ज्ञान देती हैं।

एक सच्चे भक्त के लिए धार्मिक संप्रदायों का पालन करना आवश्यक नहीं है क्योंकि व्यक्ति संप्रदाय से अतीत होकर भी अपनी आध्यात्मिक पवित्रता को बढ़ाते-बढ़ाते केवल (मुक्त) हो सकता है।

परंतु व्यक्ति संप्रदाय का सार समझकर धर्म का पालन करेगा तो उसे ज्यादा लाभ होगा। उसे धर्म और संप्रदाय दोनों को ही महत्व देना चाहिए। क्योंकि हर संप्रदाय मैत्री और अहिंसा की भावना का उल्लेख करती है। जैसे हम 'दीपावली' का त्यौहार मनाते हैं। यह त्यौहार केवल दीप जलाने से समाप्त नहीं होता। इसमें और कई धार्मिक कथाएँ एवं संप्रदाय जुड़ी हुई हैं जो हमें प्यार, मित्रता आदि का पाठ सिखाती हैं।

अतः धर्म अगर दीप की लौ है तो संप्रदाय उसका पात्र। धर्म फल है तो संप्रदाय उसका छिलका। धर्म चैतन्य है तो संप्रदाय उसको ब्यक्त करनेवाली भाषा। अगर संप्रदाय आवरण बनकर धर्म पर छा जाती है, तब पात्र, छिलका और भाषा का मूल्य लौ, सार और ज्ञान से अधिक हो जाती है। परंतु हमें मुख्यता तो सिर्फ धर्म को ही देना चाहिए।

अतः एक सच्चे भक्त को अपनी आत्मा की शुद्धि करने के लिए संप्रदाय को भी थोड़ा-सा महत्व देना

चाहिए। परंतु व्यक्ति को मुक्ति प्राप्त करने के लिए हमेशा आध्यात्मिकता की खोज करनी चाहिए।

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जीवन मूल्य

जीवन आसमान है,

कभी सूर्य की किरणों का साथ,
कभी अमावस्या की रात।।

जीवन अग्नि है,

कभी रोशनी का सहारा,
कभी जाला देनेवाला अंगारा।।

जीवन बगीचा है,

कभी फूलों का गुलदस्ता,
कभी काँटों भरा रास्ता।।

जीवन वादल है,

कभी वारिश की बहार,
कभी विजली की खनखार।।

जीवन सागर है,

कभी सुनहरी पानी की लहर,
कभी तूफान का जहर।।

जीवन संगीत है,

कभी सुरों का सार।
कभी बेसुरीली आवाज की मार।।

जीवन पर्वत है,

कभी ऊँचाई पर पहुँचाती,
कभी खाई में गिराती।।

जीवन हवा है,

कभी दिल को छूने वाली महक,
कभी प्रदूषित भरी दस्तक।।

जीवन नदी है,

कभी झरने को मिलाती,
कभी खुद ही टूट जाती।

टूटी हुई नदी कभी नहीं बहती,
मगर बहती हुई नदी हमेशा सहती।।

जीवन जीवन है,

कभी प्यार की छाँव,
कभी नफरत भरे घाव।।
जीवन चार पल की है दास्ता,
कभी खुशियाँ कभी गमों का रास्ता।।

जीवन जो मिला उसका आदर करो,
जीवन के मूल्य को समझो।
खुशियों में अगर हँसो,
तो दुःख को सहो।

दुःख सहोगे तो सुख मिलेगा,
हर अँधेरे के बाद उजाला मिलेगा।
उजाले में मिलेगी सफलता,
सफलता से मेहकेगी जीवन की महत्त्वता।।

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पढ़ो और हँसो

● नाई (एक आदमी से) : कहिए साहब, वाल कितने छोटे कर दूँ?

आदमी : भाई, इतने छोटे कर दो की लड़ाई करते समय मेरी पत्नी की पकड़ में न आयें।

● सरदारजी : Beach पर आराम करते हैं (इस बीच एक आदमी आता है)

आदमी : आर यू रिलेक्सिंग relaxing

सरदारजी : नहीं मैं प्रताप सिंग हूँ।

और एक आदमी : आर यू रिलेक्सिंग ?

सरदारजी : नहीं मैं प्रताप सिंग हूँ।

(सरदारजी तंग आकर दूसरी जगह पर जाकर बैठते हैं)

वहाँ जाकर

सरदारजी (एक आदमी से) : आर यू रिलेक्सिंग?

आदमी : एस ऐ एम रिलेक्सिंग सिंग।

(सरदारजी उस आदमी को जोर से मारते हैं)

सरदारजी : आप को लोग वहाँ ढूँढ़ रहे हैं।

● सरदारजी : दो कोट पहनकर पेईट करते हैं।
उनका दोस्त : क्या यार; इतनी कड़ी धूप में तुम क्यों दो कोट पहने हो?

सरदारजी : क्या करूँ यार ; इस पेईट के डिब्बे पर लिखा है "पुट टू कोट्स"

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वास्तुशास्त्र

'वास्तु' शब्द संस्कृत के 'वास' शब्द से लिया गया है, जिसका अर्थ होता है निवास करना।

यह 'वास्तु' और 'वासना' शब्दों से भी सम्बन्ध रखता है। इसका अभिप्राय है-जीवन को इच्छाओं और वास्तविकता के अनुरूप जीना। यह प्रकृति के सिद्धान्तों के अनुरूप जीने का प्राचीन विज्ञान है। वास्तु ठोस सिद्धान्तों पर आधारित है। जिनका वैज्ञानिक आधार मौजूद है। हमारा शरीर और यह पूरा ब्रह्मांड पाँच तत्त्वों वायु, जल अग्नि, पृथ्वी और आकाश से बना है। इन सभी तत्त्वों का सही दिशाओं में सन्तुलन बनाए रखना ही वास्तु का सिद्धान्त है। वास्तु के सिद्धान्त सभी मतों के लोगों को प्रभावित करते हैं।

धर्म, जीने की एक राह है और वह हमारे जीने के तरीके के अनुरूप होता है। इस ब्रह्माण्ड में बहुत सी शक्तियाँ मौजूद हैं और वे सकारात्मक और नकारात्मक ऊर्जा छोड़ती है। वास्तु नकारात्मक शक्तियों का मुकाबला करने और सकारात्मक शक्तियों को ग्रहण करने में मदद करता है।

ऋग्वेद, मत्स्य पुराण, रामायण और महाभारत में वास्तु का उल्लेख मिलता है। अब आप सोचेंगे कि पौराणिक वास्तुरूप का उद्भव कैसे हुआ?

वास्तु पुरुष

भगवान महादेव कई वर्षों तक अंधक दानव से युद्ध करते रहे और अंत में उसे मार गिराया। उसके पसीने से एक शक्तिशाली पुरुष (दानव) उत्पन्न हुआ। वह अपने रास्ते में आने वाले लोगों और पशुओं को नष्ट कर देता था। लोगों ने इसकी शिकायत ब्रह्मा से की। उन्होंने उसे भूमि पर लेटने को कहा और विभिन्न देवताओं ने उसके शरीर के अंगों पर अपना अधिकार जमा लिया। इस पर वह क्षमयाचना करने लगा भगवान ब्रह्मा ने उस पर तरस खाकर उसे वरदान दिया कि लोग उसकी वास्तु पुरुष के रूप में पूजा करेंगे और अपने घर उसकी इच्छानुसार बनाएँगे। हम सभी उनकी पूजा विश्वकर्मा के रूप में करते हैं।

व्यक्ति के जीवन को विभिन्न शक्तियाँ प्रभावित करती हैं। वास्तुशास्त्र एक महत्वपूर्ण शक्ति है। अगर किसी व्यक्ति के सितारों बहुत अनुकूल हैं तो वास्तु सिद्धान्तों के उल्लंघन के बावजूद विपरीत प्रभाव अधिक सीमा तक महसूस नहीं होते। लेकिन सितारे यदि अनुकूल नहीं हैं तो वे बुरी तरह महसूस होते हैं।

वास्तु शास्त्र का गहन अध्ययन और उसकी तार्किक व्याख्या ऐसे सुधार के उपाय सुझाते हैं, जिसमें मुश्किल से कोई संरचनात्मक परिवर्तन शामिल होता है। इसमें अनेक कारकों को ध्यान में रखा जाता है। जैसे-कमरों की आन्तरिक व्यवस्था, फर्नीचर आदि की स्थिति, वाहनों की पार्किंग, पानी के स्रोत की स्थिति, सीढ़ियाँ, दरवाजे, बिड़कियाँ आदि। व्यक्ति के मानसिक, शारीरिक और ब्यावसायिक स्वास्थ्य के लिए आधुनिक युग में वास्तुशास्त्र एक नई उम्मीद के रूप में आया है। प्रत्येक सफल व्यक्ति इस सत्य को स्वीकार करता है। और अपने

जीवन में वास्तु को महत्व देता है।

लालच का परिणाम

लालच मानव का एक विशेष गुण है। जो उसका विलकुल सर्वनाश कर देता है। लालच के वारे में कई कवियों और कहानीकारों ने अपनी रचनाओं के द्वारा लोगों को बताया है। संत कवि ने लिखा है।

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अखिल, अनूप और अमर तीनों दोस्त एक गाँव में रहते थे। एक बार तीनों ने नौकरी करने के लिए नगर जाने का निश्चय किया। नगर जाने का रास्ता जंगल के बीच में था। जंगल में उन तीनों को कई कठिनाइयों का सामना करना पड़ा। अचानक उन्हें एक पेटी मिली। पेटी में रूपों के बण्डल भरे थे। इसे देखकर उन तीनों के मन में लालच की भावना पैदा हुई। भूख उन्हें सता रही थी। इसलिए उन पेटी में से कुछ पैसे लेकर अखिल खाना खरीदने के लिए गया। तब अनूप और अमर सोचने लगे कि यदि वे अखिल को मार डालें तो उस पैसे को वह दोनों आपस में ही बाँट सकते हैं। नगर से लौटते समय अखिल ने सोचा कि यदि वह उन दोनों को मार डालें तो उसे पूरी रकम मिल जायेगी। इसलिए उसने खाने का डब्बा खोलकर उसमें विप मिला दिया। जब वह लौटा, तब अनूप और अमर ने उसे मार डाला। उन दोनों ने आराम से पैसे को बराबर बराबर बाँट लिया। उन दोनों को बहुत भूख लगी थी इसलिए उन्होंने अखिल के द्वारा लाए हुए खाने को खा लिया। उसे खाकर वह दोनों भी मर गए। लालच के कारण किसी को भी रूपया नहीं मिला। लालच का फल यही होता है।

यदि हमें रूखा-सूखा खाना भी मिलता है, तो हमें उसको खाकर ही संतोष करना चाहिए और अच्छा प्राप्त करने के लिए मेहनत करनी चाहिए। दूसरों की अच्छी चीजें देखकर हमें अपने मन में लालच की भावना पैदा होने देना नहीं चाहिए कहा गया है कि

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माता दुर्गा

अति प्राचीनकाल से भारतवर्ष में विभिन्न देवी-देवताओं की आराधना होती चली आई है। विभिन्न देवीदेवताओं को जीवन की विभिन्न स्थितियों से सम्बन्धित किया गया है। इन्द्र जल के देवता है, यम मृत्यु के, ब्रह्मा संसार के नियामक है, विष्णु पालनकर्ता और शंकर पालनकर्ता एवं संहारक दोनों हैं। लक्ष्मी धन की देवी हैं, सरस्वती विद्या की, दुर्गा ऐश्वर्य की, विभिन्न देवियों में माँ दुर्गा को जो गौरव प्रदान किया गया है वह अन्य किसी भी देवी को प्राप्त नहीं है। भारत में शक्ति और ऐश्वर्य की पूजा अति प्राचीनकाल से चली आ रही है। शास्त्रवल के साथ ही भारत-वासियों ने शस्त्रवल को अधिक महत्व दिया है, यही कारण है कि देवी दुर्गा की आराधना भारतवासी अति प्राचीनकाल से करते चले आ रहे हैं। लक्ष्मी को यहाँ आदर प्रदान किया गया है लेकिन धन को वह महत्व नहीं मिला है जो विद्या एवं ऐश्वर्य को।

माँ दुर्गा सभी प्रकार के कष्टों की संहारक हैं और उनके निकट पहुँचते ही समस्त प्रकार के कष्ट समाप्त हो जाते हैं वे सभी देवियों के लिए दुर्दया है और दुर्गाविनाशिनी है। इसी कारण उन्हें दुर्गा कहा जाता है। उनमें दुर्गा नाम की व्युत्पत्ति कई अन्य प्रकार से की गई है कहा जाता है कि उन्होंने दुर्गा नामक दैत्य का संहार किया था और इसी कारण वह दुर्गा कहलाई, मार्कण्डेय पुराण में लिखा है।

*“तत्रैव वधिष्यामि दुर्गाभाख्यं महासुरम्
दुर्गा देविति विख्यातं तन्मै नाम भविष्यति।”*

एक अन्य कथा के अनुसार इस देवी के स्मरण मात्र से इन्द्र आदि देवताओं ने शत्रु संकट से छुटकारा पाया और इस कारण यह दुर्गा के नाम से विख्यात हुई। देवी पुराण में लिखा है :

*“स्मरणदमर्थं दुर्गे तारति रिपुसंकते।
देवः शुक्रादयो यास्यात् तेन दुर्गा प्रकीर्तिता।।”*

दुर्गा पूजा को विजयदशमी के नाम से भी पुकारा जाता है। इसके भी कई करण बताए जाते हैं। इस दशमी की तिथि को विजया अर्थात् महाशक्ति की विधिपूर्वक आराधना एवं अनुष्ठान किया जाता है और इस कारण उसे विजयदशमी कहा जाता है। यह भी कहा जाता, कि इस तिथि को भगवान श्री राम ने देवी दुर्गा की आराधना करके आततायी रावण पर विजय प्राप्त की थी और इसी कारण यह तिथि विजयदशमी के नाम से विख्यात हुई। एक अन्य मान्यता के अनुसार यदि दशमी को श्रद्धापूर्वक देवी की आराधना की जाय तो जीवन में जय अवश्यम्भावी होती है। यह भी मान्यता है कि महाविद्याओं एवं इन्द्रियों की संख्या 10 है। माता की आराधना इन दसों महाविद्याओं एवं इन्द्रियों पर अधिकार करने के लिए की जाती है। दूसरे शब्दों में यह कहा जा सकता है कि उन पर विजय के हेतु ही माता की आराधना होती है। दुर्गा पूजा को दशहरा के नाम से भी पुकारा जाता है क्योंकि इसी दिन 10 मुख (रावण) का संहार किया गया था और 10 मुख वाले के द्वारा उत्पन्न किये गये कष्टों का हरण किया गया था।

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गर्मियों की छुट्टियाँ थी। तब मैं ग्यारहवीं कक्षा पास कर चुका था। छुट्टियों में कुछ करने का इरादा था। तभी मैंने अखबार में एफ. ओ. पी. के बारे में पढ़ा। एफ. ओ. पी. का पूर्ण रूप है “फ्रेड्स ऑफ पुलिस अर्थात् पुलिस के दोस्त। यह मुझे साहसिक कार्य लगा। मुझे पहले से ही साहसिक कार्यों में बहुत दिलचस्पी थी। मैंने इसके बारे में अपने दोस्तों को बताया। हम सारे

दोस्त लड़ने की कला में निपुण थे और हमारे दिल को 'टाई-कूत' कहा जाता था। इस कला में निपुणता प्राप्त करने के कारण हमको एफ. ओ. पी बनने की आसानी से स्वीकृति मिल गई। हम सबने यह निश्चय कर लिया कि इन छुट्टियों में हम सब समाज के लिए कुछ करेंगे।

एफ. ओ. पी. का काम रात में होता है। हम सबको रात दस बजे के बाद पेट्रोलिंग के लिए बुलाया गया था। रात में अपराध होने की संभावना ज्यादा होती है। यह काम बिलकुल नया था और मैं बहुत उत्साहित हो रहा था। हम सबको एक एक लाठी दी गई और एक-एक पुलिस अफसर के साथ भेज दिया गया। मुझे एक बरिष्ठ अफसर के साथ मोटर वाहन में भेजा गया था। प्रारम्भ में लोगों का आना जाना ही हो रहा था। बारह बजे के बाद गाड़ियों का आना जाना खत्म हुआ और सारी सड़कों पर सन्नाटा छा गया। इसी समय हम सबको ज्यादा सावधानी बरतनी थी। हमको जिस इलाके में भेजा गया या वहाँ चोरियाँ और लूट-मार ज्यादा होती थी।

हमने उस इलाके से कुछ दूर पहले ही मोटर गाड़ी बंद कर दी ताकि उसकी आवाज सुनकर कोई चोर उचके चौकले न हो जाएँ। मेरे साथ रहनेवाले अफसर के पास एक 'बाकीटॉकी' था जिससे वह अन्य अफसरों से बात-चीत कर वहाँ की जानकारी लेते थे और वहाँ की जानकारी भी देते थे। कुछ दूर तक हम साथ थे लेकिन उसके बाद हमें अलग-अलग रास्तों में जाना पड़ा ताकि आने-जाने के सारे रास्ते हमारी नजरों में रहे। इस समय मेरी दिलचस्पी और बढ़ गई थी और थोड़ा डर भी लग रहा था। तब रात के दो बजे थे। सड़क की बत्ती से ही कुछ उजाला था और कुछ बतियाँ काम नहीं कर रही थी जिससे कुछ दूर तक अंधेरा छाया हुआ था और मुझे उसी रास्ते से जाना था। मैं धीरे-धीरे आगे बढ़ा और मैं इतना सावधान रहा कि वहाँ हो रही छोटी से छोटी आवाज़ मेरे कानों तक पहुँच रही थी। मैंने रास्ता पार कर लिया और मेरे साथ आटो अफसर से मिल गया। अब तक कोई भी घटना होने की जानकारी प्राप्त नहीं हुई थी। रात के कोई ढाई बजे थे। मैं अपने अफसर के

साथ बातचीत कर रहा था कि अचानक वाकी-टॉकी की घंटी बजी और हमें एक जगह पर जल्दी आने को कहा गया। हम तुरन्त वहाँ से निकल पड़े और मोटर गाड़ी लेकर उस जगह की ओर बढ़े। हमें वहाँ क्यों बुलाया गया यह नहीं पता था। वहाँ पहुँचते ही मैंने देखा की वहाँ पर कुछ पुलिस अफसर और मेरा एक साथी मौजूद थे। हमें उस जगह के एक घरवाले ने बताया कि उसने किसी आदमी के चलने की आहट सुनी और जब वह नींद से जागा तो उसने एक आदमी के दौड़ने की भी आवाज़ सुनी और उसकी परछायी भी देखी। वहाँ सड़क पर, रहनेवाले कुत्ते भी भौंक रहे थे। हम सबको यह शक हो गया था यहाँ पर चोरी करने की कोशिश की गई थी। मैं और मेरा दोस्त एक दूसरे को देखने लगे। कुछ ही समय में हमने सारा इलाका घेर लिया और वहाँ की तलाशी लेनी शुरू कर दी। वहाँ से निकलने वाले हर रास्ते के कोने में एक-पुलिस अफसर को खड़ा कर दिया गया ताकि वहाँ से कोई निकल न जाय। हर एक गली, घर, कोना, झोपड़ी और यहाँ तक की पेड़ों के ऊपर भी तलाशी हो रही थी। इस तलाशी में मैं भी शामिल था। तलाशी करते-करते मैं एक घर में पहुँचा और वहाँ से अगले घर में पहुँचने ही वाला था कि वहाँ से एक काला आदमी सिर्फ एक पैजामे में दौड़ने लगा। वो बिलकुल मेरी नजरों में था। मैं उसे पकड़ने की कोशिश में उसकी ओर दौड़ने लगा तभी वहाँ के कुछ पुलिस वालों ने उसे घेर लिया और उसको गरदन से पकड़ लिया। उस समय एक मिनट के लिए मेरी दिल की धड़कन रुक सी गई। फिर उससे पूछताछ करने लगे कि वो कौन है, वहाँ क्या कर रहा था आदि कुछ देर बाद उसे थाने ले गए। यह सब खत्म होते होते चार बजे चुके थे। हम सब एक चाय की दुकान पर गए और वहाँ वाते करते हुए चाय पी। उसके बाद ठीक पाँच बजे हम सब थाने में इकट्ठे हो गए और सबने अपना-अपना अनुभव बताया। वहाँ के पुलिसवालों ने हमारी प्रशंसा कर शावाशी भी दी। वहाँ पर मेरा नाम 'लिटिल जैकी चैन' रखा गया। उसके बाद हम सब अपने-अपने घर चले गए।

इस तरह हमने एक हफ्ते में दो रात एफ. ओ. पी. का काम किया और अपने इलाके की रक्षा की। इसी

तरह हर युवा को अपने इलाके की रक्षा करनी चाहिए। ऐसा करने से हमारा देश रहने के लिए स्वर्ग बन सकता है। यह मेरे लिए एक बहुत ही अद्भुत अनुभव था जिसे मैं जिन्दगी भर नहीं भूलूँगा।

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सामने हो मंजिल तो रास्ता न मोड़ना,
जो मन में हो वो ख्वाब न तोड़ना,
हर कदम पे मिलेगी कामयाबी आपको,
बस सितारे चुनने के लिए कभी ज़मीन न छोड़ना।

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यमुना के किनारे 'दूबे-पुरवा' एक ग्राम था। वर्तमान बाँदा जिलान्तर्गत रामपुर नगर के राजगुरु जो पराशर गोत्र के सरयू पारीण ब्रह्मण थे, निवास करते थे। उनका नाम आत्माराम दूबे और उनकी पत्नी का नाम हुलसी था। आत्माराम जी की धर्मपत्नी के गर्भ से सम्बत् 1554 में तुलसीदास जी का जन्म हुआ। इनका पहला नाम रामबोला था। बाल्यावस्था में ही इनके माता-पिता का स्वर्गवास हो गया था। इससे सूकर क्षेत्र के निवासी साधु श्री नरसिंहदास के हाथ यह लगे। जिन्होंने इनका पालन-पोषण किया। साधु-संगति से इनको श्री राम जी के चरण कमलों से प्रेम हो गया। नरहरिदास की छत्र-छाया को तुलसीदास जी पले और शिक्षा प्राप्त करने लगे। यज्ञोपवीत के बाद तुलसीदास जी काशी में पन्द्रह वर्ष तक विद्याध्ययन करते रहे। उसके थोड़े ही समय बाद उनके आचार्य गोप सनातनजी का स्वर्गवास हो गया। इसके बाद उन्होंने विधिपूर्वक उनकी अन्त्येष्टि क्रिया की और आचार्य ऋण से मुक्त हो अपनी जन्मभूमि चले गए।

गोस्वामी जी का विवाह ज्येष्ठ सुदी 13 संवत् 1573 गुरुवार को हुआ। अब भार्या के साथ रहते हुए विषय सुख की वृष्टि होने लगी। एक बार तुलसीदास जी की सास विमार पड़ गई। तो उनकी पत्नी मैके चली गई। अकेले घर पर वह न रहना चाहते थे अतः यमुना पार कर समुराल चले गए। अर्द्धरात्रि के समय जब पत्नी ने उनकी आवाज़ सुनी तो किवाड़ खोल कर हँसती हुई बोली।

लाज न लागत आप को, दौरे आयो साथ।
धिक-धिक ऐसे प्रेम को, कहा कहहुँ मैं नाथा।
अस्थि-चर्ममय देह मम, तामें जैसी प्रीति।
तैसी जो श्रीराम महँ, होत न तव भवभीति।

स्त्री के यह वचन गोसाई जी के हृदय में वाण से लगे और वह उल्टे पैर लौट गए और काशी आकर विरक्त हो गए। वह अयोध्या, काशी प्रयाग, चित्रकूट आदि तीर्थों में भ्रमण करने लगे। गोसाई जी अयोध्या में रहने लगे और वहाँ उन्होंने संवत् 1631 में रामचरितमानस बनाना आरम्भ किया। इसका प्रमाण यह है

संवत सोलह सौ इकतीसा।
करौं कथा हरिपद धरि सीसा।
नवमी भौमवार मधुमासा।
अवधपुरी यह चरित्र प्रकाशा।

रामचरितमानस से गोसाई जी की चर्चा चारों ओर फैल गई, तब काशी के पण्डितों ने भी इनकी सराहना की। तब दण्डी स्वामी ने गोस्वामी जी के धन्यवाद देकर यह कहा -

तुलसी जंगम तरु लसे, आनंद काननखेत
कविता जाकी मन्जरी, राम भ्रमर रसलेता।।

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पुस्तक की आत्मकथा

मैं परीक्षा के लिए तैयारी कर रहा था। शाम के लगभग 10 बज रहे होंगे कि अचानक मेरी आँख लग गई। मुझे किसी के पुकारने की आवाज़ सुनाई दी। मैंने इधर-उधर देखा, पर वहाँ तो कोई नहीं था। कुछ देर बाद वही आवाज़ फिर सुनाई दी "मैं तुम्हारी अलमारी से बोल रही हूँ। मैं तुम्हारी पुस्तक हूँ।" मैंने हड़बड़ाकर अलमारी खोली तो आश्चर्य का ठिकाना न रहा। मेरी इतिहास की पुस्तक मुझे पुकार रही थी। वह बोली- "तुमने तो मुझे इस बन्दीगृह में डाल रखा है। अलमारी के इस बन्दीगृह में पड़े-पड़े आज मैं उकता गई और सोचा, क्यों न तुम्हें अपनी कहानी सुना दूँ? क्या तुम मेरी कहानी सुनेगे?" मैंने हाँ भरी तथा पुस्तक अपनी आत्म-कथा सुनाने लगी।

मैं ज्ञान का भण्डार हूँ। युगों-युगों से मनुष्य की ज्ञान-पिपासा को शांत करती आई हूँ। मैंने मनुष्य से कभी अपने उपकार का बदला नहीं चाहा। मेरी तो यही इच्छा रहती है कि लोग मुझे पढ़ें तथा मुझसे ज्ञान प्राप्त करके जीवन में उन्नति करें।

मेरे जन्म की कहानी बड़ी विचित्र है। पहले मेरा यह अस्तित्व नहीं था। मैं आज जो कुछ भी हूँ अपने

सृष्टी मानव के कारण हूँ। मानव की तपस्या, लगन तथा परिश्रम का ही फल है कि आज मैं इस रूप में तुम्हारे सामने हूँ।

आज से सहस्रों वर्ष पूर्व जब मेरा जन्म हुआ था, तब मेरे सृष्टा के पास आज-जैसे उन्नत साधन नहीं थे। उस समय तो वह आज की भाँति लिखना भी नहीं जानता था। वह केवल सुन्दर-सुन्दर चित्रों तथा तस्वीरों के रूप में ही मेरा निर्माण किया करता था।

आज भी मैं जब शिलाओं, गुफाओं तथा स्तम्भों पर अंकित अपने पुराने रूप को देखती हूँ, तो मुझे स्वयं आश्चर्य होता है कि मैं कहाँ-से-कहाँ पहुँच गई।

मैं बड़े ध्यान से पुस्तक की बातें सुन रहा था तथा मन-ही-मन हैरान भी हो रहा था क्योंकि इससे पूर्व मुझे कभी किसी ने पुस्तक के जन्म से सम्बन्धित इतनी जानकारी नहीं दी थी।

वह आगे बोली - "हाँ, तो इसके बाद मैंने प्रवेश किया कागज के युग में। चीन वालों ने ही कागज का निर्माण किया तथा वहीं से यह ज्ञान अन्य देशों में गया। कागज-निर्माण के साथ-साथ मुद्रण कला का भी आविष्कार हो गया तथा वर्षों का काम कुछ ही दिनों में पूर्ण होने लगा।

मेरा परिवार बहुत है। कहानी, नाटक, उपन्यास, कविता, इतिहास, राजनीति विज्ञान, गणित, इंजीनियरिंग, चिकित्सा, कानून, दर्शन, धर्म तथा विभिन्न भाषाओं की पुस्तकें मेरे भाई-बहिन हैं।

आज तो स्थिति यह हो गई है कि मेरे बिना संसार की कल्पना करना भी मुश्किल है। अतः मेरा सम्मान करो, मेरा अध्ययन करो तथा मुझसे नई-नई बातें सीखकर उन्हें जीवन में उतारो।

मैं कुछ पूछूँ, उससे पूर्व ही घड़ी का अलार्म बजा और मेरी आँख खुल गई।

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"पैसा ! पैसा ! पैसा !"

यह दुनिया बहुत विशाल है। यहाँ रहनेवाले सभी लोग भी कमाल के हैं। यही वह जगह है जहाँ हम सब रहते हैं। यह धरती ही हमारी भारतमाता है। यहाँ सब लोगों को जल्दी रहती है क्योंकि सभी अपने अपने कामों में लगे रहते हैं और कभी-कभी तो इस जल्दी के कारण ही हम गलती कर बैठते हैं। यह जल्दी और गलती सिर्फ पैसे के लिए होती है जिसकी खोज में इन्सान अपने आप को त्यागने के लिए और यहाँ तक कि अपनी जान भी देने के लिए तैयार हो जाते हैं। अगर हम अमीर हो और हमारे पास ज्यादा पैसा हो तब भी मुसीबत का सामना करना पड़ता है। अगर हम गरीब हो और हमारे पास ज्यादा पैसा न हो तब भी हमें मुसीबतों का सामना करना पड़ता है। क्योंकि आज की दुनियाँ में पैसा ही सब कुछ है और पैसे के बिना कुछ नहीं।

"हे इन्सान ! जागो इस अजीबित चीज़ की खोज में", जो हमें ममता और प्यार से दूर कर देती है क्यों भाग रहे हो। इस सम्पत्ति की खोज में आज का मानव प्यार, संस्कृति, बड़ों का आदर आदि चीज़ें भूल गया हैं। इन पैसों से हम सब कुछ पा सकते हैं, लेकिन प्यार का एहसास नहीं पा सकते हैं।

"प्यार ईश्वर हैं, प्यार ही सर्वशक्तिशाली है। हे मनुष्य इस अंधेरे से बाहर निकल जाओ। क्योंकि पैसा ही जीवन नहीं है। हमारे पास सिर्फ एक जीवन है जिसे हमें जी भरके जी लेना चाहिए। क्योंकि एक बार हमने अगर यह जीवन सिर्फ पैसा कमाने में गुजार दिया तो हम इस जीवन को वापस नहीं ला सकते हैं।

इसलिए हमें सोच यही सोचना चाहिए कि जीवन सिर्फ एक दिन का है। जिसमें हम प्यार दे सकते हैं। प्यार ले सकते हैं। और जी कर के जी सकते हैं।

"क्या पता कल हो न हो।"

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वी. कॉम. वी. प्रथम वर्ष

देश प्रेमी कौन है ??

देश प्रेम का गान सुना है, देश प्रेमियों का नाम सुना है। पर दिल में उमड़ते प्रश्न रहे हैं। कि देश प्रेमी कौन है? क्या वो, जो बैठे बड़ी कुर्सियों पर, करते देश पर राज है, कभी फँसते घोटालों में, और कभी घूसखोरी काँड में। देश प्रेम जिनका जाग्रत होता, जैसे पंचवर्षीय योजना महान है, क्या इन्हें कहते हैं देश प्रेमी? यह तो घोर अपमान है। या वो जो बैठे आफिसों में, करते विकास का काम हैं, पर वे भी तो भरते हैं तिजोरी, जैसे कल ही पड़ना आकाल है। देश विदेश घूम-घूम कर लक्ष्मी भक्ति तो खूब की, पर देश प्रेम को भूल गए, ये कहाँ का इंसाफ है? ढूँढ ढूँढ कर थक गई आँखें, बस देश प्रेमी की तलाश है। पूरी होती तलाश किताबों में, या 15 अगस्त के सप्ताह में? फिर याद आई सीमाओं की, वहाँ बैठे असली नेताओं की जिसने महिनों से घर नहीं देखा। खेतों में आता अन्न नहीं देखा। माँ का चेहरा धुँधला गया। और वच्चे की किलकारियाँ भूल गया। हर गर्मी सर्दी को सहता है वो, हर दुश्मन को रावण कहता वो, वही देश प्रेमी महान है, वही मेरे देश का राम है।

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KALIDASA, HIS DATE AND WORKS

Scholars place Sanskrit as the mother language of all other languages. There are many scholars in Sanskrit Language. Kalidasa, the greatest poet and renowned dramatist is placed at the highest position among them. "कविकुलगुरुः कालिदासो विलासः"। Jayadeva, the famous author of गीतगोविन्द extols कालिदास as the brightest star in the galaxy of Sanskrit poets.

DATE OF KALIDASA

The date of such a great poet remains unpredictable. "कालिदासस्य कालविभागः न निश्चितः अनुगमि" Some of the main arguments in favour of his life are as follows:

1) 8th CENTURY B.C. :

Towards the close of रघुवंशं, कालिदास has mentioned about the king Pushyamitra, the son of King Agnimitra, who belonged to the 8th Century B.C. Also, he has mentioned about the अश्वमेध sacrifice in his play.

Therefore critics have decided that Kalidasa might have lived in 8th Century B.C.

2) NINE GEM THEORY :

धन्वन्तरिक्षपणकारसिंहशकु
येतालभद्द घटकर्पर कालिदासाः ।
ख्यातो वराहमिहिरौ नृपते सभायां
रत्नाणि वै वरुचिर्नव विक्रमस्य ॥

Traditionally it was believed that he was one among the nine gems, adorning the court of Emperor विक्रमादित्य with his capital Ujjaini, who started his reign in 56 B.C. which is famously called Vikrama Era. This indicates that Kalidasa must have lived somewhere around 1st Century B.C.

3) 5th CENTURY A.D. :

According to some critics, Kalidasa was believed to have lived in the 5th CENTURY A.D. Chandragupta II who defeated the Sakas was also known as Vikramaditya. He has remembered his loyal patron विक्रमादित्य in his drama called विक्रमोर्वशीयं। Further it is believed that Kalidasa composed कुमारसंभवं after attending the birth celebrations of कुमारगुप्त the son of विक्रमादित्य

Thus, kalidasa's date of living is unpredictable till now. But, it is assumed by critics that he belonged to the 1st Century B.C.

Works of Kalidasa : in his early ages was not very much well versed. Once, he was questioned by princess अस्ति कश्चित् वाक् which in turn resulted in the outcome of two great epics and a famous lyric.

1) कुमारसंभवम् :

"अस्ति उत्तरस्यां दिशि देवताला हिमालयो नाम नगाधिराजः ।
पूर्वापरौ तोयमिधि विगाह्य स्थित पृथिव्याः इव मानदण्डः ॥

Thus, Kalidasa with this sloka has composed a great

महाकाव्य called कुमारसंभवं wherein he describes the history of India and how Himalayas act as a measure with oceans on both sides. Kalidasa is known for his usage of simile in his works. Eg: पृथिव्याः इव मानदण्डः

Thus he is famously called by the following verse

उपमा कालिदासस्य भार्येः अर्थगौरवम् ।

दण्डिनः पदलालित्यं माघे सन्ति त्रयोयुगाः ॥

2) मेघदूतः

"कश्चित् कान्ता विरहगुरुणा स्वाधिकारात् प्रमत्तः "

This sloka led to the origin of the famous lyric मेघदूत wherein Kalidasa beautifully describes the mountains and rivers and explains the शृङ्गार रस

3) रघुवंशं :

"वागर्थविव सम्मूले वागर्थप्रतिपत्तये ।

जगतः पितरो यन्दे पार्वती परमेश्वरौ ॥

This sloka gave way to the origin of the mahakavya रघुवंशं which describes the life history of the kings of solar dynasty. He explains the kingdom of solar dynasty in an excellent way thereby expressing his style of वैचर्मि in a simple and definite manner. "सोऽहं आजन्मशुद्धानां आपलोदयकर्मणां आसमुद्विषितीशानां "

4) अभिज्ञानशाकुन्तलम् :

"काव्येषु नाटकं रम्यं तत्रापि च शकुन्तला ।

तत्रापि च चतुर्थोऽङ्कः तत्र श्लोकं चतुष्टयम् ॥ "

This sloka describes about the drama written by Kalidasa wherein he describes about the recognition of Shakuntala by Dushyantha with the help of ring. He describes about the merits of women and the knowledge possessed by them, "स्त्रीणां अशिक्षितपद्वत् अमानुषीसु" Also he describes the difference between पार and शाप Kalidasa draws the readers' attention till the last scene where the fisherman gives the ring to Dushyanta. "प्रतिक्षणं यत्नवतामुपैति तदेव रूपं रमणीयतयाः "

5) मालविकाग्निमित्रम् :

In this drama, he describes the marriage between the Sunga prince Agnimitra and Vidharbha princess Maalavika.

6) विक्रमोर्वशीयं :

In this he pays his loyal patron to Chandragupta II विक्रमादित्य. He traces its origin to the dialogue in the Rig Veda between पुरुरवस्. and ऊर्वसी

7) ऋतुसंहारम् :

It is a mere description of seasons where Kalidasa exhibits his delicate observation and loving sympathy with nature which seems innate in the Indian poets. It describes all the seasons thereby expressing his skill in describing the seasons in vivid colours.

MSW DEPARTMENT REPORT

SPARK '08

SPARK '08 was held in Central Leather Research Institute (CLRI), Adyar on 21st and 22nd of February 2008. The theme for SPARK was "Strategies towards Human Development". The seminar sessions were based on the current trends of Human Resource Management and Medical & Psychiatry. Mr. Pandiyarajan (Chief Executive Officer, Mafoi Consultants Ltd) and Mr. K. Ganeshan (Senior Vice President Resource Management Group, Covansys) presided the inauguration and delivered the Presidential address. Students from various colleges of Chennai attended the seminars. Students actively participated in the Quiz and Mime competitions and Director Vasanth was the Guest of Honour for the valedictory function.

ROTARACT CLUB OF S.D.N.B. VAISHNAV COLLEGE

Our college Rotract Cub has got the award for the overall active participation and three rotaractors Rtn. Soundarya, Rtn. Swapna and Rtn. Sowmiya have been awarded individual awards for their contribution in the annual rottract conference Rtn. Soundarya has won the best female Rotarian award.



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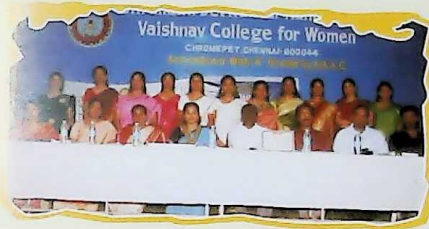
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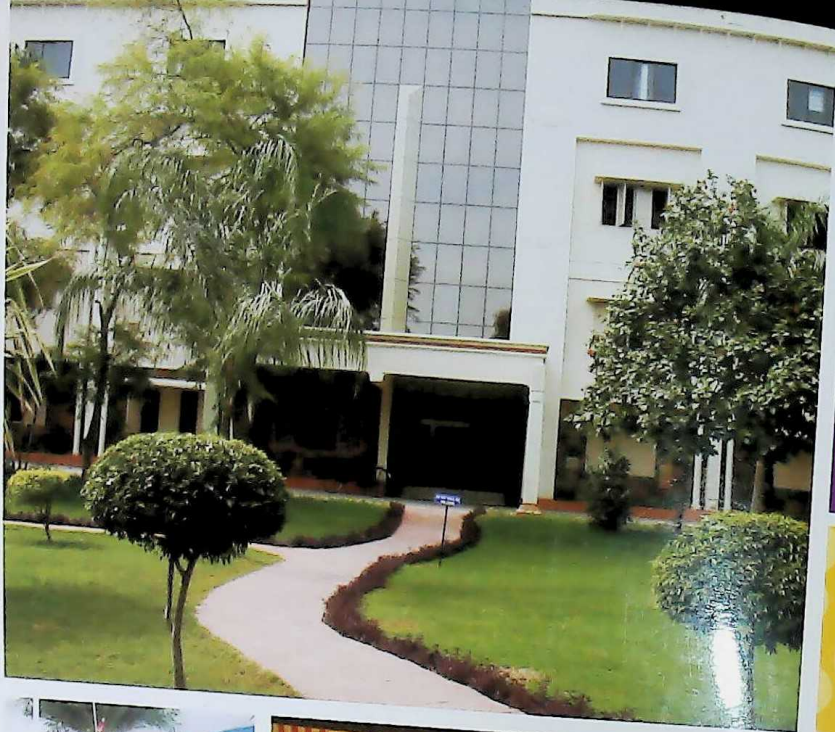
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