ANNUAL REPORT 2022-23

Chief Guest of the day, invited guests, respected parents, members of the faculty, administrative staff and my dear students.

It gives me immense pleasure and pride to welcome one and all to the Annual Day celebration of the college.

The opening session of the College day is an occasion to take stock of the activities and present a written report of various curricular and co-curricular activities that has carried out during the academic year 2022-23. With ever cherished memories of the illustrious son of India Sri. V.K.Krishna- menon and with your permission I would like to present the Annual report 2022-23 of the college.

The college offers eight under graduate programmes and three post graduate programmes. We are endowed with 1004 students, meticulously selected by observing norms set by the Government of Kerala and the Kannur University. To mentor the students there are 47 Teachers, falling in three categories - regular teachers as Assistant Professors and Associate Professors and Guest Lectures and assist them a branch consisting of 22 administrative staff with the available human resources and structural facility at our disposal, We tried to maximize the output.

For the past few years the College formulated nearly 40 sub committees with well defined duties and all the teachers were assigned specific responsibilities to lead the college in a be fettling manner. The busy schedule of the departments, the subcommittees and other statutory bodies charged the academic atmosphere vibrant with positive power and it made the campus a place you would love in your memories.

Activities of Departments and Clubs

Chemistry

The department of Chemistry conducted a variety of programmes this academic year. The Chemistry association 2022-23, 'KALORIA,' and science day celebrations 2023 were inaugurated by Aboobacker P. P.,(Psychological Counsellor / Soft skill trainer) on 28.02.2023. He delivered a talk on "Mindfulness".

Department conducted study tour to Pune during 10/01/2023 – 15/01/2023. Research institutions like NCL Pune, IISER Pune, CMET Pune, Smt Indranibalan Science Activity Centre are visited.

A Workshop on Academic Skill Development was conducted on 16/02/2023 with Ramshad K from IIT Madras as resource person.

Gopika Pramod (2 nd B.Sc. Chemistry), has participated in the National Integration Camp held from 3-9 th February 2023 at Mysuru.

Students of 3 rd year B.Sc Chemistry Theertha T V, Amina Sherin and Fathima Beevi qualified JAM 2023.

The Chemistry department procured 2nd place in the Fine Arts Festival.

The students got several prizes in various competitions at university and state levels.

At Kannur University Kalolsavam following students secured prizes:

- 1. Zahira C (1 st B.Sc. Chemistry) secured second place in Kavitha Rachana (Arabic)
- 2. Anjana E (2 nd B.Sc. Chemistry) secured second place in Thiruvathira
- 3. Jyothirmayi A. K. (3 rd B.Sc. Chemistry) secured second place in Mappilappattu
- 4. Jyothirmayi A. K., Anjima K. and Malavika K.O. (all are 3 rd B.Sc. Chemistry) secured First place in Oppana (group).

Economics

The Post Graduate Department of Economics is a dynamic academic department committed to providing an outstanding educational experience for its students. It is also the biggest department in the college in terms of the number of students and faculties, offering two U G Programmes and a P G programme. Since its inception, the department strive for the academic excellence and strives to create an inclusive learning environment that fosters creativity, critical thinking, and academic excellence. The department believe that education goes beyond just imparting knowledge and skills. It is a holistic process that encompasses intellectual, social, and personal growth. Therefore, we organize every year a number of different curricular, co- curricular and extra-curricular activities, providing students with opportunities to enhance their leadership and interpersonal skills. Major Programmes organized by the department during the academic year 2022-2023 are listed below.

- Prof. C.P Prabhakaran & Dr. P Surendran Memorial Lecture and Endowment Distribution
- A Seminar on Importance of Data in Present Era & Various Surveys of NSO
- Economics Association Inauguration
- Study Tour
- Field Visit

Physical Education

The year 2022-23 was a remarkable one which witnessed great performance from the students of our college in various sports competitions. We stood at Fourth position in the women section for the Jimmy George Trophy, which is given for the best colleges for their excellence in sports under Kannur University. The summary of the activities and achievements of the academic year is elaborated below.

Coaching Camp:

Coaching camps were conducted on various disciplines as detailed below.

SL NO	EVENT
1	Cross Country
2	Football
3	Archery
4	Weightlifting
5	Powerlifting
6	Athletics
7	Tennis
8	Fencing
9	Taekwondo
10	Basketball
11	Cricket
12	Volleyball
13	Gymnastics
14	Softball

Participation in Intercollegiate tournaments:

Our college participated in 18 events of Kannur University inter collegiate sports competitions. A total of 156 students participated in various disciplines. Item wise list is given under.

Sl. No	Event	No of Participants
1	Archery	4
2	Gymnastics	7
3	Swimming	1
4	Cross Country	6
5	Weightlifting	10
6	Volleyball	12
7	Powerlifting	8
8	Cricket	16
9	Football	20
10	Basketball	11
11	Tennis	3
12	Taekwondo	4
13	Athletics	4
14	Fencing	9
15	Hockey	16
16	Judo	1
17	Softball	16
18	Ball Badminton	8

Achievements:

Sl. No	Event	Position
1	Volleyball	Winner
2	Archery	Winner
3	Weightlifting	Winner
4	Football	Runner up
5	Powerlifting	Runner up
6	Tennis	Runner up
7	Fencing	Runner up
8	Cricket	Runner up
9	Basketball	Third
10	Gymnastics	Third
11	Hockey	Fourth
12	Taekwondo	Fourth

Our team won following positions in the Kannur University inter collegiate championships.

Individual achievements:

Our 76 students won medals in either National, State and University championships. One player won Bronze medal in Inter University championship. 31 players selected as members of Kannur University in various events.

Our college organised Kannur university Archery championship on05-12-2022.

Other Activities:

International Yoga day was celebrated in association with the NSS Unit and mass display of Yoga was organized on 21st June. A penalty shootout contest conducted on 1-11-2022 to create enthusiasm among students for the Football world cup 2022.

Intramural Competitions:

Organised intramural competitions for students in Badminton. There was competitions among staffs in the disciplines Football, Cricket and Volleyball.

Training Programs:

The department of Physical Education provided training for VHSE students undergoing Fitness training course. The training was for a period of eight days and 21 students got benefit from the training. Students from School of Physical Education and Sports Sciences, Kannur University engaged training classes for our students in various sports disciplines as part of their Internship training program.

Coaching Extension Program:

Four school students were given training in the sport Weightlifting as part of our Sports coaching extension program. They won Medals in the District and State level competitions.

Infrastructure Development:

Purchased various sports equipment worth Rs.100000 under plan fund.

Ethics Club

The Ethics Club has been initiated with the motive of giving value based education to students. The formation of the club in the college played a major role in building honesty and strong ethical values among students.

The Ethics Club of K.M.M Govt. Women's College in collaboration with Sathya Sai Seva Samithi, Kannur conducted an essay competition on the topic "Education is not for Living but for Life" on 21/09/2022 at 2.30 P.M. 18 students participated in the essay competition. Alaka M.T of I M.A Development Economics secured the first position and Anupriya C of II M.A Development Economics secured second position. All the other essays were also keeping good standard. The certificate and Prize to the winners were awarded by Dr. C.P Santhosh, Principal, K.M.M Govt. Women's College. The competition helped to create awareness among students that education is not just for getting good job or attaining status but it is for life itself. If students get quality, value based education, the family and the society will benefited from this.

Women's Grievance Redressal Cell

In order to maintain safety and security to the girls and women, the Women's Grievance Redressal Cell has been constituted in our college. The cell stays alert all the time to prevent any sexual abuse towards the students and female workers. The Cell will deal with the cases / complaints of sexual harassment and any other type of harassment of the female students, teaching and non-teaching women staff of the college. The Cell shall process all the individual complaints and take immediate suitable action

Students were informed about the functioning of Women's Grievance Redressal Cell through notices and announcements. There is a complaint box in front of our Principal's chamber to receive any complaints from women. We regularly check the Box every week. This academic year, we did not receive any complaint from students or any other women member in the College.

Nature Club

Mr. Faraz Bin Muhammad, Agriculture Officer, Puzhathi Panchayat inaugurated the Nature Club on Monday, June 6 as part of World Environment Day celebrations. Faculty of various departments and student members of Nature Club participated. The College under the leadership of fifteen students built a banana plantation next to the Vidyavanam Project.

Forestry Club

The inauguration of the Forestry Club of Krishna Menon Memorial College was performed by retired Range Forest Officer MP Prabhakaran on 29.07.2022. On the same day the Forestry Club and Kannur Social Forestry Wing organised a seminar on International Tiger Day focussing on the importance of the day and the conservation of tigers.

Earn While You Learn Phase 1 started at KMMGWC

The Director of the Department of College Education, Thiruvananthapuram, initiated the EMYL project at the Puzhakattu Agriculture Building on June 6, 2022. Despite facing challenges like heavy rainfall affecting the agricultural operations, they decided to recommence farming activities in September 2022. Due to the unavailability of resources like seeds and fertilizers from the college farm, they resorted to purchasing items such as vegetables, green chilies, tomatoes, etc., from external nurseries. However, due to the lack of expertise and knowledge in farming, they faced difficulties in agriculture, which led to crop failure. They also incurred financial losses and had to change their strategy. The college provided limited assistance in terms of manpower (13 students from NSS Volunteers & College Hostel Residents) who actively participated in farming activities before and after study hours. They gathered necessary organic materials and attempted to execute farming, but due to the complexities involved in farming, they faced challenges. The project faced various issues encountered in farming, like the limited availability of organic manure, fertilizers, pest control methods, and the lack of agricultural knowledge among students. They mention the sale of vegetables at the college canteen for a specific period but faced difficulties in sustaining farming due to land issues and lack of expertise. The government granted 10,000/-INR for agricultural activities, and out of this fund, 13 students received 10,000/- INR (only 20,000/- INR total) for their involvement in farming activities. They also kept records of all farming-related activities through photographs.

Women Cell

The activities for the year2022-23 began on 8/11/2022, with an interactive session on Gynaecology for the Young Adult by Dr.AshishBens, Consultantin gynaecology, BHM-Gimcare Hospital and AKG Hospital, Kannur. Dr. Ashish Bens spoke to the students about regular and irregular menstrual cycle, menstrual cramps, hormonal disorders and treatments for them.

On 9/11/2022, the Women Cell in association with Kannur Thaluk Legal Service Committee conducted a session on the legal problems faced by women in the society and the protection laws that have been constituted for the welfare of the women. Postgraduate students participated in the programme. Mr. R L Biju, Hon. Judge Labour Court, Kannur handled the session. The Hon. Judge discussed the major legal problems faced by women within the family and in the society. Sri. Sukeshkumar V, Preventive Officer from Excise Divisional Office, Kannur, addressed the students about the increasing cases of drug abuse among the youth. The session was held on 5th of December 2022, at2.30pm.