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INSTITUTIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS

Rajagiri College of Social Sciences is ranked 7th in the Country and 1st in the State in India's Top-Ranked Private Autonomous Colleges - Education World India Higher Education Rankings 2022-23.

CONGRATULATIONS



Rev. Fr. Dr. Saju M.D. CMI, Associate Director, Vice-principal & Coordinator, IQAC has been appointed as Honorary Principal Fellow at Melbourne University, Australia.

GOLDEN JUBILEE CELEBRATION



Golden Jubilee Celebration of the Priestly Ordination of Rev. Fr. Dr. Jose Kuredath CMI, Director Rajagiri Group of Institution was held on March 19, 2022, at K E Auditorium, RSET, Kakkanad. Rev. Fr. Benny Nalkara CMI, Manager, Dr. Binoy Joseph, Principal RCSS, Dr. Sunil Puliyakot, Director RBS and Dr. P.S Sreejith, Principal RSET felicitated the function. All the staff members of RCSS and RSET attended the event.

IQAC INITIATIVES



The College Management has set up a new IQAC (Internal Quality Assurance Cell) office at Hill Campus and it was blessed by Dr. Fr. Joseph M K on January 19, 2022.

FDP on ICT Enabled Teaching



A Faculty Development Programme was organized on the topic of "ICT Enabled Teaching" on January 5th and 6th, 2022 at Carmel Hall, Hill Campus. Experts from Senses Electronics led the session. Live classes on Hybrid mode of teaching using the Microsoft Teams account were demonstrated for the faculty members of both the campuses.

Departmental Evaluation Training Session

A training session was arranged for the Nodal Officers of all the departments on the “Departmental Evaluation Process” on January 25, 2022, at the Central Computing Lab. All Heads of the Departments and Nodal officers attended the session. Dr. Bindiya M Varghese, Additional Coordinator, IQAC led the session.

Awareness Programme on “TRAUMA AND EMERGENCY CARE”



For equipping the staff members in dealing with emergency and trauma situations, an online awareness programme was conducted on “Trauma and Emergency care” on February 9, 2022, by the IQAC, in collaboration with the Rajagiri Staff Welfare Association (RSWA). Dr. Sunny P. Orathel, the Medical Superintendent and Consultant in the Preventive Health Checks, Rajagiri Hospital was the key speaker of the session. About 129 staff members, including Teaching and Non-teaching staff of both the campuses attended the programme.

A Session on “Gender Equality-Issues and Prospects”



As part of Women’s Day, a session on “Gender equality issues and prospects” was conducted by the Department of Computer Science in association with IQAC on March 9, 2022, at Rajagiri College of Social Sciences. The Chief Guest of the program was Renju Renjimar who is well known as a Celebrity Make-up Artist, Actor and Social Activist. The Chief Guest-Renju Renjimar took a session on Gender equality and shared the common problems faced by women in society. She also talked about the need of women’s empowerment and women’s equal participation in all areas where men are mostly involved in. This session also involved a question and answer session, where the audience got a chance to get clear their doubt on the topic and the information shared throughout the session.

Splendore 2021



Splendore 2021, “Uniting a Billion Sparkles” - the seventh edition of the International Intercollegiate Fest, hosted by RCSS, was held from December 13th - 17th, 2021. The event was well-received by peers with more than 3000 registrations from all around the world. The fest was inaugurated by Rev. Dr. Jose Kuriedath CMI, Director, RCSS. The competitions were conducted in a blended format, with online and offline modes for both the school and college categories. The events came to a glorious end with the crowning of Sacred Heart College, Thevara as the Champions in the college category and Rajagiri Public School as the Champions in the school category. Rev. Fr. Benny Nalkara, CMI, Manager RCSS inaugurated the valedictory function and distributed trophies for the winners.

Pre Bodhi Session

RAJAGIRI COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES <small>(AUTONOMOUS)</small> RAJAGIRI BUSINESS SCHOOL GENERAL STAFF COUNCIL MEETING PRE - BODHI SESSION Date : March 29th (Tuesday) Time : 2.30 pm Venue : RBS Auditorium	
Chief Guest  Dr. Fr. S. Ignacimuthu, S.J. <small>(Former VC, University of Madras and Bharathiar University, Former Principal Loyola College, Chennai)</small>	
Programme Schedule Welcome Address : Dr. Binoy Joseph, Principal, RCSS Address by IQAC Coordinator : Topic: ‘Context of this year’s Bodhi’ Dr. Fr. Saju M.D., Coordinator IQAC & Assoc. Director, RCSS Introduction to the Speaker : Ms. Riya Mary (MC) Special Lecture : Topic: ‘Transformation of a College to a University’ Dr. Fr. S. Ignacimuthu, S.J. <small>(Former VC, University of Madras and Bharathiar University, Former Principal, Loyola College, Chennai) Director, Xavier Research Foundation St. Xavier’s College Tirunelveli-627002.</small> Question & Answer Session Vote of Thanks : Dr. Sunil Pullyakot, Director, RBS Refreshments	

Pre Bodhi Session was conducted at the Valley campus for all the faculty members on March 29, 2022. Dr. Binoy Joseph started the session with the welcome address followed by the address of Dr Fr. Saju M.D, IQAC Coordinator & Assoc. Director, RCSS. A special Lecture on the topic “Transformation of a College to a University” was delivered by the Chief Guest Dr. Fr. S. Ignacimuthu, S.J, Former VC, University of Madras, Bharathiar University, Former Principal Loyola College, Chennai. Dr. Sunil Pullyakot, Director RBS concluded the session by rendering the vote of thanks.

FACULTY ACHIEVEMENTS



C A Ajay Lunawat has been awarded PhD in “A Critical Study on Indian Accounting Standards (IND AS) and its Issues Related to Financial Instruments, Revenue, Income Tax and Share-Based Payments” from Shri Jagdishprasad Jhabarmal Tibrewala University, Rajasthan on February 17, 2022.



Fr. Angelo Baby CMI was selected as the member and active representative of the group of experts from Asia to the Pontifical Council for Artificial Intelligence (AI) Concerns in Asian Culture.

HILL CAMPUS

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK

An Awareness Programme on “Drug Abuse”



As part of the R-COMBAT Project, an awareness programme on Drug abuse was held at HMT School on March 8, 2022. The resource person was Mrs Mahitha Vipinachandran, School Counsellor, Government High School, Kalamassery . A street play was also performed by BSW II year students.

International Women’s Day Celebration



International Women’s Day celebration was observed on March 8, 2022, in collaboration with Aster Medcity. Ms Ambili Vijayaraghavan, CEO, Aster Medcity, Kochi was the Chief Guest. Dr. Johnson K. Varghese (Aster Medcity) conducted a hands-on training on CPR named “Mega Basic Life Support Training”. The second session was exclusively for girls on “Menstrual Hygiene awareness class & Menstrual cup distribution”, and the session was taken by Dr. Swati Francis, (Aster Medcity).

DYUTI 2022

DYUTI 2022 – “Equitable and Inclusive Education: Policy Perspectives and Social Work Responses”, was held from March

10th to 11th, 2022. The programme was inaugurated by Dr. Fr. Jose Kuriedath, Director, of Rajagiri Group of Institutions. The Keynote Address was given by Padma Shri Geeta Dharmarajan, Founding Director, KATHA, New Delhi. The faculty coordinators were Dr. Rajeev S P and Sr. Bincy C.C..



Financial Contribution to the Construction of the Drinking Water Purifying Unit

Under the Unnat Bharath Abhiyan scheme, the Department of Social Work contributed Rs.50,000 to the construction of the Drinking Water Purifying Unit in



Government HSS Chottanikkara. The inauguration was held on March 31, 2022. Dr. Sr. Sunirose I.P., Dr Giji George and Mr. Mathew T. John participated in the programme. The construction was done by the Tata Chemicals Society for Rural Development (TCSRDR).

DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE

Aptitude Training Programs for the 2021-2023 Batch, by KONFIDENCE

The placement and training cell of the Department of Computer Science has conducted the Aptitude training programs for the 2021-2023 Batch, by KONFIDENCE Group from March onwards. All the students from M.Sc CS (DA) and MCA are attending the program as part of their placement preparations.

Extension Activities were Conducted for the First-Year Students of MCA and MSc CS (DA)

The following extension activities were conducted for the first-year students of MCA and M.Sc CS(DA), Coordinated by Ms. Sunu Mary Abraham & Fr. Angelo Baby along with Rajagiri Outreach, on 3rd February 2022.



1. Webinar on “World Wetlands Day” for different batches of 8th standard students of Hidayathul Islam Higher Secondary school, Edavanakad, in 3 groups.

2. Webinar on “Women Entrepreneurship” for the women of Annamanada, Aloor, and Nadathara panchayats.



3. ‘INNALE’ a programme for the inmates of the Elderly Daycare Centre (pakalveedu) of Kothad and Binanipuram.

The Mpower-Persona Enhancement Program



The Mpower-Persona Enhancement program (Batch 1 & 2), by the Department of Computer Science, was held from February 15th to 20th, 2022 at the Golden Aureole. Mr. Krishna Kumar, Founder Director of Vertical Eye, and Mrs. Mridula Kumar, Director of Vertical Eye, were the resource persons for the event.

DEPARTMENT OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE

Conference Presentation



M.Lib.I.SC second-year students attended and presented papers at the three-day International Conference on “Success and Survival Strategies for LIS Profession” organized by the Department of Library and Information Science, University of Calicut from April 2nd to 4th, 2022.

Diploma Course in Library Automation



Six month diploma course in “Library Automation” was inaugurated by the Principal, RCSS, Dr. Binoy Joseph on February 06, 2022. The classes will be conducted every first and third Sunday of the month in an offline mode, at the Navigation Centre of Fr. Moses Library, Hill Campus.

Alumni Contribution



The Alumni Association of the Department of Library and Information Science contributed a cheque of Rs.4000 to the college as award money for the best dissertation 2021-22.

Industry Visit

As part of the Industrial visit, students from both the batches of M.Lib.I.SC were taken for a library orientation tour on March 7, 2022. The libraries visited on this occasion were CMFRI,

Ernakulam Public Library and Kendriya Vidyalaya No-1 library at Katharibagh, Naval Base.

Visit Asha Bhavan, Rehabilitation Centre

The students from the second year M.Lib.I.Sc along with the faculty members visited the Rehabilitation Centre for mentally ill inmates of Asha Bhavan, Pipeline Road, Thikkakara on February 15, 2022. The students contributed groceries worth Rs. 6000 as per the request by the inmates.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

Session on Computer-Based Exam of ACCA



A Session on the “Computer-Based Exam of ACCA (Practice Platform)” was held on January 25, 2022. Ms. Richa Chakraborti (Education Manager - ACCA India) was the resource person.

Session on Practical Experience Requirement - ACCA

A session on “Practical Experience Requirement – ACCA” was held on January 17, 2022. Ms. Barsha Sharma, Member Engagement Manager, ACCA was the resource person for the session. The resource person highlighted the importance of securing ACCA membership by completing 36 months of relevant practical experience. She also gave insights to students on the filing process of PER on their ACCA profile.

Certificate Distribution Ceremony



A certificate distribution ceremony was organized for the value-added courses: - Business Analytics by KPMG, Digital Marketing by Skill India and CIMA-UK for the B. Com Computer Applications and BBA students of the 2019-2022 batch. The Chief Guest of the ceremony was Mr. Jemi Varghese Vice President - Marlabs Inc.

DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY

PSYESTA-2k22



The Department conducted PSYESTA-2k22- The National Level Fest of Psychology students on March 5, 2022. There were eight Competitive events such as Rorschach (Doodling), Rationalization (Poetry), Perception (Photography), Know your Psychologist, Solo Song, Short film and Mental Floss (Quiz). 170 students from schools and colleges across the country participated in the fest.

Nature Camp



A nature camp was organized for 3rd-year B.Sc Psychology students from March 13th to 16th, 2022 in Wayanad District, Kerala and for 1st year B.Sc Psychology students from March 24 to 27, 2022 in Idukki District. Students and faculty members visited Kurumbalakotta Hill and Banasurasagar Dam, Jaggery making plant at Kanthalloor, Sandalwood reserve, Chinnar Wildlife Sanctuary, Dolmens of Marayoor, Irachilpara Waterfalls, Snowline fruit garden, Kanthalloor waterfalls, and Kulachivayal rock. They attended the classes on the protection of nature and wildlife, and did camping and trekking to Edakkal Caves

Training on Life-Skills for High School Students



The department conducted a one-day training program at Archbishop Attipetty Public School, Vaduthala and Holy Infant Boys Higher Secondary School, Edampadam, Varapuzha for high school students from March 9th to 10th, 2022. The training was given by 23 second year M.Sc Psychology students. The high school students were trained on life skills such as self-awareness, empathy, etc. by M.Sc Psychology students.

DEPARTMENT OF LANGUAGES

RIDLE'22 (Edition III)



RIDLE'22 (Rajagiri Inter-Department Literary Endeavour) was hosted by the Department of Languages for the students and faculty of RCSS Hill Campus. The third edition of RIDLE was conducted from February 16th to 22nd, 2022. Lyric Writing, Flash Fiction, Meet the Press, Panel Discussion, Shayari, Rangavishkaram and French Band were the events. The valedictory function and the Prize distribution were conducted on February 22, 2022 at Golden Aureole Hall.

DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS

Centre for Statistical Analysis (CSA)



The Centre for Statistical Analysis (CSA) associated with the Department of Statistics, was inaugurated on March 14, 2002, at the Carmel Hall, Mr. Anil Kumar T. R. Senior Director, Biostatistics and Site Head, IQVIA, Kochi was the Chief Guest.

DEPARTMENT OF BIO-SCIENCES

National Science Day - 2022

RAJAGIRI COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES (RCSS), Cochin, Kerala-683 104, India.		Programme Schedule Date: February 28 th ; Time: 11 am
celebrates NATIONAL SCIENCE DAY-2022 On 28 th February, 2022 at 11 am		Welcome address : Fr Dr Saju M.D., Associate Director & Vice Principal, RCSS Principal's address : Dr Binoy Joseph, Principal, RCSS Introduction of chief guest : Dr S. Antony Ceasar, Senior Scientist, Dept. of Biosciences, RCSS National Science Day Lecture : Dr. Ajay K Pandey, Scientist-F, National Agri-Food Biotechnology Institute, Mohali, Punjab, India Discussion : Vote of thanks : Dr N.M. Krishnakumar, Scientist-B, Dept. of Biosciences, RCSS
Lecture by Dr. Ajay K Pandey, Ph.D., Scientist-F, National Agri-Food Biotechnology Institute (NABI), (DBT, Ministry of Science & Technology, Gov), Mohali-140906, Punjab, India. Topic: Functional analysis of genes: a historical update		Theme for National Science Day-2022 "Integrated Approach in Science & Technology for Sustainable Future"
ZOOM Meeting Details Meeting ID: 834 7124 4923 Passcode: rcss		
Organized by IQAC & Department of Biosciences, RCSS		

The Department of Bioscience has organized a virtual National Science Day-2022 celebration on February 22, 2022, in association with the IQAC. As part of the programme, Dr. Ajay K. Pandey, Scientist F, National Agri-Food Biotechnology Institute (DBT, Ministry of Science and Technology, Gov), Punjab, has delivered a special lecture on "Functional analysis of genes: a historical update".

DSIR Research Advisory Board Meeting



DSIR Research Advisory Board meeting was held on March 29, 2022. Fr. Dr. S. Ignacimuthu S.J. Former VC, University of Madras, Bharathiar University, Former Principal Loyola College,

Chennai was the external expert for the meeting. The members of the faculty from various departments presented their research and extension activities.

Rajagiri Research Day - 2022



Rajagiri Research Day-2022, jointly organized by the IQAC and Department of Biosciences was held on March 29, 2022. The Research Day speech was delivered by the Chief Guest, Fr. Dr. S. Ignacimuthu S.J., Former VC, University of Madras,



Bharathiar University, Former Principal Loyola College, Chennai on the topic 'Research Approaches'. Fr. Dr. S. Ignacimuthu S.J., distributed Rajagiri Research Awards – 2022 to the faculty members and the research scholars for their excellent performance in publishing research articles in Scopus/Web of Science indexed research journals and securing national fellowships.

Mushroom Cultivation Training Programme

The department of Biosciences organized three one-day mushroom cultivation training programmes in association with Rajagiri outREACH on January 14, February 26 and March 18,



2022. The training programmes were sponsored by Carborundum Universal Ltd. A total of 64 beneficiaries from the different wards of Kalamassery Municipality participated in the training programmes.

Student Achievement

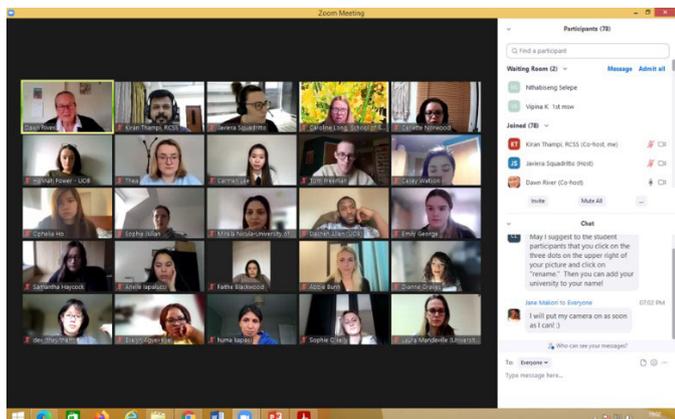


Mr. Alwin Roy, B. Com first-year Model 1 Finance and Taxation student got the silver medal in M.G University Intercollegiate Karate Championship 2021-2022.

INTERNATIONAL ACADEMIC COLLABORATION



- ◆ Four International students from the University of Edinburgh and two students from Vives University of Applied Sciences, Belgium are doing their internship in the Social Work department of RCSS. They attended the arrival week seminar organized by Rajagiri College.
- ◆ International Delegates from Virginia Commonwealth University visited Rajagiri and discussed the future collaborations between both institutions.
- ◆ MoU signed between Rajagiri College and Hellenic Mediterranean University, Greece.
- ◆ MoU signed between the Dept. of Social Work, Rajagiri College and the University of Edinburgh.



As part of the World Social Work Day, 2022 the social work students from 5 global universities participated in an online student conference featuring presentations, a film and group discussions on the theme of “Co-Building a New Eco-Social World: Leaving No One Behind”.



Students from the University of Edinburgh visited Rajagiri Library as part of their campus visit.

PLACEMENT AND CAREER SUPPORT

Workshop on Soft Skills and Communication

3 days of high impact workshop on “Soft Skills and Communication” by specialized experts from the corporates with immense relevant industry was conducted from January



10th to 12th, 2022 for the B. Com Model I & II F&T batches (128 Students). Students received insights on CV preparation, Interview & GD skills and basic LinkedIn essentials. The program was conducted by GTT Foundation, Pune and the participants were given E-Certificates upon completion of the workshop.

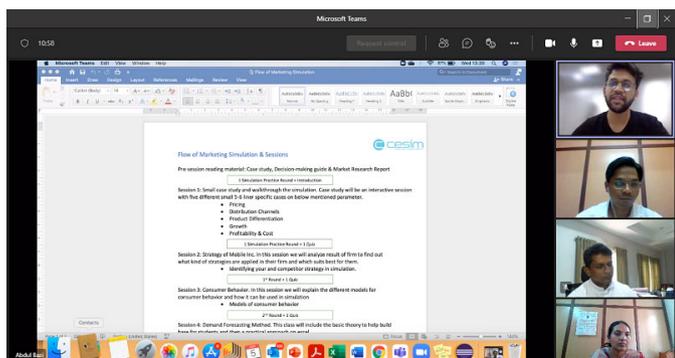
The College Union Arts Day



The College Union Arts Day was held on March 19, 2022, at Hill Campus. The competitions held included a variety of literary, theatre, and fine arts activities. The events were conducted in various venues of the college and the students participated in them with a competitive and passionate spirit.

VALLEY CAMPUS

Cesim Simulation Training



Cesim Simulation Training was conducted from January 5th to 7th, 2022. Fr. Dr. Francis Sebastian CMI, Dr. Smitha Siji and Dr. Somesh Kumar Sinha were the faculty members who attended the training.

INFLORE

INFLORE 17th Edition- “LUNA, Reach for the Moon” – the Management Fest was conducted from January 14th to 17th, 2022. Most of the events were live-streamed. More than 2000 participants (both Online and Offline) from 150 plus colleges across the country and the state participated in the fest.



Colleges include IITs, IIM's, MICA Ahmedabad, and various colleges from Delhi and Bangalore. An International participant from the University of Sanford, Manchester UK also participated.

General Management Domain – Conference

The 5th Rajagiri GM domain conference “New Paradigms of Management” was organized on January 25, 2022. The Keynote Speaker was Dr. Kim Jin Young, Professor Kangwon National



University, South Korea. Prof. Mani. P Sam was one of the panel members. Dr. Padmanabhan N.S and Dr. Krishnan Chandramohan reviewed the papers submitted. Dr. Susan Mathew and Dr. Himanshi Pandey were the Conference Conveners. Dr. Abhilash G Nambudiri was the Conference Chair.

Marketing Domain – Conference

The Pre-Conference Workshop and Conference on “Insights in Marketing with the theme, Sustainable Marketing for a Better World” was scheduled from February 4th to 5th, 2022.

The Keynote addresses for the conferences were delivered by Mr. Sourabh Roy - GM-Tata Motors and Dr. Philip Laird, Trinity Western University. The conference coordinators were Dr. Smitha Siji and Dr. Somesh Kumar Sinha.



Rajagiri Cricket League (RCL) – Season I

Rajagiri Cricket League, the first specially-abled Cricket league conducted by a B-School in Kerala in association with the Kerala



Cricket Association for Physically Challenged, was conducted on February 11th and 12th, 2022. The teams were from Mallapuram, Kasargod, Thiruvanthapuram and Ernakulam. The Chief Guest of the Valedictory function was Justice Mr. Bechu Kurien Joseph.

Rajagiri Business League - 6th Edition

Rajagiri Business League (RBL) 6th Edition was scheduled from March 3rd to 5th, 2022. Six corporate teams participated.



Fragammon won the first prize and TCS the second. A wheelchair basketball exhibition match was organized on March 3, 2022. The Director Rev Dr. Jose Kuriyath CMI and the former Indian basketball team captain Mr. Subash Shenoy distributed the prizes. Dr. Sunil Puliya Kot, Director RBS congratulated the faculty coordinators Fr. Reginold CMI, Prof. Kannan Sekar & Dr Anto Joseph for the successful conduct of the event.

The Business Plan – BOOT Camp- Workshop

A boot camp was jointly organized by Kerala Entrepreneur Network (KEN), Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Rajagiri Business School, All India Manufacturers Organization (AIMO), SMB Connect, Mindscapes and Laxmi Rama Varma Foundation between March 14th and 25th, 2022. The camp was done in three phases which included an offline presentation of the business plan. Dr. Padmanabhan N S was the faculty coordinator.

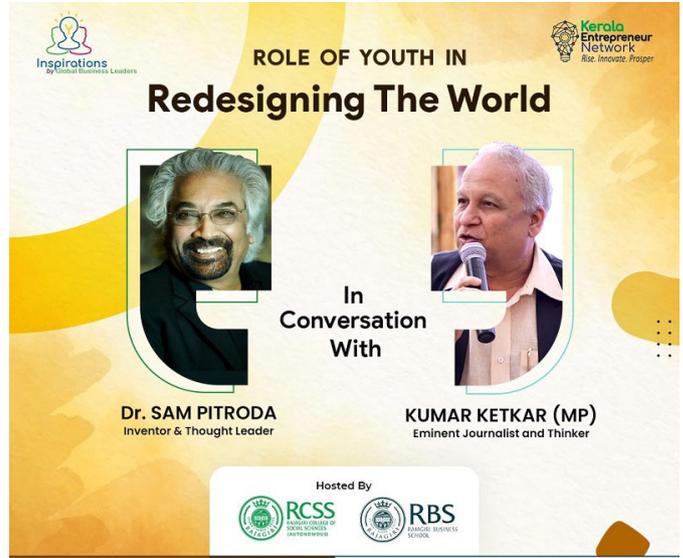


Rajagiri Entrepreneurship Awareness Programme (REAP)



Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Rajagiri Business School & Rajagiri School of Engineering and Technology, in association with IEDC, IIC & Entrepreneurship Development Club Deva Matha College, Kuravilangad, organized “RAJAGIRI ENTREPRENEURSHIP AWARENESS PROGRAMME (REAP) Plant Now, Reap Later” on March 26, 2022. Dr. Padmanabhan N S, Assistant Professor, RCSS, Mr Robin Joseph, Co-Founder & Director, Deltasoft Technologies and Mr Vivek C, Head of Web & Mobile – Centelon & Former CEO & MD – Bizessence Consultancy were the resource persons.

Inspirations by Global Leaders – Panel Discussion



Inspirations by Global Business Leaders Episode 1: “Role of Youth in Redefining the World”, an interactive discussion by Dr. Sam Pitroda (Inventor, Changemaker, Author) in conversation with Sri Kumar Ketkar, MP (Editor and Parliamentarian) was organized by All India Manufacturers Organization (AIMO), Kerala Entrepreneur Network (KEN), SMB Connect, Mind Escapes, Lakshya Jeevan Jagriti hosted by Rajagiri College of Social Sciences & Rajagiri Business School on March 29, 2022. The knowledge partner was Laxmi Rama Varma Foundation.

COLLEGE - COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENTS THROUGH “LIVE LABS”

RAJAGIRI OUTREACH

Session on Life Skill Education

A session on “Problem-solving, decision making and self-awareness” was given to the children on January 19, 2022. The programme was conducted in the Kaval office, Thrissur. There were about 8 children who had participated in the session. The session was led by Ms. Athira K.P, Coordinator.



Session of “Republic Day Observation” for the Sponsorship Children

The online google meet and session on “Republic Day observation” was conducted at various communities as part of the Republic Day celebration. An awareness video on the topic of “India’s Republic Day” was presented which was followed by the quiz and flag drawing competition.

Webinars on “Energy RCSS Conservation”

A webinar on “Energy Conservation” was organized on January 5, 2022, for the Paravur constituency. Adv. V.D. Satheesan, MLA had sent his message on video for the inauguration. Fr. Dr. Joseph M.K. CMI, Head of Department of Social Work, RCSS, had presided over the webinar.



2nd Phase Urjikiran - Women Empowerment Programme

Seminar on “Women Empowerment Workshop on Energy Conservation” was organized on January 14, 2022, with the support of the Ministry of Energy, Bureau of Energy Efficiency, Energy Management Centre Kerala, Centre for Environment and Development, Thiruvananthapuram in connection with Azadi Ka Amrit Maholsav. Session on Women empowerment, Green Energy, Promotion of Renewable Energy, Energy



Efficiency Women Entrepreneurship and Women Empowerment on Go electric, was taken.

THE RESEARCH INSTITUTE

A Seminar on “Identification of Abusive Relationship and Prevention of Domestic Violence”

A seminar was held on “Identification of Abusive Relationship and Prevention of Domestic Violence” on March 8, 2022, in



observance of Women’s day. The seminar was assigned by National Commission for Women, New Delhi. The seminar was inaugurated by Dr. Prema Manoj Sankar, District Women and Child Development Officer Ernakulam. Talks were rendered by eminent resource experts, the target audience being staff and students.

FAMILY COUNSELING CENTRE AND SERVICE PROVIDING CENTRE

Seminar on “Importance of Family & Parenting Skills”

Rajagiri Family Counselling Centre in collaboration with the Department of social work has organised a seminar on



“Importance of Family & Parenting Skills” on March 8, 2022. The session was led by Ms. Rose Mariya Devassy, Family Counsellor Rajagiri Family Counselling Centre Kalamassery. The session was focused on the parenting tips and skills.

Seminar on “Domestic Violence Act & Central Government Schemes”

The social work trainees of RCSS as part of fieldwork conducted a seminar on “Domestic Violence Act & Central Government Schemes” by collaborating with Rajagiri Family Counselling Centre and Rajagiri Service Providing Centre on March 14, 2022. The session explained different legal services provided by the government, different types of abuses and the major areas where a woman can complain about their problems.

RAJAGIRI CENTRE FOR SKILL DEVELOPMENT (RCSD)

Women’s Day Celebration

Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery lays its strong emphasis on women’s empowerment, by bringing them into the workforce through various skill training programmes,



celebrating this year’s International Women’s Day on March 8, 2022. Dr. Bindiya M Varghese, Dean, Computer Science was the Chief Guest for the function.

Training in Day Care Management



ARISE (Acquiring Resilience and Identity through Sustainable Employment), the skill campaign of Kudumbashree started on December 15, 2018, and is still continuing. The aim of this programme is to provide skill training to 50000 candidates in 10 selected areas. It includes House Keeping, Housemaid, Plumbing, Electronic Repair, Electrical Work, Day Care, Agriculture Labour, Sales, Data Entry and Laundry & Ironing.

CHILDLINE, KOCHI - NODAL AGENCY

Motivation Class – “How to Overcome the Exam Fear”



CHILDLINE Kochi in association with Our Responsibility to Children (ORC) Ernakulam has conducted an awareness class for 10th-grade students from GGHS Aluva on February 17, 2022. Mrs. Sandhya, headmistress GGHS Aluva pointed out that mental and physical conditions are very important before they face the exams. Mr.Giji, Trainer has taken the session on ‘Effective Ways to Handle the Exam’. Mr. Arun Thankachan, District Coordinator CHILDLINE Kochi has detailed the CHILDLINE and its services to the children.

Training for the Kochi City Police

CHILDLINE Kochi has conducted training for police officials from Kochi city on “CHILDLINE Mechanism and Screen addiction-



Child Based assessment and intervention” on February 21, 2022, at Air Force Camp, Marine Drive. Mr. Arun Thankachan, District Coordinator CHILDLINE Kochi has taken a session on ‘Screen Addiction’.

Anti-Child Labour and Child Beggary Campaign at Aluva Manapuram



A drive by joint task force comprising multiple agencies was set to get underway in Ernakulam district for identifying and rescuing children from the occasion of the “Aluva Manappuram Shivaratri Festival” on March 1, 2022. The team has conducted a joint campaign on the occasion.

RAJAGIRI STAFF WELFARE ASSOCIATION

Annual Tour Programme



Every year Rajagiri Staff Welfare Association organizes an annual tour programme for the Rajagiri family members to strengthen their bond of relationship among them. This year the tour programme took place on Saturday, March 26, 2022. This year’s excursion was to Thattekkad (boating) and Bhoothathankettu Dam in the Ernakulam district. The tour started at 8 am in two vehicles and returned at 7.30 pm.