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## Association Inauguration

The most awaiting Inaugural function of our association of the year 2016-2017 was held on 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2016 in our seminar Hall. The meeting started with a prayer song by Enza and Merin of III DC Physics.

Our Chief guest was Dr. Binoy Thomas, Associate Professor, Department of Physics, Christian college, Chengannur. Head of the department Prof. Bini B. Nair delivered a warm welcome speech. She introduced our chief guest cited some of his achievements. Our principal Dr. Abraham V. Kuriakose presided the meeting. Sreekutty K.N enlightened us with sweet melodies song. Next was the inaugural session. Dr. Binoy Thomas lighted the lamp and inaugurated the session.



In his inaugural address he spoke about the new trends in research and tried to motivate the students to come forward to the field of research. Association secretary Nibu Abraham of III DC physics read the association report of the year 2015-2016. Vote of thanks was proposed by Prof. Suresh M.K. After the inaugural meeting Prof. Vinoy delivered a talk on plasmons. The talk was very informative and our students got an opportunity to learn a new emerging field in physics. In the afternoon session students conducted various cultural programmes. The programme comes to an end at 3.15 p.m.

## Onam Celebration

Department conducted Onam celebration on 18<sup>th</sup> September 2016. III DC students were organized and guided the programme. They arranged Onamsadya to all students and teachers. Many cultural activities were organized by the students after the sadya.

## Regional Workshop

The inaugural meeting of regional workshop on Innovations in physics (RWIP-2016) conducted on 4<sup>th</sup> November 2016 at the seminar hall. . Our principal Dr. Abraham V. Kuriakose presided the meeting and the college manager Chev. Prof. Prasad Joseph Koikalinaugurate the workshop. Ms. KeerthanaGopinath delivered the vote of thanks.



The workshop was aimed to develop the experimental skills of our students in department and it was a great opportunity for the plus two students to witness the demonstration of the experiments which are familiar through their textbook. We invited plus two students from nearby schools. In this year, a total of 131 students from four different schools(Ebenzer Higher secondary school, Ranni, Citadal Residential school, Ranni , SCVHSS, Kottanadu and SC HSS Ranny)took part in the workshop. The students had arranged the demonstration of 15 electronics and general experiments,a documentary on astronomy and one of our student had created 3D virtual image display using four mirrors only.The programme come to an end at 4.15. pm.

We invited our former faculty Prof. M.K.Premnath( Former H.O.D of Physics) to judge the experiment done by the students. II M.Sc students bagged first prize . Second prize was given to Renimon of IM.Sc. and third prize to Sarath of III DC Physics. The prize distributed by the H.O.D. Prof. Bini B. Nair to the students.

### Felicitation to the M.Sc. I Rank holder

Our M.Sc. student KumariSubi Mathew received M. G university first rank for the M.Sc. Physics Examination 2015-2016. We conducted a programme to felicitate kumariSubi Mathew. Manager, Principal and our former H.O.D. Prof. Nancy Jacob were present in the meeting. Manager presented a memento on behalf of college authorities and teachers association presented a cash prize. She expressed her gratitude to the teachers for her achievement and speech were indeed encouraging for our current students.



## Tour Programme to IIIDC students

We conducted a 3-day tour programme for III DC students in November last week. Students planned to visit various places in Mysore and Koorgu. There were total of 20 students. Two teachers ( Dr. Marykutty James and Dr. Suresh M.K) and our lab assistant were accompanied along with them. We left the college by 5.30 pm on 26th Wednesday. Morning we reached at Mysore and after getting refreshed and had breakfast. Then visited the famous Vodayar palace. We visited zoo and Vrindavan garden. Next day we visited Tippu Sulthan's two other palaces and Chamundi Hills. On 28th evening we left Mysore and we reached at Koorgu around 10.00pm. We stayed there and morning we visited the famous Dubare elephant camp and Budha's Golden temple. Then we went for river rafting. The Dubare elephant camp and river rafting were very much enjoying. Evening we left Koorgu and had dinner at Iritti. Morning we reached college.





### X'mas celebration

Department conducted X'mas celebration on 18<sup>th</sup> December 2016. IIPG and IIIDC students were organized and guided the programme. Our H.O.D. cut the X'mascake and distributed to the students and colleagues. X'mas carols and other cultural activities were organized by the students.



## National Science Day Celebration

We, Department of Physics St. Thomas College, Ranni, has celebrated national science day on 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> February 2017 with the support of KSTEC, Trivandrum. Science is always for the betterment of society. So we were happy to celebrate science day on a theme “Science and technology for the differently abled person”. Hence the organized a variety of programs including sciences lectures, power point competition and quiz competition etc.

We have conducted Power point competition and quiz competition on 27<sup>th</sup> February 2017. Students from nearby colleges and students from our college actively participated in this competition. Power point presentation and quiz competition were based on current innovations in Physics. Students from Christian CollegeChenannur, bagged first prize in power point competition. Student from Marthoma college thiruvalla and our own student from Ranny College bagged second prize and third prize respectively. Students from CMS College Kottayam and Chengannur College secured first and second prize in quiz competition respectively.

We formally inaugurated our Science Day celebration on 28<sup>th</sup> February 2017 by our Principal Dr. Abraham V. Kuriakose. Dr. Marykutty James was coordinator of the programme and she gave a warm welcome to all off them. After the inauguration Ms. Raji N.R and Neena M from National Institutes of Speech & Hearing Trivandrum, Kerala conducted seminar on our theme. Assistive devices or the people with special needs and sensitization to disability were their topic of discussion. Students interacted well with the invited speakers. Our celebration ends by taking an oath to use science and technology for the people in need.

## Sent off to II DC & II PG students

Our II DC and I PG students conducted a sent off programme to their seniors. Students share their loving memories during the years which they spent here. All the teachers shared their beautiful interacting moments with the students.



## Valedictory function of Physics association 2016-2017

March first week department conducted Valedictory function of Physics association 2016-2017. Prof. Bini B. Nair gave a warm welcome. Our Principal Dr. Abraham V. Kuriakose presided the meeting.

Our principal was also retiring on this academic year, so all the students and teachers together expressed wishes for a happy retired life during our valedictory function. We decided to conduct more programme in the next year as a part of association. Association secretary delivered vote of thanks.