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Days Observed

• Vehicle Free Day



Our college observed another successful **No Vehicle Day** on the **15th** of this month. Despite of transportation challenges, students and faculty embraced eco-friendly alternatives like walking and cycling. This initiative promotes an air pollution-free environment while fostering a sense of community and highlighting our commitment to sustainability.

• Science Day



On **February 28th**, the **Dept of Botany & Zoology** celebrated **Science Day**, with active participation from 2nd and 4th semester B.Sc students. Revathi spoke about the day's importance, while **Dr. Adi Seshu & Lakshmi Thulasi** from the Department of Biological Sciences inspired the students.

• Pulses Exhibition



On **February 10th**, the students of **Biological Sciences** actively participated in conducting an **Exhibition on Pulses**. Through their collective effort and dedication, the students effectively conveyed the importance of pulses to the wider community, contributing to the promotion of sustainable food practices.

- **Empowering Women in Science**



On **February 11th**, the **Dept of Botany & Zoology** Observed the **International Day of Women and Girls in Science**. Children spoke about the achievements of women scientists and the responsibilities of girls in society. It was a day to recognize the contributions of women in the field of science and to inspire girls to pursue their passion for science.

- **Darwin's Day**

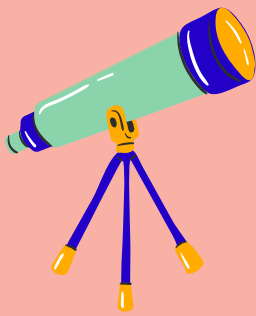


On **February 12th**, the students of the Biological Sciences department celebrated **Darwin's Day**. Students delivered speeches highlighting his significant contributions to the understanding of evolution and theory of natural selection. The students honored Darwin's legacy and emphasized the enduring relevance of his work in scientific research and education.

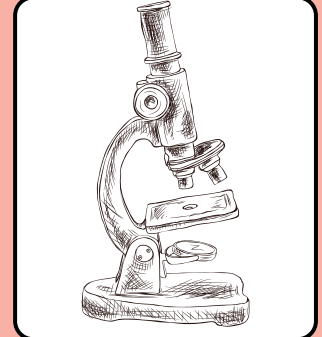
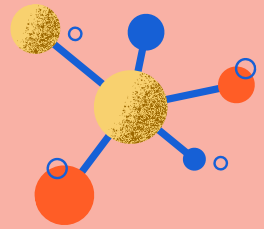
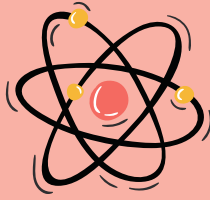
- **National Science Day by NSS Unit**



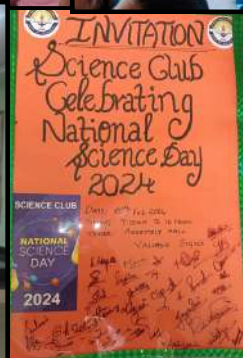
On **28th Feb**, **Science Day Celebration** Conducted by **NSS Unit**.



National Science Day



The Science Club celebrated National Science Day, with the event being inaugurated by **Sr. Gasila (the correspondent) & Sr. Prema, (The principal of the Degree College)**. This special occasion featured a variety of engaging activities, including a **Quiz Competition and a Poster Presentation**. Students exhibited high levels of enthusiasm and actively participated in the events, showcasing their keen interest in science. The quiz competition tested their knowledge, while the poster presentation allowed students to creatively communicate scientific concepts. The event not only highlighted the importance of science but also served as a platform for fostering a deeper understanding and appreciation of scientific principles among the student community. The active involvement of both Sr. Gasila and Sr. Prema underscores the commitment of the institution towards promoting scientific education. Overall, the celebration of National Science Day through these diverse activities contributed to creating a dynamic and intellectually stimulating environment within the science club.



Farewell Celebrations



The Farewell Feast, held at our College Ground, unfolded as a heartfelt tribute to departing members and a celebration of shared experiences. Attendees were greeted with thematic decorations that set the tone for an evening filled with nostalgia and camaraderie. From the whimsical **Selfie Stand** to the evocative **Memory Lane Room**, guests embarked on a journey of reflection, reminiscing about cherished memories and forging new connections. Throughout the evening, surprises and entertainment added to the festive atmosphere, with heartfelt speeches expressing gratitude and admiration for departing members, and entertaining performances showcasing the diverse talents within the community. As attendees bid farewell to their peers, emotions ebbed and flowed, mingling the sadness of parting with the anticipation of new beginnings. The event served as a poignant reminder of the bonds forged and the impact of shared experiences, leaving an indelible imprint on all who attended. Amidst laughter, tears, and heartfelt embraces, the farewell event was a testament to the strength of community and the enduring spirit of friendship. As attendees departed, they carried with them not only memories of the evening but also a profound appreciation for the time shared and the connections forged. The farewell event was more than just a goodbye; it was a celebration of the past and a hopeful embrace of the future, marking the end of one chapter and the beginning of another.



NCC Activities

- **Milan 2024**



From **February 17th to 22nd**, an **International City Parade** called **Milan 2024** took place at the **YMCA parking Area/ RK Beach**. **20 Cadets** from our college participated in this exciting event. They showcased their skills and represented our institution proudly. The parade provided a platform for cultural exchange and celebration, bringing together participants from various backgrounds and countries.



- **B - Certificate Exam**



On **February 4th**, 18 cadets attended the **B Certificate Exam** at **Dr. LB College**, demonstrating their readiness and commitment to their military education.

NSS Insights

• Yuva Samvad



On 26th February, Yuva Samvad programme was conducted by **NSS cell of AU at TLN Sabha Hall**. **EPS Bhagya Lakshmi & Y. Anasuya Devi** acted as one of the judges along the Politicians, Academicians and Activists to an **Elocution Competition** which was conducted to youth on **Pancha Pran**. 3 students of our college showcased their excellence in the competition and were rewarded.

• Best NSS Volunteers



On 21st February, K. Lavanya - III B.com & Bhavya Sri Lakshmi - II CSE declared as **OVERALL BEST OUT GOING NSS VOLUNTEERS** in the Farewell Party.

• World Channels day



A **Light Channeling Session** was conducted in the college. On the **eve of 14th World Channels Day** with the collaboration of **Manasa Light Age Foundation**. **EPS Bhagya Lakshmi** (Dept of Political Science) and **Joshna Jaisy** (Dept of English) co-ordinated the programme on **1st February**.

• Smt. Ramabai Ambedkar Jayanthi

On 8th February, **Smt. Ramabai Ambedkar Jayanthi** celebrations were conducted by NSS units & Dept of Library **EPS. Bhagya Lakshmi, Anasuya Devi, B. Santhi, Srisha, Salomi, Lakshmi Devi**, students and NSS volunteers actively participated in the programme.



• National Integration Camp



G.Harshitha Rani,NSS Volunteer of unit-I participated in **NATIONAL INTEGRATION CAMP** from **5th to 11th February** held at **Chitkara University, Rajpura, Punjab**.

• Training Program on Mental Health



On **20th February**,**EPS Bhagya Lakshmi & Y.Anasuya Devi**,NSS POs attended a **Training Programme on Mental Health** conducted by **NSS cell of Andhra University** and **Aditya Birla Educational trust M power project**

Seminars/Meetings/Extentional Activities

• Akashavani



On **February 18th 2024**, two students accompanied by **Lakshmi Devi Mam**,(Dept of Telugu) participated in an **Akashvani broadcast** focusing on **women's issues**. The discussion highlighted the importance of addressing and raising awareness on women's concerns. The involvement of students and educators in such dialogues contributes positively to societal awareness and empowerment.

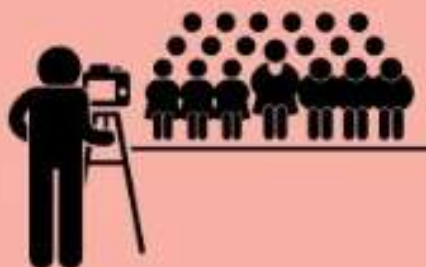
• Major - Minor Subjects



An orientation session for second-semester students took place on **February 22nd 2024**. The primary focus was on guiding students through the process of selecting major and minor subjects. This session aims to provide valuable information and support as students make decisions about their academic paths.



Outgoing Photo Session



• Outgoing Prayer Meeting

On **February 19th**, a **Prayer meeting** was held for outgoing intermediate students, with **Sr.Gisela**, (Correspondent of St Ann's College For Women) as the chief guest. The event offered a moment of reflection and inspiration as students prepared to embark on their next chapter.



• Thanks Giving Delight



On **February 15th**, a **thanksgiving party** was hosted by the **2nd inter CEC** students to express their gratitude and appreciation for the support and guidance they received throughout their journey. **Sr.Gisela**, the correspondent of the college, graced the occasion as the chief guest.

• Higher Education Reforms in AP



Prof K. Hemachandra Reddy (Professor APSCH) and **Shri M. Balasubramaniam** (Deputy Chairman Steering committee AICTE) discussed **ongoing Higher Education Reforms**, emphasizing adaptability to modern challenges. St Ann's college for women also took an active part in the session under the guidance of **Mrs. Lakshmi Tulasi** (Dept of Zoology) and **Mr. Murali** in the morning session at **AU convention Hall** and in the afternoon session **Mrs. Roja A.** (Dept of English) attend a **Q & A Session** at **register Block** along the students of different streams. The speakers highlighted strategic development plans, stressing the importance of innovative models. Insights on human interference's role and emerging education models were shared. The engaging Q&A session fostered dialogue on the future of higher education. Overall, the seminar provided valuable perspectives on reforms and the evolving nature of education in Andhra Pradesh.



• Legal Awareness



On **February 24th**, our college and **Mandal Legal Services Meet** organized a **seminar** about **Legal awareness**. **Smt. Pallavi** (Additional Chief Metropolitan Magistrat) from Gajuwaka, was the chief guest. **Dr. Sr. Prema Kumari**, (the Degree Principal), along with other sisters, staff, and students, took part in the seminar. The event aimed to educate people about legal matters and their rights. It provided valuable information to help everyone understand the law better.

• Campus Recruitment V/S Corporate Recruitment



The **Department of English**, in collaboration with **IQAC**, hosted a **seminar on Campus Recruitment V/S Corporate Requirements** on **February 8th, 2024**. **Neelima Teotia**, (a Certified Master Trainer) served as the resource person on **Interview Skills**. In addition to Neelima Teotia, Miss. Prema Latha served as a distinguished speaker at the seminar on the Campus recruitment vs Corporate requirement. Her expertise likely enriched the discussion on campus recruitment and corporate requirements.



• Youth Habits

On **February 23rd**, **Father Nithin** from Kerala conducted a **survey** on **Youth habits** at TSR and TBK College, St. Ann's College for Women, Chaitanya Women's College, and MVR Degree College. **EPS Bhagya Lakshmi** Supported with the survey Analysis. Principals, NSS program officers, and NSS volunteers joined in the session.



• Career Counselling

On **10th February**, a **Career Counselling** session to **2nd year Intermediate students** was organized. **Dr. Sr. Prema Kumari**, principal of degree College graced the occasion as chief guest, faculty from all the departments addressed the Students and helped them to gain valuable insights and guidance for their future career path.



• How to Build a Winners Mindset



On **11th February**, **Advanced Minds Organization** conducted an outgoing **seminar** on topic “**How to Build A Winner's Mindset**”, for final year degree students. **Mr. V. Satish**, CEO of Advanced Minds, served as the chief resource person, sharing valuable insights and expertise. Dr. Sr. Prema Kumari, the college principal, presided over the program, lending her support and encouragement. All staff and students actively engaged in the seminar, benefiting from the knowledge shared and the opportunities for learning and growth.

• National Productivity Day



On **12th February**, the **Commerce Department P.Jayashri**(Academic Head), **Alekhy**(Dept.Of Commerce), **Divya**(Dept.Of Commerce) and **Raju**(Dept.Of Political Science) conducted **seminar** on **NATIONAL PRODUCTIVITY DAY**. The seminar focused on strategies to enhance productivity in various sectors. Attendees gained insights into optimizing workflow, leveraging technology, and fostering a culture of efficiency.

• 2-Day FDP Programme



On **27th & 28th February**, Teaching staff from the science departments (Chemistry, Botany and Microbiology) attended the **2-Day FDP Program** conducted by the **Department of Bio-technology at GITAM University**.

• Parent Interaction Session



On **26th February**, parents **Interactive Session** with the management and staff took place, focusing on the facilities and courses offered by the institution. This collaborative discussion provided an opportunity for parents to gain insights into the various resources available to support their child's academic journey. Additionally, parents had the chance to enquire about the different courses offered and the career opportunities presented. The session fostered transparency, communication, and mutual understanding among all, ensuring a supportive environment for the holistic development of the students.

• Career Prospects in Commerce and Management



On **3rd February**, P.Jayashri (Academic Head) and Lavanya (HOD Commerce) organized a seminar on **Career Prospects in Commerce and Management** to the students of **CEC & MEC**. The event aimed to help students make informed decisions about their future career paths.

• Reasoning and Mental Ability



On **February 23rd**, an **Online Exam** focusing on **Reasoning and Mental Ability** was administered by the **APSSDC** for all 2nd degree students. **Mrs. Chandrakala** from APSSDC, along with **Mr. Murali, Y. Anasuya Devi** (Dept. Of Political Science) and all second-year class teachers, facilitated the examination seamlessly.

• Orientation Program on Internship



From **February 5th to 10th**, Our college organized an **Orientation Program** for final year students regarding their semester internships. **Dr .Sr.Prema Kumari, Y. Anasuya Devi, B. Shanthi, Mr. Murali**, along other mentors and representatives from various institutions, conducted an Informative session to raise awareness about internship opportunities and expectations.

• Plantation Programme



On **February 6th**, our college organized a significant event aimed at promoting **Environmental Awareness: A Plantation Program**. This initiative was led by Mrs. Salomi, earning recognition from Sister Jayaseela, Sister Janice, Dr. Sister Prema Kumari, for her initiation. This program was a testament to the college's commitment for sustainability and eco-consciousness. Under her guidance, students and faculty came together to plant trees, symbolizing their dedication to preserving and nurturing the environment.

• Uniforms Distribution



On **25th February**, our college in collaboration with **Don Bosco Navajeevan organization**, distributed **uniforms & t-shirts** to underprivileged children in **Tatichetla Palem and Kanchara Palem** slums, from the funds raised through a successful **food festival and Dance Show**.

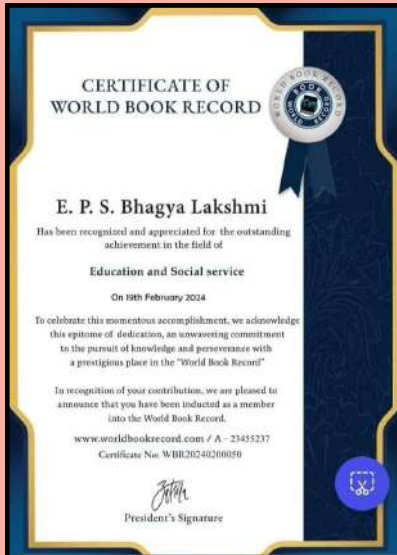
Dr. Sr. Prema Kumari, Fr. Arul Das, Fr. Kalyan Babu, along staff and students of St. Ann's actively participated in the event. **Anasuya Devi** (Dept. Of Political Science) & **SK.Valisha** (Dept. Of Chemistry) addressed the children, emphasizing the importance of health, hygiene, food, and nutrition. Overall, this initiative was a success with the cooperation, dedication and efforts of the management, staff and the students.

• Learner Improvement Programme



On **12th & 13th**, **EPS Bhagya Lakshmi & Y. Anasuya Devi** attended a **Two-Day Master Trainers Workshop** on the **Learning Improvement Program**. The workshop was organized by **BCDE, APSCHE, S.S, & UNICEF** at **K. L. University in Guntur**. **Prof Hema Chandra Reddy**, (Chairman of APSCHE), honored the program as the chief guest. **Prof Dev Kumar**, the Secretary of BCDE, coordinated the workshop.

Staff and Students Exploring Capacities at Various Levels



On **February 19th, 2024**, **EPS Bhagya Lakshmi** achieved a remarkable milestone as she was awarded the **World Book Record certificate** by the **World Book Record Organization**. This prestigious recognition was bestowed upon her for her outstanding contributions to both education and social service.



Department of English bid farewell to Priya Parnandi (lecturer in english), recognizing her impactful contributions to teaching and mentorship. Wishing her success in future endeavors, the ceremony is to acknowledge her dedication and positive influence on the academic community. Best wishes, Madam Priya!



Mrs. Shanti Rani has Participated in the **International Online Workshop on Documentation using LATEX** from 10th to 12th Feb 2024.

At **St. Joseph's College**, a **National Seminar** featured a **Paper Presentation** by **A. Adhi Lakshmi**. Her paper contributed to the insightful discussions, enriching the academic exchange during the event.



A **Quiz on Bharat - Mother of democracy** was conducted by **Government of India, Ministry of Defence**. **60 cadets** of **St. Ann's College for women** participated in the quiz.



Mrs. P. Jaya Shri has given a **Paper Presentation** in **International Conference (Ukraine)**.

Spotlight -Young Talent

R.Pravallika , a 2nd Year B.Sc. (MPCs) student, shines as a **Classical Dancer** illustrating her talent within our student cohort. Her graceful performances inspire and enrich our campus culture, demonstrating the diverse talents among peers. Embracing and nurturing individual talents like Pravallika's fosters a vibrant student environment.



Students corner

• IDP's Exclusive Loan Mela

IDP Visakhapatnam Office for Australia, Canada, Ireland, United Kingdom, Newzealand, United States

Its happening on 23 March 2024.

Date: 23rd March 2024

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• Job Notification

Organization Name : Andhra Pradesh District Department of Employment and Training

Post Name : Assistant Training Officer

No. of vacancies : 71 Vacancies

Qualificatuon : 10th, Diploma, Degree, B.Voc, Post Graduation

Last Date to Apply : 20-Mar-2024

Interested students can apply for the positions before the respective deadlines.

Wishing you a very all the best!

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