

## **SREE NARAYANA TRAINING COLLEGE, NEDUNGANDA**

### **Institutional Distinctiveness**

The Sree Narayana Training College, Nedunganda is one among the pioneer teacher education institutions established after the formation of Kerala State. It aims to mould talented, creative and prospective teachers to shape the forthcoming generations. During the past half century, the college has successfully imparted its purpose and is still continuing its goal with more dedication and devotion.

#### **Vision of the college**

Creation of a unified world through the philosophy of the World Spirit Sree Narayana Guru through his fundamental concept '**One Caste, One Religion, One God for Man**'. Considering the relevance of education in the upliftment of man, the vision of the college is: '**Enlightenment Through Education**'.

#### **Mission of the college**

The college visualizes to achieve the ideals and preaching of Sree Narayana Guru through education and the mission of the college is:

- To provide value embedded quality oriented education
- To nourish the potentials of the future nation builders.
- To equip the student teachers to meet the challenges in the global educational scenario.
- Strengthen the society through Unity.
- Selfless service to the humanity.

#### **Values up -hold by the college**

The college is highly committed to inculcate values among student teachers through various co-curricular and extracurricular activities organized. The following values are aimed at.

- Inculcation of the value of oneness.
- Social and Cultural Enlightenment
- Truthfulness and Honesty
- Democratic and social values like unity and integrity, cooperation etc.
- Aesthetic Value.

- Personal Values like sincerity, dedication, empathy etc.
- Religious and Cultural Values
- Moral Values

## DAILY ROUTINE OF COLLEGE ACTIVITIES

The day begins at 9.30 am with a mass prayer reciting the hymn ‘Daivadasakom’ by Sree Narayana Guru, followed by the ‘Thought for the day Programme’. The classes will end at 4.30 p.m. with the National Anthem.

## CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

The co-curricular activities of the college are worth mentioning. We had colorful celebrations on all national days like Republic day, Independence day, GandhiJayanthi, Teacher’s day and festivals like Onam , X-mas etc. During X’mas celebration, students donated money for purchasing books and some learning materials to poor students instead of gift exchange programme among students. Death Anniversary of Sri. R. Sankar, the Founder Manager of the College, was observed on Nov 7th in a befitting manner. The World Yoga Day was celebrated on 21/06/2016 in a colorful manner.

## CULTURAL ACTIVITIES

The Arts Club of the college did excellent performance this year also. The Arts fest was conducted on October 7<sup>th</sup>, 2016. House wise competitions were held and Kum. Nikhith.S.Raj of Natural Science Optional won the Kalathilakam and Mr. Prince M. of English Optional won the Kalaprathibha Stature.

## EXCURSIONS AND PICNICS

All six optional classes conducted field trips to various places during I & II semester. In English optional Students conducted a tour to Veli, Shangumugham, Vettucad and Papanasam. Social Science Department conducted Field Visit to Anjengo fort, light house, Perumathura azhi, Kappil Beach, Kuttanadu and Kumarakom Bird Sanctuary. Department of Malayalam conducted field trip to Padasala at Arangattukara, Kalamandalam at Shornur, Kunchan Nambiar Smarakom at Lakkidi and Swapnam- a place for organic farming, Body tree –an Alternative Healthcare Centre at Kallar and Ponmudi. Natural Science Optional conducted a field trip to Kuttalam, Thenmala, Kappil Beach, Hatchery & Marine Aquarium at Varkala. Department of Mathematics conducted visit to Kuthiramalika and Veli at Thiruvananthapuram.

## COMMUNITY LIVING CAMP

A Community Living Camp was organized for five days from 5<sup>th</sup> Monday to 9<sup>th</sup> Friday, September 2016.

Theme Selected for the Camp was 'Agriculture'. Programme was officially inaugurated by Honorable Deputy Speaker of Kerala, Sri.V. Sasi and the keynote address was delivered by Sri.Aji S.R.M. (Executive Member, S.N.Trusts). Various activities organized as part of the Camp include an interesting Personality Training Session by Shri. Brahma Nayakam Mahadevan, Special Educator &Trainer, Community Awareness Programme at Anchuthengu Grama Panchayathu by Teacher Trainees, Visit to Sivagiri Brahmailayam, Gurukulam and Blind School, Papanasam Cleaning, and Presentation of Folk songs of Kerala by Sri. AjithAttingal. Our students donated a printer to the blind school. Sri.Subair a well-known farmer has taken an awareness class on 'farming'. Students planted pea saplings in 60 grow bags.

Camp was really successful in promoting the democratic nature and involvement of the student-teacher in planning and implementing educational activities. Activities organized were fruitful enough for promotion of universal Values and Ethics.

In addition to all these activities, variety of programmes was organized under different Clubs. They are as follows.

#### CLUB ACTIVITIES

##### SREE NARAYANA STUDY CENTRE

The club started its activities with the explanation of 'Daivadasakom' by Sri.Praveen.R., Lecturer in Malayalam. The students were deeply inspired by the theme and practice the same as group prayer in the morning .Our students visited Sivagiri Mutt. An Extempore speech on Guru's quotes was conducted. Dr. Rany S. coordinated these activities in an effective manner.

##### GANDHI STUDY CENTRE

Gandhi Study Centre is one of the clubs which functions properly in our college since 1992. The main aim of the Unit is to spread the views and values of Gandhiji in one's own life. On 2nd October, "Gandhi Jayanthi" was celebrated with Bhajan, campus cleaning, Gandhi quote video presentation, Gandhi poster presentation etc. The club also conducted a Gandhi quiz competition and awarded prizes for the winners. Sri. Pratheesh P K. Asst. Professor in General Education coordinated all the programs in an efficient manner. Students were given training in preparing swadeshi products like washing soap, lotion etc.

##### WOMEN'S STUDY UNIT

The Women's Study Unit for the academic year was inaugurated by the principal followed by a discussion on women empowerment. International Women's day was celebrated with a talk by Asha Mohan from English, a video presentation, a recitation by Sreelekshmi from physical science and a tableau by students from all Optional classes.

##### GUIDANCE CLUB

The activities of the Club during the academic year commenced with a formal inauguration on 06-01-2016 by the Principal Dr. K. Ushakumari at the college auditorium. The Club organized several inspiring and educative programmes among which 'Weekly G.K.', 'Extempore Speech', Seminar on Exam Orientation, Career Talk, Just a minute programme etc. were the most remarkable. Club offers vocational guidance and job assurance activities. Weekly G. K. Programme was highly beneficial for our students in equipping them in order to meet Competitive Examinations through opening an avenue for their vast reading. The winners were awarded with prizes every week as an encouragement. Programme of 'Opportunities' of displaying and informing career news helped our students in their search of job opportunities in becoming vigilant and alert over the career field. 'The Extempore Speech' organized for Second year students and the 'Just a minute programme organized for the First Year students by the Club really served as a platform for expressing their views on a general social issue and for enriching their public speaking skill. 'Seminar on Exam Orientation' helped in reducing exam anxiety and provided guidance to the students regarding the necessity of proper planning, preparing and managing time for examinations. Subscription of 'Thozilvartha' was very much beneficial to the students. The Club continuously serves as a Placement agent to our students by providing proper vocational awareness and conscientization activities on present educational situations. The activities of the Club were successfully conducted under the excellent coordination of the Staff Coordinator Dr. Smitha S., Assistant Professor and with the innovative ideas of all its members, especially the student coordinator Ms. Meenu M., of Physical Science Optional and Ms. Mayadevi of Malayalam Optional.

### LITERARY CLUB

Literary Club of the College is mainly functioning with an objective to provide various avenues for the students to identify and polish their potential in creative literary works. The activities of the Literary Club were successfully held under the systematic leadership of Dr. Pramod G. Nair, Assistant Professor in Social Science. The major programmes organized were Kaviyarangu and Reading Day observation; all these programmes provided opportunities to our students in exploring their creative expressions and were beneficial for them in expanding the horizon of aesthetic values. Through participating the programmes, our students could sharpen their imagination power and social responsibility.

### HUMAN RIGHTS CLUB

On Human Rights day the coordinator, Sri. Pramod G.Nair gave a talk on the importance of human rights day. Also a UGC sponsored National seminar on human rights day was organized on 26 th & 27 nth February, 2016.

### IT CLUB

IT Club of Sree Narayana Training College conducted a presentation of the IT NEWS on 29/09/2016. A Skit named "Face Book Pranayam" was organised on the same day itself by

student teachers. The club released a set of e-contents for the academic uses of students. The programmes were coordinated under the leadership of Smt. Chitra S. and Sri. Pratheesh P.K. The student co-ordinators were Smt. Asa Mohan and Smt. Salini S.V.

### SOORYA KANTHI NATURE CLUB

A live nature club is functioning in this college for the last few years under the leadership of Sri.Praveen.R,Asst.Prof in Malayalam. There were 30 members in the club. Kum Archa and smt.Jitha were the student co-ordinators. Some of the important programmes conducted by the nature club were the following.

- ☐ Celebrated Hiroshima day in a colour manner.
- ☐ Training was given to all members of the club for preparing paper bags
- ☐ Conducted awareness classes on different topics on nature protection by Sri.Praveen R. and club members.
- ☐ On World Environment Day, a number of programmes were organized by the club members. The club members planted saplings in the campus and on road sides.
- ☐ During teaching practice, student teachers prepared environmental protection hand books and supplied to school students.
- ☐ Supplied saplings to students in Chrunniyoor H.S.S.
- ☐ The Nature club members cleaned the campus every day during the noon interval period and they made the campus plastic free. They have implemented the waste disposal process in our college in an effective way.

### ENERGY CLUB

Energy club for the year 2015-‘16 was inaugurated by Sri.Sarath P.S., Former Atudent of the College and gave an awareness class on “Energy Conservation”

### ICSSR SPONSORED PROJECT.

A Sponsored Research Study by ICSSR ‘Popularization of Indian Intellectual Traditions of Vedic Mathematics among Multilevel Learners of Kerala’ is being undertaken in the College with the aim of popularizing the Intellectual tradition of India.

### UGC SPONSORED SEMINARS

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