### **ANNUAL REPORT**

On behalf of the Management, Staff and Students of P.K.R. Arts College for Women, I take immense pleasure in welcoming everyone to the Silver Jubilee College Day Celebrations. On this memorable day, I feel immensely proud and happy to present the 25<sup>th</sup> Annual Report for the year 2018-2019. The college was incepted in the year 1994 by the founder Correspondent Late. Thiru. P.R. Natarajan, with the noble vision of empowering the rural women, and with the mission of generating knowledge with discipline and providing qualitative education at affordable cost for the rural students. His mission and vision continues to inspire generations of women. With great pride I want to share with you the success of our staff and students. In this report I would like to present a brief summary of our achievements on academics, co-curricular and extracurricular front for the year 2018 -2019.

### STAFF

Faculty members are the backbone of any institution. P.K.R. Arts College for Women is strengthened by its faculty members. This year a number of staff members received Doctoral degree and quite a number of staff members completed their M.Phil degree.

### Ph. D AWARDEES (STAFF MEMBERS)

Eight of our faculty members have been awarded Ph.D. degree during this academic year

Dr. M. Kasthuri, & Dr. .S.Gomathi, Assistant Professors of Mathematics,

Dr. V.S. Lavanya, Assistant Professor of Computer Science,

Dr. V. Raadhika, & Dr. V. Vasanthi, Assistant Professors of Physics,

Dr. C.V. Latha, Dr. A. Saroja, & Dr. P. Balamani, Assistant Professors of Commerce, all of them have received their Doctoral Degrees I congratulate all the staff members for their achievement.

**M.Phil Completed**: Four staff members have completed their M.Phil. Ms.A.Amsalekha Ms.T.Nandhini and Ms.Nane Selvanayagi, Assistant Professors of Mathematics and Ms.S.Gayathri, Assistant Professor of Physics

#### Ph.D & M.Phil Awardees (RESEARCH SCHOLARS)

A research scholar G. Brindha was awarded Ph.D degree under the guidance of Dr. V. Kavitha, Head, Department of Management. Our Student S. Rabiya completed her M.Phil under the Guidance of Ms.L.Priya, Assistant Professor of Mathematics and R.Shalini completed her M.Phil under the guidance of Dr. M. Kasthuri, Assistant Professor of Mathematics.

## **DETAILS OF PUBLICATION BY STAFF**

- Dr. E. Uvarani, Assistant professor, Department of Tamil has published a book titled Sanga Agapaadalgalil karuthu pulappaadu
- The staff members of Department of Computer Science have published 8 papers in reputed International journals.
- The staff members of Department of Physics have Published papers in conference proceedings.

# 5 FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMMEWERE CONDUCTED IN OUR COLLEGE

- On 11<sup>th</sup> June 2018, Faculty Development Programme on Strategic Leadership for Visionary Teachers was conducted and Dr. P. John J. Kennedy Professor & Dean, Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, Christ (deemed to be) University, Bangalore was the Resource Person
- A programme on Coping with Stress was conducted on 12<sup>th</sup> June 2018 and Dr. S. Kathiravan, Professor & Head, Department of Psychology, Periyar University, Salem was the Chief Guest
- A programme on Theory of Computation was organized on 25<sup>th</sup> August 2018. Mr. D. Chandrasekhar Rao, Assistant Professor, Department of Information Technology, Veer Surendara Sai University of Technology, Burla, Sambalpur, Odisha was the Chief Guest of the programme.
- On 04<sup>th</sup> December 2018, Online Quiz Maker programme was conducted for the Staff Members and Ms.R.Anushiya, Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science, PKR Arts College for Women; Gobichettipalayam was the Resource Person of the programme.
- The Department of Computer Science conducted a Professional Development Programme on 27<sup>th</sup> December 2018. Ms. Puvanesvari Subramaniam, Chief Executive Officer, QF4 Tech ASIA SDN BHT, Selangor, Malaysia was the Resource Person of the programme.

## **ORIENTATION PROGRAMME CONDUCTED FOR STUDENTS**

To guide and direct the 1<sup>st</sup> year students on college life both academically and personally an Orientation programme was organized on 14<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> June 2018and the chief guest was Mrs. R. Sasiprabha, Student Counselor of our college.

## UNION INAUGURATION

'The Union Inauguration' was held on 9<sup>th</sup> July 2018. The Chief Guest, Swami
 Nirmaleshananda, Secretary, Sri Ramakrishna Mission Vidhyalaya College of Arts

&Science Coimbatore was the chief guest and he advised the students to excel in their studies with passion and pursue a career which is close to their hearts.

## **MoU's SIGNED**

Having felt the need to strengthen the industry-institution interaction and collaboration our college has signed MoUs with some major industries and organizations.

- > The Department of Physics signed MoU with BSNL & Chipdronic Solutions Pvt.Ltd
- The Department of Computer Science signed MoU with QF4 Tech Asia SDN BHP, Malaysia
- The Department of Management signed MoU with Q4 Technologies, IJAR Publications, Wollo University, AFRICA
- > The Department of Tamil signed MoU with Tamil University Tanjore.
- The Department of Commerce signed MoU for Tally with Sri Krishna Hi-Tech, Coimbatore.

## **COLLEGE ADMINISTRATION**

- ➤ Governing Council meeting was conducted on 7<sup>th</sup> December 2018.
- ▶ Result Passing Board meeting was conducted on 21<sup>st</sup> December 2018 and 15<sup>th</sup> May 2018.

## WORLD POPULATION DAY

- On 11<sup>th</sup> July 2018, a talk on 'The issues caused by over Population and the reason for increase in world population was given by Dr. D. Mythili, Principal, PKR Arts College for Women.
- Mr. Chidambaram, Research Coordinator, PKR Arts College for Women pointed out the qualities which the students need to develop.

## INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION

The 72<sup>nd</sup> Independence Day was celebrated on 15<sup>th</sup> August 2018. Mr. K. Rajesh Kumar, CEO, Beacon Education & Technology Services (p) Ltd, Karur was the guest of honour.

## PARENTS TEACHERS MEETING

'Parents Teachers Meeting' was conducted to create a rapport between the parents, teachers and Management of the college on 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2018 for first year students and 08th February2019 for final year students. Around 500 parents attended the programme for UG and two hundred attended for PG. During the meeting, the Parents were given awareness on the rules and regulations and the activities of the college. In the feedback session, Parents appreciated the rules and regulations of our college and they expressed

their whole- hearted happiness and support for the disciplined way of grooming their children.

## SILVER JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS OF OUR COLLEGE

Silver jubilee celebrations of our college was conducted with a chess competition jointly with AMAZE Chess academy, Erode district on 26<sup>th</sup> August 2018 there were 500 participants

The silver jubilee celebrations inauguration along with founder's day celebrations was celebrated on 30<sup>th</sup> August 2018. The chief guest was Krishna Raj Vannavarayar, Chairman Bharathiya Vidhya Bhavan. Thiru P. R. Natarajan was remembered and his dedicated services were recollected upon by many well-wishers, college committee members and his friends on that day. Every year on Founders day the college honors various personalities for their dedication & achievements. This year, the college took pride in honoring the reporters of various Newspapers for their untiring service to the society.

The management provides scholarships to students who have scored more than thousand marks in the board exams. Scholarships were also given to post graduate students who have earned above eighty five percent in their Under Graduation. The scholarship amounts to Rs.2,53,000/ and concessions amount to Rs. 2,40,000/ per annum respective. All sport students are given free education, boarding and lodging by the management.

**MARATHON**: As part of the Silver Jubilee Celebrations of our college a Marathon on the theme 'Save the Girl Child' was organized on 9<sup>th</sup> September 2018. The marathon covered a distance of 6kms starting from our college premises. The honorable Educational Minister Mr. K.A. Sengottayan inaugurated the competition. The winners bagged Prizes and Cash Awards. They were 3500 participants' .All the participants were provided T-shirts, bags and breakfast.

## TEACHERS DAY CELEBRATIONS

Teachers Day was celebrated with great fan fare by our students. The students of Tamil department honoured the faculty and non-teaching staff of our college by presenting them with mementos with the photo of the staff and write-up about the staff.

# SISTER NIVEDITHA 150<sup>TH</sup> YEAR RADHA YAATHRA CELEBRATION

A photo exhibition on the life and teachings of Swami Vivekananda was held on 22 September 2018 in our college campus.

## CULTURAL FEST

The college celebrated a cultural festival to honor the folklore of Tamil culture from 26<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> September 2018. The inaugural day had program by Vijay TV fame super singer titled winner Senthil Ganesh and his wife Raja Lakshmi who entertained the audience with their mesmerizing songs.

On 27<sup>th</sup> September Dr.Nalasivam of Tamil University entertained the audience with Thevaaram and Thirup& aaavai.

On 28<sup>th</sup> September we had street play by folklore artist Ramachandan and his troop who entertained the audience.

On 29<sup>th</sup> September we had folk dance by Selvam and troop their performance captivated the audience

On the final day Mrs.Gomathi Sankar and her group entertained the audience with traditional folk dance and drama.

**GURU DARSHAN**: A program felicitating the past and the present staff of our institution was held on 29<sup>th</sup> December 2018

**COLLEGE BAZAAR**: An Annual bazaar showcasing the talents of self help groups was organized in our college campus on 4<sup>th</sup> January 2019

**SILVER JUBILEE ALUMNI MEET**: silver jubilee alumni meet was held on 26<sup>TH</sup> January 2019

**GRADUATION DAY**: 'The Graduation day' was held on 6<sup>th</sup> October 2018 in the college premises. The Chief Guest, Dr. P. Kolandaivelu, Vice Chancellor, Periyar University, Salem highlighted the necessity of education to women to face the challenges in the society. He distributed degrees to 770 students who had successfully completed their U.G and P.G degrees in 2017. Our college bagged 16 university ranks.

**REPUBLIC DAY**: The 70<sup>th</sup> Republic Day was celebrated on 26<sup>th</sup> January 2019. Mr. Erode Kathir, Writer and Orator, Erode was the chief guest.

**SPORTS DAY:** The sports day was celebrated in our college on 16th February 2019. The chief guest was Shri. Vasudevan Baskaran, Captain of the Indian Hockey team that won the gold in Olympics at Moscow, Arjuna Awardee and the Coach for Indian Federation of Hockey was the chief guest.

**WOMEN'S DAY**: International Women's day' was celebrated on 08<sup>th</sup> March 2019 in the college premises. The Honorable Member of Parliament Mrs. Sathya Bama, Ms. Baby Shalini, Assistant Manager, Reservation Inbound and Outbound tour, Akbar Travels and Holidays, Coimbatore, Ms. Shaalini Captain, Indian Volleyball Women's Team, Dr. Nandhitha, Abhi

S.K. Hospitals, and Ms. Deepika, Social Activist were the chief guests. Cultural fest and competitions were also organized on the occasion. In the afternoon session, Ms. Madhumitha and Mr. Hariharan from Super Singer programme of Vijay TV entertained the Students and Staff members by their lively performance.

**IQAC** -The Internal Quality Assurance Cell of the college is very active and 10 programs were successfully organized for teaching, non-teaching and support staffs of our college.

The IQAC TEAM has been working tirelessly to prepare the self study report and has uploaded the report. NAAC has allowed us to continue with the same grade up to 2022. IQAC was instrumental in organizing many seminars and workshops.

- The Internal Quality Assurance Cell of the college organized a Seminar on Quality Initiatives and Quality Sustenance: Beyond Metrics for the faculty members 14<sup>th</sup> July 2018 Forenoon and Professional Development Programme for Non-Teaching staff members on 14<sup>th</sup> July 2018 afternoon. The resource person was Dr. V. Mohana Sundaram, Member, Adviser –IQAC, PSG Arts and Science College, Coimbatore.
- A One day Seminar on Intellectual Property Rights: Legal and Economic Challenges & Opportunities for Development was jointly organized by IQAC and the Department of Commerce on 25<sup>th</sup> July 2018. The Chief Guests were Ms. G. Nagamani, Assistant Manager (Legal), Hyundai Mobis, Chennai. Mr. K. Narasimhan, Director, The HOPE Overseas Educational Consultants and IPR Consultant, Tamil Nadu. Dr. Karuppasamy Ramanathan, Director, Management Studies, Nehru Institute of Technology (NIT), Coimbatore were the resource person.
- A programme on Health and Hygiene was organized on 07<sup>th</sup> August 2018 for Support Staff members, Dr. Anbumalar, Pediatrician, Government Hospital, Gobichettipalayam, addressed them on Maintaining proper health and steps for Hygiene.
- Road Safety Awareness Programme for Bus Drivers of our college was organized on 18<sup>th</sup> August 2018. Mr. N. Palanivelu, Regional Transport Officer, Gobichettipalayam was the guest speaker.
- A Programme on Interpersonal Relationship was organized for Administrative staff members on 19<sup>th</sup> September 2018. Mrs. R. Sasi Prabha, Assistant Professor in Commerce, P.K.R. Arts College for Women, Gobichettipalyam addressed the gathering.
- An Orientation Programme for NAAC (SSR Preparation) was chaired by Dr. M.G. Sethuraman Associate Professor in Chemistry Gandhi gram Rural University, Dindigul on 14<sup>th</sup> October 2018
- An Orientation Programme for NAAC was organized for the staff members on 15<sup>th</sup> October 2018. Dr. V. Chitra, Assistant Professor of Computer Science, IQAC Coordinator, CMS College, Coimbatore was the resource person.

- A One Day Workshop on Intellectual Property Rights & Innovations was organised on 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2019. Dr. M. Kantha Babu, Director, Centre for Intellectual Property Rights, College of Engineering, Guindy, Anna University, Chennai was the guest speaker.
- A National Seminar on Progressive Initiatives by NAAC for Quality in Higher Education Institutions was organized on 01<sup>st</sup> March 2019. Dr. Sheela Ramachandran, Pro-Chancellor, Atmiya University, Rajkot, Gujarat, spoke on the importance of IQAS and its Mainstay of Progressive Quality of HEI's in the current scenario. Dr. Priya Narayanan, Assistant Advisor, NAAC, Bangalore spoke on 'Quality Assurance, Sustenance & Enhancement in HEIs'. Dr.Smita Asthana, IQAC Coordinator, St. Ann's College for Women (Autonomous), Telengana, Hyderabad spoke on the various Challenges & Opportunities of Revised Accreditation Framework (RAF).

# CONFERENCES/SEMINARS/ WORKSHOPS ORGANISED BY VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS

Our College values continuing education and constantly encourages the departments to organize Conferences/Seminars/ and Workshops. It creates an opportunity for the faculty to develop themselves professionally and also to disseminate knowledge. A number of Conferences/Seminars/ Workshops were organized by the departments during this academic year. Here are the details

## **DEPARTMENT OF TAMIL has organized 12 programmes in all**

- The Department conducted a guest lecture on "Ilakiya Mandra Vizha", on 21<sup>st</sup> July 2018. The Chief Guest, Dr.Sankararaaman, Head, Department of Tamil, SSM College of Arts and Science, stressed the importance of self-confidence and achieving one's goals in life.
- On 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> July 2018, the department organized a two day training programme on "Nadaga Payirchi Patrai". The Chief Guests were Dr.Parthipan, Periyar University, Salem and Dr. Ram, Bharathiyar University, Coimbatore. They taught voice training, facial expressions and dramatic tricks through short films to the students.
- The Department organised a training programme on "Kavithai Payirchi Patarai" on 28<sup>th</sup> July 2018. The Chief Guest Dr. R.Viswanathan, Assistant Professor, Department of Tamil, CNC Arts and Science College, Erode, spoke on the importance of reading books and understanding the value of poetry.
- The Department celebrated Bharathiar Memorial day on 11<sup>th</sup> August 2018. The Chief Guest of the day was Dr.Paneer Selvam, Head, Department of Tamil, Erode Arts and Science College, Erode.

- 'Kavin Kazhai Vizha', an inter-collegiate meet, was organized on 6th September 2018. The Chief Guest of the function was Mr. K. Murugesa Pandiyan, Head, Department of Tamil, Kongunadu Arts and Science College, Coimbatore.
- To commemorate the birth anniversary of Bharthiar, the department organized a programme on 11<sup>th</sup> December 2018. Dr.P.Manivannan, Assistant professor of Tamil, Government Arts and Science College, Ooty, was the Chief Guest.
- The Department organized a programme "Deiva Tamilisai Vizha" on 17<sup>th</sup> December 2018. The Chief Guest of the day was Dr. K.P. Nalasivam of Tamil University, Tanjore. He emphasized the importance of Tamil culture and traditions.
- The Department organized a programme on "Tamil Mozhiyil Kanidha Thozhil Nutpathin Pangu". The Chief Guest of the day was Ms.V. Suganthi, Founder and Correspondent, Tamil Anidham, USA.

### **DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH** has organized 18 programmes in all

- Inauguration of the English Literary Association was held on 18<sup>th</sup> July 2018. The Chief Guest of the day was Dr. Dharani, Associate Professor and Head, Government Arts and Science College, Avinashi. She in her speech focused on Eco – Literature. She stressed on the speciality of Literature that makes the learners understand life skills.
- A Guest Lecture on Writing Techniques was organised on 20<sup>th</sup> July 2018. The Chief Guest of the day was Mrs. Nagalakshmi Shanmugam, Writer & Motivational speaker from Mumbai. She addressed the students on the different writing techniques used by the famous writers around the world and motivated the students to have a unique writing style.
- A Guest Lecture on the Reading Strategies was organized on 21<sup>st</sup> July 2018. Dr. V. Krishnan, Head & Associate Professor, Department of Tamil, Govt. Arts College, Udumalpet was the Chief Guest. He in his speech highlighted that books, guide and strengthen the imaginative powers, and allow the readers to enter new worlds and expand their horizons.
- A Guest Lecture on Vanity of Translation was held on 10<sup>th</sup> August 2018. The Chief Guest was Mr. M.R. Kumarasamy, Assistant Professor, Department of English, Gobi Arts and Science College, Gobichettipalayam. He illustrated the problems faced by a translator to retain the original version to the readers.
- A One- Day Seminar on Feminism and Psychology A Millennial Perspective was organized on 14<sup>th</sup> August 2018. The Resource person, Mr. A. Gowtham, Civil Psychologist, Scientist B (DRDO), Selection Centre Central Bhopal delivered a speech on feminism and psychology.

- A Workshop on Technology Aided Learning was organized on 8<sup>th</sup> September 2018. The Chief Guests were Mr. N.S. Bharath, Director and Mr.K.R.Kaviarasu, Programme Analyst of Insight Consultancy India, KCT Tech Park, Coimbatore. The Chief Guest Mr. K. R. Kaviarasu addressed the audience about the importance of technology in teaching and thereby enhancing the knowledge of the students.
- A Workshop on Recent Trends in English Language Teaching was organized on 03<sup>rd</sup> September 2018. The Chief Guest of the day was Ms. D. Anita, Assistant Professor and Head, Kongu Arts and Science College, Erode. She focused on the Recent Trends in English Language Teaching.
- An Orientation Programme for first-year UG students was organized on 04<sup>th</sup> September 2018. The Chief Guest of the Programme was Mr. J. Thiyagarajan, Competitive Exam Co-Ordinator, P.K.R. Arts College for Women (Autonomous), Gobi.
- A Guest Lecture on Personality Development was organized on 11<sup>th</sup> September 2018. The Chief Guest Dr. Hemasri Kumar, Assistant Professor & Head, Department of Economics, Providence College, Coonoor stressed the importance of setting goals and overcoming obstacles to achieve them.
- The Department organized a One Day Workshop for the students of English Literature on NET/ SET PAPER-I on 26<sup>th</sup> September 2018 The Chief Guest of the day was Mr.
   R. Vimal Kumar, Assistant Professor, Department of Mathematics, Kaamadhenu Arts and Science College, Sathyamangalam.
- A Guest Lecture on Soft Skills was arranged on 13<sup>th</sup> December 2018. The Chief Guest of the day was Mr. J. P. Praveen Kumar, B.E., MBA. Zone Trainer, Director Individual Development. He addressed the students on various soft skills like Time Management, Leadership Quality, Creativity, Self confidence and Effective Communication.
- A seminar on Journalism was organized on 21<sup>st</sup> December, 2018 at PG Conference hall. Mr. U. Kumar, Reporter, Dinamani was the Chief Guest of the day.
- A Guest Lecture on "Comparative Literature" was organized on 27<sup>th</sup> September 2018. The Chief Guest of the day was Dr. J. Anbazhagan Vijay, Associate Professor, Department of English, Govt. College of Technology, Coimbatore.
- A Two Day Workshop on Business English Communication was organized on 28<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> of January, 2019. Dr. D. Martin Luther, Director, Blossoms Education, Coimbatore was the resource person of the programme.
- A Guest Lecture on Overview of Literature was organized on 1<sup>st</sup> February, 2019. Mr.K.Senthil Kumar, Assistant Professor, Department of English, Gobi Arts and Science College, Gobichettipalayam, was the resource person of the programme.

- The Department organized a Crash Course on Tally ERP 9.0 on 7<sup>th</sup> February 2019. Ms.P.Vijayalakshmi, Software Engineer, CSG- Career Surfing Gateway, Coimbatore, was the resource person of the programme.
- The Department organized Literary Expo 2K19 on 05<sup>th</sup> January 2019. Dr.K.S. Saradhambal, Assistant Professor & Head, Sri Vasavi College, Erode was the Chief Guest for the event.
- Odyssey'19, an Inter Collegiate Meet was organized on 12<sup>th</sup> February 2019. Many colleges from in and around Tamilnadu took part in the events. The event commenced by the arrival of 150 students from 20 colleges. Then the Chief Guests, Prof. Anu Smitha Sebastian, Assistant Professor, Department of English, Periyar EVR College, Trichy and Dr. Soukarja Ghosal, Associate Professor, Department of English, Dr. N.G.P. Arts and Science College (Autonomous), Coimbatore were the Chief Guest.

# **DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE** has organized 19 programmes in all and 3 programmes jointly with other science department of the college

- A one day seminar on "Introduction to Node.js" was organized on 28<sup>th</sup> July 2018. The chief guest of the day was Mr. D. Senthilkumar, Node.js Developer, Infinijith Applications and Technologies (P) Ltd., Gobichettipalayam.
- A one day seminar on "Introduction to Machine Learning and Robotics" was organized on 31<sup>st</sup> July 2018. The faculty of the Department of Computer Science Mr. S. Sampath, Associate Professor, Ms. S. Kiruthika, Assistant Professor, Dr. S. Jayasankari, Assistant Professor, was the resource persons.
- A one day seminar on "Data Science and Its Applications" was organised on 10<sup>th</sup> August 2018. The chief guest of the day was Mrs. N. Valarmathi, Assistant Professor, PG & Research Department of Computer Science, Pioneer College of Arts and Science, Coimbatore.
- A one day International Conference on Recent Trends in Computing Technologies ICRTCT'18 was organised on 16<sup>th</sup> August 2018. The chief guest of the inauguration and resource person for the first Technical Session was Dr. S. Manoharan, Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science, Institute of Technology, Ambo University (Awaro Campus), Ambo, Ethiopia. The resource person for the second Technical Session was Dr. S. C. Punitha, Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science, Institute of Technology, Ambo University (Awaro Campus), Ambo, Ethiopia. The resource person for the third Technical Session was Mr. Kumar Subramaniam, Digital Marketing Technologist, Hitachi Data Systems, San Francisco Bay Area, California, USA.

- Edify 2K18 an intercollegiate technical symposium was organized on 21<sup>st</sup> August 2017. The chief guest of that inaugural function was Dr. L. Velmurugan, Professor in Computer Science, Ambo University, Ethiopia.
- The Department organized a one day National Seminar on Soft Computing and Its Applications on Robotics on 25<sup>th</sup> August 2018. The first technical session was handled by Mr. D. Chandrasekhar Rao, Assistant Professor, Department of Information Technology, Veer Surendra Sai University of Technology, Burla, Sambalpur, Odisha. The second technical session was Skype handled by Dr. Prabhukumar, Assistant Professor, Department of Mechanical Engineering, Veer Surendra Sai University of Technology, Burla, Sambalpur, Odisha
- A Faculty Development Programme for the faculty on Theory of Computation was organized on 25<sup>th</sup> August 2018. The resource person was Mr. D. Chandrasekhar Rao, Assistant Professor, Department of Information Technology, Veer Surendra Sai University of Technology, Burla, Sambalpur, Odisha.
- A motivational seminar was organized on 08<sup>th</sup> November 2018. The resource person for this programme was Ms. Ranjana, Microsoft, Hyderabad.
- A Faculty Development Programme was organized on 04<sup>th</sup> November 2018. Ms. R. Anyshiya, Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science, P.K.R. Arts College for Women was the resource person.
- A skype seminar on "Emerging trends in IT & Operating System: The Present and Future" was organized on 19<sup>th</sup> December 2018. The chief guest of the day was Mrs. D. Ambika, Software Consultant from London.
- A seminar on "Employability Skills" was organized on 20<sup>th</sup> December 2018. The chief guest of the day was Mr. M.B.S. Anand Prasanth, Amazon Development Center, Customer Service Associate, Coimbatore.
- A seminar on "E-waste A Threat or an Opportunity" was organized on 21<sup>st</sup> December 2018. The chief guest of the day was Mr. Prasanth Omanakuttan, Founder, Managing Partner, Green Era Recyclers, Coimbatore.
- A "Faculty Development Programme on Agile Technologies" was organized on 27<sup>th</sup> December2018. The chief guest of the day was Ms. Puvanesvari Subramaniam, Chief Executive Officer, QF4 TECH ASIA SDN BHD, Selangor, Malaysia.
- A one-day International seminar on "Intellectual Property Rights & Leading-Edge Technologies in IT Industry" was organized on 28<sup>th</sup> December 2018. The chief guest of the day was Ms. Puvanesvari Subramaniam, Chief Executive Officer, QF4 TECH ASIA SDN BHD, Selangor, Malaysia.
- A seminar on "Azolla Cultivation" was organized on 28<sup>th</sup> December 2018. The chief guest of the day was Mr. S. Sundareswaran, Greenagrow, Kapoor Village, Manamadurai

- A seminar on "Career Guidance Programme" was organized on 28<sup>th</sup> December 2018. The chief guest of the day was Mr. N. Venkatachalam, Technology Head/Operations, Manager, Infosys Ltd., Bangalore.
- The Department of Computer Science and Department of Tamil jointly organized a one day International Workshop on The Role of Computer Technology in Tamil Language on 03<sup>rd</sup> January 2019. The chief guest of the inaugural function was Mr. G. Karivaradharajan, President, Santham Ulagatamil Valarchi Aaivu Maiyam.
- A Skype seminar on "IMPLEMENT CODING SKILLS" was organized on 05<sup>th</sup> January 2019. The chief guest of the day was Ms. Ranjana, Microsoft, Hyderabad
- An awareness Programme on "Organic Forming" was organized on 07<sup>th</sup> January 2019.
  The Chief Guest of the day was Mr. P. Balachandar from Gobichettipalayam.
- A SKYPE seminar on "Career Building for IT Graduates International Perspective" was organized on 08<sup>th</sup> January 2019. The chief guest of the day was Mr. Pon Gobinath Sivashanmugam, Engineering Manager – Bloomberg, New York, USA.
- The Department of Computer Science, Mathematics and Management jointly organized a workshop on "Intellectual Property Rights & Issues" on 25<sup>th</sup> January 2019. Dr. S. R. Madhan Shankar, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Biotechnology, PSG college of Arts and Science, Coimbatore was the resource person.
- The Department of Computer Science and Tamil jointly organized a workshop on "Internet and Its Usage" on 30<sup>th</sup> January 2019. The chief guest was Dr. R. Gunaseelan, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Tamil, KSR Arts and Science College for Women, Tiruchengode.

# **DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS has organized 14 programmes in all and 3** programmes jointly with other science department of the college

- A workshop on Shortcut Techniques in Calculations and Aptitudes was conducted on 19<sup>th</sup> July 2018. The Resource person of the day was Dr. M. Harikrishnan, Assistant Professor, Department of Mathematics, Kongu Engineering College, Erode.
- A programme on Research Enrichment was organized on 27<sup>th</sup> July 2018. The Resource person of the day was Dr. M. Mallikaarjunan, Assistant Professor, Department of Mathematics, C.B.M. College (Govt Aided), Coimbatore.
- The Department of Mathematics of our College and Sri Ramakrishan Mission Vidhyalaya College of Arts and Science, Coimbatore jointly organized a National Conference on Analysis and its Applications on 30<sup>th</sup> July 2018. The chief guest for the first session was Dr. V. Murugan, Assistant Professor, Department of Mathematical and Computational Sciences, National Institute of Technology, Karnataka. His lecture was on the topic 'Iterative Roots of Continuous Function'. The second and third sessions were

handled by Dr. M. Marudai, Honorary Professor, Department of Mathematics, Bharathidhasan University, Tiruchirapalli. He gave a lecture on 'Complex Analysis and its Applications'.

- A One Day Programme on PERSONALITY AND CAREER DEVELOPMENT SKILLS was organized on 11<sup>th</sup> August 2018. The chief guest of the day was Mrs. G. Chitra Assistant professor, Department of English, Kongu Engineering College, Perundurai.
- A One Day Seminar on MATHEMATICS FOR MANAGEMENT SCIENCE was organized on 13<sup>th</sup> August 2018. The chief guest of the day was Dr. P. Mariappan Associate professor in Mathematics, Bishop Heber College, Tiruchirappalli.
- A One Day Seminar on STATISTICAL TOOLS AND TECHNIQUES WITH SPSS was organized on 16<sup>th</sup>August 2018. The Resource persons of the day were Dr. Karuppasamy Ramanathan, Director, Department of Management Studies and Mrs. N. Subha, Associate Professor, Department of Management Studies, Nehru Institute of Technology, Coimbatore.
- The Department of Mathematics and Physics jointly organized a One Day International Seminar On Computational Fluid Dynamics on 20<sup>th</sup> August 2018. The chief guest for the first session was Dr.S.Pranesh, Professor and Co-ordinator, Department of Mathematics, Christ (Deemed to be University), Bengaluru. His talk was on the topic 'Fluid Mechanics: History and Applications'.
- An intercollegiate meet "SIGMA" was conducted on 23<sup>rd</sup> August 2018. Dr. M. Parimala, Assistant Professor, Department of Mathematics, Bannari Amman Institute of Technology, Sathy was the chief guest for the inaugural session. She motivated the students to set a goal in their life and take necessary steps to reach their goal.
- A One Day Seminar on MATLAB was organized on 4<sup>th</sup> September 2018. The Resource person of the day was Dr. A.K. ABDUL HAKEEM, Associate professor, Department of Mathematics, Sri Ramakrishna Mission Vidhyalaya College of Arts & Science, Coimbatore.
- A programme on "SET/NET COACHING PROGRAMME" was organized on 15<sup>th</sup> December 2018. The chief guest of the day was Mr. R. Vimal Kumar, Assistant professor, Department of Mathematics, Kamadhenu Arts and Science College, Sathiyamangalam.
- Two Day Workshop on RESEARCH ANALYSIS WITH SPSS was organised on 18<sup>th</sup>&19<sup>th</sup> December, 2018. The Resource persons for the Two Days workshop were Dr. Karuppasamy Ramanathan, Director, Department of Management Studies, and Mrs.N.Subha, Assistant Professor, Department of Management Studies, Nehru Institute of Technology, Coimbatore.

- The Department of Mathematics Celebrated "RAMANUJAN DAY" on 21<sup>st</sup> December 2018. The chief guest of the day was Dr. S. Sampath Kumar, Professor & Head, Sociology and Population Studies, Bharathiar University, Coimbatore. A Short film "Enniyalin Jambavan Ramanujan" related to the life story of Srinivasa Ramanujan was released by the chief guest and it was screened for the students.
- A seminar on "TREMENDOUS APPLICATIONS OF GRAPH THEORY IN REAL LIFE" was organized on 03<sup>rd</sup> January 2019. The resource person was Dr. G. Mahadevan, Professor, Department of Mathematics, Gandhigram Rural University, Gandhigram, Dindigul.
- A One Day Workshop on COMPLEX ANALYSIS was organized on 7<sup>th</sup> January, 2019. The chief guest of the day was Dr. M.Marudai, Honorary Professor, Department of Mathematics, Bharathidasan University, Thiruchirappalli.
- A workshop on Fundamentals of Algebra was organized on 31<sup>st</sup> January 2019. The Resource person of the day was Thiru. T. Tamizh Chelvam, Senior Professor, Department of Mathematics, Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Tirunelveli.

## **DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS has organized 9 programmes in all and 3 programmes** jointly with other science department of the college

- The Department organized an Extension Activity on Mainenance and Fault Finding of Home Appliances on 28<sup>th</sup> June 2018. Mr.S.Ramesh Kumar, Properitor, Chipdronic Solutions, Erode was the Chief Guest.
- A Guest Lecture on Career Guidance and Importance of Physics was organized on 11<sup>th</sup> August 2018, Dr. S. S. Naina Mohammed, Assistant Professor of Physics, Govt. Arts College, Udumalpet was the Chief Guest.
- A International Symposium on Organic Materials was organized on 30<sup>th</sup> August 2018. Dr.Kumar Palanisamy, Research Scientist, and Dr. Abhirami Murugavel, Research Scientist, R&D, Intercomet S.I.,Madrid, Spain, were the Chief Guests for the programme.
- An Extension Activity on Solid Waste Management was organized on 12<sup>th</sup> September 2018. Mr.D. Srinivasan, Block Teacher & Educator, Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan, Anthiyur Block was the Chief Guest.
- An Extension Activity on Believe in Yourself was organized on 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2018.
  Mr. K. Vetrivel, Corporate trainer, Gobi was the Chief Guest of the Programme.
- An Inter-Collegiate Meet on SPECTRA-2K19" was held on 27<sup>th</sup> December 2018. Students from various colleges along with our students participated in the meet. D. Manivannan, Head & Associate Professor, Department of Physics, Erode Arts and Science College, Erode was the chief guests for the Inter-Collegiate meet.

- An extension activity on "Workshop on NET/SLET Preparation" was organized on 31<sup>st</sup> December, 2018 Dr. M. Balaji Prasad, Assistant Professor, Department of Electronics, L.R.G. Govt. Arts College for Women, Tirupur was the resource person.
- An extension activity on "SHEDDING, SHARPENING, SHAPING" was organised on 9<sup>th</sup> January, 2019 by Ms.R. Sasiprabha of our college.
- Department of Physics and Mathematics jointly organized a Guest Lecture on Nanotechnology "Small is Different" on 14<sup>th</sup> February, 2019. Dr. Moorthi Pichumani, DST INSPIRE Faculty, Associate Professor, Department of Nanoscience & Technology, Sri Ramakrishna Engineering College, Coimbatore was the guest speaker.

## **DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE has organized 15 programmes**

One day Seminar on 'Cloud Accounting' was organized on 28 June 2018. Mr. Rameez Faizal, Sales and Business Development Manager, Zoho Corporation, Chennai, highlighted the emerging trends in Cloud Accounting. Dr.M.Arun Royan, Director, ITK Education Service Private Ltd, Coimbatore stressed the importance of Cloud Accounting for the future generation. Mr. Joel Andrews, ZBCA Education Service Private Ltd., Coimbatore gave a demonstration on the working of Zoho Accounting software.

- The Department of Commerce celebrated the 'Professionals Day' as 'Chartered Accountants' Day on 03<sup>rd</sup> July 2018. Auditor P. Somasundaram, Chartered Accountant, Coimbatore, encouraged the students to join CA course.
- Dr.H.Vasudevan, Associate Professor and Head, Department of Commerce (CA), Kongu Arts and Science College, Erode, inaugurated the activities of the 'Commerce Association' on 17<sup>th</sup> July 2018.
- A One day seminar on 'Intellectual Property Rights: Legal and Economic Challenges & Opportunities for Development' was held on 25<sup>th</sup> July 2018. Ms.G.Nagarani, Assistant Manager, Hyundai Mobis, Chennai, was the resource persons for the first technical session on 'Legal Framework of Intellectual Property Rights in India'. Mr.K.Narasimhan, Director, The HOPE Overseas educational consultants and IPR Consultant, addressed on 'Intellectual Property Rights in Foreign Countries'. Dr.Karuppasamy, Director of Management Studies, Nehru Institute of Technology, Coimbatore, delivered a talk on 'IPR Protection in the context of Global Standard Setting Processes'.
- A One day Seminar on 'Recent Trends in Banking' was conducted on 27<sup>th</sup> July 2018. Mr.V.Sethuraman, Assistant General Manager, Reserve Bank of India, Chennai, narrated the functions of RBI and the latest innovations in Banking sector. Mr.M.Chandrasekaran, Lead District Manager, Erode, was the resource person for the second technical session and he gave a talk on 'Lead Bank Scheme'. Mr. R. Muruganandam, Counselor, Amulya

financial Literacy Center Erode, was the resource person for the third technical session and he spoke on 'Employment Opportunities in Banking Sector. Mr.K.Sundharson, Senior Manager, Canara bank, Erode was a resource person for the fourth technical session and he delivered a speech on 'Modern Marketing'.

- A Guest Lecture on 'Taxation' was held on 13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup> August 2018. Dr.M.Natarajan, (Retd) Professor and Head, Sowdeswari College, Salem was the resource person.
- A Guest lecture on 'Small Savings and Career Opportunities in Postal Services' was given by Mr.Thillaisamy, LIC Agent, Gobi on 24<sup>th</sup> August 2018.
- Faculty Exchange Programme was held on 05<sup>th,</sup> to 07<sup>th</sup> September 2018. Dr.V.Vijayaganesh, Assistant Professor & Head of Commerce CA & PA, and Dr.A.Balagurusamy, Assistant Professor & Head of Commerce, Sri Ramakrishna Mission Vidyalaya College of Arts and Science, Coimbatore, delivered lectures on 'Banking Law and Practice' and 'Cost Accounting' respectively.
- A One day International Conference on 'Digitalization Opportunities and Challenges' was held on 12<sup>th</sup> September 2018. Dr. S. Nakkiran, Professor of Co-operative Management, Ambo University, Ethiopia addressed on the topic 'Growth and Transformation of Digitalization'. Dr.S.Sivakumar, PG Program Co-ordinator, School of Governance and Development Studies, Hawassa University, Ethiopia delivered a speech on 'Prospects and Problems of Digitalization. Dr.S.Saravana Kumar, Assistant Professor, Department of Business Administration, Government Arts & Science College, Salem, delivered a talk on 'Role of Digitalization in Trade and Business'.
- An Inter-collegiate meet, 'Rhapsody 2018-19' was conducted on 28<sup>th</sup> August 2018. Dr.S.Mala, Associate Professor of Commerce, Presidency College, Chennai, inaugurated the meet and Dr. A. Vetrivel, Chief Operating Officer, NIMBARK Fashions Ltd, Mumbai, gave the valedictory address.
- National Co-operative week celebrations were held on 20<sup>th</sup> November 2018. Mr. Thangaraj, (Retd) Deputy Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Gobi gave awareness on career opportunities in Co-operative sector. Mr.I.M. Shanmugam, Auditor of Cooperative Societies (Retd) delivered a speech on 'Techniques of Auditing' in Cooperative societies.
- Two day programme, on 'Personality Developments' was conducted on 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> December 2018.Mrs. R.Sasiprabha, Coordinator, Women's Development Cell, of our college motivated our students to develop personality skills.
- A One day workshop on 'Data Analysis via SPSS' was held on 28<sup>th</sup> December 2018. Dr. R. Parvathi, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Mathematics, Vellalar College for Women, Erode was the resource person. She highlighted the importance of SPSS tools for research.

- A One day seminar on 'Women in Business World' was held on 25<sup>th</sup> January 2019. Dr. S. A. Nirmala, Correspondent, Coimbatore Public School, Coimbatore, she gave the inaugural address. Mrs. Mahalakshimi Saravanan, Founder Women Entrepreneurs India, Chennai was the resource Person for the first technical session and she delivered a lecture on 'Empower Women through Entrepreneurship'. Mrs. R. Sasiprabha, Co-ordinator, Centre for Women Development, P.K.R. Arts College for Women, Gobi was the resource person for the second technical session. She gave a talk on 'Emotional Quotient-the needed Ingredient'. Mrs. Nithya Subramaniam, Founder, Nithya Masala, Athani delivered the valedictory address.
- A One day seminar on 'Emerging Trends in Banking towards Entrepreneurial Development' was conducted on 27<sup>th</sup> February 2019. Mr. P. Vijayakumar, Chief Executive Officer, Texvalley, Erode, delivered the inaugural address. Mr.C. Veluswamy, Advances Section Officer, Canara Bank, Regional Office, Erode and Mr. M. Chandrasekaran, Lead District Manager, Canara Bank, Erode acted as a resource person for technical session- I and they addressed on 'Emerging Trends in Banking'. Dr. K. Siva Murugan, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce (P.G), St. Claret College, Bengaluru was a resource person for technical session II and he gave a talk on 'Entrepreneurship Development'. Mr. Alauddin Allah Baksh, Founder and Director, Banana Tree Inc, Salem gave the valedictory address.

### **DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT has organized 22 programmes**

An Orientation Programme on "Learning Management Concepts Through Games" was organized for first year MBA students on Wednesday, the 11<sup>th</sup> July 2018 by Mr. J. Thangavel Raja, CEO, Consultant ,Profile trace life skills coach,Erode.The guest speaker conducted management games and engaged students in activities that brainstrom their ideas.

- The Department of Management in association with Entrepreneur Development Cell of the institution, offered two days workshop on 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> July,2018 to impart training for students in baking and to create awareness on entrepreneurial opportunities in bakery business. In this training hosted by Mr.R.Kaleeswaran, Honorary Secretary, Karaikudi Bakery Owners Association, Karaikudi and Ms.I.S.Roshine, Baking Tag, Chennai. They shared foundational knowledge on baking and trained the students to prepare flavoured cakes, bread and pastries.
- The inauguration of Management Association ACME (Association of Charismatic Management Executives) was held on 17<sup>th</sup> July 2018. Ms. Sindhu Arun, Chief Food Care Officer, Presso, Udumalpet was the chief guest.
- An Orientation Programme on Winning Teams was organized for first year MBA students on 13<sup>th</sup> July 2018, Friday by Mrs.R.Sasi Prabha, Coordinator, Student Support

Service, of our college. She emphasized the importance of team work by quoting "Talent wins games, but teamwork and intelligence wins championships".

- A workshop on Self Awareness Through Psychometric Tests for the students of M.B.A was organised on 17<sup>th</sup> July 2018 by Dr.M.E.Vijayalakshmi, Principal Consultant, Psychometric Assessment Consultancy, Chennai.
- A workshop on Tools and Techniques in Environmental Analysis for students of M.B.A was organised on 31<sup>st</sup> July 2018 and the resource person was Mrs.M.Indhumathi Vardhaman, Head & Associate Professor, SSM School of Management and Computer Applications, Komarapalayam.
- A workshop on Innovative Management was organised for MBA students on 1<sup>th</sup> August 2018.Mr.Ananda Poonusamy, Engineering Specialist, Hydraulics-cylinder solutions, Innovation and Technology development division, United States was the guest speaker
- A workshop on Share Trading was organised on 7<sup>th</sup> August 2018 for MBA students by the department of management. Mr.S.Ravi Prasad, Senior Sales Executive, Sharekhan Ltd, Erode was the resource person and the session aims to create awareness about demat account and trading procedures.
- An International conference on CROSS CULTURAL DIVERSITY IN WORKPLACE was organised on 14<sup>th</sup> August 2018. Dr. R. Manju Shree, Associate Professor-Department of Management, College of Business and Economic, Wollo University, Ethiopia, East Africa was the resource person.
- The department of Management organized an enlightening session for the MBA students on 14<sup>th</sup> August 2018 on the topic Human excellence: Contribution from the field of Psychology to Management by Mr.A.Gowtham, DRDO, Defence Research and Development Organisation, Assessment and Recruitment of Army Officers at Selection Centre Central, Bhopal. He stressed on the importance of human Skills in the life of managers, and entrepreneurs.
- A workshop on Swachh Bharat Mission was organised on 21<sup>st</sup> August 2018 for MBA students. Mr.Senthil Kumar, Sanitary Inspector Gobichettipalayam Municipality acted as the resource person and the session aimed to create awareness about Swachh Bharat Mission, a nation-wide campaign in India that aims to clean up the streets, roads and infrastructure of India's cities, smaller towns, and rural areas.
- The National conference on research avenues in social science was organized on 27<sup>th</sup> August 2018. Dr.D.Mythili, Principal delivered her presidential address, Dr.M.Velumani, Head of the Department (UG) welcomed the gathering and introduced the guest. The event had three technical sessions describing the research procedure in social science. The First technical session was chaired by Dr. V. Mohanasundaram, Member-IQAC, Associate professor and Head, Department of Economics (unaided), PSG College of Arts

and Science, Coimbatore. The second technical session was handled by resource person Dr. R. Sangeetha, Associate Professor, Department of Management studies, Christ (Deemed to be university) and she started the session by narrating the usage and importance of research design, sampling and data collection. The third technical session lead by our resource person Dr.S.A.Senthilkumar, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Management, Pondicherry University, Karaikkal.

- A workshop on Self Awareness Through Psychometric Tests for MBA students was organised on 7<sup>th</sup> September 2018. Dr. M.E. Vijayalakshmi, Principal Consultant, Psychometric Assessment Consultancy, Chennai was the resource person. This continual session of psychometric assessment provided insights to our students on their personality traits.
- The department of Management in association with Rotary Club of Gobichettipalayam organised a Exetnsion Activity on Are you ready to Adapt or Adopt? by Dr.M.S.Vijayaragavan M.D., Consultant in Gastroenterology (Retired), Diplomate, American Board of International Medicine on 11<sup>th</sup> September 2018 for all the students pursuing post graduation at the college.
- A workshop for MBA students on Importance of Insurance was organised on 10<sup>th</sup> October 2018 by Mrs. P. Shantha, Training Manager, Star Health Insurance, Coimbatore and Mr. S.C.Balakrishnan,Divisional Manager, Star Health Insurance, Gobichettipalayam.
- The department of management invited Mr.T.K.Kirubaharan, Founder and chairman, Vivekanandha I.A.S Academy,Gobichettipalayam on 12<sup>th</sup> October 2018 in an attempt to introduce expert perspective of tackling government exam preparation process for all the aspirants.
- A workshop on Neuroscience & Consumer Behaviour for MBA students was organised on 13<sup>th</sup> December 2018 by Mr.Logesh Kumar, Assistant Professor, Department of Management Studies, Velalar College of Engineering & Technology, Erode.
- The department of Management organized an interactive session for the management students on 14<sup>th</sup> December 2018 on the topic Managerial Intelligence by P.K.R. Alumnae Dr.P.Leena, Technology Architect for eLearning Applications, Cognizant Technology Solutions, Chennai.
- A workshop on Organic Farming for students of M.B.A was organised on 17<sup>th</sup> December 2018 and the resource person was Mr.C.Mani, Managing Director, Erofar Agro Products Pvt.ltd, Erode. He spoke about food and its impact on health which was a vibrant knowledge transforming session.
- A workshop on Stimulating Start-ups for students of M.B.A was organised on December 2018 and the resource person was Mr.P.Nandakumar, Managing Partner,

Maya Bazaar Restaurant & Bubbles Kids & Women. He started with how one should be passionate about making their ideas work and provide a platform for dissemination of knowledge and intellectually support budding business ideas.

- The Management department organised an Industry Institute Connect Programme on Instilling Creativity held on 25<sup>th</sup> January 2019. Mr.Yogesh Kumar, Joint Managing Director, Trinity Colour India (P) Ltd, Karumathampatti was the resource person.
- A one day intercollegiate Fest "ACME" was organized on 8<sup>th</sup> February 2019. Dr. P. Rosy Fernando, Founder & CEO, Startup Solutions, Chennai was the Chief Guest. She spoke to the students of the upcoming difficulties that lie ahead after they graduate and cautioned that just earning a degree is not the same as what it was many years back and urged students to take up apprenticeship to be more job efficient.

## NON CREDIT CERTIFICATE COURSES

To help and assist the student to improve their skills our college offers a 28 courses with a minimum of 40 hours and assessment will be made at the end of the academic year. After successful completion of the course certificates will be issued with grades under the banner of P.K.R. Academy of Excellence.

## **SPORTS**

Sports is yet another field of excellence in PKR.

The Management encourages the sports players by providing free education, boarding & Lodging for more than 60 students every year spending a total sum of Rs. Lakhs. The students in turn bring laurels to the college by proving that they are talented and efficient. The sports students excel in sports like Volleyball, Kabbadi, and Hockey at the state and national and international level.

## OUR COLLEGE VOLLEYBALL TEAM excelled itself in all tournaments

## INTER NATIONAL LEVEL ACHIEVEMENTS

- Our volleyball team has participated in 19<sup>th</sup> Asian Women's U-19 Volleyball Championship held at Vietnam from 10 June to 17<sup>th</sup> June 2018. Our student S.Shaalini was Captain of the Indian Team and this was the Proud Moment for PKR.
- Our team has secured the Silver Medal (Indian Team) in BRICS Games -2018 held at Johannesburg, South Africa from 17<sup>th</sup> July to 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2018.
- Our student S.Shaalini was selected to Participate in ICF Selection Trials at Chennai on 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> october 2018.
- Our Students M. Sandhiya, G.Jenifer, M.Swathini were selected to Participate in Khelo Indian Trails held at Chennai on 29<sup>th</sup> December 2018 and our students.

- Our team Participated in All India Inter Collegiate Volleyball Tournament held at Jaipur from 17<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup> December 2018.
- Our team Participated in FIVB World Tour Double Gender 1 Star Beach Volleyball Championship held at Andhra Pradesh from 28<sup>th</sup> February to 03<sup>rd</sup> March 2019
- Our team Participated in All India Open Volleyball Tournament held at Barhur from 26<sup>th</sup> February to 6<sup>th</sup> March 2019.
- Our team Participated in Senior State Volleyball Championship held at Chennai from 17<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> December 2018.
- Our team Participated in Senior State Volleyball Tournament held at Chennai from 18<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2018.

## **BHARATHIAR UNIVERSITY LEVEL**

- Our team secured the I Place (Rolling Trophy and Certificates) in Bharathiar University Inter Collegiate Volleyball Tournament held at Sri Ramalinga Sowdambigai College, Coimbatore from 3<sup>rd</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> September 2018. The Best Attacker award was won by our student S. Shaalini and the Best Libero award was won by P.Yogeshwari
- Our team secured the II place with cash Prize of Rs. 45,000 and Trophy in Tamilnadu Inter University Volleyball Championship held at Chennai.
- Our team secured II place in South Zone Inter University Volleyball Tournament held at Andhra Pradesh
- Our team secured the I Place in Salem District Volley Ball Championship held at Salem
- Our team secured the I Place with Cash Prize of Rs. 15,000 in Open State Level Volleyball Tournament held at Mayiladudhurai
- Our team secured the I Place in Open State Level Volleyball Tournament held at Chennai
- Our team secured the II place in Open State Level Volleyball Tournament held at Trichy
- Our team secured the I Place with cash prize of Rs.12,000 in Open State Level
  Volleyball Tournament held at Vennandure
- Our team secured the II place with cash prize of Rs.15,000 in Open State Level Volleyball Tournament held at Karaikal
- Our team secured the II place with cash prize of Rs.15,000 Open State Level
  Volleyball Tournament held at Thirupathoor

- Our team secured the II place with cash prize of Rs.15, 000 in Open State Level Volleyball Tournament held at Kongu Engineering College, Perundurai.
- Our team secured the I Place in Avinashilingam Ayya Trophy Held at Avinashilingham University, Coimbatore
- Our team secured the I Place with the cash prize of Rs.15, 000 in P.K.R Trophy held at P.K.R. Arts College for Women, Gobichettipalayam.
- Our team secured the II Place in Junior State Volleyball championship held at Chennai.
- Our team secured the IV Place with the cash prize of Rs.7, 000 in Open State level Volleyball Tournament held at Chennai.
- Our team secured the I Place with the cash prize of Rs.18, 000 in District level CM Trophy held at Erode.
- Our team secured the I Place with the cash prize of Rs.10, 000 in Open State level Volleyball Tournament held at Salem.
- Our team secured the I Place with the cash prize of Rs.8 Lakhs in State level CM Trophy held at Erode.

## **KABADDI - NATIONAL LEVEL ACHIEVEMENTS**

- Participated in All India Inter Collegiate Kabaddi Tournament held at Mananparai from 18<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> July 2018.
- Participated in All India Inter Collegiate Kabaddi Tournament held at Tirunelveli from 28<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> September 2018.
- Participated in All India Kabaddi Tournament held at Nagarkovil from 27<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> Dec 2018.
- ▶ Participated in Junior Nationals held at Calcutta from 16<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> February 2019.
- Our team Secured the III place with the Cash Prize of Rs.4, 500 in Open State Level Kabaddi Tournament held at Nathakadaiyur, Palani.
- Our team Secured the III place with the Cash Prize of Rs.4,500 in Open State Level Kabaddi Tournament held at Kallipatti
- Our team Secured the III place with the Cash Prize of Rs.15,000 in Open State Level Kabaddi Tournament held at Thanjavur
- Our team Secured the I Place with the Cash Prize of Rs.6000 in District level Isha Yoga Kabaddi Tournament held at Erode
- Our team secured the II Place with the Cash Prize of Rs.5000 in Divisional Isha Yoga Kabaddi Tournament held at Rathinam College, Coimbatore.
- Our team Secured the III place with the Cash Prize of Rs.25,000 in State Level Isha Yoga Kabaddi Tournament held at Tex Valley, Chithode

- Our team Secured the I Place with the Cash Prize of Rs.7000 in Open State Level Kabaddi Tournament held at Tiruppur
- Our team secured the II Place with the Cash Prize of Rs.20,000 in Open State Level Kabaddi Tournament held at Tirunelveli
- > Our team Secured the III place in State CM trophy held at Tiruchengode
- Our team Secured the I Place in Bharathiar University Inter Collegiate Kabaddi Tournament held at Sree Narayana Guru College, CBE
- Our team Secured the III place with the Cash Prize of Rs.20, 000 in Tamilnadu Inter University Kabaddi Tournament held at Coimbatore.

# HOCKEY - in all the four tournaments played at various venues our team has bagged the $1^{st}$ place

- Our Hockey team secured the I place in Bharathiar University Inter Collegiate Hockey tournament held at Vidhyasagar College,Udumalpet.
- Participated in South Zone Inter University Hockey Tournament held at Karaikudi.
- Our team secured the1 place in Junior Inter-District State Level Hockey Tournament held at Thiruvallur.
- Our team secured the 1 place in Senior Inter-district State Level Hockey Tournament held at Thirunelveli.

# POWER LIFTING AND WEIGHT LIFTING- they have excelled in all the tournaments that they have participated.

- Our power lifters won the I place in Senior State Level PL Tournament held at Salem
- Our power lifters and weight lifters won the II & III place in Bharathiar University Inter Collegiate Pl/WL Tournament held at Nirmala College, CBE

**PLACEMENT ACTIVITIES**- The placement team strives to achieve the objective of placing all the students with good posts. The important companies that visited this year are Britt Software Services, Aee Bee Academy, Alpha Academy, SBI, Desi Crew Solutions, Nice Education, Huge Group, Federal Life Insurance, Goan Institutions, Kerala, etc.

The Placement Cell takes utmost care on the final year students to get placement at the end of their graduation. The placement cell conducted a Two day programme from 13<sup>th</sup> December 2018 and 14<sup>th</sup> December 2018 to train the final year students and an orientation programme for first year and second year students on aptitude, soft-skills and personality development programme for their betterment & bright career opportunity on 11<sup>th</sup> March 2019. Reputed Companies visited our campus from 15<sup>th</sup> December 2018 to 05<sup>th</sup> March 2019. This year, 280 students were placed in many well reputed companies

like Britt Software Services, Aee Bee Academy, Alpha Academy, SBI, Desi Crew Solutions, Nice Education, Huge Group, Federal Life Insurance, Goan Institutions, Kerala, etc. I congratulate Dr.M. Velumani, the Placement Officer, and other Placement Coordinators for their untiring service for getting our students placed.

At PKR co curricular and extracurricular activities are encouraged with the view towards holistic development of our students

In the domain of co curricular activities NSS enables wider social outreach an integral part of education

- Service is the rent we pay for the privilege of living on this earth". Silver Jubilee year celebration of any institution is not merely an occasion for introspection of the past but an opportunity for looking forward. Thus to kindle the interest of serving society around 350 undergraduate students were made to enroll themselves in the Swachh Bharat Summer internship training programme. Mrs.R.Sasiprabha, Coordinator, Centre for students support, P.K.R Arts college for women was the chief guest of the programme
- Around 350 NSS Volunteers of P.K.R. Arts College for women were involved in the Swachh Bharat Summer Internship activity from 13<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> June 2018 in 42 teams. Ms.T.G.M.Lavanya, Assistant Professor & NSS Programme Officer, Department of English was the Nodal Officer for the activity.
- To commemorate the International Yoga Day the NSS Units of our college organized a programme on 21<sup>st</sup> June 2018 on Raja Yoga Meditation for Mental Development of the students . Various members from Prajapita Brahma Kumaris Ishwariya Vishwa Vidhyalaya, participated as Resource Persons highlighting the benefits of Raja Yoga Meditation.
- To commemorate the World Population day the NSS Units organized a programme on 11<sup>th</sup> July 2018.Our Principal Dr.D.Mythili, highlighted the issues caused by over population and explained about the reason behind the World Population day.
- The Valedictory Programme of Swachh Bharat Summer Internship was organized by the NSS unit on 12<sup>th</sup> July 2018. The programme began with Tamil Thai Vazhthu. A video clipping on the activities of the summer internship via survey on toilet usage, wall painting, white washing, street plays, and mimewere displayed to the audience. The Chief guest of the day, Dr. M.Balaganesh, Project Director, District Rural Development Agency, Erode, began his speech by highlighting the vision of Hon'ble Prime Minister of India about Swachh Bharat Mission.
- NSS and YRC units of P.K.R. Arts College for Women (Autonomous) were inaugurated on 30<sup>th</sup> July 2018. The guest of honour for the function was Dr.P.Gunasekaran,NSS Programme Officer(Unit II),Government Arts College,Coimbatore.

- Organized the Breast Feeding Awareness Programme on 07<sup>th</sup> August 2018. Dr.(Mrs).Anbumalar M.D.D.C.H. Paediatrician, Gobichettipalayam was the Chief Guest.
- An Awareness Programme on Road Safety was organized by NSS units of P.K.R Arts College for Women,Gobi on 28 March 2018. Mr.N. Palanivelu, Regional Transport Officer, Gobichettipalayam and Mr.Mugunthan, Motor Inspector were the chief guests of the programme.
- Conducted the special camp for the academic year 2018 -2019 in the month of September- 2018 from 06-09-2018 to12-09-2018 at Kuhalur Panchayat covering villages such as Sakkaraipalayam, Thaneerpanthalputhur, Kuhalur, Kasthoori bhai street and Thazhaikonputhur
- NSS day was celebrated at P.K.R Arts College for Women on 24<sup>th</sup> September 2018. Speech Competition, Poster making and Slogan writing competitions with the theme "Clean India" were conducted in the morning session. Around 15 students were participated in the each competition. Dr. D.Mythili, Principal and Mrs. Jagatha Lakshmanan, Chief Executive Officer, P.K.R. Arts College for Women were the chief guests and Mrs.E.Uvarani, Assistant professor, Department of Tamil was the special invitee of the programme conducted in the afternoon session
- NSS Units of P.K.R. Arts College For Women in collaboration with "Well-being Out of Waste" WOW club focused on creating scalable solutions for spreading awareness about recycling, encouraging students to segregate & dispose waste responsibly and creating sustainable livelihoods for people working as rag pickers.
- NSS Secretary Ms.K.Akalya of II B.Sc. Physics has been selected to participate in the National Integration Camp organized by the Regional Directorate of Thiruvananthapuram held at Sri Sathya Arts & Science College, Saigramam, Thonnakkal, Kerala from 10<sup>th</sup> to 16<sup>th</sup> December 2018.
- An awareness programme for "Farmers children under Chief Minister's Farmers Protection Scheme" was organised to create awareness amongst the students about the government scholarships that can benefit them to a great extent. Ms.R.P.Prabavathy, Special Deputy Collector, Erode and Ms.S.Asia, Tahsildar, Social Security Scheme, Gobichettipalayam were the Chief Guests of the programme.
- NSS & YRC Wings of P.K.R. Arts College for Women and Tamil Nadu Government Commissioner of Prohibition and Excise Department jointly organised an Awareness Rally Against Drug Abuse on 27.12.2018.
- In order to encourage more young voters to take part in the political process, Government of India has decided to celebrate January 25 every year as 'National Voters Day'. The NSS Volunteers of P.K.R. Arts College for Women participated in a rally on 25<sup>th</sup>

January 2019 to spread the importance of exercising one's voting rights on National Voters Day.

- Women Development Cell, NSS and YRC Units of P.K.R. Arts College had organized a programme for the students about Personnel Hygiene. The Programme focused on the healthier way to live better with proper care.the Chief Guests of the programme were Dr.Deepika Naidu MS[OG] and Dr.Devi Pushparaj DNB.MRCOG.
- Paid homage to Father of the Nation Mahatma Gandhi on his 71st death anniversary on 31 January 2019. The day is also observed as Martyrs' Day. He was assassinated on this day in 1948. All the students and faculty members from all the departments paid tribute to Mahatma Gandhi in the morning General Assembly.

## YRC

- Swachh Bharat Mission (SBM) or Clean India Mission is a campaign in India that aims to clean up the streets, roads and infrastructure of India's cities, smaller towns, and rural areas. The aim is to achieve a clean and open defecation free India by October 2, 2019. Following the initiative taken by the government, on June 18, 2018, our YRC unit of P.K.R Arts College for Women (Autonomous) created awareness to school children about cleanliness and the public about household cleanliness in Mevani village.
- Blood Grouping and Hemoglobin Estimation camp was organized for the first year UG and PG students on June 19, 2018.Dr.Anandan, Dean and Doctor, Government hospital, Gobichettipalayam presided over the camp.
- "International Yoga Day" was organized on 21<sup>st</sup> June, 2018. Our YRC Volunteers visited the Palaniyappa Primary School, Nanchagoundanpalayam.
- "National Deworming Day" was organized on 10<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> August, 2018. As per doctor prescription YRC volunteers distributed deworming pills to the first year and second year UG students. Around 1500 students benefitted by the camp.
- Organized the Breast Feeding Awareness Programme on 07<sup>th</sup> August 2018. Dr.(Mrs).Anbumalar M.D.D.C.H. Paediatrician, Gobichettipalayam was the Chief Guest.
- Organized a five days special eye screening camp from 4<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> September 2018. Mr.K.Kalishvignesh, Branch Manager, Titan Eye Plus, Gobichettipalayam was the chief Guest. Mr. J.Joseph, Titan Eye Plus, Chennai and Mr. Gowtham, Titan Eye Plus, Gobi screened and was involved in checking the vision of the students.
- "Young People and Mental Health in a Changing World" an awareness programme was organized for the students on 13<sup>th</sup> February, 2019.
- Dr.E.S.M.Saravanan, M.B.B.S., DPM. DNB (Psychiatry), Erode was the Chief Guest of the day. He focused to psycho educate our students about mental illnesses and how to manage and recover from them when they fall prey to the upcoming technologies.

## WOMEN DEVELOPMENT CELL

- The Centre for Women's Development of our college has organized an awareness programme on Cyber Security for the students to create awareness about the cyber crimes on 12.12.2018. Mr.Ragavendra Nagarajan a specialist and a consultant in Cyber crimes was the resource person.
- A programme on Empowering Women through Technologies was organized on 28.12.2018. Student representatives of all the Departments participated in the programme. Life experiences of women achievers were narrated to the students to motivate them to come up in their life.

## HOSTEL

The college has good hostel facility to accommodate around 1000 students. There are 81 well-ventilated rooms to accommodate the hostel students. Every room is provided with facilities for comfortable stay of the students. There is a dormitory as well to accommodate the students. There are adequate bathing rooms and toilets .The hostel has 24 hour uninterrupted power supply and water supply catering to the needs of the inmates. The dining hall can accommodate 500 students at one go. Nutritious and hygienic food is provided at nominal fees. There is a sick room for students if they fall ill. They are provided with proper and timely medical care when they fall sick. There are 4 landline phones for the use of students to speak to their parents. There are 4 wardens, who take care of the hostel girl's day in and day out.

### **BUS FACILITIES**

# To provide transport facilities for students there are 23 buses catering to their needs plying to mettupalayam, perundurai, Tiruppur, mettur, puliampatti and other routes.

### To conclude

In the words of Jean Piaget the goal of education is not to increase the amount of knowledge but to create the possibilities for a child to invent and discover and to create men who are capable of doing new things.

Our Founder correspondent, late. Thiru.P.R.Narajan's ayyas mission was empowerment of rural girl students. His dream was to make every student success and no one a failure. I thank all the stake holders, the management, the college committee members, dedicated faculty members, the non-teaching staff, PKR family members, beloved students and parents for the successful completion of this academic year. I must also thank well-wishers, the media persons and all those who worked and contributed to the success.

My best wishes to the outgoing UG and PG students for their prosperous life ahead. I thank the Almighty for showering his blessing on one gathered here.

Time constraint prevents me from monitoring the numerous other achievements of the college. They however find a place in the detailed college report. I would like conclude by once again extending my gratitude to the dignitaries' present here. All those associated with P.K.R who have believed in our vision of progress and perfection. Thank you!!