

SAGESSE LIT 2017

12-12-2017

The prestigious intercollegiate literature quiz 'Sagesse Lit' in honour of the memory of the founder Principal Rev. Sr Mary Franco CHF was conducted on 12th December, 2017. The Programme was inaugurated by Dr Sr Christyl(Principal, St. Joseph's College, Irinjalakuda). 20 teams participated in the quiz. After the preliminary screening round 6 teams entered the final round of the quiz. Govt. Victoria College, Palakkad won the first position, Mercy college, Palakkad received second while the III B.A English students of our college won the third position. Cash prizes were distributed to the winners. This prestigious event is attended by quiz aspirants from various institutions affiliated to Universities in Kerala State. The winners of the quiz were:

- First Prize : Abdul Vahid P A & Archana Chandran (Govt. Victoria College, Palakkad)
- Second Prize : T M Sujaya & Kavya P K (Mercy college, Palakkad)
- Third prize : Aleena Nelson & Maneesha Praveen (St. Joseph's College, Irinjalakuda)



Mobile Quiz on Tagore
15-09-2017

The author of the year selected by the department was the eminent Indian writer Shri Rabindranath Tagore. A mobile quiz on the Indian Literary Icon Rabindranath Tagore was conducted by the II B.A students for the entire college community on 15th September and prizes were distributed to the winners.

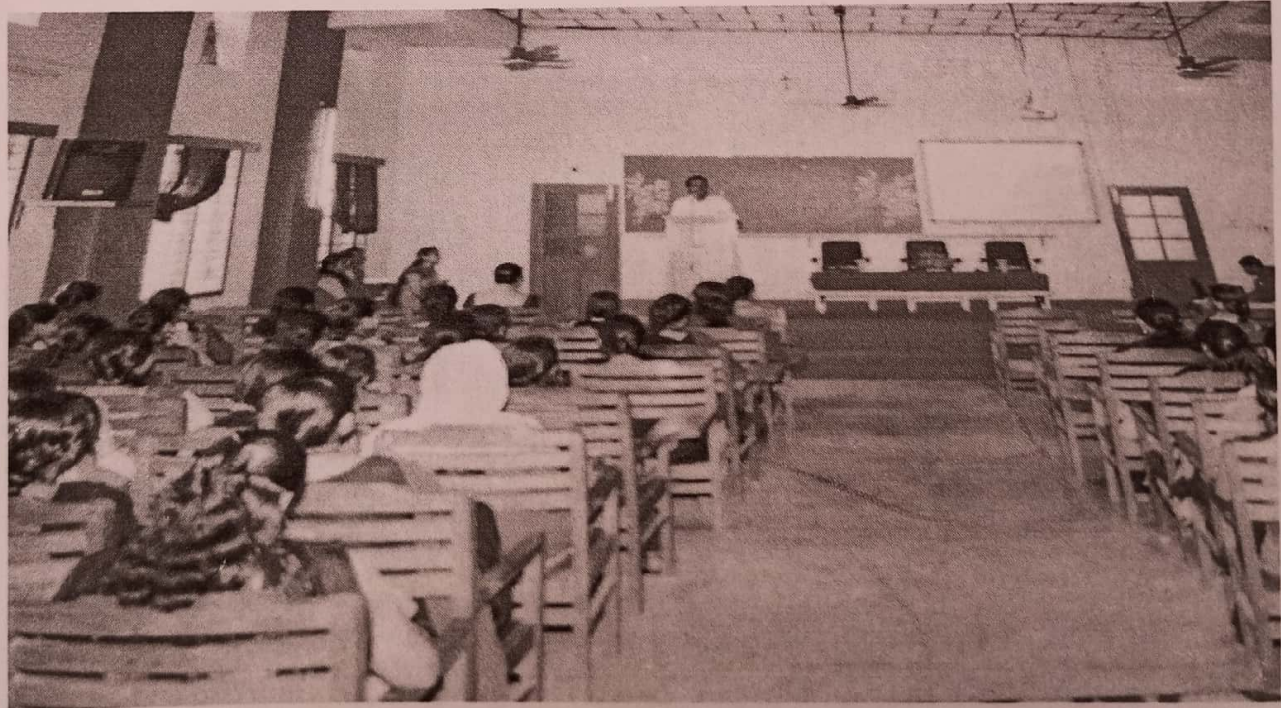
Nation in Narration: Historico Political Narratives and Literature

16-03-2018

A national seminar on the topic 'Nation in Narration: Historico Political Narratives and Literature' was organized by the department on 16-03-2018. The seminar was inaugurated by Dr.Sr. Isabel, Principal and Dr Anwar Sadath, The New College, Chennai was the chief guest of the day. The seminar was attended by delegates from various colleges.



National Seminar on 'Nation in Narration: Historico-Political Narratives & Literature'



National Congress on Human Rights

22nd November 2017

A National Congress on Human Rights was conducted on 22nd November 2017 which was inaugurated by Smt. Dayabai, noted activist and social worker in the country and the programme benefitted a large number of student participants from other colleges. The programme witnessed the participation of an enthusiastic group of students and faculty from other colleges and the neighbouring community. An intercollegiate short film competition on Human Rights was conducted and cash prizes were distributed to the students who won the first and second positions. Smt. Dayabai spoke about her experiences of resistance and survival and emphasized the importance of right awareness in demanding one's rights. There was an active session of interaction in which the participants shared their sentiments and clarified their doubts.

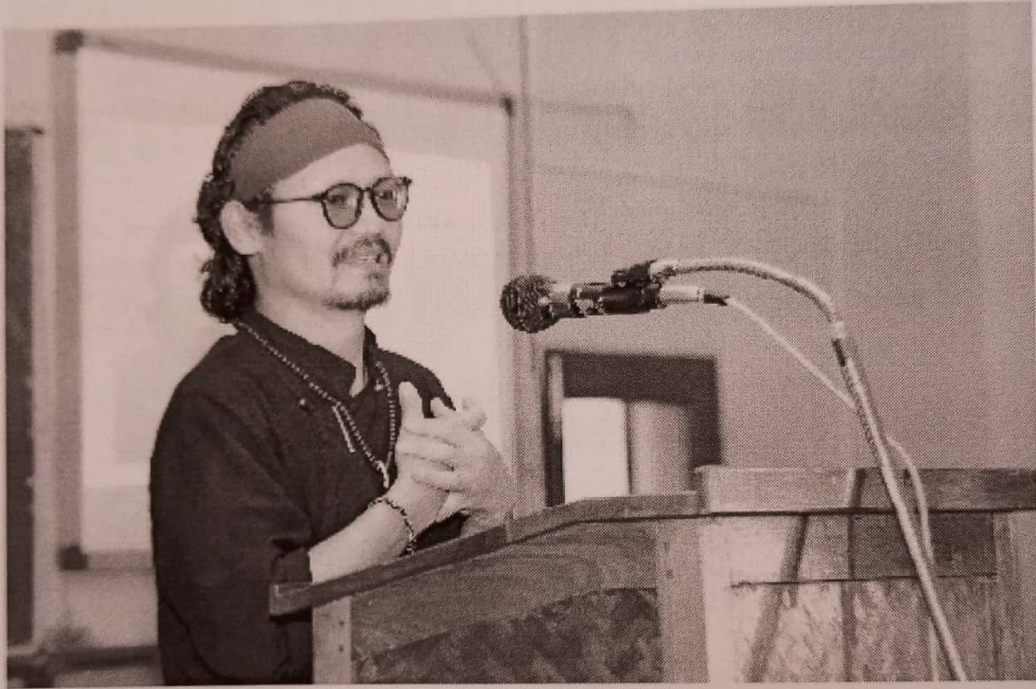


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International Workshop on poetry

4th January 2018

An International Workshop on poetry was organized by the department on 4th January 2018 for which Mr Tenzin Tsundue, famous Tibetan poet and activist was the resource person. An active session of interaction followed the informative lecture delivered by the resource person. Students and faculty participated actively and the session concluded with the poet presenting the signed copy of his book.



ഇന്ത്യയുടെ ആത്മാവ് കവിത പോലെ മനോഹരം - ടെൻസിൻ സുണ്ടു



ഇ ഹി ങ്ങാ ല ക്കു ട: ഇ ന്ത്യ യുടെ ആത്മാവ് കവിത പോലെ മനോഹരവും നമ്മുടെ ഹൃദയത്തുമാണെന്ന് തിബത്തൻ കവിയും സാമൂ

ഹിക പ്രവർത്തകനുമായ ടെൻസിൻ സുണ്ടു പറഞ്ഞു. ഇരിങ്ങാലക്കുട സെന്റ് ജോസഫ്സ് കോളജ് ഇംഗ്ലീഷ് വിഭാഗം സംഘടിപ്പിച്ച അന്തർദ്ദേശീയ കവിത ശില്പശാല ഉദ്ഘാടനം ചെയ്യുകയായിരുന്നു അദ്ദേഹം. അക്രമകാലികളായിരുന്ന തിബത്തൻ ജനതയെ

ബുദ്ധന്റെ ആശയങ്ങളാൽ മാറ്റിയെടുത്തത് ഇന്ത്യയാണെന്നും അദ്ദേഹം പറഞ്ഞു. 'എഴുത്തു വഴികളുടെ ആനന്ദങ്ങൾ' എന്ന വിഷയത്തിൽ സംവാദവും നടന്നു. അധ്യാപകരായ അഞ്ജു സുസൻ ജോർജ്ജ്, ഷാലി അന്തപ്പൻ എന്നിവർ സംസാരിച്ചു.

Mirabilia 2K18; A grand festival of Campus art and Literature

14-02-2018 & 15-02-2018

Mirabilia 2K18, a grand festival of Campus Art and Literature was organized by the students of the Department on the 14th and 15th of February and the student communities of the schools and colleges in the district participated in the fest and the literary competitions. The literary fest was inaugurated by the cine - artist Mr.Siju Wilson on 14th February and the famous Novelist in Malayalam, T.D Ramakrishnan interacted with the participants on the second day of the fest. Disneyland, Gothic World and various games and various literary competitions like spell bee, JAM, Fleshing Skeletal Plpt, Ad Guru, Memory Game, Trill & Troll, Drop A Word, Panaverbation etc. were conducted.



POETS' DAY 2017

13-12-2017

Poets' Day was held on 13th December during which, English Alumnae and budding writer Megha Rao was the chief Guest. Intercollegiate competitions in Recitation and Versification were organized in connection with the Poets' Day. A large number of students from far and wide enthusiastically participated in the event. Cash prizes and certificates were distributed to the winners.

Versification

First prize : Swaliha Salam & Ansar Women's College, Perumbilavu

Second prize : Keerthana Kallayi S Christ College

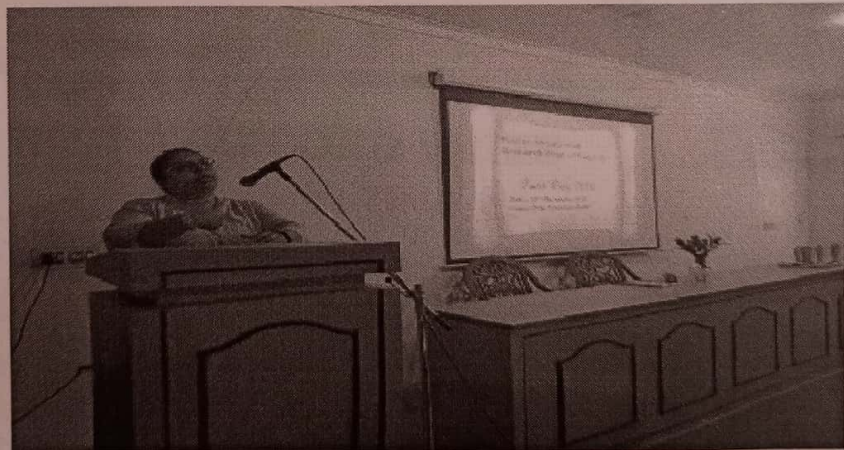
Third prize : Aleena Nelson, St Joseph's College & Catherine Reji, St. Aloysius, Elthuruth

Recitation

First prize : Githanjali Sabu, Christ College,

Second prize : Aleena Nelson, St Joseph's College, Irinjalakuda

Third Prize : Austin James, Prjyothi Nikethan College & Shamla Sainudheen, Ansar Womens College



English Literary Association Inauguration

02-08-2017

English Literary Association was formally inaugurated on 2nd August by Mr.Veerankutty, the noted poet and Associate Professor at Govt. College, Madappally. 'Acumen' the media club and a reading club were also launched on the same day. Students filmed a poem and presented it to kick start the association activities. The poet interacted with a group of students and it was a very fruitful time of creative sharing.



The Aesthetics of Poetry

02-08-2017

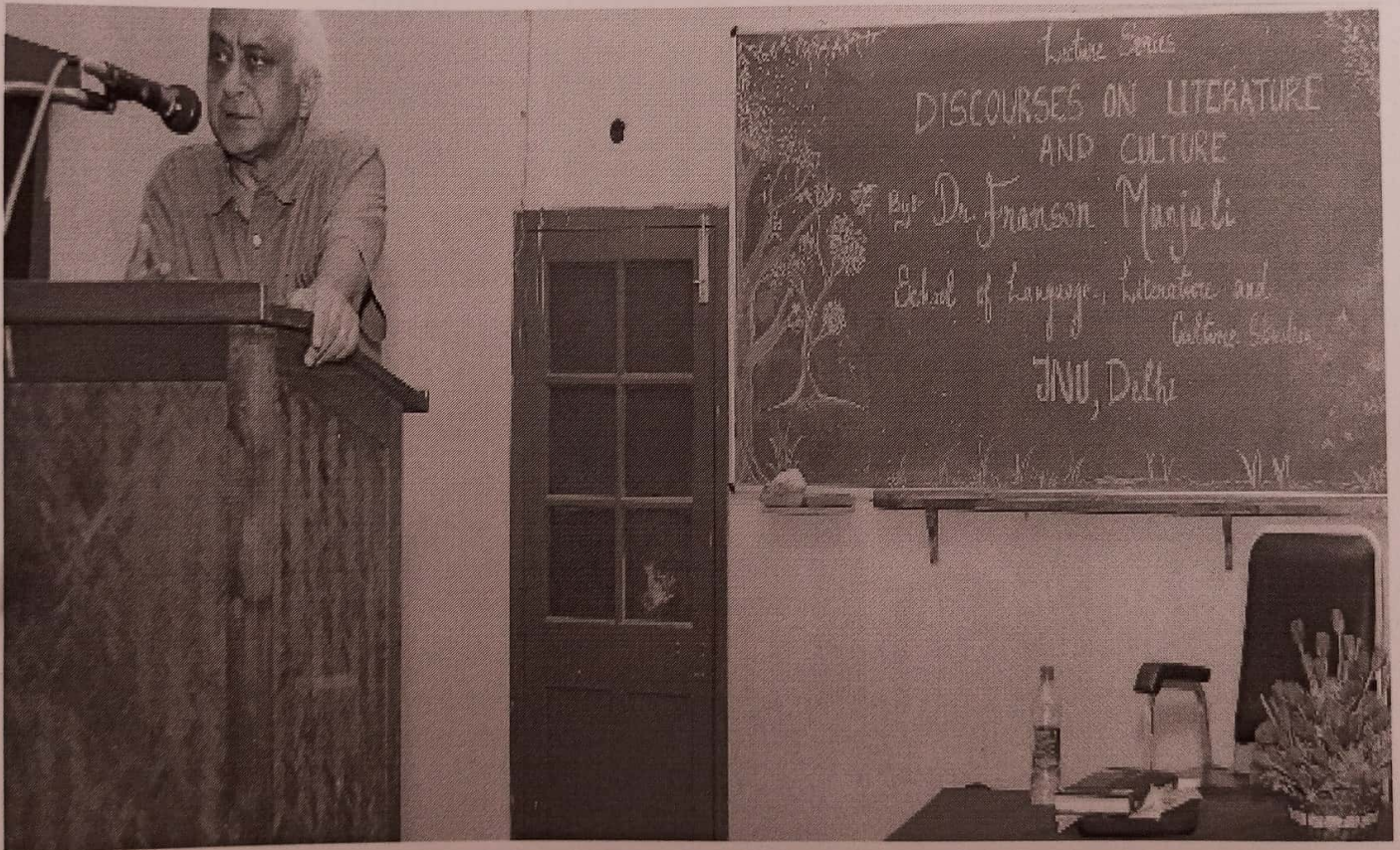
An invited talk on 'The Aesthetics of Poetry' was organized for the students of the department of English on 2nd August 2017 as part of the English Association Inauguration. Mr. Veerankutty , popular Malayalam poet and Assistant Professor in Malayalam, Govt College, Madappilly, Kozhikode was the resource person. An interaction with the poet was also arranged after the talk.



Discourses on Literature and Culture

17th October 2017

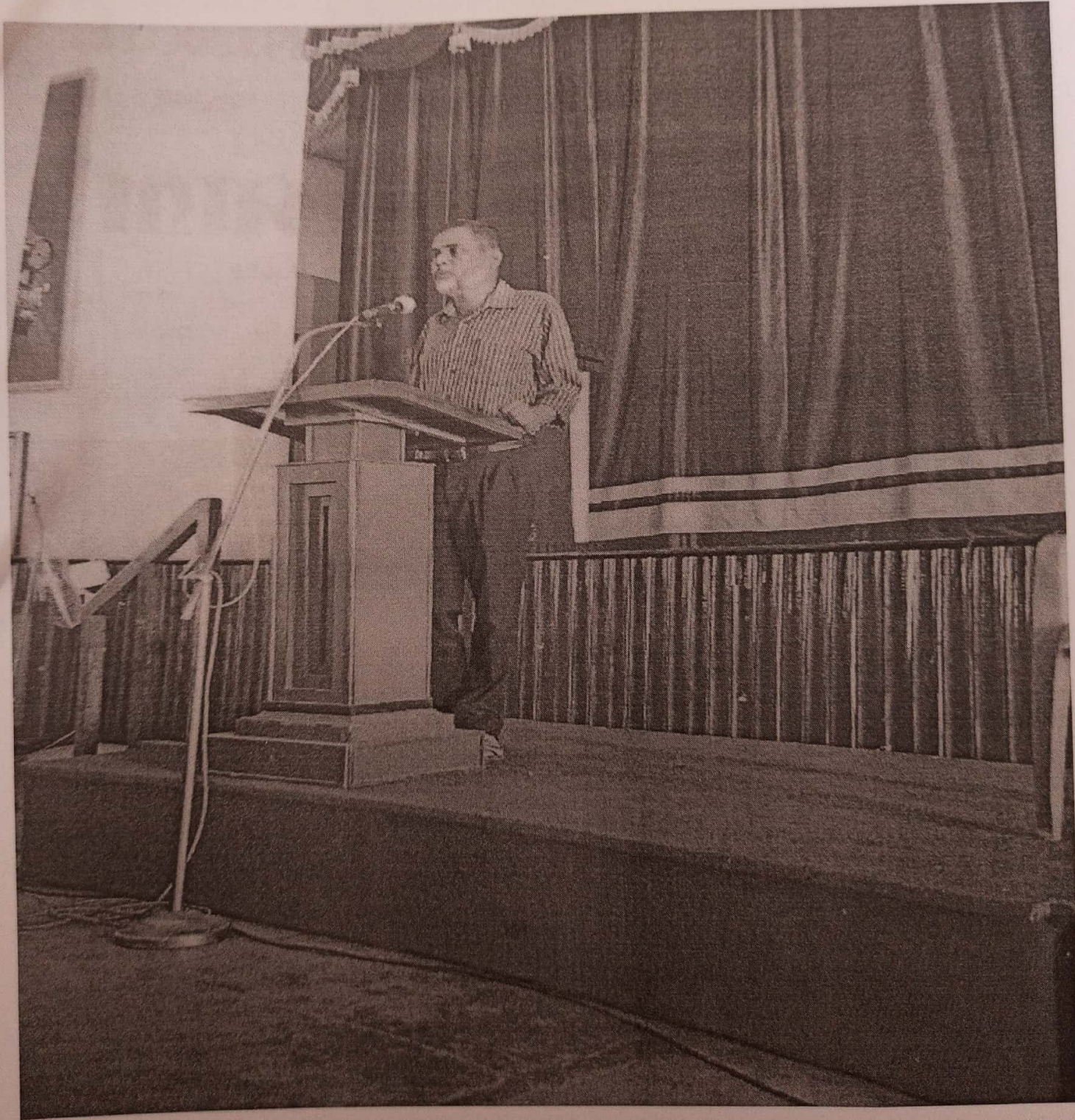
Dr. Franson Manjaly, faculty, School of Language, Literature and Culture studies, JNU, New Delhi inaugurated the lecture series on 'Discourses in Literature and Culture' on 17th October 2017 in the presence of invited PG students from the neighbouring colleges. Faculty and students from St. Joseph's college were also participants of the Lecture series.



Author Interaction

15-02-2018

An interaction with Mr. T D Ramakrishnan renowned Malayalam Novelist was organised as part of MIRABILIA 2K18. UG and PG students from various other colleges participated in the interaction.



Talk on 'Ways to Improve Communication skills

08-07-2017

Mr. Reji Thomas, Author & Spoken English Trainer delivered a talk on how to develop English communication skills to the I UG students on 08-07-2017. The talk was highly appreciated by the students.



Nature and Literature; Paper Presentation

02-11-2017

A paper presentation and discussion on eco-critical reading of literature was organized on 2nd November for the students of the PG classes. This was with the intention of promoting research aptitude of the PG students. The following students of M A English Literature presented papers on topics related to the depiction of nature in literature:

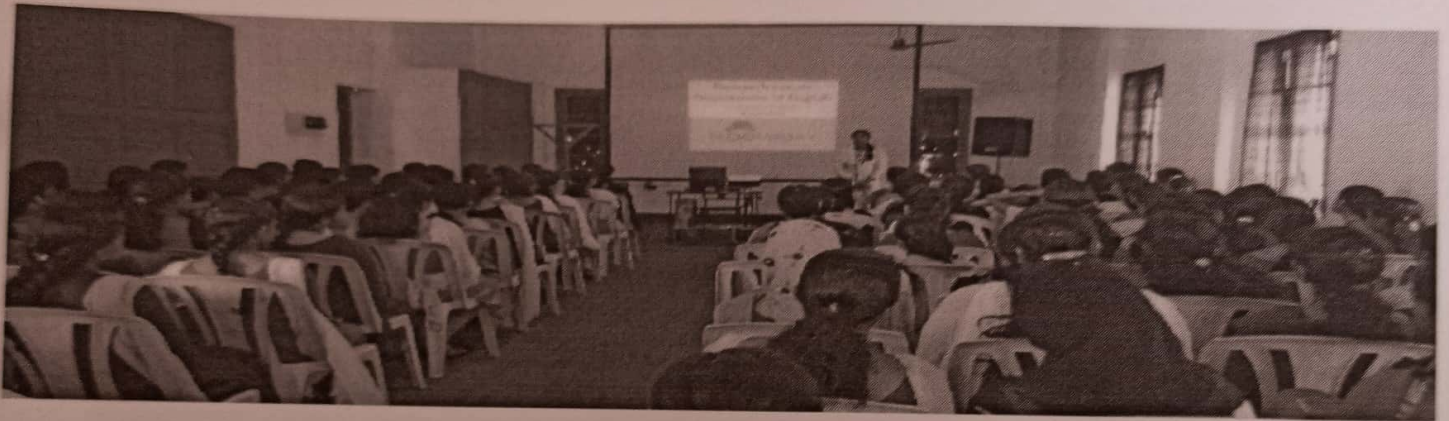
1. **Rini Joy**
2. **Maria Steephan & Monarch**
3. **Akshara P M**
4. **Grace Mary**
5. **Anjana Jayachandran**
6. **Roshna Babu**
7. **Merin**



Blooms' Day 2017

24-07-2017

July 24th marked the Blooms Day celebration in honour of the famous writer James Joyce. The Research Scholar of the department Mr. Amaldev P.J delivered a lecture on the life and literary career of the great writer. All the students of the department participated and the event was arranged in the Audio Visual Room.



Human Rights in the Present World

26-06-2017

An interdepartmental debate on Violation of Human Rights was organized on 26-06-2017. Students actively participated in the debate competition on Human Rights in the political and the social context of current India. Faculty members from various dept. shared their views. Dr Manoj, Asst. Professor, Dept. Of Chemistry and Dr.Sr. Blessy, Asst. Professor Dept. Of Computer Science were the moderators of the debate.



Irom Sharmila-The Legend

21-06-2017

A documentary film on the renowned Human Rights activist Irom Sharmila was screened for the students of the department on 21st June. The event helped to promote an awareness regarding the global significance of Human Rights activism and its impact.

Geethanjali

09-08-2017

To commemorate the 75th Death Anniversary of Rabindranath Tagore, the English Research Forum organized Geethanjali recitation and paper presentation of students on 9th August, 2017

Short film Competition

22-11-2017

An intercollegiate short film competition was on human rights was organized as part of National human Rights Congress held on 22-11-2017.

2016-2017