

2017-2018

### Environment Day Celebrations

In connection with environmental day Celebrations the Department of History organized a talk on **Biodiversity Conservation & Development: The Challenges In A Historical Perspective** by Dr. V S Vijayan a renowned environmentalist and social activist and currently the Chairman of Salim Ali foundation on 23/06/2017.



01/08/2017

Association activities of Department of History were inaugurated by Dr. Abdul Razaq, Research guide and Head of the department of History at PSMO College Thiroorangady. He presented a talk on 'Lies taught by teacher'. He discussed about the role of historian in writing history. Historical events could be evaluated through different perspective and a paradigm shift is need from the conventional standards and mould modern research oriented realms.



## Silent Procession

As part of Quit India Day remembrance department of History organized a silent Procession around the college campus on 16<sup>th</sup> august 2017. It create a National consciousness among the students.



## Extension Programme

In Connection with the 71<sup>st</sup> Independence Day celebrations the Department of History conducted a postal stamp Exhibition of "National Freedom Fighters" in St. Marys U P School Chiyaram on 18/08/2017. The Exhibition was inaugurated by Head mistress Sr. Suba Chako .The Students from I M.A History and Smt.Mimi K.M & Smt. Swapna K.P take initiative to the programme.



## Study Tour 2017

As a part of study tour Third year degree students visited Belur, Halebidu, Sravanbalgola, Mysore and Coorge on 15<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> of September 2017. It gave more comprehension to the architecture of the medieval south India especially Vesara Style of Architecture of the Hoys alas of Dwrasamudhra.



## Lecture series

The post graduate Department of history organized an invited lecture on the topic “Writing Local history” by Dr.P.S Manoj Kumar ,HOD, department of History, Sri C Achtha Menon Government College Thrissur on 19/10/2017. Lecture inspired students and provide an insight in to different aspect of local historical writing, which includes all the minute cultural, intellectual, material, social aspects related to the everyday life of the people.



Figure 1 P.S Manojkumar Inaugurated the Lecture Series



Figure 2 P.S Manoj Kumar Talk on How to Write Local History



## Historical Drama 19/12/2017

Post Graduate students of History play a drama “Pattabhakhi” in the jubilee hall. It was the first political drama of Kerala by K. Damodharan .It conveys the idea of Janmi kudiyan system that existed in Kerala



## **Study Tour PG** 17-11-2017

The department of History organized a study tour to Mahabalipuram, Shore Temple, Tanjore, Kanchipuram, Gangai konda Chola Puram. Students from the PG classes participated in it. It gave more comprehension to the architecture of the medieval south India especially Dravidian style of architecture of the Cholas and Pallavas



**Figure 3** Students in Mahabalipuram

## Inter -university extempore competition

Post graduate Department of History, St. Mary's College, Thrissur is organized an "Inter -university Extempore competition" for college students in relation with National Youth Day on 12th January 2018.





## Lecture Seires

A talk on the topic “Quit India Movement” was delivered by Dr.Rajan Former HoD of History ,Sree Kerla Varma College Thrissur on 18/01/2018 . He explained different ideologies of freedom movement which differed in different times, regional variations of Quit India Movement. He encouraged the students to begin re-search in to unfolding angles of national movement.



19/01/2018 Extension

Post graduate students performed the Drama “Pattabahaki” at Konathakunnu Govt.U.P School. It was the first political drama of Kerala by K. Damodharan .It conveys the idea of Janmi kudiiyan system that existed in Kerala



07/02/2018 Site Visit

The department of History organized a site visit to Palakhat Fort, kalpathi Street and Jaina Medu



## State Level Seminar (2017-2018)

The Post Graduate Department of History organized a State Level Seminar in collaboration with Arnos Pathiri Academy, Velur on 12<sup>th</sup> February 2018. The seminar titled as 'The contribution of Arnos Pathiri in Kerala culture'. The seminar was inaugurated by Rev. Fr. Dr. George Thenadikkulam, Director, Arnos Pathiri Academy, Velur.

Seminar Moderator was Prof. V A Varghese. Session first deals with 'Arnos Pathiri kanda Keralam' with Dr. Sunny Jose, Rtd. Principal and Head of the Department, St. Xavier's College, Thumba. Session second deals with 'Arnos Pathiriyum Malayala Sahithyavum' by Dr. Sr. C Deepa, Rtd. Prof St. Stephen's College, Uzhavur.

Seminar was very effective. This seminar provided new arena of knowledge about the contributions of Arnos Pathiri, a German Missionary who dedicated his entire life to the development of Malayalam literature and upliftment of society.



## Research Oriented talk.

On 20<sup>th</sup> March 2018 the Post Graduate Department of History organized a research oriented talk on “Research Methodology “by Dr. Sreevidhya U Assistant Professor Christ College Irinjalakuda.



Figure 4 Dr.Sreevidhya U

