



### **Dear Well-wishers! Greetings from Bishop Agniswamy College of Education.**

The college is a place for transforming the personality of future teachers and training the architects of the nation. Far from the madding crowd our college provides a conducive climate to promote an integrated development among student teachers. It is all about the development of cognition, affection and psycho-motor through organizing different learning activities, seminars, guest lectures etc. Here, we flash the triumphs of this academic year 2011-2012.

### **Academic Admission**

Admission is done based on merit and as per the eligibility condition prescribed by the Government for the B.Ed. and M.Ed. courses. 100 students for B.Ed. and 35 students for M.Ed. are admitted as per the teacher pupil ratio insisted on by the National Council for Teacher Education.

### **Inauguration of the Academic Year**

The college began its academic year 2011-2012 officially on 1<sup>st</sup> August 2011 with the blessings of Rev. Fr. M. Stanley Sahaya Seelan, Secretary, Bishop Agniswamy College of Education, Muttom. He insisted on the speciality of the institution and responsibilities of the teachers during his inaugural address.

### **Bridge Course**

To know the previous knowledge of the students, communication skills and teaching aptitude, bridge course was conducted from 2<sup>nd</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> August 2011. Mr. Gnana Pragasam, Government Higher Secondary School, Soorankudi, Mr. P. Andrew Valsan, St. Mary's Higher Secondary School, Colachel, Rev. Fr. M. Stanley Sahaya Seelan, Assistant Professor and Dr. A. Dennis, Principal of our college were the resource persons.

### **Micro Teaching and Demonstration Classes**

Micro teaching was conducted from 17<sup>th</sup> August 2011 to 19<sup>th</sup> August 2011. The demonstration classes were conducted on 25<sup>th</sup> August 2011. The students from All Saints Higher Secondary School, Muttom were invited along with the subject specialists. Mrs. Mourin and Mrs. Jain, All Saints Higher Secondary School, Muttom, Mr. Gnanaprakasam, Government Higher Secondary School, Soorankudi, Mrs. Jeya, Mrs. Mary Glory and Mrs. Manogari, St. Mary's Higher Secondary School, Colachel took demo classes.

### **Intensive Teaching Practice**

After developing the skills of micro teaching and the skills in macro teaching by the subject experts, the students were sent to various schools for their intensive teaching practice from 10<sup>th</sup> October 2011 to 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2011.

### **Data Collection for M.Ed.**

The M.Ed. students went for data collection for their projects from 14<sup>th</sup> October 2011 to 7<sup>th</sup> November 2011.

### **Students Council Election and Meetings**

Students council election was conducted on 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2011. Students leader and department wise secretaries were elected. Students council meeting was held on 25<sup>th</sup> August 2011. The meeting was presided over by Rev. Dr. A. Dennis, Principal of our college. He explained various responsibilities of the students council members. The second meeting was held on 22<sup>nd</sup> December 2011. We had a discussion on different agenda and many suggestions were put forth by the students.

### **Inauguration of All Clubs and Associations**

Inaugural functions of the subject clubs and associations were held on 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2011. All the



club and association secretaries presented the objectives and future plans of their clubs and associations activities. Rev. Fr. M. Stanley Sahaya Seelan, Secretary of the College presided over the function. Rev. Sr. Jerardin, Principal, Holy Cross College (Autonomous), Nagercoil was the Chief Guest.

### Shakespeare Club

English Literary Association – SHAKESPEARE CLUB organised a special meeting on 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2011. Dr. F. Swamydhas, Professor of English, Al Margeb University, Libiya was the Chief Guest and spoke about the plays of William Shakespeare and the need for improving pronunciation. The



following events were staged by the members of the club – colourful western dance, puppet show and a skit with the theme “*The Taming of the Shrew*” by William Shakespeare.

### Kavimani Club

Tamil Literary Association – KAVIMANI CLUB organised a special meeting on 16<sup>th</sup> September 2011. Mr. T. Maurin, P.G. Assistant in Tamil, All Saints Higher Secondary School, Muttom was the Chief Guest and gave a talk on “*Kavimoni Desika Vinayagam Pillai and his contribution to Tamil*”.



### Ramanujan Club

The Mathematics Club - RAMANUJAN organised a special talk on “*Role of Teacher in Mathematics*



Club” on 16<sup>th</sup> December 2011. Mr. P. Vel Murugan, Assistant Professor, Bishop Agniswamy College of Education, Muttom acted as a resource person.

### Darwin Club

The Science Club - DARWIN organised a special meeting on 16<sup>th</sup> September 2011. Rev. Fr. M. Stanley Sahaya Seelan, Secretary, Bishop Agniswamy College of Education, Muttom felicitated the gatherings and spoke about the “*Importance of Science in Today's World*”. Mr. L. Xavier Prince, Assistant Professor, Bishop Agniswamy College of Education acted as a resource person and gave a talk about “*Thomas Alva Edison and his Contribution to Science*”



## Heroic Club

The History Club - HEROIC celebrated Gandhi Jayanthi day on 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2011. Rev. Dr. A. Dennis, Principal of our College delivered the presidential address. Miss. I. Carlin Jenitta read a poem “*Gandhi and freedom struggle*”. Miss. J. Sahaya Shyja spoke



about “*The life style of Gandhiji*”. Mrs. S. Antalin Sujatha, Assistant Professor, Bishop Agniswamy College of Education was the Chief Guest. She gave few points about the need for celebrating Gandhi Jayanthi day. On 17<sup>th</sup> February 2012 a debate on “*Do multi-cultures contributes to the growth of our civilization or its downfall*”. Students participated actively in the debate.

## Red Ribbon Club

Red Ribbon Club organised “*HIV Awareness Programme*” on 27<sup>th</sup> January 2012. Rev. Fr. M. Stalin



Sahaya Seelan, Assistant Professor, Bishop Agniswamy College of Education acted as a resource person and delivered a lecture on “*Aids Awareness*”.

## Blood Donor's Club

A special camp was organised on 27<sup>th</sup> January 2012 at Government Primary Health Centre, Muttom. Mr. Durai Murugan, the Lab-technician of GPHC explained the different types of blood groups and



encouraged the students to donate blood and save life.

## Red Cross Society

A special lecture was arranged on 27<sup>th</sup> January



2012. Rev. Dr. A Dennis, Principal, Bishop Agniswamy College of Education delivered a lecture on “*First Aid*”.

## Social Service Club

On 27<sup>th</sup> January 2012 a cleaning camp was organised by this club. Our students cleaned the road



from college bus stop to Muttom Health Centre road and the courtyard of the hospital. It attracted the public and gave awareness to them.

### Eco Club

A special lecture was arranged on 27<sup>th</sup> January 2012. Mrs. Johncy Rani, Lecturer, St. Xavier's



Catholic Teacher Training Institute, Muttom delivered a lecture on “*Awareness on Environmental Protection*”. Mrs. Josephin Kebin, Principal, St. Xavier's Catholic Teacher Training Institute, Muttom presided over the function and planted trees in our campus.

### Quiz Club

Quiz programme was organised on 10<sup>th</sup> January 2012. Mr. L. Xavier Prince, Assistant Professor, Bishop Agniswamy College of Education, Muttom conducted the quiz programme.

### Women's Club

International Women's day was celebrated on 8<sup>th</sup> March 2012. Mrs. A. Clarence Mary, Sub Inspector



was the Chief Guest. She gave awareness on how a woman in India, especially in Tamilnadu should play her role inside the family and in the society.

### Consumer Club

A special lecture was arranged on 27<sup>th</sup> January 2012. Mr. L. Xavier Prince, Assistant Professor, Bishop Agniswamy College of Education, Muttom delivered a lecture on “*Consumer Rights*”.

### Fine Arts Club



Fine arts competitions were conducted on 11.01.2012 to 13.01.2012. Poetry writing, essay writing, collage, quiz, vegetable carving, drawing and painting, rangoli, elocution, skit, admad, mime, solo song, group song and group dance were conducted.



All the students actively participated in the competitions. It was a rare opportunity to vent out students hidden potentials through cultural events. Mrs. Josephin Kebin, Mrs. Johncy Rani and Mrs. Virgin Suji of St. Xavier's Catholic Teacher Training Institute were the judges to assess the students' talents. Rev. Fr. Satheesh Kumar Joy, Founder, Murasu Folk Arts distributed the prizes to the winners.

### Top-Notch in the Cultural

We are happy to announce that our students have participated and bagged many prizes in the cultural competitions organised by other colleges in this academic year. The list of those prize winners are as follows:

Winners of Cultural Competitions held outside the College					
Sl. No.	Name of the Festival and Venue	Events	Prize Winners	Place	Group / Solo Event
1.	<b>XATEC-2012</b> (Inter-Collegiate Cultural Competitions) <i>St. Xavier's College of Education, Palayamkottai</i> 28 <sup>th</sup> February 2012	Dum Charade	C. Maria Monisha & A. Arockia Tharsini	Second	Group Event
2.	<b>National Level Quiz Competition</b> <i>Bethlehem College Education, Karungal</i> 31 <sup>st</sup> January 2012	Quiz	H. Simon & Divya Margret	Second	Group Event
3.	<b>Inter-Collegiate Chess Tournament</b> <i>Bethlehem College of Education, Karungal.</i> 20 <sup>th</sup> January 2012	Chess	H. Simon	Second	Solo Event
4.	<b>Elocution Competition</b> <i>Veeramamunivar Pechalar Peravai, Nagercoil</i> 8 <sup>th</sup> November 2011	Elocution	H. Simon	Scond	Solo Event

### Placement Cell

The employers from Tamilnadu and other states prefer our trainees in the employment. Our placement cell avail information about the employment opportunities. On 5<sup>th</sup> April 2012 SKV Matriculation Higher Secondary School, Namakkal visited our college and conducted interview and selected our



students for placement. We encourage our students to attend an interview conducted in St. Joseph's Matriculation Higher Secondary School, Nagercoil, which is under the control of our Diocese and a few are placed. Our students are motivated to attend the interview in various schools like AKT Academy Matriculation Higher Secondary School, Kallkurichi, St. Treasa Matriculation Higher Secondary School, Valukkamparai, Pukal Neelam Matriculation Higher Secondary School for placement.

### Guidance and Counselling by Staff



All the students were randomly selected by lot and each staff was given 10 students for counselling on 5<sup>th</sup> March 2012. They all met their counsellors and got the directions how to improve their academic and non-academic activities.

### Teachers' Day Celebration

On 5<sup>th</sup> September 2011, the students took up the Teachers' day celebration in their hand to honour all the teachers with lively programme.



## Onam Celebration

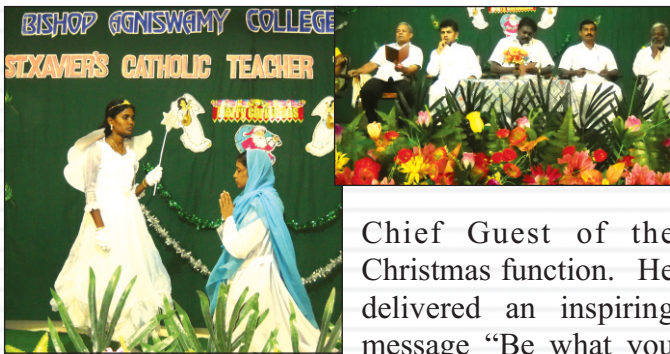
Onam festival was celebrated on 9<sup>th</sup> October 2011 with colourful Rangoli. All the students were dressed in Onam special saree. They expressed their joy and shared the happiness with the entire student



community and made the impact imprinted in their hearts and minds.

## Christmas Celebration

The Christmas day was celebrated on 23<sup>rd</sup> December 2011. Rev. Fr. Ubald, Priest of Pozhikarai was the



Chief Guest of the Christmas function. He delivered an inspiring message "Be what you are". Mr. Prince, MLA,

Colachel constituency and Mr. Ruban Kumar, Panchayat President, Muttom were the special invitees for the Christmas function. They delivered wonderful messages. The students gave cultural programme about Christmas and Carols with a Santaclaus. It was really a cherishing one.

## Pongal Celebration



Samathuva pongal was celebrated in a grand manner on 13<sup>th</sup> January 2012 with the help of the students' council. Sweet pongal cooked by our students was distributed to the staff and the students. It was a happy get-together of Tamil festival.

## Citizenship Training Programme

Citizenship training programme was organised from 26<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> November 2011 at Bishop's House Campus, Nagercoil. Dr. James R. Daniel gave a talk on Moral Values, Dr. Arulraj gave a talk on Human



Rights, Dr. Nelson gave awareness on Addiction, Dr. Maria William gave a talk on Personality development and Mr. Saravanan gave a talk on Ambulance service. Fire protection and rescue department programme and Kalari's folk arts took place. Census was conducted at nearby village. Special school for differently able children was visited.

## Field Trip

Department wise field trip was arranged on 29<sup>th</sup> September 2011. English department students visited Mathoor Thotti Palam, Pechiparai, Perunchani and Udayagiri Fort. Tamil and History department



students visited Ettayapuram, Panchalamkurichi Palace, Tuticorin Port and Krishnapuram. Mathematics, Physical Science and Biological

Science department students visited Thiruvananthapuram and Kovalam. Our staff members accompanied the students.

### **Educational Tour**

On 8<sup>th</sup> February 2012 our college students and staff members went on an All India Educational Tour by



train. They visited Agra, Delhi, Amritsar, Kulu Manali and Chennai. They visited educationally, historically and culturally important places. After successful completion of the tour they returned home safe to the satisfaction and happiness of the parents on 19<sup>th</sup> February 2012.

### **Staff Picnic**



The management hosted a one-day staff picnic programme to Kalikesam on 18<sup>th</sup> June 2012 which was enjoyed by all the staff members of our college.

### **BACE FEST – 2012**

Inter collegiate cultural competition was



organised on 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2012. Fourteen colleges from different parts of Tamilnadu actively participated. It was a spectacular event which delighted each and every one of the participants and the spectators. Dr. V.M.A. Surendra, Principal, Pioneer Kumarasamy College of Arts and Science, Nagercoil was the Chief Guest and distributed the certificates and prizes to the winners. St. Xavier's College of Education (Autonomous), Palayamkottai received the championship cup and St. Ignatius College of Education (Autonomous), Palayamkottai received the runner shield.

### **National Level Workshop**

The National level workshop on “*Performance Appraisal in the light of UGC's Guidelines*” was organised by our college on 4<sup>th</sup> February 2012. Dr. Joseph Dungston, Principal, St. John's College of Arts and Science, Ammandivilai delivered the inaugural address. Dr. R.L. Bindu, Associate



Professor of Education, University of Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram and Dr. B. William Dharmaraja, Faculty, Department of Education, Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Tirunelveli were the resource persons. Dr. S. Lazarus, Chairman, Institute for Environmental Research and Social Education, Nagercoil delivered the valedictory address and distributed the certificates. The principals of various colleges and teacher educators from various institutions took part in the workshop.

## Alumni Association

The Alumni Association meeting was organised on 9<sup>th</sup> May 2012. They met together and shared their experiences in the work settings. They cherished the training they had received here. The alumni encourages the college toppers in all subjects by giving prizes every year.

## Parent Teacher Association

The Parent Teacher Association meeting was organised on 1<sup>st</sup> August 2011. Mr. Gnanapragasam was elected as president and Mr. Jose Mathew as



secretary. Next executive meeting was held on 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2011. The third and fourth meeting was held on 8<sup>th</sup> October and 13<sup>th</sup> January 2012.

## Sports Day

Sports day was conducted on 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2012. Mr. Dharmarajan, IPS, Assistant Superintendent of Police Colachel inaugurated the



sports events and delivered the inaugural address. Prizes were distributed on 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2012. Rev. Fr. Gaspar, Director, Tamil Nadu Xavier Mission Home, Nagercoil was the Chief Guest and distributed the certificates and medals to the winners and runners of sport sevens, march past events and dance events.

## College Day

The College day celebration was conducted on 9<sup>th</sup>



May 2012. Most Rev. Dr. Peter Remigius, Bishop of R.C. Diocese of Kottar delivered the Presidential address. Dr. P. Annaraja, Associate Professor and Director, Centre for Research, St. Xavier's College of Education (Autonomous), Palayamkottai was the Chief Guest and delivered the College day address. Our College trust members gave message and blessings to all the students.

## Exams and Evaluation

The first and second terminal exams were conducted during 13<sup>th</sup> December 2011 and 27<sup>th</sup> February 2012 respectively. The first and second revision exams were conducted during 16<sup>th</sup> April 2012 and 26<sup>th</sup> April 2012 respectively. The model exam was conducted on 11<sup>th</sup> May 2012. All the exam papers were evaluated and the failures and the slow learners were given guidance and counselling and the know-how of scoring high in the exam.

## Submission of NAAC Report

With the co-operation of the staff the accreditation report of our college has been submitted to the NAAC, Bangalore on the stipulated date. In the process of preparing the report a steering committee was formed and later each criterion was allotted to the staff members. The reports of the seven criterions were discussed in the staff meeting in three phases. Later it was refined and the fixed draft was completed.

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