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GLITZ 2023

On 30 September 2023, SCC conducted its first ever PU fest GLITZ 2023, an extravaganza of art, culture and talent. The event was conducted for PU students and the program attracted many participants from various PU colleges in

Bangalore. The program gave the students an opportunity to showcase their talents and also provided a chance to mingle with undergraduate students as well. St. Clare PU College emerged as the overall champion of GLITZ 2023.



Fashion walk competition during GLITZ



Dancers of SCC flaunt their talents



PU students participate in face painting competition as part of GLITZ 2023

EXCEPTIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS OF SCC

On 03 August 2023, SCC became a member of the All India Management Association.

Outlook-ICARE RANKING 2023

St. Claret College was ranked 61 by Outlook-ICARE Ranking 2023 in the list of top private Commerce colleges in India based on multiple parameters.

Outlook-ICARE Rankings 2023: Top 110 BCA Institutes

St. Claret College was ranked 62 out of the top 110 BCA institutions in India

by Outlook-ICARE Ranking 2023 based on multiple parameters.

Outlook-ICARE Rankings 2023: India's Top 130 BBA Institutes

St. Claret College was ranked 58 out of the top 130 BBA institutions in India by Outlook-ICARE Ranking 2023 based on multiple parameters.

Outlook-ICARE Rankings 2023: India's Top 115 Arts Institutes

St. Claret College was ranked 92 out of the top 115 BA institutions in India by Outlook-ICARE Ranking 2023 based on multiple parameters.

India Today Ranking

St. Claret College secured 152 rank in BCA, 159 rank in BA, 175 rank in BBA and 193 rank in BCom in India Today's best college ranking 2023 MDRA ranking.

R World Institutional Ranking.

St. Claret College was awarded an A grade for its excellence towards offering Outcome-Based Education.

R World Institutional Ranking.

St. Claret College was awarded an A+ grade for its excellence in practising sustainable education.

GRADUATION DAY

From Fresh Woods to Pastures New

On 18 July 2023, SCC organised the XVI Graduation ceremony for the final

year UG students at the Parish hall from 05:00 PM onwards. The chief guest for the day was Prof. S. Japhet, former founding vice-chancellor of Bengaluru City University. Outstanding students

in academics, sports, leadership and community services were recognised and awarded during the graduation ceremony.



Prof. Japhet S. addresses the graduating students



Final Year UG students attend Graduation ceremony

THANKSGIVING DAY CELEBRATED

Expressing Gratitude

On 25 July 2023, SCC organised Thanksgiving day to thank God Almighty for the smooth conduct and

successful completion of the academic year 2022-23. The chief guests for the day were Mr. Ravindra Devadiga, Principal of K.V. NO. 1, Jalahalli, and Dr. Lakshmiprasanna, Principal of Vidhya Sandha PU College, Peenya

Bengaluru. The program summed up the achievements of the college and the students in curricular and co-curricular activities, inside and outside the campus, during the academic year 2022-23.



SCC choir mesmerize the audience with their melodies on Thanksgiving Day

NEW BEGINNINGS- NEW ACADEMIC YEAR INAUGURATION

On 31 July 2023, the academic year 2023-24 was officially inaugurated and the orientation classes for the first year batches began from 01 August 2023 onwards.

A DAY WELL SPENT-STAFF PICNIC

On 28 July 2023, the college organised a faculty excursion to Mango Mist resort which aided in building healthy bonding and companionship among the faculty members and staff.

STUDENT WELFARE OFFICE

PSDP Conducted

The Professional Skills Development Program for UG students was conducted from 02 August 2023 to 03 August 2023. PSDP focuses on



Parents and students attend the new academic year inauguration

soft skills designed for first-year UG students on topics like communication skills, time management, decision-making, presentation skills, and corporate expectations. The program was spread over ten hours for all the first-year UG students. The sessions were conducted by external resource persons as well as Alumni who are part of the corporate world along with in-house trainers. The resource persons gave valuable insights in terms of skills required in a corporate job and

how soft skills play a vital role in the corporate and business world. The students were able to connect their skills to the current job scenario. The students were equipped to face the hiring process in terms of aptitude and soft skills.

TRAINING AND PLACEMENT CELL

A Session on PM Fundamentals Organised in Association with AFH
The training and placement cell of

St. Claret College in association with AFH and IBM organised a session on PM Fundamentals on 03 July 2023. The resource person was Ms. Kiran Nayak, a Quality Engineering Architect at IBM. The session took place in two batches; from 09:30 AM -11:00 AM and 11:15 AM-12:30 PM at APJAK Auditorium. A total of 700 students attended the first batch and a total of 750 students attended the second batch. AFH trainer Mr. Kiran Nayak and representative Ms. Subha were also present during the session.

CENTRE FOR PROFESSIONAL LEARNING (CPL)

World Youth Skills Day Celebrated

On 20 July 2023, the Centre for Professional Learning (CPL) commemorated World Youth Skills Day with an inspiring array of skills competitions, aimed at fostering creativity, innovation, and personal development among students. The competitions not only provided a platform for young individuals to showcase their talents but also promoted a culture of continuous learning. A total of 52 students participated in various events.

- **SUDOKU Competition:** A brain-teasing contest, where 21 participants solved intricate SUDOKU puzzles within a stipulated time. Mani O., Raksha R., and Konduru Leela Venkatalasya emerged as puzzle-solving champions.
- **Corporate Face Makeup Competition:** This competition challenged 06 teams to create 'Corporate Look Makeup'. The students were assessed based on their creativity and theme relevance. The program involved Q&A sessions declaring Sharon, Shobha, and Jeevika as makeup artists extraordinaires.
- **Jewellery Designing Competition:** A total of 06 participants crafted exquisite jewellery pieces as part of this competition. The winner Varsha M.N., Mamitha, and Chandana D. demonstrated their artistic flair, impressing judges with their jewellery designs.
- **Digital Poster Making Competition:** A total of 17 students unleashed their

creativity, focusing on the theme of Digital Connectivity as part of this competition. The event showcased imaginative posters and slogans, with Thejas, Ashmi, and Cheera Swetlana emerging as winners.

- **Cartoon Designing Competition:** A total of 12 students who brought stories to life through cartoon illustrations participated in the competition. Shivani, Abhinaya, and Eazhil crafted imaginative and colourful tales and emerged as winners.
- **Videography Competition:** A total of 06 students captured stories on the theme 'Dreams of Young India.' Veeresh M., Aman Khan Ghouri, and Bhagyaraj emerged as winners of this competition.

These competitions showcased the incredible talent, creativity, and innovation of CPL students. They honed their creative expression and problem-solving skills and gained confidence in presenting their work to a larger audience.

ENTREPRENEURSHIP CELL

E-Week Celebrated

The Entrepreneurship Club celebrated E-Week from 11 July 2023 to 17 July 2023. Various programs and competitions were organised as part of the E-Week celebration.

Day 1: Video Presentation on Innovative and Young Entrepreneurs

The Entrepreneurship Cell organised a short video presentation on Innovative and Young Entrepreneurs on 11 July 2023 from 03:10 PM to 04:00 PM. The E-Cell members watched the video of successful entrepreneurs and their life journey in achieving brand value for the products and services they offer to customers. The video portrayed the top five successful business people and viewed the products they offer.

Day 2: Entrepreneurship Quiz Competition

The Entrepreneurship Cell organised an Entrepreneurship quiz on 12 July 2023 for SCC Students. The quiz aimed to evaluate the knowledge of the participants within academics as well as beyond academics and to make them familiar with new trends in the business world and entrepreneurship.

The students were encouraged to think beyond and encourage innovation and entrepreneurship.

Day 3: Innovative Advertising Competition

The Entrepreneurship Cell organised an Innovative Advertising Competition on 13 July 2023 from 03:00 PM to 04:00 PM. The objective of the competition was to help students be equipped with the knowledge of Ad-making and its execution in front of a live audience. Participants presented innovative advertisement ideas in this age of mass media. Students were encouraged to think outside the box and develop creative ideas.

Day 4: Business Plan Competition

The Entrepreneurship Cell organised a Business Plan Competition on 14 July 2023 from 03:00 PM to 04:00 PM. The objective of the Business Plan Competition was to provide a meaningful learning experience for students who are interested in pursuing entrepreneurial opportunities in their careers. Students learned how to deal with business uncertainties and got an overall understanding of current and future trends in business.

Day 5 & Day 6 - Logo Making Competition & Poster Making Competition

The Entrepreneurship Cell organised a Logo Making Competition & Poster Making Competition on 15th and 16 July 2023. The students showed their creativity by designing a Logo for E-Cell. The objective of the poster-making competition was to bring out the creative expression of students and to gauge their knowledge and expertise in designing the poster.

YOUNG COMMUNICATORS CLUB (YCC)

Communication Activities and Games Organised

The Young Communicators Club of St. Claret College organised a vibrant and engaging session of communication games at the college quadrangle. The event took place on 14 July 2023 from 03:10 PM to 4:00 PM. The event's primary objective was to enhance club members' communication skills and provide them with an opportunity to practice effective verbal and

nonverbal communication in a fun and interactive setting. The event provided an enjoyable platform for participants to enhance their communication skills and fostered a sense of camaraderie and teamwork among club members.

Activity on the Role of Communication in Day-to-Day Life Conducted

The Young Communicator Club organised an activity on the “Role of Communication in Day-to-Day Life” on 08 August 2023 from 12:15 pm to 01:00 PM. The objective of

the event was to show how effective communication can help resolve or avoid problems and conflicts. Communication helps people connect with others and share ideas and effective communication clarifies information, reducing wastage of time. The event helped students demonstrate an understanding of conversation skills and identify the elements of communication.

Panel Discussion Organised

The Young Communicator Club organised a Panel Discussion on 14 July

2023 from 03:00 PM to 04:15 PM. The panel discussion provided a platform for experts in a particular field or on a specific topic to express their opinions, challenge each other and explore topics of discussion that provide value, insight, and entertainment for the watching audience. The learning outcome of the program was to further explore the concept and possibilities of change in all these sectors interacting and learning from various members of the community about the contemporary scenarios concerning the service sector, energy sector and education sector.

CULTURAL CLUB

MAYURIKA 2023 Organised

The Cultural and Arts Club organised “Mayurika 2023”, the National-Level cultural, arts and music festival of St. Claret College on 04 July 2023. The Chief Guest was Shri Yogesh, commonly known as “Loose Maada Yogesh”, a Kannada Film Actor. The fest strives to amplify and nurture talented and creative artists nationwide. Mayurika is dedicated to celebrating cultural diversity through various forms of dances, arts, and the essence of music. Mayurika is a platform for promoting extracurricular activities, community-building, engaging alumni and networking. A total of 46 Colleges across Bangalore participated with a total of 667 students taking part in various on-stage and off-stage events. St. Pauls College emerged as the overall champion of Mayurika 2023.



Chief guest Mr. Yogesh arrives for the inaugural ceremony of MAYURIKA 2023



Dance competitions during MAYURIKA 2023



Students participate in fashion walk during MAYURIKA- cultural fest

SPORTS CLUB

SRS Memorial Cup 2023 Organised

The Sports Club organised the SRS Memorial Cup Volleyball tournament for college students from 01 July 2023 to 02 July 2023. The tournament was exclusively held for the men's category and saw enthusiastic participation from 14 teams representing different departments. The event commenced at 08:30 AM and continued up to 06:00 PM. On the second day, the competition resumed at 08:00 AM and concluded at 04:00 PM. 98 enthusiastic students actively participated in the Volleyball matches, demonstrating their dedication and skills. The second-year BCA emerged as the champion,

securing the first position, and the Third-year B.Com D secured the second position. The SRS Memorial Cup Volleyball Tournament 2023 was a successful event in promoting sportsmanship and providing a platform for college students to showcase their sporting abilities.

Claret Cup Inter-Collegiate Basketball Tournament 2023 Organised

On 07 July 2023, the Sports Club organised the Claret Cup Inter-collegiate Basketball Tournament for students from various colleges affiliated with Bangalore University. A total of 08 college teams representing Bangalore University participated

in the tournament. The tournament specifically focused on the men's category. Surana College emerged victorious, securing the first position, while St. Claret College secured second. The primary aim of this event was to uplift the spirit of sportsmanship among participants and provide a platform for them to showcase their talent in the field of sports. The tournament attracted the participation of 87 enthusiastic students who demonstrated their dedication and skills throughout the competition. To acknowledge their commitment and contribution, all participants received participation certificates.



Students participate in intra-collegiate Throwball tournament

Claret Cup Inter-Collegiate Throw Ball Tournament 2023 Conducted

On 19 July 2023, the Sports Club organised the Claret Cup Intercollegiate Throw Ball Tournament for the women's category. The main objective of this event

was to promote sportsmanship and provide a platform for participants to showcase their talent in sports. BMSIT College emerged as the champion, securing the first position and St. Claret College achieved the second position. A total of 12 college teams representing Bangalore University

participated in the tournament. The tournament attracted the enthusiastic participation of 127 students who demonstrated their dedication and skills throughout the competition. As a gesture of appreciation for their hard work and commitment, certificates of participation were distributed to all the participants.

Intra-Class Pro Kabaddi Tournament 2023 Organised

On 22 July 2023, the Sports Club organised an Intra-Class Pro Kabaddi Tournament for students from different classes of the college. The main objective of this event was to promote physical fitness, sportsmanship, and teamwork among the students. It served as a platform for them to showcase their kabaddi skills and talent while also helping to identify and nurture potential kabaddi players. The tournament was exclusively held for the men's category. The first position was secured by 1 year B.Com A&B, while 3 year BBA secured the second position. During the competition, Likith from 3rd BBA was recognised as the best Rider, and Mohit V of 1st year Bcom A was selected as the best Defender. A total of 14 teams participated in the tournament.



Students participate in Kabaddi tournament

Sheshadripuram Institute of Management Studies Badminton Championship

Sheshadripuram Institute of Management Studies organised an Inter-collegiate Badminton Championship for all the students of various colleges in Bangalore. Students of St. Claret College participated in the event. Three boys and four girls were selected for Bangalore University and these students were also selected for the nationals.

HUMAN RIGHTS CLUB

Guest Lecture Organised

The Human Rights Club organised a Guest Lecture on the topic 'Role of Media in Protecting Human Rights' on 11 August 2023 via the Google Meet platform. The resource person for the guest lecture was Dr. Vishnu Achutha Menon, Research Director, Maitreya

Centre for Psychological Studies. A total of 31 students of the Human Rights Club attended the guest lecture.

LITERARY CLUB

A Creative Writing Workshop Conducted

A one-day creative writing workshop for the UG students was conducted on 05 July 2023, to introduce the students to the basics of writing and publishing fostering creative writing skills. The resource person for the workshop was Mr. Akhil P. Komban. The program gave the students an opportunity to delve into the technicalities of creative writing through brainstorming sessions, story-building and other group activities. The participants were also introduced to the different types of writing as well. The students were made to write a small draft of any creative writing based on their interests. The workshop helped the students expand their skills and taught them how to format their works to include plot lines, structure, character development and a narrative.

MUSIC CLUB

Musical Industrial Visit Organised

On 27 July 2023, the members of the St. Claret College Music Club organised a musical Industrial Visit to celebrate World Music Day. A total of 32 students were part of the educational trip. The purpose of the visit was to explore the rich history of music, instruments, and musicians, and to gain insights into the evolution of musical artistry. To help students to acquire musical knowledge and learn about the history of music and its genres.

WOMEN EMPOWERMENT CLUB

Guest Lecture Conducted

The Women Empowerment Club conducted a guest lecture on Cybersecurity on 14 August 2023 at the A.P.J. Abdul Kalam Auditorium. The resource person was Mr. Murthy D. H. R. and he spoke on cryptisation and forensics. The event was conducted to help the students understand the importance of using the Internet safely. The resource person spoke at large on the use of algorithms.

AMBEDKAR AND GANDHI STUDY CENTRE

Constitutional Awareness Lecture Organised

A constitutional awareness lecture was organised at St. Claret College on 27 July 2023, to educate students about the fundamental principles and significance of the constitution. The lecture provided students with insights into the legal and societal aspects of constitutional rights and responsibilities. The program enhanced knowledge of the Indian Constitution,

increased civic engagement, improved legal literacy, and empowered individuals for advocacy.

Extempore Competition Conducted

On 10 August 2023, the Gandhi and Ambedkar Study Center organised an



A Student showcase her speaking skill in extempore competition

exhilarating extempore competition that showcased the spontaneous speaking abilities of 15 enthusiastic participants. The event provided a platform for students to express their thoughts on diverse topics without prior preparation. Each participant was

randomly assigned a topic on the spot, leaving them with a brief window to gather their thoughts before stepping onto the stage. The topics spanned a wide spectrum, ranging from social issues and technology trends to historical events.

Essay Writing Competition Held

An essay writing competition on the topic of “Constitutional Rights” was held on 11 August 2023. The

participated in the outreach, aiming to make a positive difference in the lives of elderly residents. The activity encompassed a range of heartwarming interactions and services, including



Students participate in essay writing competition on the topic Constitutional Rights

event aimed to provide a platform for students to showcase their writing skills, critical thinking abilities, and understanding of constitutional rights. The competition attracted enthusiastic participation from a total of 15 students.

CHRISTIAN STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION

Outreach Activities Organised

On 11 August 2023, an outreach activity was organised by the Christian Students' Association (CSA) in collaboration with the National Cadet Corps (NCC) at the JMJ Old Age Home. A dedicated team of 12 students

companionship, storytelling, and games, which brought smiles and joy to the faces of the elderly residents. Furthermore, the students, along with the NCC volunteers, assisted in basic housekeeping tasks and provided essential supplies to the home. The event not only fostered a sense of compassion and empathy among the students but also strengthened the bonds between the CSA and NCC, demonstrating the power of collaboration for the betterment of the community.

ROTARACT CLUB

Health Awareness Program Organised

On 15 July 2023, the Rotaract Club of SCC organised a Health Awareness

Program at Lakkenahalli village, an adopted village under Unnat Bharath Abhiyan. Bringing awareness about health, and precautionary measures towards diseases like Dengue was the need of the hour in Lakkenahalli and hence the club members along with the Theatre Club organised a health awareness program. As part of the event the theatre club students enacted a street play to create awareness.

Blood Donation Camp Organized

On 05 August 2023, The Indian Red Cross, Rotary Jalahalli and Rotary Bluejay Karunadu organised a free blood donation camp on account of Founders' Day at Kaynes Technology India Limited. The Rotaract Club members of St. Claret College were invited to participate in the event. Two students Litesh and Om Prakash participated and donated blood at the event. The event created awareness among students about the importance of donating blood.



Students donate blood during the free blood donation camp

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY CELL

Orientation on Scholarships Organised

The Equal Opportunity Cell conducted an orientation session on Scholarship opportunities for all UG class mentors. The session primarily centred on enlightening UG class mentors about the various avenues of financial assistance through scholarships. This initiative is to help UG students by imparting thorough information about a range of scholarships and empowering students to take advantage of them.