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## Inauguration of Student Council And Release of “Voice of Hindustan”

The Inauguration of Student Council and the release of first issue “Voice of Hindustan”, a monthly Newsletter was held on 2nd August 2019. Mr. Venkatesh Kumar, Managing Director, Indian TV was invited as chief guest for the programme. Mr. Sachiddannada Moorthy, Chairman, DAV Public School & SVM PU College was invited as the guest of honour for the occasion. The formal inauguration was done by lighting the lamp. Ms. Dhanlakshmi R, Student Welfare Coordinator presented the report of Student Council selections. Dr. C. J. Priya, Principal in her address congratulated the student leaders and highlighted the importance of the role and responsibilities of student council. She urged the students to develop participatory power which is necessary for leadership and to take leadership with social responsibility.

The badges for the student council leaders were distributed which was followed by oath taking at office. Addressing the gathering, Mr. Sachiddannada Moorthy, stressed the importance of time management in our life. He advised the students to respect the teachers and congratulated the elected Student Council members. By quoting the examples of eminent politicians/ personalities like Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam, H.D. Devegowda, Abraham Lincoln, he advised the students to consider the failure as the first step towards success.

Mohammed Shakeel, III B.Com (President), Pooja C, III BCA (Vice President) Vishnu Priya, II B.Com (General Secretary), Pruthvik, I B.Com (Joint Secretary), Nagarjun, II BCA (Sports Secretary) and Chandrashekhar B, III B.Com (Cultural Secretary) were congratulated for being elected as Student Council members for the academic year 2019-20.

The first issue of the monthly newsletter, “Voice of Hindustan” which carries the achievements of students and contribution of staff was released by the dignitaries on the dais. Ms. Nagasri S, Chief Editor of the newsletter, in her address mentioned the importance of releasing the newsletter. She thanked the Editorial team members for their work commitment in making the dream of newsletter come true.

Ms. Meghana of I BBA and Mohammed Shakeel of III BCom introduced the guests to the gathering. Ms. Shakthi of III BCA welcomed the gathering. Sanjay Kumar. B.R. of III BBA, proposed vote of thanks. Ms. Namratha of III BCom was Master of Ceremony.



**Dr . K.C.G.'s corner**

*Recap: Dr. K.C.G. Verghese after securing second rank in SSLC Examination, wanted to continue his studies away from home, outside the state, where his mother had a strong belief that education outside the state could develop one's personality and father being liberal in the matter of education.*



Dr. K.C.G. Verghese remembers his day of departures, where his mother was weeping as he stepped out of the house and his father though a tough man, he too had tears in his eyes. Dr. K C G Verghese left home with a heavy heart and walked three and a half miles to catch the bus. He joined Catholocate College in Pathanamthitta for pursuing his Pre-University course, after completion of the course, he pursued his engineering

degree from a college at Machilipatnam in Andhra Pradesh.

One day in 1963, Dr. K C G Verghese heard that the then Prime Minister, Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru was to address a public meeting at Vijayawada the following day. He and his enthusiastic friends made up their mind to attend the program. The next day, they woke up early and set off at 4.00 a.m. on their bicycles determined to cover 100 km distance before the meeting commenced in the evening. Back then, there were no street lights and until sunrise their bicycles were bumped into the bullock carts and they fell down. They reached the destination in the afternoon. Prime Minister arrived late in the evening and Dr. KCG Verghese listened to his speech. In 1964, when Nehru expired, Dr. K C G Verghese was heavy on emotions remembering the legacy left behind by him. Nehru was not just a freedom fighter but a scholar, statesman and a beloved leader. This was what Dr. K C G Verghese

believed in. As the days passed, Dr. K C G Verghese began to pay attention in his studies and he became a student member of the Institution of Engineers. This was the largest body of engineers in Asia, with a history dating back to 1920. He realized that the Institution of Engineers could provide a forum for students to meet experts in every field. Hence he involved himself in all the activities of the local chapter. When K C G Verghese came to Chennai after his graduation in 1965, he was associated with Tamil Nadu State Centre, and with the help of few friends like P V B Satyadhanapathy, he initiated the first student chapter. He used to attend the national conventions and seminars and also sponsored some of the programs of the Institution. During 1996-98, Dr. K C G Verghese was the Chairman of the Tamil Nadu State Centre. In 1999, he was elected as National Vice President.

To be continued...

**Star of Hindustan**

As you all know the column Star of Hindustan is an attempt to introduce the multifaceted talents of the college, in our second issue of the newsletter, initiative has been taken to encourage the young achiever Mr. Hemanth, III BCA, Hindustan First Grade College, Mysuru. Mr. Hemanth has more interest towards software development and his journey towards the same began in his Pre-University days, where he realized his SWOC and he set his goal towards software field. As a result he started to put in extra practice every day and improved himself in the areas of coding, digital games and online research which became his hobbies

apart from his passion towards badminton.

Mr. Hemanth as a software developer has more knowledge in various programming knowledge i.e., C, C++, JAVA, JAVASCRIPT, Php, Python, C#. Being a student, Mr. Hemanth has a vision for the next five years in creating his own destiny to reach the destination of being a software developer in any product based company and most preferably the companies likes Amazon etc., He is of the view that most of the students memorise the stuff and this hampers their creativity and intellectual capacity, instead if one focus on understanding and questioning every small aspect, it will increase the chances of excelling this software field. According to him, every programming language is easy to learn and if an individual starts with python or C, he can learn every other programming languages quickly.

Mr. Hemanth recalls that he was not such an extra ordinary student during his school days and his aggregate in class ten was less than 50%. He faced lots of humiliation from relatives and finally he decided that he need to do something for which every body will be proud of him and then his interest towards software development started. He has developed software for Government Sub Registrar office like MUDA, developed retail billing application, hotel application etc., Mr. Hemanth also conducts week end classes for all the students of BCA, Hindustan First Grade College where teaches web designing for them. His message for the young aspirants who desires to make their carrier in the software field, says to make a daily constant efforts to succeed in their life.

## SPECIAL LECTURE ON THEME OF SOCIAL ISSUES IN THE NOVELS OF MULK RAJ ANAND AND R K NARAYAN

A special lecture on "Theme of social issues in the novels of Mulk Raj Anand and R.K.Narayan" was organized on 30th July 2019 for the students of III Semester B.Com and BCA. Dr. M. S. Palaksha, HOD & Associate Professor, Department of English, Maharani's Science College, Mysuru was invited as the resource



person.

The speaker gave an insight to the picture of India and the social issues that prevailed in the Indian Society during the independence era. He highlighted the contributions of Indian writers in English during 20th century and their contributions to English Literature. Students were briefed about the realistic and naturalistic writers. The contributions of Mulkraj Anand as a realistic writer and the significance of portraying the social issues prevailed - like caste system in his novels was highlighted during the lecture. The important incidents, scenes from the novel, Untouchable by Mulkraj Anand were quoted to stress the portrayal of casteism as

an evil practice and its harsh reality and effects on the lower class people. The character of Bakha, Lakha - the representatives of outcaste colony, the relationship between Lakha and his children, the pathetic situation of Sohini, the evil thoughts of Pandit Kali Nath, the helpless condition of Bakha, the influence of Mahatma Gandhiji,



Iqbal on Bakha were explained by narrating the incidents from the novel.

The speaker also spoke about the contributions of R. K. Narayan as a naturalistic writer. The characterization of various characters in the novel, The Financial Expert - like Margayya, Meenakshi, the influence of Dr. Pal in the life of Margayya and his son Balu, the concept of influence of money and the people struggling to achieve a good status in the society with the money etc were explained by narrating the incidents from the novel. Ms.Megha of III Sem BCA welcomed the gathering. The programme concluded with a thanking note from Ms.Nagasri S, Assistant Professor of English, HFGC.

## POOL CAMPUS DRIVE

A Pool Campus drive was organized by the college on July 30th. The students who had passed out in the academic year 2017, 2018 and 2019 had participated in the campus drive. The companies like HGS, AEGIS and 24.7(AI) hired the suitable candidates for various positions like Business Analyst, HR Analyst, Sales and Pre-sales Analyst, Relationship Manager/Executives, Business Development Trainee, Voice and Non-Customer Support Executives (International and Domestic).

Freshers as well as experienced candidates with BBA, BBM, B.Com, Diploma, MBA, B. Tech & M.Tech degree had participated in the drive. Mr. Eshwar E, Placement Coordinator, HFGC coordinated with the conduction of the programme.

## INVITATION AS A RESOURCE PERSON

On 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2019, Ms.



Nagasri, Assistant Professor, Department of English, HFGC was invited as a resource person by

JSS College of Arts, Commerce & Science, Nanjangud to deliver a special lecture on R K Narayan's – The Financial Expert novel for the benefit of second year B.Com students.

## Dr. SARVAPALLI RADHAKRISHNAN SHIKSHANA RATHNAAWARD



On 25th August 2019, Mr. Mohan Kumar L P, Physical Director, HFGC received "Dr. Sarvapalli Radhakrishnan Shikshana Rathna" award from Athmashree Kannada Samskrithika Prathistana, Bangalore. The award was presented for his achievements in Physical Education field.

## CYBER SECURITY & CONSUMER AWARENESS



On 21<sup>st</sup> August 2019, Mr. Jayanth D M (I BCA), Poorvik M (I BCA) and Bojamma N V (I BCA) had attended a One Day Workshop on "Cyber Security and Consumer Awareness" which was organized by St. Joseph's College for Women in association with Cyber peace Foundation & CSI, Mysore Chapter. The students, by attending the program, were able to gain knowledge about cyber security, how to reduce errors and save time, money and to enhance security.

## SADBHAVANA DIWAS

NSS unit, University of Mysore in association with Hindustan First Grade College, Mysuru and Nehru Yuva Kendra, Mysuru had celebrated Sadbhavana Diwas on August 20<sup>th</sup> 2019.



Ms. Manonmani, Associate Professor, Department of Human Science, Maharani's College of Arts & Science & Mr. Basavaraju, Social Worker were invited as guest for the programme. Celebrated on August 20<sup>th</sup> every year, Sadbhavan Diwas commemorates the memory of our late Prime Minister Rajiv Gandhi and the day is celebrated to mark the birth of our former Prime Minister.

The programme was presided by Dr. C. J Priya, Principal, HFGC and the program concluded with the distribution of sweets to all the students and staff.

## COLLEGE

College days are so much fun.  
A golden thread ready to spin  
Lecturers are always there.  
They teach us with passion and care.  
Wipe away our tear,  
Remove our fear.  
Be jolly and cheerful.  
Always don't be fearful.  
Don't try to run away.  
We will find our way,  
This would link to the Highway.

**Ms. Savi**  
I BCA



## CHEER MUST REPLACE FEAR

There is no individual in this world who has no fear. Everybody fears. The difference between successful person and the failure can be defined through 80-20 formula. The successful person has 80% faith and 20% fear and in the case of failure the numbers are reversed.

O dear, why do you live with so much fear?

Remember, to your goal, you are not near!

Your goal to others might look mere,  
But to you, it must be always dear.

What is there to fear?

Perhaps it makes you shed only tears,

All in all it forces you to drink beer,  
So, Give up fear and start to cheer.

Live your life in top gear,

For nasty opinions don't give your ear,

In the absence of fear, your goal seems to be an inch near,  
To you, your life should not be queer.

Fear will definitely make you shiver,

It produces unanimous trigger

In your mind, have a proper figure,  
Face your fears. My dear, face your fears.



**Mr. Mohammad Shakeel**  
III B.Com.

# 73<sup>rd</sup> INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION



The 73<sup>rd</sup> Independence Day was celebrated in our college on 15<sup>th</sup> August 2019. The flag was hoisted by the chief guest Captain K S Bharadwaj, Air Commodore (Retd), Chief Flight Instructor, Orient Flights Aviation Academy, Mysuru.

Ms. Harini (II B.Com) welcomed the gathering. The chief guest in his address stated that today the country

sees development in many forms, technology and infrastructure has transformed, the way we communicate has transformed and there are more opportunities for Indians where they are representative in many fields on global level. At the same time we see problems, discrimination, crime and violence. It is in the hands of the leaders of tomorrow to make

changes. Our trust with destiny may have ended with the British leaving our country to us, but there are many trusts that we come across. The chief guest advised students to understand the importance of commemoration of Independence day and how they can make changes in the world, for coming future



The students displayed their talents through various patriotic performances which included skit by the I year B.Com students namely, Mr. Damodar, Ms. Vachana, Mr. Basavaraju, Mr. Pratham, Mr. Ganesh, Ms. Ganana, Mr. Prajwal, Ms. Chelsiya and Mr. Abishek. Patriotic dance was performed by Ms. Surabi, Mr. Gowtham, Mr. Mallikarjun, Mr. Abhishek, Mr. Prajwal, Ms. Ashwini, Ms. Preethi, Ms. Hemashree, Ms. Shakthy and



Ms. Harshitha. Patriotic speech was delivered by Mr. Mohammed Shakeel (III B.Com), Ms. Meghana (II BCA) and Mr. Basavaraj (I B.Com) who filled the spirit of patriotism in their speech. Mr. Shakthy Shenoy (I B.Com) hosted and the programme concluded with a vote of thanks by Mr. Chandrasekhar (III B.Com) followed by National Anthem. Sweets were distributed to all the staff & students as a part of Independence day celebration.



# BOX CRICKET TOURNAMENT



Box Cricket Tournament was organized in our college on 27<sup>th</sup> July 2019. The staff and students of Hindustan First Grade College and Orient Flights Aviation Academy had taken an active participation in the event.

10 teams had participated with 7 players in each team. Teams from I B.Com, I BCA, II B.Com, III B.Com., III BCA, Orient Flights Aviation Academy students, HFGC staff, OFAA staff had participated in the event. The final match was held



between III BCA students and OFAA staff teams. The OFAA staff team secured the Winners place and III BCA students won the Runners place. Dr. C. J. Priya, Principal, HFGC distributed the cash prize to the Winners and Runners and congratulated their active participation and achievement. The entire event was effectively planned and organized by the III B.Com & III BCA students with the support of Mr. Mohan Kumar L P, Physical Director, HFGC, Mysuru.



## WON GOLD MEDAL IN 2000 MTS STEEPLE CHASE AND SELECTED FOR NATIONAL LEVEL



Mr. Damodar, I B.Com participated and **won GOLD MEDAL in District Level 1500 meters running event** which was held at Chamundi Vihar Stadium, Mysuru on 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> August 2019. He was selected for State Level Athletic Meet at Udupi.

On 24<sup>th</sup> August 2019, Mr. Damodar took an active participation in Karnataka State Inter



District Athletic event held at Udupi, won **GOLD MEDAL in 2000 meters steeple chase event and his record was 6:37:56.**

He is now qualified to represent our college for National Level Athletics. The Management, Staff and Students of HFGC wishes him all the very best towards his participation in National Level Athletics.

## Calender of Events for September 2019

- Sept 5 - Teacher's Day
- Sept 6 - Airport visit for BBA Aviation Management students.
- Sept 12 - Onam Celebration
- Sept 14 - Dental camp from NSS unit.
- Sept 17 - Mysore City Inter Collegiate Throw Ball Tournament for Men.
- Cultural Performance by HFGC students for YUVA SAMBRAMA at Open Air Theatre, Manasa Gangotri.
- Sept 20 - One day Work shop on Consumer Protection & Awareness
- Sept 23 to Sept 25 - II Internal Assessment Exam
- Sept 26 - Industrial visit for B.Com & BBA students.
- Sept 30 - State Level One Day Workshop on Art of Sewing from the Dept. of Fashion Design.

# ONE DAY WORKSHOP ON HARDWARE COMPONENTS



A One day Workshop on “**Hardware Components**” was organized by the Department of Computer Science on 20/08/2019.

Mr. Venkatachala V, Technical Trainer, and Mr. Dhananjay, System Administrator, QDP Technologies Training Division, Mysore, were invited as resource persons.

The workshop was conducted in

two sessions. In the first session Mr. Venkatachala V explained the hardware components of a system such as Mother board, SMPS, SATA, LAN Crimper.

He gave information about how to install LAN connection. In the second session they had hands on experience where Mr. Venkatachala V and Mr. Dhananjay discussed on the

importance of BIOS.

Also they had given a live demo on how to assemble and disassemble the system and detailed explanation on how to format the system and installation of an Operating system was given. Principal Dr. C. J. Priya, Program Co-ordinator Ms. Savitha, staff and students of BCA department were present for the program.

## BLOOD DONATION CAMP



Blood donation is among the highest service one can render to humanity. With this thought, a voluntary blood donation camp was conducted in our college on 21st August 2019. The blood donation camp was organized by the Y's men club of Mysuru Chamundi & NSS unit of HFGC in association with Jeevadhara Blood Bank, Mysuru. Mr. Mohammad Shakeel, III B.Com welcomed the gathering. The guest of the programme, Dr. Kiran, Blood Bank Officer created awareness among the students about the benefits of blood donation and

the eligibility criteria for donating blood. Dr. C. J. Priya, Principal in



her address highlighted the safety of blood donation. She explained the importance of blood donation as it is an active way of helping others and the whole of society. The activity of

blood donation was started by the staff and NSS volunteers, thereafter other donors joined the event. There was an overwhelming response from the staff, students, general public and a total of 42 units were collected in the camp. A certificate of appreciation, donation card, refreshments were given to each donor as a token of gratitude.



# INAUGURATION OF NSS UNIT



The NSS unit of our college was inaugurated on 21<sup>st</sup> August 2019. The NSS unit of our college aims at developing the student's personality through community service. The overall objective of NSS is educational and the objective is achieved through the service to the community.

NSS unit was inaugurated by Dr. B. Chandrashekhara, NSS Co-ordinator, University of Mysore, Mysuru. The guest in his speech

made the NSS volunteers aware the need to work for the progress of the nation. He emphasized the significance of NSS unit and its motto "Not Me But You". Dr. C. J. Priya, Principal in her presidential address insisted the students to be socially active and responsible person and they can be able to stand up different among the crowd. Further she advised the students to learn the skills and qualities like leadership and teamwork among

people with different streams and also informed the students about assuming social and civic responsibilities and carrying them out fruitfully. Ajay M, NSS Co-ordinator briefed the proposed list of activities to be undertaken for the academic year 2019-20. The chief guest Dr. Chandrasekhara B was honored by Mr. Abel Mathew Prasad, Special Officer. The programme concluded with the vote of thanks by Ms. Harini, II B.Com.

## TALENTS' DAY

"All of us may not have equal talent but all of us have equal opportunities to develop our talent", said Dr A.P.J. Abdul Kalam, with this thought in mind, Talents' Day was organised for our students on 30th August, 2019. The students exhibited their hidden potential and they got an opportunity to showcase their talent and to appreciate the unique talent in others. It was an extravaganza of creativity, artistic and cultural talents.

