

ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE, PATHANAPURAM
POST GRADUATE & RESEARCH DEPARTMENT OF ZOOLOGY
ANNUAL REPORT 2023-2024

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1. World Environment Day Celebrations -2023 (05-06-2023)

Post Graduate & Research Department of Zoology, St. Stephen's College, Pathanapuram organized World Environment Day Programme (WED- 2023), on 5th June in the Zoology Lab. Main aim of the programme was to give awareness to the students about the need and importance of conserving nature and natural resources. Ms. Vrindha G from II M.Sc. delivered a talk on the topic '**Beat Plastic Pollution**'. Ms. Shalu Varghese (I M.Sc., Zoology) welcomed the gathering. Dr. Pournami P, Co-ordinator & Assistant Professor, presided over the meeting. Dr. Sreejai R, Ms. Chinchu Mathew, Assistant Professors felicitated the meeting. Mr. Suraj S Nair (I B.Sc., Zoology) proposed the vote of thanks.

2. Orientation Programme 2023-26 UG Batch (24-07-2023)

An orientation program was arranged for UG freshers on 24/07/ 2023 in the department. Dr. Pournami P, (Assistant Professors) presided the meeting, Ms. Chinchu Mathew (Assistant Professors) and Dr. Jayson Jacob Varghese (Assistant Professor in Contract) felicitated the meeting. The meeting discussed scopes and various job opportunities of the B.Sc. Zoology course.

3. Send off Meeting M.Sc. Zoology 2021-23 Batch (02-08-2023)

The Ist M.Sc. students arranged a farewell meeting to II M.Sc., Zoology students on 02/08/2023. The programme was presided by Mr. Roy John, Principal, St. Stephen's College. Dr. Biju A (HoD, Zoology), Dr. Pournami P, Dr. Sreejai R, Ms. Chinchu Mathew (Assistant Professors) and Dr. Jayson Jacob Varghese (Assistant Professor in Contract) felicitated the meeting. Ms. Vrindha G, Ms. Anjumole S and Ms. Ashima Shanavas (II M.Sc., Zoology) shared their experiences. Ms. Shalu Varghese (I M.Sc., Zoology) gave a vote of thanks.

4. Stephani Zoology Alumni Meet (2018 Batch) (18-08-2023)

The Department of Zoology had organized the Stephani Zoology Alumni meet on 18/08/2023 (Saturday) in the Zoology lab. The alumni meet is conducted in order to reconnect with the Alumni and celebrate their success and various achievements. Old students from B.Sc. Zoology 2018-21 batch attended the meet and interacted with their teachers. The alumni started

assembling in college by 2.00 pm and they were received by the college team and were taken on a campus tour where they revisited the familiar place where they had studied. The alumni meet started with a prayer song by Shanima S Shaji. Mr. David C Alex welcomed the dignitaries and all the alumni. Dr. Biju A, Head of the Department gave the presidential address. Dr. Sreejai R addressed the gathering. Vote of thanks proposed by Sughandi S. All the alumni share their experiences and happiness in the meet.

5. Onam Celebration (23-08-2023)

The Zoology Association came together to celebrate Onam on 23.8.2023. The programme started with a prayer song followed by a warm welcome from Dr. Pournami. P, Dr. Biju A, HOD of the department presided over the meeting. Mr. Roy John, Principal gave the Onam message. Onakkodi was given to one kid on this occasion. The meeting was felicitated by Dr. Sreejai R, Ms. Chinchu Mathew and Dr. Jaison Jacob Varghese. Ms. Preethika M S, 1st M.Sc., Zoology extended vote of thanks. Various programmes like Athapookalam, Onam songs, Thiruvathirakali, Vanchipattu, Tug of war etc. were conducted generally in the college in which the students from the Zoology department participated with lot of enthusiasm and the association won prize in Tug of war competition.

6. Wildlife week Celebration (02-10-2023)

The PG and Research Department of Zoology, St. Stephen's College, Pathanapuram in association with IQAC organized a Quiz Competition and Essay Competition in connection with the celebration of wild life week 2023 on 10th October 2023 at 11.30 am in the College seminar hall. Dr. Pournami P, Assistant. Prof. welcomed the gathering. The theme of the programme was "Time to stand up for wild life". All the students from the Zoology department participated in the meeting. 8 teams from various departments participated in the quiz competition and the result is as follows.

1st prize -Maths department, 2nd prize-Chemistry dept., 3rd prize -Zoology department. The essay competition winners were Ms. Athira M. (III B.Sc. Zoology) gave a vote of thanks.

7. World Food Day Celebration (16-10-2023)

The PG and Research Department of Zoology St. Stephen's College, Pathanapuram in association with IQAC organised a Seminar on world food day on 16th October 2023 Monday at 11.30 am in the Late Rev. Fr. Denaha Mathew Seminar hall. The theme of the Seminar was "Millets - the nutri cereals". This Seminar was arranged in connection with the international year of millets declared by the UN. As the UN declaration was with the aim to create awareness and increase the production and consumption of millets, the Department of Zoology took initiative to promote the significance of millets among the students. It was in view of creating interest and information in the students for including millets in their diet towards a healthy living. The function began with a prayer followed by welcoming the gathering through the words of welcome by Assistant Professor, Dr. Pournami P. Later the Seminar paper was presented by Mr. Amal A of IInd M.Sc. Zoology. Sr. Neethu N P from IInd M.Sc. Zoology Proposed the vote of thanks and it came to an end at 12:30 pm.

8. Kerala Piravi Celebration (01-11-2023)

The 67th Kerala Piravi Day was celebrated by the Department of Zoology St. Stephen's College, Pathanapuram, on 1st November 2023. The programme started at 11.30 am. Faculty members, Dr. Biju A, Dr. Pournami P, Dr. R Sreejai, Ms. Chinchu Mathew, Dr. Jayson Jacob Varghese, Dr. Bettina P Alex felicitated the programme. Ms. Karthika Raj presented a speech about the history of Kerala. Ms. NandanaRajendran& team sung a beautiful Kerala piravi song. Kerala special food 'Ilayappam' were provided. Ms. Malavika G and Revathi R S conducted entertainment games like memory test and Damsharads. Teachers also participated along with the students. Dr. Pournami P becomes the winner of the memory test. Three groups participated in Dumsharads. Among them, Ms. VrindaVijayan's team and Ms. Chinchu Mathew's team became the winners. The programme paved the way to remember and honor our mother tongue and mother land. Class representative Mr. AmalJayan proposed the vote of thanks and it came to an end at 12.30 pm.

9. Zoology Association Inauguration and one day seminar on Scope of Life Science: Current Scenario and Future prospects (06-11-2023)

The department of Zoology, St Stephen's College, Pathanapuram in association with IQAC inaugurated the departmental association program on 6th November 2023 Monday at 10.00am in the Aprem Ramban seminar hall. The program began with a prayer song by Alfina S (III DC Zoology). Dr. Biju A, Head of Department welcomed the gathering. Mr. Roy John, the Principal delivered the presidential address. He highlighted the achievements of the department and its role in the growth of the College. Mr R. C. Arun, Range Forest Officer, Kulathoopuzha inaugurated the association program and addressed the gathering. He highlighted the importance of our biodiversity, Eco restoration etc. also he enlightened the students about various opportunities after the degree courses. He suggested planting a tree as a memory of this program, with the presence of Principal, teachers & students the Chief Guest, Mr. R.C. Arun planted a tree. Rev. Fr. (Dr). Roy John, Head of the department, Botany & Governing body member, the faculty members of the department Dr. R Sreejai, Ms. Chinchu Mathew, Dr. Jaison Jacob Varghese, Dr. Bettina P Alex were felicitated the program. Ms. Niji Joseph, Research Scholar addressed the students about myristica swamp. Dr. Pournami P, Assistant Professor proposed a vote of thanks to the gathering. The first section of the program came to an end with the National Anthem at 1.00 pm.

The second session was a fresher's party. It began at 2.00 pm after the lunch in late Rev. Fr. Denaha Mathew. It was the day where seniors and juniors finally bond and unite to celebrate being part of the college. The program was filled with excitement, joy, music, enthusiasm, laughter and happiness. The event is an indication of union among the students and it came to an end at 3.30 pm.

10. Fresher's Day Celebration –PG 2023 (12/11/2023)

'Razmatazz 2k23', a welcome event for first-year M.Sc. Zoology students was held on November 12, 2023. The event was meticulously organized by the second-year M.Sc. Zoology students. The programme commenced with the Lord's Prayer. Dr. Pournami P, Association in charge presided over the meeting. Ms. Chinchu Mathew, the class teacher of the second year M.Sc. class extended the welcome. Dr. Sreejai R, Dr. Sinu J Varghese and Dr. Bettina P. Alex,

then took turns extending the felicitations. Dr. Sreejai R recited a poem adding a touch of elegance to the proceedings. A melodious song by II PG student, Ms. Athira M captivated the audience. The formalities concluded with the vote of thanks by II PG student, Sister Neethu N P (II PG).

In the afternoon session, the first-year students presented various programs under the guidance of their seniors from the second year, enriching the overall experience of the Fresher's Day celebration. The event provided a platform for the incoming M.Sc. Zoology students to be introduced to the department's faculty, senior students, and the vibrant academic atmosphere of St. Stephen's College, Pathanapuram. 'Razmatazz2k23' successfully fostered a sense of community and camaraderie among the students and faculty, marking a promising beginning to the academic year.

11. World Diabetes Day Celebration (14-11-2023)

The PG and Research Department of Zoology, St. Stephen's College, Pathanapuram in association with IQAC organized a seminar on World Diabetes Day on 14th November 2023 Tuesday at 10.45 am at the Late Rev. Fr. Denaha Mathew seminar hall. The theme of the seminar was about Diabetes. This seminar was arranged in connection with the aim to create awareness about the different types of Diabetes, how to prevent diabetes and the diagnosis stages of diabetes etc. The department of Zoology took initiative to promote awareness about diabetes among the students. It was in view of creating interesting and informative for students. The function began with a prayer followed by welcoming and the gathering through the words of welcome by Assistant. Professor, Dr. Pournami P. The seminar paper was presented by Mrs. Fousia R of 3rd year B.Sc. Zoology. Vote of thanks extended by Ms. Sreedevi Sunil.

Association Report of the association inauguration program & the freshers day program.

12. Field visit – Neendakara, Munroe Island (18-11-2023)

On November 18, 2023, travelled to Kollam Neendakara fish harbour with the intention of collecting fishes for the M.Sc. Zoology practical needs. Thirteen students and teachers Dr. Biju A, Dr. Pournami P, Dr. Jaison Jacob Varghese and staff Mr. Priju P started the journey from the

college at 6:30 am. Arrived Neendakara fish harbor at 8:30 am, then collected Prawns, Etroplus, Crabs, Narcine and other species needed for practical needs. After fish collection, went on a field trip to Kollam Sambranikkodi Island and learned about the mangrove forests. Reached back to college at 4 pm.

13. Blood Donation Camp (28-11-2023)

The Department of Zoology, St. Stephen's College, in collaboration with Mount Zion Medical College Hospital, Chayalode, Pathanamthitta, organized a blood donation camp on November 28, 2023. The event aimed to promote awareness about the importance of blood donation and to encourage voluntary blood donation among students and faculty members.

Additionally, the event aimed to educate participants about the significance of regular blood donation in sustaining the blood supply for medical emergencies. The event commenced at 10:00 AM with the registration of donors. Volunteers from the Department of Zoology efficiently managed the registration process, ensuring smooth coordination. The official meeting was chaired by Dr. Pournami P and Dr. took a class on the importance of blood donation. Donors underwent a thorough medical screening conducted by qualified medical professionals from Mount Zion Medical College Hospital. This screening ensured the eligibility of donors and guaranteed the safety of both donors and recipients. The medical staff collected blood units from willing donors in a hygienic and sterile environment, adhering to strict medical protocols. After donating blood, donors were provided with refreshments and advised to rest for a short period. This ensured their well-being and helped them recover from the donation process. Comprehensive documentation of the blood donation process, including donor details and blood units collected, was meticulously maintained by the organizing committee for record-keeping purposes.

The blood donation camp witnessed enthusiastic participation from students, and faculty of St. Stephen's College. A significant number of blood units were collected, contributing to the blood bank of Mount Zion Medical College Hospital. The blood donation camp was a success. Through collective efforts, the event not only collected essential blood units but also instilled a sense of community service among the participants. The organizing committee extends heartfelt gratitude to Mount Zion Medical College Hospital for their invaluable support and cooperation in making the blood donation camp a success. Special thanks to all the donors, volunteers, and

participants who contributed to the noble cause and helped make a difference in the lives of those in need.

14. AIDS Day Celebration (01-12-2023)

On the occasion of World AIDS Day, students from the Department of Zoology at St. Stephen's College, Pathanapuram, organized a comprehensive campaign aimed at raising awareness about HIV/AIDS among the student body. The campaign was planned and executed with the objective of educating and sensitizing students towards the challenges posed by this global health issue. The campaign commenced with informative sessions conducted in various classrooms across the college campus. Through presentations, discussions, and interactive activities, students were provided with essential information about HIV/AIDS, including its transmission, prevention, treatment, and the importance of destigmatizing the disease. As a symbolic gesture, a tree was planted on the college grounds to commemorate World AIDS Day. The tree serves as a lasting reminder of the ongoing fight against HIV/AIDS and symbolizes hope, resilience, and solidarity in the global effort to combat the disease.

15. Christmas Celebration (22-12-2023)

The Department of Zoology, St. Stephen's College, Pathanapuram, organized a vibrant and joyous celebration to commemorate the festive spirit of Christmas. The event aimed to foster companionship among students, faculty, and staff while spreading the message of love and unity. The department was adorned with festive decorations, including Christmas trees, lights, and ornaments, Pulkoodu creating a warm and welcoming atmosphere for all attendees. Carol Singing: Students came together to sing traditional Christmas carols, spreading cheer and invoking the spirit of the season. The celebration featured various cultural performances, including dance routines, skits, and musical performances, showcasing the talents of students and faculty members. Traditional Christmas delicacies allowing everyone to indulge in the joy of good fellowship. The Christmas Message emphasized the importance of inclusivity and diversity, welcoming individuals from all backgrounds and faiths to join in the festivities. It served as a reminder of the values of compassion, understanding, and acceptance. The Christmas celebration

by the Department of Zoology at St. Stephen's College, Pathanapuram, left a lasting impression of warmth and camaraderie.

16. Webinar on Medical Decoding Hospital Management (15-01-2024)

A Webinar on Medical Decoding Hospital Management was organized by Department of Zoology, HRDC Cell, St. Stephen's College, Pathanapuram, in collaboration with AVODHA Education Group on 15th January 2024. The webinar on Medical Decoding Hospital Management aimed to provide insights into the intricacies of managing hospitals efficiently, particularly focusing on the role of technology and data analytics in optimizing healthcare services. Ms. Gopika, from AVODHA Education Group, an expert in healthcare management and technology was the Resource Person and Dr. Pournami P, Assistant Professor in Zoology was the coordinator of the webinar. Ms. Gopika commenced the session by providing an overview of hospital management, highlighting its significance in delivering quality healthcare services. The webinar delved into the concept of medical decoding, elucidating its importance in deciphering medical records, coding procedures, and ensuring accurate documentation. Ms. Gopika explained how effective medical coding leads to streamlined operations and facilitates insurance claims processing. Ms. Gopika elucidated the significance of data analytics in healthcare management. The webinar included an interactive Q&A session, where students had the opportunity to engage with the speaker, seek clarification on concepts, and share their experiences and perspectives.

17. PTA Meeting (01-02-2024)

The Parent-Teacher Association (PTA) meeting for the Department of Zoology at St. Stephen's College, Pathanapuram, held on February 1, 2024, aimed to discuss various aspects concerning the academic progress, result analysis, study tour arrangements, and other relevant matters pertaining to the students. The meeting commenced with a warm welcome speech by Dr. Pournami P, the class in charge and Dr. Biju A, the Head of Department of Zoology, delivered the presidential address, Dr. Sreejai R, Ms. Chinchu Mathew and Dr. Jaison Jacob Varghese emphasizing the importance of academic excellence. The meeting starts by the class comprehensive analysis of the academic performance of the DC (Degree Course) students. Detailed discussions were held regarding individual student progress, identifying strengths, weaknesses, and areas for improvement. Strategies to support students in enhancing their

academic performance were also deliberated upon. The PTA meeting addressed arrangements for an upcoming study tour. Parents provided valuable inputs regarding safety measures for the study tour. Discussions centered on the welfare and well-being of students, including mental health support services, academic counseling, and career guidance.

18. Study Tour B.Sc. – Ooty, Wayanad (06 to 10/02/2023)

As a part of B.Sc. Zoology Curriculum, educational study tour was organized by the P.G. & Research Department of Zoology, St. Stephen's College, Pathanapuram to Ooty and Wayanad, from 06.02.2024 to 10.02.2024 for final year B.Sc. Zoology students. A group of 24 students were accompanied by Dr.Pournami P and Dr. Sreejai R, Assistant Professors & Mr. Priju P., Lab Assistant of Zoology Department. The major objective of the study tour was to familiarize the students with the fauna and ecology of the region. During the journey the students engaged in various activities aimed at understanding biodiversity and ecosystem dynamics. Through identification of different groups of organisms, immersion in forest ecosystems, exploration of wetlands and photography, students gained valuable insights into the intricate web of life and the challenges it faces. The study tour effectively merged theoretical concepts of Zoology with practical exposure, providing students with hands-on experience in identifying organisms and understanding ecosystem dynamics.

The educational study tour to Ooty and Wayanad was a fruitful endeavour, enriching the student's knowledge and fostering a deeper appreciation for the relationship between organisms and their environment. It provided a platform for experiential learning, complementing the theoretical aspects of the Zoology curriculum.

19. Interdepartmental Quiz Competition (26-02-2024)

The Department of Zoology at St. Stephen's College organized the annual H. G. Joseph Mar Dionysius Inter-Departmental Quiz Competition on February 26, 2024, commencing at 11:15 am. Dr. Pournami P, the coordinator, extended a warm welcome to the audience. The event, organized by the Department of Zoology, witnessed enthusiastic participation from students across various departments. The event was graced by the presence of instructors, including Ms. Chinchu Mathew, Dr. Sreejai R, Dr. Sinu J Varghese, and Dr. Jaison Jacob

Varghese. Dr. Jaison Jacob Varghese, serving as the quiz master, commenced the competition, which saw the participation of two students from each of the following departments: Physics, Botany, Zoology, Economics, Chemistry, Maths, English and Commerce. The competition witnessed fierce yet friendly competition, with teams displaying their knowledge and quick thinking abilities. Ultimately, the Zoology team emerged victorious, securing first place with forty points. The Chemistry team secured the second position with thirty points, closely followed by the Commerce team in third place with twenty-five points. Concluding the event, Jason Sir, the quiz master, expressed gratitude to all participants and attendees for making the event a success.

20. Field Visit (II M.Sc.)- Pambadumshola National Park (02-03-2024)

Field trip involving M.Sc. Zoology students of academic year 2022 - 2024 was held on March 01 2024. The group including 13 students, teachers Ms.Chinchu Mathew, Dr. Jaison Jacob Varghese and the non-teaching staff, Mr.Priju P started the journey on March 01 at 7 pm. On March 02 reached Adimali at 4 am, after fresh up visited Vagavaurrai waterfalls at 10 am. Then reached Vattavada Pampadumshola National Park at 4 pm and attended a class based on the topic 'Importance of National Parks and Nature Camp' under the guidance of Forest Range Officer Mr. Arun. On March 03 at 9:30 am went trekking to the forest in Pampadumshola and learned about the different types of plants and animals in the forest. In the evening, visited Vattavada strawberry orchard and carrot orchard and learned about its cultivation methods. Returned to college at 4:30 am on March 04.

21. Celebration of World Forest Day (21-03-2024)

On the occasion of World Forest Day, The Department of Zoology in association with Birds Club International, St. Stephen's College organized a vibrant and engaging poetry competition to raise awareness about the importance of forests and sustainable environmental practices. The event, held in the Zoology lab. The competition began with an opening address by Dr. Sreejai R, highlighting the significance of World Forest Day and the urgent need for collective action to protect our forests. The meeting presided by Dr. Pournami P, emphasizing the crucial role of forests in maintaining ecological balance and combating climate change, the

speakers set the tone for an enlightening and inspiring event. Participants presented their original compositions, each reflecting a unique perspective on the theme of forests and their conservation. Through vivid imagery and evocative language, the poets conveyed the beauty, diversity, and fragility of the world's forests, urging the audience to appreciate and safeguard these invaluable ecosystems. The event concluded with a vote of thanks proposed by Ms. Bijina S. Overall, the World Forest Day poetry competition served as a powerful platform for fostering environmental consciousness and inspiring meaningful action towards forest conservation. Through the medium of poetry, participants demonstrated the power of art to ignite change and promote sustainable living in harmony with nature.

22. Charity (Binchu & Aparna S) 25-03-2024

The Department of Zoology at St. Stephen's College, Pathanapuram, has undertaken charitable initiatives to support two members of its community, Mrs. Binchu S, an alumna of the department, and Ms. Aparna B, a current third-year student. The assistance provided aimed to help Mrs. Binchu's husband's medical treatment and Ms. Aparna B's house renovation. Ms. Binchu as an alumna of the Department of Zoology, found herself in a challenging situation with her husband's medical treatment. The financial burden associated with medical expenses prompted the department to extend its support. Ms. Aparna B faced difficulties in renovating her house, which required immediate attention. Recognizing her need, the department decided to assist her in this regard. The Department of Zoology, in collaboration with the College staff, took initiatives to support Ms. Binchu and Ms. Aparna B. A fundraising movement was organized within the college community to collect funds for both cases. Faculty members were approached for contributions. The total sum allocated towards the charitable causes amounts to rupees 45,150, with rupees 22,000 directed towards Ms. Binchu's husband's treatment and rupees 23,150 designated for Ms. Aparna B's house renovation. The charitable initiatives undertaken by the Department of Zoology, St. Stephen's College, Pathanapuram exemplifies the spirit of compassion and solidarity within the academic community.

23. Valedictory function (26-03-2024)

The Post Graduate and Research Department of Zoology at St. Stephen's College, Pathanapuram, hosted its Zoology Association Valedictory Function in the Seminar Hall on 26th

of March, 2024. The event marked a celebration of academic achievements, reflection on memories, honoring the retired teachers and the passing of the torch to the next generation of scholars.

The event commenced with a serene prayer song sung by Ms. Alfina S, followed by a warm welcome speech by Dr. Pournami P, the Association in charge, and Assistant Professor of Zoology. Dr. Biju A, the Head of Department of Zoology, delivered the presidential address, emphasizing the importance of academic excellence and community within the department. Dr. Blessy John, the Principal in charge, extended her remarks, highlighting the significance of such gatherings in fostering a spirit of camaraderie and scholarship. Mr. Adith S Babu, association secretary, eloquently summarized and presented the report regarding the achievements and activities of the Zoology Association throughout the academic year. Distinguished guests, including Prof. Mariamma Philip, Prof. Susamma Joseph, Dr. Joseph Mathai, Dr. NeenaSuzzan Joshua, Dr. Koshy PM, retired faculties of the department and Rev. Fr. Roy John, Head of the Department of Botany, graced the occasion with their felicitations, commending the efforts and achievements of the students and faculty. Mrs. Fousia R, representative of III B.Sc. Zoology, shared heartfelt memories of their academic journey, reflecting on the nurturing environment and impactful experiences provided by the department.

A special segment was dedicated to honoring the retired teachers who have dedicated their time and expertise to nurture the students. Their dedication and guidance were acknowledged with deep gratitude from the entire department. Outstanding achievements were recognized and celebrated through the distribution of prizes, motivating students to strive for excellence in their academic pursuits. The symbolic passing of the torch from seniors to juniors marked a transition of responsibility and leadership within the Zoology Association, signifying continuity and growth within the department.

The event concluded with the rendition of the National Anthem, followed by a vibrant Cultural Programme showcasing the diverse talents of the students. The Zoology Association Valedictory Function not only celebrated academic achievements but also fostered a sense of belonging and community among the students and faculty, leaving a lasting impact on all attendees.

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ASSOCIATION INAUGURATION
 &
One Day Seminar

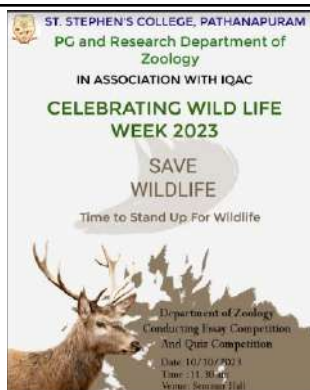
Year: Summer 2023 06/11/2023

PROGRAMME	
Invited Guest	Mr. Abbas (IIT DC, Coimbatore)
Welcomes (Guest)	Dr. Ripa A (IITDC, Dept. of Zoology)
Invocation Address	Mr. Rev. Fr. John (Pattazhy)
Inauguration & Remarks Address	Mr. S. C. Arav (State Farm Officer, Kollam/Coimbatore)
Participants	Rev. Fr. (Dr.) Roy John (Vice-Chancellor, Malabar & Head, Dept. of Botany)
	Dr. E. Sangeetha (Asst. Professor, Dept. of Zoology, St. Stephen's College, Pattazhy)
	Mr. Chacko Mathew (Asst. Professor, Dept. of Zoology, St. Stephen's College, Pattazhy)
	Dr. Rama Jeeva Varma (Asst. Professor in Charge, Dept. of Zoology, St. Stephen's College, Pattazhy)
	Dr. Reshma F Aishwarya (Asst. Professor in Charge, Dept. of Zoology, St. Stephen's College, Pattazhy)
Vote of Thanks	Dr. Poornima P (Asst. Professor, Dept. of Zoology, St. Stephen's College, Pattazhy)
Formal Address	

Teacher's Day Celebration (05-09-2023)



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Zoology Association Inauguration (06-11-2023)

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PG and Research Department of Zoology
IN ASSOCIATION WITH IQAC
ZOOLOGY ASSOCIATION INAUGURATION 2023
&
ONE DAY SEMINAR
CHIEF GUEST



Mr. R.C. Ann,
Range Forest Officer
Kodaikanal

Date: 6th November 2023, Time: 10 am
Venue: Seminar Hall

Mr. Roy John Principal Dr. Biju A HOD Dr. Pournami P Association in Charge

Field Visit – Neendakara, Munroe Island (18-11-2023)





Blood Donation Camp (28-11-2023)



ST STEPHEN'S COLLEGE PATHANAPURAM
14 (K) BN NCC PATHANAMTHITTA

75th NCC DAY CELEBRATION
NATIONAL CADET CORPS
&
PG & Research Department of Zoology
organizes

In Association with
MOUNT ZION MEDICAL COLLEGE HOSPITAL, ADOOR
28 NOV 2023

Venue :- Zoology Lab, ST STEPHEN'S COLLEGE

Principal Mr. Roy John	ANO Lt. (Dr.) Suresh C. D	Head Zoology Dr. Biju A	SUG ADARSH S PILLAI
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AIDS Day Celebration (01-12-2023)



ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE, PATHANAPURAM PG & RESEARCH DEPARTMENT OF ZOOLOGY

Venue: IInd M.Sc. Zoology lecture hall
Date: 11th December 2023, Monday
Time: 10:30 am

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Program

Prayer song	: Shalu Varghese (2 nd M.Sc Student)
Welcome Speech	: Ms. Chinchi Mathew (Assistant Professor)
Presidential Address	: Dr. Biju A (Head of the Department)
Felicitation	: Dr. Pournami P (In charge of Zoology Association) : Dr. Sreejai R (Assistant Professor) : Dr. Jaison Jacob Varghese (Assistant Professor) : Dr. Simi J Varghese (Assistant Professor) : Dr. Bettina P Alex (Assistant Professor)
Solo Song	: Athira S (2 nd M.Sc Student)
Vote of Thanks	: Sr. Neethu N P (2 nd M.Sc Student)

Christmas Celebration (22-12-2023)



Webinar on Medical Decoding Hospital Management (15-01-2024)

15TH JANUARY 2024
 07:00 PM TO 08:30 PM

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Quiz master
Dr. Jayson Jacob Varghese
Assistant Professor
Dept. of Zoology
St. Stephen's College, Pathanapuram

Date: 26/02/24
Time: 11.15 am
Venue: Late Rev. Fr. Denaha Mathew Seminar Hall

Principal Mr Roy John	HoD Dr Biju A	Coordinator Dr Pournami P
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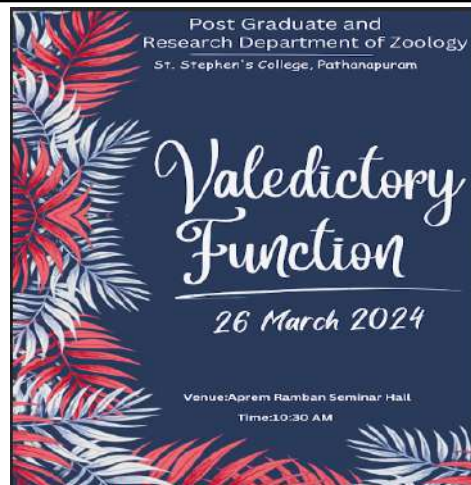
Field Visit (II M.Sc.)- Pambadumshola National Park (02-03-2024)



Charity (Binchu & Aparna S) (25-03-2024)



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