

**LAKSHMI COLLEGE OF EDUCATION**  
**GANDHIGRAM**  
**50<sup>TH</sup> COLLEGE DAY REPORT**  
**26-04-2018**

The esteemed Chief Guest of the day Dr. T.G.Vinay, District collector, Dindigul, Beloved Amma Dr.R.Kousalyadevi, Respected Shri K.Shivakumar Anna, Secretary of Lakshmi College of Education & Gandhigram Trust and other distinguished guests, alumni, parents, staff members and my dear young and energetic student-teachers having new dreams, new hopes and new aspirations to achieve new horizons in the teaching profession, I extend a very warm welcome to each one of you here.

Lakshmi College of Education was started in the year 1967 with a vision to develop professionally competent, self actualized teachers with commitment to Gandhian values and with the mission to provide quality teacher education through developing professionally devoted, socially committed, ethically upright, rurally oriented and physically sound teachers.

On the occasion of the 50<sup>th</sup> College Day, it is my privilege to present before you a brief report about the achievements and activities of our college in realizing the Vision and Mission of our Founders during the academic years 2017-18.

### **ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES**

We are glad to inform you that 99% of the students of batch 2015-17 passed in the Second year B.Ed degree Examination and 96% of the 16-18 batch in the First year B.Ed Degree examination of Tamil Nadu Teachers Education University, Chennai.

The academic year (2017-18) began on 12<sup>th</sup> July 2017 for II year B.Ed students and for the first years on 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2017 with 97 students after B.Ed counseling. Eighty eight students were selected through the counseling conducted by the Director of Collegiate Education, Chennai and 10 students under the Management Quota.

We miss the presence of Hon'ble Managing Trustee Shri. M.R. Rajagopalan Anna, Life Trustee of Gandhigram Trust, and Chairman of our college who has passed away on 17<sup>th</sup> March 2018. He has played a very important role in all the developmental activities of Lakshmi college of Education as a Chairman.

T. Raveendran, Lab Assistant retired on 30.08.2017. On behalf of the Management, staff and students of the college, I thank him for his dedicated services to the college. He will be remembered for the richness that he added to campus life and his invaluable contribution to the growth of the institution.

The sanctioned Principal post was filled from 4th January 2018. Dr. M.Malarvizhi has joined as the new Principal of the college.

Discipline and academic excellence are the eyes of our college. The college plays a significant role not only in moulding the personality of the students but also in preparing professionally competent teachers in line with the Gandhian principles with the dynamic cooperation and team-work of the dedicated faculty members of our college.

### **Seminar/Workshop/Training**

Many Seminars, Workshops and Trainings were conducted to our student teachers to develop their Knowledge, Attitude and Skills. Such events are as follows:

<b>Programme</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Resource Person</b>
Gandhian thought	11.10.2017	Dr.T.Krishnammal & Mr. R.Natarajan, Gandhi Museum, Madurai
Career Guidance and Skill Development	21.10.2017	Mr. R.Baskaran, CEO, International Skills Association Council, Trichy
Profession, Passion & Personality	28.10.2017	Dr.Paul Susheel, International Trainer, P.S Academy
Play way science teaching	09.10.2017	Dr. Aakam Shankar (Scientist), and Mr. HariBabu (NGC) Teacher, Government School, Madurai
Signs & symptoms of	10.11.2017	Mr. Vijay Anandh, Health

Dengue.		Inspector, Chinnaapatti Town panchayat
Abacus Training Program	16.11.2017 & 17.11.2017	Mr. Naveen Kumar, Director ILP Abacus & Ms. Devi Srinithi, ILP Abacus.
Padaipugal & Padaipaligaludan oru naal	18.11.2017	Konangi, Kavingar Yavanika Sreeram, Kavingar Salma Priyadarshan, Kavingar Tamil Pitthan, Vettri Patipagam Tamildasan,
Leave No One Behind: End Violence Against Women & Girls	25.11.2017	Dr. Shantha, Director of Media Research Forum, Madurai
Health & Sanitation Health & Life skills, Menstrual Hygiene Management, Health & sports, Nutrition, Anemia, Health & wellness	04.12.2017 & 05.12.2017	. Dr. Sathya Prof & Head, & Ms. Kavitha Mythili, Asst. Prof, Ms. Janeline Lunghar & Ms. Thahira Banu Asst. Prof, Dr.K.S.Pushpa , Mr. Sagul Hameed, Department of Home Science, GRI
Modern Teaching Techniques & Usage of Teaching Aids , An overview of soft skills	07.12.2017& 08.12.2017	Ms. Amutha Subramaniam, Empowerment Development Institute, Chennai & Ms. Indhira Devi, B.Ed Trainer, Chennai and Ms Devi Priya, Trainer, Madurai
Outside the classroom	19.12.2017	Mr. Ponnaiah, JD (SSA)- the alumnus of our college.
Know Thy Students Psychology	20.01.2018	Rev.Fr.Thomas Johnpeter and Rev.Fr.Santhiyagu
Workshop on 'Financial Literacy'	20.01.2018	Mr.Ramesh, SEBI, Chennai
Theater for Women's Rights	22.01.2018	Dr.Santha of Media research forum- MRF, Madurai and Mr.Ramasamy of Nija Nadaga Iyakkam Madurai
Methods of Teaching using Modern Teaching Aids	02.02.2018	Mr.S. Muruga Boopathi founder of Manal Magudi , Mr. Prabakaran musician and Mr.murugan theater artist
QUO VADIS &	07.02.2018	Mr.Tom Jose , Trainer KKID

Teacher Transformation	Guru		
Child Abuse		14.02.2018	Anila Nikapota
Curriculum and Education in India		23.02.2018	Professors and the Students from Leibzig University Germany
Boal Theatre Skills		23.02.2018	Professors and the Students from Leibzig University Germany
Khadi Awareness		14.03.2018	Mr. Jeyakannan Head of Khadhi, Madurai and Mr. Sathiya Narayanan, CEO, Gandhigram Trust.
Bio-diversity Conservation and Sustainable Development Programme		26.03.2018	Dr.Anatha kumar Assistant Professor, Dept of education,GRI.

**CELEBRATIONS:** Our College celebrates days of local, national and International importance to instill in students moral and social values.

Date	Programme	Resource Person
7.08.2017	Tagore Memorial Day	Dr.Balasundari, Associate Professor, Dept. of English , GRI
5.9.2017	Teacher's Day	Mr. Santhiyagu and Mr. Subramaniyam
2.10.2017	Gandhi Jeyanthi day	
11.11.2017	National Education Day	Ms. Sumathi, Child Psychologist
22.12.2017	Ramanujam Day	Dr..Muthukumaran, Associate Professor, Saraswathi Narayanan College of Arts and Science
12.01.2018	Role of youth in National Development –National Youth Day	Mr.Vijay, Member, Vivekananda Association,Dindigul.
13.01.2018	Importance of Traditional celebrations-Pongal	Dr. Bakthavatchala Perumal Assistant Professor, Dept of education,GRI
12.02.2018 to 14.02.2018	Sarvodaya Day – in Remembrance of Sri. Jaganathan, Sarvodaya Leader	Gandhian Leaders –Sri. K.M. Nadarajan,

22.2.2018	Kasturba Day	Ms. Baby & Dr. Seethalakshmi
28.02.2018	National Science Day	
08.0-3.2018	Women's day celebration	Dr. Guruvammal, Ms. Latha Rani Poongavanam
31.03.2018	Pournami Virunthu	Sowbagya Illam

### **SPECIAL LECTURES/FIELD TRIP**

Our college takes every effort to provide an opportunity for our students listen to special lectures of experts in various fields from various institutions and also take students to field trips to give firsthand experience.

Date	Topic	Resource Person
04.11.2017	Applications of Mathematics in Real Life	Dr.N.Sakunthala Professor & Head, GTN Arts and Science College
07.11.2017	Tamizhil Ariviyal	Dr. S.Shagila Banu, Assistant Professor, Department of Tamil, St.Joseph College, Trichy
13.11.2017	Signs and Science of Dengue fever	Dr.Kamaraj, Kasturba Hospital
30.01.2018	School Visit – Reaching the Unreached (RTU)	Genguvarpatti
9.02.2018	School Visit- to Kendra Vidyalaya (CBSE School)	Gandhigram

### **Other Programmes held:**

Alumni Meeting	01.05.2017	LCE
Visited book fair	09.12.2017	Dindigul
V.K.Anna Trophy	11.01.2018	Village Schools around Gandhigram
Media as a Tool for education	06.01.2018	Pasumai FM, Sirumalai
Searching the Roots, Green Rameshwaram	09.02.2018	Rameshwaran

### **TEACHING PRACTICE**

To gain intensive training in teaching skills, our II year B.Ed students of the two year B.Ed Programme took up 16 weeks intensive teaching practice in

32 High Schools and Higher Secondary Schools in and around Dindigul District from 02.08.2017 to 15.12.2017

### **MEDICAL CHECKUP AND ORIENTATION PROGRAMME-INSTITUTION VISIT**

A medical check-up was conducted from 21<sup>th</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2017 at Kasturba Hospital, Gandhigram in batches. Our students also visited all the units of Gandhigram Trust and GRI during these days. We thank our beloved Amma Dr. Kousalyadevi and the staff of all the units of Gandhigram Trust and Gandhigram Rural Institute for providing special support and cooperation in this regard.

### **RED RIBBON CLUB**

A one day HIV aids awareness programme was organized on 17.03.2018 Ms.Gunavathi, a Transgender from Dindigul government hospital gave a special talk about HIV and shared her experiences.

### **ALUMNI ASSOCIATION**

The alumni association has been very active in our college and every year it is conducted on 1<sup>st</sup> May. The members of our alumni association share their rich success stories and achievements with present students. This Programme motivates our students to achieve high and contribute more to the society. A new Hall was constructed at the I floor of science block with the contribution from our Alumni.

This year one of our Alumni and Former Professor in Biological Science of our college Dr. K.Vasugi donated a sum of Rs.1 lakh for the developmental activities of Lakshmi College of Education. We take this opportunity to thank her whole heartedly. We thank all the alumni who have joined us in this venture.

### **EXTENSION ACTIVITIES**

As a part of Extension programme Dengue Awareness Survey was conducted at Panjampatti by our students on 11th November 2017 and on 14th November 2017 at Athoor and at Chettiyapatti & Kallupatti on 15th

November 2017. Nilavambu Kasayam was given to the village people as well as for our students.

### **STUDENTS PARTICIPATION IN INTER COLLEGIATE COMPETITIONS**

Our B.Ed. Students participated in various competitions organized by Departments of GRI on various occasions and have won prizes & certificates. Our students participated in Muperum Vizha at Dindigul collector office on 15.09.2017 and won prizes. Our students participated and presented papers in one day Seminar on “Impact of Positive Approaches in Teaching” organized by M.V.M. Chellamuthu Alagurathinam College of Education, Dindigul on 9<sup>th</sup> October 2017. Our students participated in Tamilin Sirapugal organized by Dindigul Ilaiya kalam on 14.10.2017. Our students participated in the workshop organized by Red Ribbon club at M.V.M. Chellamuthu Alagurathinam College of Education, Dindigul on 17.10.2017. Our students participated in the Teachers’ orientation program held at Annamalayar mill’s School, Dindigul on 14.10.2017. Our students also participated in M.G.R 100<sup>th</sup> Birthday celebration at Dindigul on 09.12.2017. Our students participated in one Billion Raising event organized by Media Research Forum at Gandhi Museum Madurai on 14.02.2018.

### **GENERAL ASSOCIATION-INAUGURATION/VALEDICTION**

The Inauguration of General Association was held on 19.08.2018, Dr.V.Rajeswari, Professor & Head, Dept. of Education, Mother Teresa Women’s University delivered the inaugural address. All the departments conducted many events through their Subject Associations and the student teachers gained knowledge, attitude and skills informally by participating in all these events. Many interdepartmental competitions were held and the winners were awarded with prizes on various occasions.

The Valedictory function of General Association was held on 28.03.17 Dr.E.Ramganes, Chair, School of Education, Professor and Head, Department of educational Technology Bharathidasan University Tiruchirappalli. He delivered the Valedictory address and congratulated the secretaries of all the departments for their wonderful presentation of the association reports.

### **Collaboration with Redington CSR foundation**

The Redington India Pvt.Ltd with its Foundation under CSR activity has collaborated with our college to develop the soft skills as well as life skills of the rural students in and around Gandhigram and prepares them suitable for employment. So far 34 B.Ed students of our college have been benefitted through this READ programme (Redington Employability Academic for Development). This programme is made absolutely free to help the rural students. Mr. M. Muthukumaraswami Chairman, Redington Foundation gave the *Sahayog Scholarship Award* to 28 students on 10th November 2017 which carried a cash amount of Rs. 6500 per head (Rs. 1,82,000 in total). We thank Redington Foundation for partnering with us to attain the vision of our founders.

### **Faculty Performance**

The quality of education largely depends on the quality of teachers. In pursuit of knowledge and excellence, our teachers always evince keen interest in their professional development.

I am immensely happy to present the professional activities and achievements of our staff members during this academic year.

### **Dr. R. Uma, Associate Professor in Physical Science**

- Published a paper titled “*The Effect of Chemical Formula Visualization Method(CHEFOVIM) on Balancing Simple Inorganic Chemical Equations*’ in The International Journal of Current Advanced Research, ISSN no 3747-3752, volume **6**, issue 5, May 2017.
- Attended the Preliminary meetings of Sarvodaya day celebrations of 2017-18 on behalf of Gandhigram Trust.
- Appointed by TNTEU as a External Examiner to conduct M.Ed Practical Examination at Sakthi College of Education, Oddanchatram, on Aug 10, 2017.



- Conducted a seminar on '*Gandhian thought*' in collaboration with College of Gandhian Thought, Gandhi Museum, Madurai on 11.10.2017.
- Conducted a two day Abacus Training Programme on 16 & 17 November, 2017.
- Gave a talk on '*Dengue Fever and our Environment*' to the villagers of Chettiapatti on 12.11.2017 in the Dengue awareness programme.
- Conducted a seminar on '*Dengue Fever - The Science and Signs*' on 13.11.2017 to our students' in collaboration with Kasturba Hospital, Gandhigram.
- Conducted a two day *Life skill programme* in collaboration with GRI and funded by Redington Foundation On 4&5, Dec, 2018.
- Conducted a workshop on '*Financial Literacy*' on 20.01.2018 in collaboration with SEBI, Chennai.
- Organised a guest Lecture on '*The role of ICT in Education*' by Prof. A. Shanmugavadivu, Department of Computer Science, GRI on 8.1.2018
- Participated in the *Sarvodaya day Seminar* held in the memory of Sri. Jagannathan, Sarvodaya leader, on 13-15 February 2018.
- Conducted competitions on the topic '*The Role of Youth in Building Peace*' for the rural school children and college students on the eve of Sarvodaya day celebrations.
- Arranged for a students' discussion on '*Child abuse in schools*' with the resource person Dr. Anila Nikapota, Psychiatrist, England on 14.02.2018.
- Conducted Interaction sessions with Professors and Students from the Department of Education, Leipzig University, Germany on '*School and Teacher Education Curriculum in India and Germany*' on 23.02.2018 and a workshop on '*Boal Theatre Skills*' by Dr. Andy, Leipzig University, Germany.
- Gave a special talk on '*The role of Mass media and Women*' to the SHG members of Gandhigram Trust on 8.3.2018, organized by Extension Wing of Gandhigram Trust on the eve of International Women's Day.
- Participated in Two day National Seminar on "*Quality Education for the students Belonging to the Marginalized Sectors in India(QESBMS-2018)*"

and presented a paper on *“Empowering Economically and Socially deprived Women through Quality Education – A case study of Kasturba Sevikashram Special Higher Secondary School, Gandhigram Trust, Gandhigram”* organized by Department of Education, Alagappa University, Karaikudi held on 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup> March 2018.

- As a member of Kendriya Vidhyalaya Management Committee participated in VMC meetings and contributed to the growth of the Kendriya Vidhyalaya Sangathan , Gandhigram in the academic year 2017-18.
- Serving as a member of the Executive committee of Dr. T.S Soundaram Vidhyalaya Nursery and Primary school by Gandhigram

**Mrs. K.Dhanalakshmi, Associate Professor in Mathematics**

- Coordinated the students to visit Mathematical Exhibition on 9.4.2018 by GTN Arts College, Dindigul.
- Acted as a convener of Second year B.Ed practical Examination –Feb 2018 by TNTEU at St.Anne’s college of Education for women, Periyakulam on 26<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> Feb 2018.
- Organized a one day seminar on “Inspiring Teacher” in Teachers Day Celebration on 5<sup>th</sup> Sep 2017 among the COE around Dindigul Dt.
- Attended National workshop on Mathlab in Applied sciences held on 15 & 16 Sep 2017 organized by the Department of Mathematics, SCSVMV University, Kanchipuram.
- Participated in the one day international Public seminar on 31.7.17 in the Department of Education, Bharathiyar University, Coimbatore.
- Attended confidential paper valuation TNTEU work from 20.7.2017 to 27.7.17 in GTN Arts College at Dindigul.
- Attended a open House Session regarding NCTE norms and regulation of TEI One day programme organized by NCTE at Kochin University, Ernakulam on 7.7.2017.
- Participated in National Seminar on “Quality Higher Education 2017” Held at Sathyabama University on 28<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> April 2017.

- As a NCTE Coordinator submitted the details for NCTE regulations of our college.
- Nominated as a member in Trust College Committee.

**Mrs. M.Umamaheswari, Assistant Professor of Education**

- Organized a two day Khadi Awareness Programme Competitions on 14th & 15th March 2018 among the COE around Dindigul & Madurai .
- Acted as a convener of Second year B.Ed practical Examination –Feb 2018 by TNTEU at Nadar Saraswathy college of Education for women, Theni on 26th & 27th Feb 2018.
- Coordinate a school visit Programme for Second year students on 30.1.2018 to RTU Genguvarpatty and to KV Gandhigram on 5.2.2018.
- Attended 21 days Refresher Course at Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai from 1.12.2017 to 21.12.2017.
- Organized a various competitions for Students COE in the occasion of National education Day celebration on 11.11.2017.
- Participated in the one day international Public seminar on 31.7.17 in the Department of Education, Bharathiyar University, Coimbatore.
- Attended confidential paper valuation TNTEU work from 20.7.2017 to 27.7.17 in GTN Arts College at Dindigul.
- Attended a open House Session regarding NCTE norms and regulation of TEI One day programme organized by NCTE at Kochin University, Ernakulam on 7.7.2017

**Mrs.M.Kalaivani, Assistant Professor in Biological science.**

- Served as Subject Expert in Evaluating the the candidate for the post of PG Assistant at Thambithottam Hr.Sec. School, Gandhigram on 21.04.2018
- Participated in Two day National Seminar on “*Quality Education for the students Belonging to the Marginalized Sectors in India(QESBMS-2018)*” and presented a paper on “Strategies to Enhance the Learning ability of the Slow Learners” organized by Department of Education, Alagappa University, Karaikudi held on 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup> March 2018

- Participated in one day National conference on “*Teaching, Learning and Development*” and presented a paper on “Applications of ICT in Education” organized by Ramakrishnan Chandra College of Education, Kullappa Goundanpatti held on 10<sup>th</sup> March 2018
- Organized a seminar on “Bio Polymer” on 27.01.2018 Dr.RajaMohan, Assistant Professor, Department of Physics, GRI served as the resource person
- Coordinated the students to visit Sanat Products Limited Kodai Road, Dindigul. A Manufacturing unit of Spirulina powder on 22nd January 2018.
- Organized a seminar on Tamizhil Ariviyal on 7th November 2017. Dr. S.Shagila Banu, Assistant Professor, Department of Tamil, St.Joseph College, Trichy served as the Resource Person.
- Served as an external examiner in the TNOU B.Ed practical examination at Kathooribha Gandhi College of education, Namakkal on 3rd and 4th November 2017.
- Organized a one day Seminar on “Career Guidance and Skill Development” on 21st October 2017. Mr. R.Baskaran, CEO, International Skills Association Council, Trichy served as the resource Person.
- Participated in one day Seminar on “Impact of Positive Approaches in Teaching” and presented a paper on “Innovative Methods of Teaching Enhances Self Determined Learning” organized by M.V.M. Chellamuthu Alagurathinam College of Education, Dindigul on 9th October 2017.
- Attended “An Orientation Course” on 27th & 28th September 2017 Organized by Tamilnadu Teacher Education University.
- Attended a Two Day Lecture Workshop on “Recent Trends in Biological science” held on 23rd September & 24th September 2017 at Gandhigram Rural University.
- Attended the “Orientation Course at UGC –HRDC Bharathidasan University” held from 23rd August 2017 to 19th September 2017.
- Delivered a Special lecture on “Action Research” for School Teachers at Kendra Vidyalaya, Gandhigram on June 12th 2017.

- Published a paper titled “Attitude of Tribal women Towards Education, Employment and their life Aspiration in Kodaikanal” in “The International Journal of Current Advanced Research” ISSN no 2319-6505 volume 6, issue 5, May 2017.
- Acting as Secretary - Gandhigram Cultural Committee, Gandhigram.
- Served as Co-ordinator for Gandhian thought programme.
- Served as Co-ordinator – Student’s General Association.
- Served as Deputy Warden for Women’s & Men’s Hostel.
- Served as Co-ordinator for Alumni Association

**Mr.F.Vincent Rajasekar, Assistant Professor in English**

- Acted as a Central Core Committee co-ordinator of Gandhigram Trust.
- Served as Editor for News Letter of Gandhigram Trust.
- Delivered a special address on “Kalvi Valarchi Naal” on 15.07.2017 at Sevikashram School.
- Organized a workshop on “Profession, Passion & Personality” on 28. 10. 2017, funded by ILP.
- Organized a workshop on “Play Way Science Teaching” on 09.11.2017 funded by ILP.
- As a co-ordinator for Extension activity Dengue Awareness survey was conducted at Panjampatty and Athoor on 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> November 2017.
- Organized a workshop “Padaipugal & Padaipaligaludan oru naal” on 18.11.2017.
- Organized a colloquium on “Leave no one Behind: End violence against Women” with the support of MRF, Madurai.
- As Extension activity co-ordinator taken students to book fair festival at Dindigul.
- Attended the Individual Pair small group Training at TNTEU Chennai.

- Organized a seminar on “Know Your Students Psychology” on 20.01.2018 at Anugrahaa College, supported by MRF, Madurai.
- Organized a workshop on “Theatre for Women’s Rights” on 22.01.2018 with the support of MRF, Madurai.
- Organized a workshop on “Methods of Innovative Teaching” on 02.02.2018 funded by ILP.
- Organized a one day workshop on “Quo vadis” and “Teacher Guru Transformation” on 07.02.2018, funded by ILP.
- Arranged an extension to Rameswaram in Search of the roots and participated in the event Green Rameswaram.
- Co-ordinated the students to participate in One Billion Rising programme on 14.12.2017.
- Visited Vardha – Sewagram and studied the basic education implementation from 10.03.2018 to 11.03.2018.

### **IQAC**

The Internal Quality Assurance cell is functioning well in our college. It plans and co-ordinates all the events and enhances the output of our college.

### **India Literacy Project (ILP):**

A project under ILP worth Rs. 3.5 lakhs is sanctioned to Gandhigram Trust, under which the reading skills & scientific skills of the students of Gandhigram Primary school and Thambithottam Higher secondary school are to be developed. This project work is being co-ordinated by our college. So far books worth Rs. 40,000/- have been bought. Out of which Rs. 25,000 worth books were bought for our college and the rest for schools under Gandhigram trust. A pre-test and a post test were conducted to evaluate the reading skills of the students of Gandhigram Primary school and Thambithottam Higher secondary school was conducted. It is found that their reading skills were improved and it correlates well with the academic achievement of the children.

## **ENDOWMENTS & DONATIONS**

On this occasion, we would like to express our heartfelt thanks to Sri LKB Lagumiah, Dr.G.Pankajam and Smt. Chikkaponnu for having instituted Endowment funds for awarding prizes to the academic high-achievers every year.

We thank Redington for their continuous support in all our developmental activities

We express our thanks to our Principal Dr.M.Malarvizhi for mobilizing fund for solving the water scarcity in the campus and for cleaning and greening the campus.

## **Contributions of Management**

Mrs. R.Savithri Assistant professor of Education, Mrs. D.R. Chitra Assistant professor of Education, Mrs.Devandrakula Thirumagal, Assistant professor of Education & Mrs.Jeyaprabha, Librarian, Mr.Chokkalingam and Mr.Murugan, Watchmen, had been appointed by the management, and we thank profusely the management for its support given for the benefit of our students.

## **CONCLUSION**

Today we are on 50<sup>th</sup> College Day Celebrations!

I conclude this report with a profound sense of gratitude to the Almighty for all the blessings we have been bestowed with during the past forty nine years and for all the progress and success achieved so far. We are grateful to the Management for their encouragement and guidance at every stage of growth for the successful functioning of the college.

The faculty members and administrative staff of the college have been doing their best to provide a student-supportive environment for quality teacher preparation in our college.

Our student-teachers deserve a word of praise on this occasion for their admirable behaviour and highly motivated participation in all the college activities throughout the academic year.

I once again thank the Management, the teaching and non-teaching staff being beacon light and the student-teachers for their continuous cooperation and support extended to me to discharge the duties of the Principal during the memorable 50<sup>th</sup> College day jublations.

Thank you.