

2018-2019 Academic Year

Ripples 2018-19

As part of the Golden Jubilee celebrations of Sree Narayana Guru College, Chelannur, the Eighteen departments of the college collectively organized a seminar series – Ripples in the year 2018 to enlighten the younger generation through academic deliberations. The program is envisaged to be one of the milestones in the rich historical legacy of our college. The curtain raiser of this program was conducted on 3rd December 2018 by Dr. P. Mohanan, the Hon'ble Pro-Vice chancellor of the University of Calicut who inaugurated the function. The Seminar Series was arranged in such a manner that there were two Seminars per day, with one Departmental Seminar in the forenoon and the Seminar by another Department in the afternoon. Each Seminar had its Resource Person delivering an Invited Lecture based on the theme decided by the corresponding department. The invited Lecture in each case was followed by paper presentations by our students. The papers presented by students were evaluated by external experts and Best Paper Awards were announced, one for each Seminar.



Organic Farming by Students

There were unused 50 cents of land on the premises of the SNG Ladies hostel. For years, this land was not cultivated. The SEED club members worked on this land and created a beautiful organic vegetable garden. The members got the support of the Jeevanai Program of the Government of Kerala. Different types of vegetables including brinjal, green chili, banana, tapioca, peas, cabbage, cauliflower, spinach, cucumber, elephant foot, colocasia, and ladies' finger are planted. The SEED club members worked every day in this garden. The harvested vegetables were distributed among the neighboring community of Chelannur. A major share of the vegetables was used in the hostel kitchen. Mathrubhumi News covered

the event and presented it as a documentary. This report was telecasted on the Mathrubhumi News channel.



Love Plastic Campaign and Cloth Bag Distribution

“Love Plastic” is a unique venture to reduce, reuse, and recycle plastic. In association with Mathrubhumi, the SNG college SEED club does the following:

The plastic waste is collected from each classroom, women’s hostel, labs, and library. Students bring plastic waste from neighboring households. This plastic waste is cleaned, dried, and crushed before segregating. This plastic waste is segregated into low micron, high micron, and high density. This segregated waste is stored in separate sacks and stored. This plastic waste is regularly sent to the Mathrubhumi recycling center for recycling. On another initiative, the SEED club members visit each household in Chelannur Panchayath and distribute cloth bags. The SEED members instructed people to use cloth bags for shopping. Instead of using plastic bags, these cloth bags are used in households. This has significantly reduced the use of plastic in Chelannur Panchayath.

Environmental Pollution Awareness Campaign

Nature club conducts an Environmental pollution awareness program every month. This program was started on November 20th, 2019. The members work in collaboration with Calicut Traffic Police and run a campaign against traffic pollution. The members instruct the drivers of public and private vehicles and teach them the importance of cleanliness and the advantages of obeying traffic rules. The student members use cycles and encourage other students to use cycles instead of fuel-based vehicles. To save drivers from pollution, N95 masks were distributed among drivers. The student members planted tree saplings on the side of the national highway from Balussery to Calicut.