# Mar Ivanios College of Arts and Science <u>Mavelikara</u>

## Annual Report - 2017-18

It is with immense pride and pleasure that I place on record the third annual report of the college. The academic year started with a prayer session on 1<sup>st</sup> June 2017. The inauguration and blessings of the new batch (2017 - 20) were led by His Grace Most Rev. Dr. Joshua Mar Ignathios, the Patron of the College on 5<sup>th</sup> July 2017. Many priests, teachers, PTA executive members and parents were present on the occasion. A motivational talk for teachers and students was also delivered by His Grace. Mr. T R Rajendran, PTA vice president felicitated on the occasion. Rev. Fr. Thomas Puthenparampil, the director of the college welcomed the gathering and Dr. K C Mathai, Principal extended the vote of thanks.

#### **Courses Offered and Student's Strength**

Course	Strength			Total	Grand
	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	Total	Total
B A English	29	22	26	77	
B A Economics	21	22	25	68	
B.Com Tax	39	41	47	127	
B.Com Tourism	40	37	42	119	391

#### New Courses

The following five new courses were also applied and are in hope of getting approval from the University of Kerala for the academic year 2018-19.

- B.Com Commerce with Computer Application
- B.Sc. Computer Science
- B.Com Finance
- M.Com Finance
- M A English

#### **Add-on Courses**

During the current year the following add on courses conducted.

- Communicate English Win with English
- Foundation class for Accounting Tally
- Personality Development Classes

## **Awards and Recognition**

- 1. Ms. Lethy L B was awarded Ph. D in commerce by the Kerala University September 2017.
- 2. Ms. Tintu Anna Mohan Asst. Prof. Commerce and Ms. Amitha Geethu Soman Asst. Prof. Economics qualified National Eligibility Test, conducted by UGC.

- 3. Champions in 1<sup>st</sup> South India Inter Collegiate Hand ball tournament for Mar Ivanios Ever Rolling Trophy hosted by our college.
- 4. Won 2017-18 Kerala University Handball Championship
- 5. 5 students from our handball team selected for Kerala University handball team and they participated in the South Zone inter collegiate handball tournament held at Hydrabad.
- 6. Santo Sebastian S4 Economics and NSS volunteer secretary selected and participated in the Pre Republic Day Camp and also in the National Integration Camp hosted by Mysore University.
- 7. College shuttle team Rohan Philip Varkey and Amith Gopalakrishnan secured first place in the Mega Shuttle tournament held at SNIIT, Adoor.
- 8. So far from the announced University Semester results for 2015 admission Jobson Joshwa, S6 English and Reshma S Nair S6 Tax stands as the University toppers till now.
- 9. For 2016 admission Venna Udayan, S4 B.Com Tourism is the university topper.
- 10. Eight students from Final B.Com Tourism got placement in three organizations.

#### **Academic Results**

IV Semester (2015 Admission)						
Subject	%	University %	No. of A Grade			
B A English	72.41	50	1			
B A Economics	33.33	33.79	Nil			
B.Com results not yet announced						
III Semester (2015 Admission)						
B.Com Tax	53.58	64.61	1			
B.Com Tourism	37.05	28.65	Nil			
B A English	56.67	59.49	1			
B A Economics	38.01	43.95	Nil			
I Semester (2016 Admission)						
B A English	60.86	59.62	1			
B A Economics	17.40	27.59	Nil			
B.Com Tax	83.03	78.67	3			
B.Com Tourism	43.59	33.12	2			

#### Parent Teacher Association (PTA)

The Parent Teacher Association of the college was formed with the Principal as President, Prof. Chinchu Chandran, Dept. of English as the Secretary and Sri. T R Rajendran as Vice President. From parents 24 member PTA executive was also formed. All teachers and Sr. Supdt. are also servicing as executive members.

A general PTA and a department wise PTA were held during the end of each semester. At the gathering a general evaluation was given. Also performances of each student were analysed. A PTA executive meeting was held on 21<sup>st</sup> March 2018 at 3 pm.

At the meeting new office bearers for the year 2018-19 was elected with Mr. Rajan Varghese as vice president and Prof. Sarath Krishna A as secretary. On the behalf college I am expressing our sincere gratitude to the outgoing office bearers and extending the wholehearted support to the new office bearers.

#### **Library**

To help the faculty and students to reach out the knowledge world individual library membership is given for all. Now we have arranged almost enough reading and reference text books and journals in all disciplines. To provide effective and efficient access to an e-resources, digital and e – library is functioning successfully.

## **Seminars and Talks**

- 1. A motivational talk by His Grace on 5<sup>th</sup> July 2017 for parents and newly joined students.
- 2. A class on 'Health and Hygiene Contagious diseases' on 18<sup>th</sup> July 2017 by doctors and staff from Krathikad community centre under the leadership of Dr. Remya R.
- 3. A class on organ donation by Dr. Jerin Varghese Mathew, Amaravathy Hospital, Mavelikara on 20<sup>th</sup> October 2017.
- 4. A programme for mothers for legal awareness was conducted on 17<sup>th</sup> November 2017. Adv. Anilkumar K N Pillai, Honorable High Court of Kerala was the chief resource person.
- 5. A motivational talk by Sri. George Thazhakara on 1<sup>st</sup> November 2017.

#### **Extension Lecture**

A Memorial talk was conducted in co - memmoration of Rev. Dr. Geevarghese Panicker on 10<sup>th</sup> January 2018 at 1.30 pm.

H. G.Most Rev. Dr. Joshua Mar Ignathios gave the presidential address Mr. B G Krishnan I R S, Govt. of Kerala delivered the keynote address. Many dignitaries' staff and students were present on the occasion. This academic year onwards a scholarship of Rs. 5000/- was instituted for the top scorers in each semester and each discipline with A grade or A+ For the 3<sup>rd</sup> semester Rashma S Nair, B.Com Tax (8.15 A) and Jobson Joshwa of B A English (8.044, A) scored highest and His Grace distributed the scholarship.

#### **Onam Celebration**

Onam was celebrated on 9<sup>th</sup> September with a variety of entertainment programmes. Well known poet Prof. Indira Ashok delivered the onam message. Athapookkalam, Onappattu, Thiruvathira etc. competitions were held. Prizes were distributed to the winners. Rev. Fr. Thomas Puthenparampil, Dr. Harish R, and Sri. R Rajendran (PTA Vise President) felicitated on the occasion, Kumari Praveena K welcomed the gathering and Arya Unnithan gave the vote of thanks. For competitions overall B.Com Tourism won the first place.

#### Workshop

A workshop for teachers was arranged on 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2017. Department wise faculty members held a meeting and discussed the various threats, limitations and strength. They framed an action plan how to excel the students in curricular and co-curricular activities.

### Kerala Piravi

In connection with Kerala Piravi, various programmes were organized. The chief guest of the day was Sri. George Thazhakara. The Dept. of Malayalam and college union co – ordinated the programme very well.

#### **Christmas Celebration**

Christmas was celebrated on 21<sup>st</sup> December 2017. V. Rev. Fr. John Perooparampil, Rector, Mar Ivanios Minor Seminary, Kallumala gave the Christmas message.

Various programmes staged by the students are praise worthy. Mr. T R Rajendran, PTA Vice President also spoke on the occasion. Special congratulation to Ms. Teena Elizabeth Jacob for equipping the choir.

#### **International Women's day Celebration**

The college celebrated International Women's Day on 8<sup>th</sup> March 2018, Prof. Rekha R, Dept. of Malayalam, Bishop Moore College, Mavelikara was the chief resource person. The effort taken by Prof. Somichan Baby is acknowledged.

#### **Highlights of NSS**

- The unit continued its activities from the previous year. Conducted four orientation talk and two seminars.
- Conducted four one day camps.
- Conducted 7 days camp from December 22 28, 2017.
- Distributed Kerala University issued NSS Certificates to senior (2016-17) volunteers on 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2018 in stipulated time, so that they can avail the credit marks.
- Santo Sebastian, volunteer secretary represented one among five students from Kerala University and participated in the Pre RD Camp and also for the National Integration Camp held at University of Mysore. He was also attended three volunteer training camps. It is worth to mention and record his name as he is duly deserving. He was honored in a special meeting.
- Adopted Cherukunnam ward in Thekkekara Panjayat.

The service and motivation of Ms. Mekha Salim the Programme Officer and Dr. Harish R, the NSS Director and CLMC Convenor are acknowledged.

#### **Youth Red Cross**

A "Youth Red Cross" was formed and Prof. Thomas George, HOD of Economics serves as the programme officer.

#### **Activities of Various Associations**

The English Association – 'Merakhi' was conducted on the 23<sup>rd</sup> of March 2018 with Prof. Harsha Vishwanath, MSM College, Kayamkulam as the chief guest and keynote speaker. The events included sand art, quiz, spot photography etc.

Under the leadership of the association they attended two seminars initiated by Bishop Moore College, Kallumala and a paper presentation competition. Also attended the fest conducted by MACFAST Thiruvalla. From the announced university exam result Jobson Joshwa of S6 English stood first till now. Congrats Jobson. For the arts competition Rithu 2K 18 Greeshmam the English Association won 1<sup>st</sup> place.

We acknowledge the wise and motivational leadership of Prof. Prabha Alice Varkey, HOD English Dpt. and all the faculty members for enabling the students to reach for new heights.

Commerce Association – Internship for one month was successfully arranged for the final year tourism students in highly reputed travel and tourism organizations. Eight students of S6 Travel and Tourism got placement in three organizations. Two travel companies have agreed to conduct campus recruitment for final year students immediately after examination.

So far announced university exam, results Rashma S Nair of final year (2015 admission) B.Com Taxation stands as the university topper till now. For the 1<sup>st</sup> semester (2016 admission) Veena Udhayan of Travel and Tourism stands as University topper. Congrats Rashma and Veena. As part of the curriculum study tour was conducted for tourism students in Hyderabad and Taxation students in Vayanad and Coorg. Besides this few career orientation classes also conducted. The motivational support extended by Dr. Abraham Punnoose and team is acknowledged.

Economics Association – On 29<sup>th</sup> August 2017, conducted an essay writing competition on 'GST and its Ramification on Kerala Economy'. Second and Third place were won by our students. On 31<sup>st</sup> October 2017, department conducted a quiz competition and won first prize. From November (2017) onwards, a regular programme was conducted with group discussion on the current socio – economic issues. This resulted in the improvement of the critical thinking of the students as well as their interdisciplinary approach. The programme encouraged the students to speak out their ideas and also helps them to reduce their stage fear.

Department of Economics won the overall sports Championship Trophy, for the last three years continuously. For the college handball team 11 out of 16 members are from economics department. The guidance and support given by Prof. Thomas George and team is acknowledged.

#### **Extension Activities**

As per the directives of the university the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> semester students should have to complete 40 hours in any of the extension activity. This year the college offered 4 extension activities like Environmental Studies, Literary Club, NSS and Performing Arts. Under the various club co – ordinators leadership and general co – ordinator Dr. Harichandran's motivation it is performing well.

#### Participation in Kerala University Youth Festival (KUYF) – 2018

Our students participated in many individual items and group item Mime in the Kerala University Youth Festival held on 20 – 24 March 2018 at Kollam. Muhammed Rishal, S4 Tax bagged 4<sup>th</sup> place in Mappilapattu and 5<sup>th</sup> place in Arabic Recitation

Congrats all the winners, arts club secretary Ravin and all office bearers of college union and general coordinator

#### **College Union**

College Union Election 2017 – 18 was conducted on 28<sup>th</sup> September 2017 in the parliamentary mode. Sri. Aji Anand was elected as the chairman. Under his leadership various activities are going on. The office bearers are

1. Aji Anand Chairman 2. Meenakshi Abilal Vice Chairman 3. Vipin Vijayakumar General Secretary

4. Gangadath V University Union Councillor

Magazine Editor 5. Sachin Karthikeyan 6. Ravin Varghese Rajan Arts Club Secretary

#### Members to the Executive Committe

7. Sherin George Lady Representatives 8. Noby Varghese DC I Representative 9. Vijayalekshmi R DC II Representative 10. Aby Varghese Babu DC III Representative

College Union was inaugurated on 1st November 2017 by lighting the lamp and motivational talk by Sri. George Thazhakkara. Arts Day is being celebrated on 12th March 2018. It is under the name 'Rithu 2K18'. Students with excellent performance were send to Kerala University Youth Festival held on March 21–24, 2018 at Kollam. English association team 'Greeshmam' won first place in Rithu 2K18.

The able leadership of Aji Anand the Union Chairman, Ravin Varghese Rajan, Arts Club Secretary and Union Executives are worth to mention. The service rendered by Prof. Thomas George, Union advisor and Prof. Teena Elizabeth Jacob the general co-ordinator cultural activities are acknowledged.

#### **Counseling**

Counseling is arranged for students. Rev. Sr. Susy, Holy Spirit congregation serves as the counselor. She offered her service on every Thursday.

## **Sports**

The activities of the sports and games were started on 1st June 2017. The dept. of physical education provides special care and training in the field of handball, cricket, shuttle, softball and athletics. Our college won the 1st South India handball championship for the year 2017-18. The following students Melbin Babu, Justin Kurian, Midhun Kumar M L, Naufal. S and Ameer Shaji selected in the Kerala University handball team and then played for Kerala University at Hydrabad.

## **Individual Champions**

The annual athletic meet was celebrated on 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2017. The whole students and staff actively participated in the sports meet.

Lijo T Varghese (B A Economics) Men Champion Women Champion Overall Championship -Amrutha Prasad (B.Com Tax)

Defensors (Economics)

Hearty congratulations and sincere thanks to Prof. Dr. Simon Tharakan, the director of physical education and his team.

## **Intercollegiate Quiz Competition**

Our students bagged many prizes in various intercollegiate quiz competitions.

#### **Staff Council**

For the efficient functioning of the curricular and extra-curricular activities and to take important decisions, 8 staff council meeting were held.

#### **Faculty Meeting**

Suggestions and opinions of the faculties are very essential for the smooth conduct of all activities in a college. So far 10 faculty meeting were conducted.

Important decisions regarding the smooth functioning of the college were taken in the staff meeting in consultation with governing council. The service of Prof. Mekha Salim the secretary is acknowledged.

#### **List of Awards**

#### I. Qualifying NET

- 1. Tintu Anna Mohan
- 2. Amitha Geethu Soman

#### II. Scholarship

S4 English
 S1 English
 S1 Tax
 Missy K Cheriyan
 Amrutha Mohan
 Stephy Stephen

3. Amrutha Prasad

4. S1 Tourism - 1.Veena Udayan

2. Merin Mamachan

#### III. Cultural Activities

Kalaprathibha - Amal Raj T (S6 Tax)
 Kalathilakam - Mekha P S (S4 Tourism)

3. Overall - Greeshmam (Dept. of English)

## IV. Sports overall - Defensors (Dept. of Economics)

#### V. Championship

Lijo T Varghese - Men (2018)
 Amrutha Prasad - Women (2018)
 Vishal Chandran - Men (2017)
 Jinsa K Jose - Women (2017)

## VI. <u>University Youth Festival</u>

1. Muhammad Rishal

#### VII. Pre – R D & National Integration Camp

1. Santo Sebastian

## VIII. Handing over certificates

- 1. Yoga
- 2. Arts Festival

#### Condolence:-

All of us are shocked by the sad and sudden demise of Brahmajith B Pillai, 1<sup>st</sup> B.Com Tax student on 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2018. Heartfelt condolence and prayer to the bereaved family.

#### Conclusion

I express my special thanks to H.G Most. Rev. Dr. Joshua Mar Ignathios, Rev. Fr. Thomas Puthenparampil, the governing council members, heads of the departments, teachers, non-teaching staff and students for their sincere co-operation and dedication. Without them nothing could be done.

Bowing my head before the grace of God Almighty and praying for the guardianship and patronage of the servant of God, Geevarghese Mar Ivanios, I present the third annual report of the college, the collective effort of the Ivanion Family, Mavelikara for your personal knowledge.

Sincerely

Mavelikara 11 – 04 - 2018

Dr. K C Mathai (Principal)