

MORNING STAR HOME SCIENCE COLLEGE

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Annual Report 2021-2022

Alumnae association of Morning Star Home Science college stands as a strong pillar of support to the overall development of the college and the students. Ms. K Leena Joseph and Dr. Sr. Jisha Joseph were the staff coordinators and Mrs. Anitha K J was the Vice president of Alumnae Association.

ALUMNAE CORE TEAM MEMBERS MEETING

An online alumnae core team members meeting was held on 11th July 2021 at 11am on google meet. Ms. MeghaThampy, Alumnae Association secretary, welcomed the gathering. Principal Dr. Sr. Rosily A V presided over the function. The meeting decided to conduct departmental alumnae annual general body meetings and webinars on various topics in association with departments and alumnae as resource person. Ms.Donna John proposed voteof thanks.

ALUMNAE EXECUTIVE BODY MEETING

An online alumnae executive body meeting was held at 10 am on18th July 2021. Adv. Anitha K J, Alumnae Association vice president welcomed the gathering. Principal Dr. Sr. Rosily A V presided over the function. The meeting decided to strengthen the activities by giving training on paper bag making and develop students as entrepreneurs in association with Star entrepreneur centre of the college.





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DEPARTMENTAL ALUMNAE MEETING

Alumnae meetings of various departments were held and the members really enjoyed meeting their old friends. The date and time of alumnae general body meeting of various departments were Department of commerce (7th August 2021 at 11am), Department of Economics (7th August 2021 at 4 pm) Department of English (8th August 2021 at 11 am) Department of Home Science (8th August 2021 at 4.30 pm), Department of Chemistry (8th August 2021 at 5pm, Department of Zoology (8th August 2021 at 5.30 pm) and Department of Physics (14th August 2021 at 10 am).



SKILL ENHANCEMENT TRAINING IN PAPER BAG MAKING

Alumnae association of Morning Star Home Science College organized five days skill enhancement training programme in 'Paper Bag Making' on 31st August, 1st, 7th, 9th and 16th September 2022. The resource person was Sr Ashly, MSW, Freelance social worker and an Alumnae member of Morning Star College. 50 students from various departments actively participated in the training programme and they developed skill in making various types of paper bags such as small bags, textile and cake carrying bags. This program is organized with a view to reduce the use of plastic carry bags and to promote our policy of sustainability. The programme aims to equip the students with a skill which



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will later on help them to earn some pocket money and to channelize their misused time for creative purposes.







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WEBINAR SEREIS -ALUM WAVES

Alumnae association of Morning Star Home Science College in association with various departments organized webinar series - Alum Waves on various topics for the benefit of student community and qualified alumnae members as resource person.

The first talk of the webinar series- Alum waves:1 in association with department of chemistry was on the topic "ICT enabled tools for learning" on 10th August 2021 at 3 pm. The resource person was Dr. Ambily Pramitha P, HOD and Asst. Professor, School of Computer Science, De Paul institute of Science and Technology, Angamaly and an alumnae of chemistry,morning star home science college. In this digital era, the use of ICT enabled tools in the classroom is important to learn and apply the required 21st century skills. The issues and challenges related to ICT use in teaching and learning can assist students and teachers in overcoming the obstacles and become successful technology users. The session was very informative and around UG students were benefitted from the programme.





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The second talk of the webinar series- Alum waves:2 in association with department of commerce was on the topic "Entrepreneurship and youth in action" on 29th August 2021 at 11 am. The resource persons was Mrs Raji Thrikaripur, Highrich national promoter and Mrs. Dilsy Joy, Amrutham food supplement followed by experience sharing of Morning Star Alumnae entrepreneurs Ms, Mariya Cheriyan and Ms Jessil George discussing online startups and marketing strategies. The session was very interesting and 95 final year B.Com students and interested alumnae members were participated and benefitted from the programme.

The third talk of theWebinar series- Alum waves:3 was "Unlearning Gender Lessons" in association with Department of English on 3rd September 2021, Friday at 2:30 pm. Resource person was Dr. Lakshmi S., Head, Department of English, Government College, Thripunithura. The webinar was followed by interactive session and around UG and PG students were benefitted from the programme



Alumnae Association of Morning Star Home Science College, Angamaly in association with PG and Research Department of Home Science organized a Webinar Series Alum waves- 4 on 'Health and Hygiene' on 4th September 2021, Saturday at 3.00 pm. The first session was on 'Health' by Lakshmi Priya das, Dietitian, General Hospital, Ernakulam



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and Alumnae member of Department of Home Science. The second session was on Hygiene by Anju Krishna ,ICDS officer, ICDS Edappilly, Department of women and child development. Living in a healthy life style helps to prevent chronic diseases and long term illnesses. This programme assisted staff and students to protect themselves from infectious diseases and itsill health effects. 63 UG and PG students were benefitted from the programme.

Alumnae in association with Department of Zoology organized a webinar on the topic "Aids- an overview" on 1st October 2021 at 11:00 am. Ms Jissa George Ph D Scholar, Little flower. medical Research Centre Angamaly and Lecturer, NICDS, NIMS Medicity, Thiruvananthapuram was the resource person. The webinar on HIV/AIDS enabled the participants to increase awareness about HIV/AIDS, its impact, management and availability of support systems. and around 50 UG students were benefitted from the programme.

Alumnae association and PG Department of Economics jointly organized Webinar Series - Alum waves- 6 on the topic "An introduction to IPR" on 20th October 2021 at 2:00 pm. Ms Vinitha K B, Assistant Professor, PG Department of Economics, Marthoma college, Nilambur, Malappuram was the resource person. The webinar created an awareness on the various dimensions of intellectual property rights among the participants and around 78 final year UG and PG students of Economics department were participated and benefitted from the programme





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ENTREPRENEURSHIP IN PAPER BAG MAKING

Alumnae in association with Star entrepreneur centre of the college actively involved in paper bag making and 48 students from various departments benefitted from the programme. This program is organized with a view to equip the students to earn some pocket money and to channelize their misused time. Paper bags are 100% bio-degradable and recyclable, Cost effective and cheaper than plastic and cloth bags. This program helped them to earn while learn and develop entrepreneurial skills along with their studies that will be beneficial in the long run.



SHERLIN MEMORIAL ENDOWMENT

Sherlin Memorial Endowment prize of Rs. 25000/- for best outgoing UG Student was presented to Ms.Greeshma A U, Department of Zoology for outstanding academic performance along with curricular and extra- curricular activities and Rs. 15000/- as a financial assistance for a meritorious UG student was presented to Aleena Soy of II B Sc Chemistry on 16th March 2021.



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CONTRIBUTION OF ALUMNAE TO THE COLLEGE

- An alumnae of Morning Star Home Science College contributed an amount of Rs.100000/- to provide books to the college library
- Alumnae members contributed an amount of Rs. 14900/- to meet the travelling andother expenses of the sports stars of the college.
- Alumnae members contributed books to college library for an amount of Rs.16, 400/-
- Alumnae association of Morning Star Home Science College contributed Rs.2750/-for endowment prizes to the UG and PG top scorers of various departments in the university examination.