

## SACRED HEART COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS)

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## 2022-2023 Cultural Fest - Heart Beat' 2022 (Shift I)

The Cultural Fest - Heart Beat of Sacred Heart College, was conducted on  $17^{th}$  December, 2022, at 8.30 a.m. in the Kamarajar Arangam. The event began with a prayer song sung by the college choir. Rev. Dr. John Alexander, SDB, the Secretary and Rector of the College declared the Cultural Fest Heart Beat -2022 open.

Rev. Dr. D. Maria Antonyraj, SDB, the Principal, delivered the welcome address and introduced the chief guest, Thiru. Savari Muthu, a renowned film director and writer in Tamil film industry. In his address to the students, he congratulated the participants and insisted that, students should develop skills in such performing arts to have a holistic education.



The chief guest Thiru. Savari Muthu,

in his address to the audience narrated his early experiences at school and college. Being groomed by the Salesians, he owed his gratitude to them. Further, he insisted that, success will come only when we continue to do what we like. We should have clarity of what we want to achieve.



Eminent judges were invited to evaluate the performance of students for various events. Rev. Sr. Pragasi, FMA, P.G. Assistant in Commerce, Mary Immaculate Girls Hr. Sec. School, Tirupattur, congratulated the participants and said that students should take the positives, leave the negatives and be clear of what they wish to achieve.

Mrs. V.R. Priyadarshini, Assistant Professor of English, Auxillium College, (Autonomous), Vellore, lauded the students for exhibiting their

talents. She stated that, students need to find their inner talents. They need to be patient to find it. When their time comes they will be successful.

Mr. Kandan, Film Choreographer, Kalai Kudil Academy, Tirupattur, appreciated the students for their efforts. Everybody has talents but many do not make use of it. If not nurtured properly it may go to waste and therefore he said that,he was willing to train the students free of cost.

Teams that were shortlisted during the preliminary stage performed on the stage. The following were the events for the day: Group Singing, Mime for Boys, Skit for Girls and Group Dance for Boys and Girls. The Students participated enthusiastically and exhibited their talents. The Department of Business Administration won the first place for the group singing; the girls from the Department of Microbiology won the first place for Skit for Girls. For Boys Mime, the Department of Business Administration won the first place. The Department of Microbiology and English won the first place for Girls group dance and for the Boys the Department of Commerce won the first place.

The Girls from the Department of Biochemistry triumphed as the Overall Champions of Heart Beat – 2022. The Department of Commerce won the Overall Champions Rolling Trophy of Heart Beat 2022 for Boys.

Prizes and Certificates were given to the winners. The event concluded with the Vote of Thanks by Dr.S.R. Xavier Rajarathinam, the Vice - Principal, (Academics), Shift I. The event was coordinated by Rev. Dr. Theophil Anand, SDB, Vice - Principal (Admin) Shift I.

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## **HEART BEAT 2022 (SHIFT II)**



Heart Beat 2022-The Cultural Fest (Shift II), Sacred Heart College was conducted on 22<sup>nd</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup> of April, 2022. During the inaugural ceremony on the first day: Rev. Dr. K.A. Maria Arokiaraj, SDB, Additional Principal congratulated the participants and insisted

that, students should not only excel in studies; they should also develop skills in performing arts to have a holistic education. Boss Venkat, a renowned actor and director was the chief guest for the cultural fest. He motivated the students by sharing his experiences and life story. Events like: solo signing for boys and girls, solo dance for boys and girls, solo instrumental for departments and standup comedy (duos) were conducted and prizes and certificates were distributed.



On the second day Heart Beat 2022 was declared open by Rev. Dr. John Alexandar, SDB, Rector & Secretary. Mr. Leo Maria Francis, Professor and Counselor, Yellagiri, Sr. Mini Mascrene, SCB, St Charles Matriculation, Principal, Sr. Mary Vimala, SCB, ICS Principal and C.A. Joy Antony, Fashion Designer, Choreographer and Dancer, Chennai were invited to judge the performance of the students. Group singing,

Skit for boys, Mime for girls and Group Dance for both boys and girls were conducted. Competitions such as: Poem Writing (English & Tamil) Pencil Sketch, Face Painting, Paper Craft, Elocution (English & Tamil), Meme Pictures, Meme Videos, Photography, Short Film, Mehandhi, Ads-up, Poster Making, Dubsmash, Fireless Cooking Competition and Solo instrumental were organized as off stage events prior to the final day celebrations. The Department of Tamil won the first place for Boys and Department of English won first place for Girls. Mr. C. A. Joy Antony distributed the certificates and trophies to the winners. Mr. A. Peter Conisious Prabu, Assistant Professor, Dept. of English proposed the vote of thanks.

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