# ANNUAL ALUMNI DAY - 2020

# **SHC Alumni Association**

### Sacred Heart College (Autonomous), Tirupattur, Vellore Dist

#### 26<sup>th</sup> January, 2020

# **Annual Report**

We the Executive Committee of the Sacred Heart College Alumni Association is having the pleasure of presenting this Annual Report for the year 2019-20.

The grace and guidance of the Spirit of God has enshrined us to proceed with the following activities of Alumni Association in the Year 2019 & 20.

### 1. Annual Alumni Day 2019

The programme started with the Annual Alumni Day of Sacred Heart College held on 24<sup>th</sup> February, 2019. 162 alumni members and 135 faculty members participated in this meet. The meeting started with registration at 9 am. The Volunteers have supported the Alumni members with warm welcome and the Annual General Body meeting was started at 10.30 am. It commenced with a prayer song followed by the Welcome Address by Dr. S.M. Krishnan, President, Alumni Association. Rev. Dr. Antony Raj SDB, Rector, has initiated the introduction of the alumni members gathered. Followed by Rev. Dr. D. Maria Antony Raj SDB, Principal and Past Pupils Unit Delegate shared with Alumni about important events happened at Sacred Heart College. Principal and the Past Pupils Unit Delegate.

Dr. C.R. Christi Anandan, Secretary of SHC Alumni Association has presented the Annual Report of the Alumni Association. Mr. Nocola Prakash the Treasurer of SHC Alumni Association has presented the Financial Report.

Dr. Viswanathan the Former Vice Chancellor of Anna University and the day's' Chief Guest addressed the audience.

 SHC ALUMNI App: As an important initiative in the year SHC Alumni Association has developed SHC Alumni App which could be downloaded from Google Play Store. Dr. Viswanathan the Chief guest of the Day has launched the App.

### 3. Executive Committee Meetings

We had 13 formal Executive Committee meetings in this annum and several informal meetings to facilitate the activities and plan for the course of action. The Executive Members were so cooperative and supportive to collaborate and take charge of the activities.

### 4. Chennai Provincial Council Meetings

The Chennai Provincial Council Meetings were regularly attended by the Executive Committee members which were held in St. Mary's, Broadway and Don Bosco Hr. Sec. School, Pannur. Meetings were represented by SHC Alumni Association by our Executive Members Dr. C.R. Christi Anandan, Mr. A. Gopinathen and Mr. Nicola Prakash.

# 5. Alumni Association Chapter & Batch Meetings

Alumni Association represented as well been part organizing various chapter and batch meetings of Alumni within SHC Campus and Chapter meetings in other locations.

#### **Hosur SHC HR Chapter Meetings:**

We had two MSW HR Chapter meetings at Hosur 28<sup>th</sup> February 2019 and 21<sup>st</sup> August 2019 in each of these gatherings we had more than 30 HR Mangers have participated. These gatherings were organized to have an interactive session with the present HR students of the Department.

# **Ruby Jubilee Celebration of Department of Social Work:**

Celebrating 40 years of its inception, Department has taken initiative to organize multiple functions to bring in the participation of alumni of Social Work Department. Inaugural programme was held on 19<sup>th</sup> July 2019. There were 67 Alumni Members and former faculty members present. The grand Ruby Jubilee celebration was held on 07<sup>th</sup> and 08<sup>th</sup> December 2019. At this programme we had representation from first batch to the last and 137 members of alumni and 85 present batch students have participated in the event. Fr. K.M. Jose SDB, Provincial, Chennai Salesian Province has celebrated the mass with the note of appreciation.

# Reunion of 1973-74 PUC Batch:

The PUC Batch of 1973-74 has come together on 15<sup>th</sup> December 2019 after 45 years of their studies. 50 members have come together with the able leadership of batch mates including Mr. Kolandaivel, Dr. Mohan Das and Mr. Anbarasan. The event was a great celebration as they could recollect all their memories. They have shared their memories and they have also paid Rs. 25,000/- towards College Development. And Members have also promised to sponsor Rs. 50,000/- further.

#### Batch meetings of Physics 2011-14 Shift II:

On 17<sup>th</sup> January 2020 Department of Physics Shift II has organized 2011-14 Batch meet. 14 Alumni members have come together and shared their togetherness and goodwill towards the College. Prof. C. Tirupathy has coordinated the event.

#### **Reunion of Commerce Students:**

On 17<sup>th</sup> January 2020 Students of 32 students of Commerce and 4 former faculty members have come together for sharing their memories. They have honored Rev. Fr. Principal and former faculty members. We thank the batch volunteers who have taken efforts to coordinate this meeting.

# 6. Coffee Painting Workshop for the Slum children

- 7. Well-wishers Meeting with Regional Director South Asia.
- 8. Meeting with Rector Major
- 9. Sharing Snacks for the Evening Study Children
- 10. Meal for Govt. High School Children

### 11. Sharing Day with Mahathma Gandhi Old Age Home

The SHC Alumni Association has organized a Sharing Day with Elderly persons in Mahatma Gandhi Old age Home, Tirupattur on 17<sup>th</sup> December 2018.

# 12. SHC Alumni App

SHC Alumni App was proposed and initiated with the able support of Mr. Bosco the faculty of Computer Science. This App will facilitate the linkages with alumni and as an interface with College.

### 13. Alumni Chit Fund

The Alumni Association has initiated 2 Groups of Alumni Chit Fund towards the support to Alumni as well as a revenue generation activity for the Association.

#### 14. Alumni Participation in NAAC Assessment

45 Alumni Members have participated in the discussion with the NAAC Assessment Team. The Alumni Feedback was much appreciated in their review. We on behalf of Alumni Association we register our sincere appreciations and gratitude for the same.

#### 15. Silver Jubilee Batch Meet of Physics Department

Silver Jubileee Batch of Physics Department has come together on 28.09.2018 to celebrate their memories with provision of Scholarships to 16 students and sponsored a Conference in the month of January 2019.

#### 16. Annual and Life Membership

The initiative of gathering membership has increased Annual Members with the list of 56 Life Members. However, our sincere apologies for the delay in getting the ID cards for them.

At the outset I thank Rev. Fr. C. Antony Raj, Rector and Secretary of the College and Rev. Fr. D. Maria Antony Raj, the Principal and Delegate of SHC Alumni Association for their support and guidance. As a supportive team the Executive Committee has rendered their support for planning and actualizing the programmes and we could not also carry out planned activities which we would like carry out in the future. Thank you.

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