

ALL SAINTS' COLLEGE, THIRUVANANTHAPURAM
UNION AND ARTS CLUB ACTIVITIES 2021-2022

ONAM REPORT

The Onam celebration for the year 2021, 'Pennonam Ponnannam', convened by the All Saints' College Action Committee, 2021, was celebrated virtually due to pandemic constraints. The program was premiered on You Tube from August 20th to August 21st, with the students putting up brilliant performances, despite the constraints of doing it from home in spite of the raging pandemic, all the while keeping up with the safety precautions. The celebrations started off with a message from the principal, Dr. Reshmi R. Prasad, who emphasized on the concept and importance of togetherness and sense of community we have to acquire as students in spite of the present constraints. An Onam message was given by R. Vlasalakumari IAS, former executive director, Kudumbashree and former collector, Pattanamthitta. The cultural programs were shown next, presented as a narrative by Mahabali, Vamanan and the students of the college. The results of the 'Malayali Manka' contest was released on 21st of August. This year's pageant focused on inclusivity and body positivity.











TEACHERS' DAY REPORT

Teachers' Day is celebrated in India, every year on the 5th of September to pay a tribute to the unconditional love and service rendered to the students by the exemplar mentors. This day is celebrated to commemorate the birth anniversary of the renowned teacher, philosopher, the Bharat Ratna recipient and former President of India, Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan. The ASC Action Committee organized an online programme on the 5th of September, 2021 to salute the unspoken heroes of All Saints' College. The ASC Action Committee organized an online programme on the 5th of September, 2021 to salute the unspoken heroes of All Saints' College. The Teachers' Day Message was delivered by Rev.

Fr. George Mathew Karoor, the secretary to Moran Mor Baselios Cardinal Cleemis, the major archbishop catholicos of the Syro-Malankara Catholic Church. Father was one among the five teachers nationwide to have been selected for the National Award for Best Teachers in 2013, instituted by the Government of India. After the speech, a skit was presented by the students of the Action Committee depicting the hardships faced by teachers, while conducting online classes during the Covid pandemic. As the skit came to an end, various cultural events by the different departments of All Saints' College unfurled. The event was a novel experience and was enjoyed equally by both teachers and students.





FRESHERS' DAY REPORT

All Saints' College gave a warm reception to the newcomers of 2021 by gifting them a memorable Freshers' Day. The Freshers' Day was held on 19th November at the All Saints' Auditorium. The event was organized by the ASC Action Committee 2021 – 2022. The auditorium turned house full and became alive after a long gap of 1.5 years. The students and the faculty were in true spirits and were excited throughout the day. The main attraction of the day was the Best Fresher Contest. The selected contestants were called upon to compete in the contest on Freshers' Day. Dr. Reshma J K and Dr. Soniya J Nair served as the judges for the Best Fresher Contest. The cultural programs kickstarted by the performance of the eastern dance team. And after a long series of gala performances, the results of the Best Fresher Contest were announced at the end of the day.







XMAS CELEBRATION REPORT

All Saints' College presented a grand gala of Christmas celebration with the luxury of festive, competitive and eventful days enhancing the spirit of Christmas and enlightening the bloom of love for everyone. The ALL saints' Action Committee structured and developed three days of Christmas celebration winding the days 16th, 21st and 23rd of December. The days were splendidly arranged with competition, food, games, presentations, celebrations and all such vigor.

On day 1, We witnessed a greenified campus, where the entire students and staff came in green attires, adding extra beauty to our already nature-friendly campus. We rejoiced in our spirit of college Christmas celebrations after a long one and a half years. Our beloved Principal Dr. Reshmi R Prasad graced the podium, officially inaugurating the Christmas celebrations. The day started with the Interdepartmental Carol singing competition '*Silver Bells*'. Several individual competitions were also held throughout the campus. The 2nd day started with the Xmas dance competitions

'Spotlight Reindeers'. Later in the afternoon, we had the interdepartmental Christmas space decoration competition '*Merry Land*'.

La' Fest, the final day of celebration started with a bang of excitement and anticipation. The eventful day began with the prize distribution to the winners of competitions which held on the previous days. The colourful day started with the performance of the college eastern dance team,

followed by sisters' carol, teachers' carol, Christmas drama, performance by western dance teams of Dc1 and Dc3, harmony club, fashion team, yesterday v/s today presentation, cinematic dances, seniors' dance fiesta and several individual performances. Thus, The Christmas celebrations of 2021 ended with a great bang, wishing everyone a happy and prosperous new year.







UNION ELECTION 2021-22

The Union election for the academic year was conducted on the 15th of February.
The College Union began the cultural activities with the Annual Film Festival

Film Festival

All Saints' College hosted its annual film festival this year giving students an opportunity to appreciate different genres of films and celebrate the art of filmmaking. The Film Festival 2022 was held at the All Saints' auditorium on the 18th and 19th of March 2022.



The auditorium turned house full on both days. The students and faculty were in true spirits and excited throughout the day. The tickets were pre-booked for the shows but spot counters were also open for the students and faculty who wished to come forward that day. The fare was set at Rs. 200 per person for four films. The films were selected based on four languages namely English, Malayalam, Hindi, and Tamil. Two movies from each language were selected and put up for a poll for the students to decide on the college union's official social media account and also through a google form.

The first day screenings were the 2022 Tamil thriller movie *Maaran* and the 2012 English horror movie *Sinister*. On the second day, we had 'Super 30' an inspirational biographical movie about the educator Anand Kumar and his educational programme of the same name. The second screening that day was the 2022 Malayalam coming-of-age drama 'Super Saranya'. Even though all four films had an almost equal impact on their audience 'Super 30' became a fan favourite due to its emotional appeal. The two-day long film festival was wrapped up on Saturday 19th of March.

COLLEGE UNION AND ARTS CLUB INAUGURATION



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DR. USHA TITUS IAS



RAJALAKSHMY
(PLAYBACK SINGER)

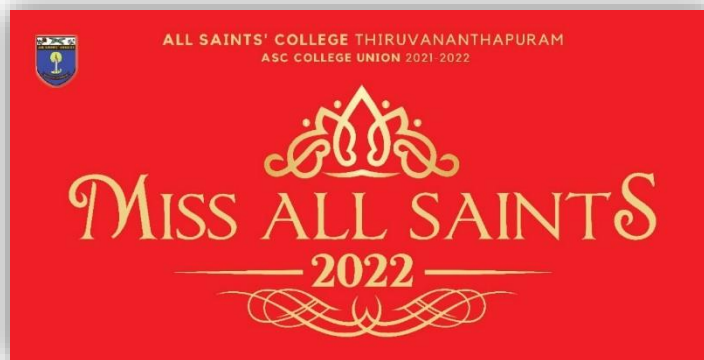
The College Union and Arts Club were inaugurated concurrently on the 24th of March this year. The ceremony began at sharp 10.30 am in the auditorium. The chief guests for the day were Dr Usha Titus IAS and the well-known playback singer Ms Rajalakshmy. Our beloved principal graced the podium and presented the presidential address. Our chief guests inaugurated the ceremony by lighting the lamp. Dr Usha Titus addressed our students with her inspiring speech and Ms Rajalekshmy made the audience lively with her melodious voice. The union members took their oath and were officially in service to students and the college.



Following the Arts Club inauguration, the college organized a Cultural Week. The cultural week spanned a total of three days from 23rd to the 25th of March. The students were encouraged to exhibit their talents in the fields of performing arts, theatre arts, fine arts and literature.

MISS ALL SAINTS' 2022

The Miss All Saints' 2022 was held at the college auditorium on Saturday the 26th of March. The auditorium was packed to witness one of the auspicious occasions of our college after a gap of 2 years.



The Miss All Saints' competition, was conducted in three rounds and the selected students were called upon to compete for the title. Gadha Vijayan, Malavika B. Menon and Diya Chandana greeted the audience and welcomed the guests.

. Our chief guests for the day Ms Meenakshi Krishna, Ms Rekha Nair and Ms Latha Kurien served as judges for the competition. The day was filled with cultural events ranging from power-packed dances to traditional music and theme shows. The students from every department came forward to exhibit their talents in various genres of art. The cultural programs kickstarted by the performance of the Eastern dance team followed by a duet dance from the department of Communicative English, a group dance performance by our hostel students 'Chums on Fleek' and a solo musical by Merry Kalathil Justus of DC2 Bcom. Finance. Then held the first round of the much-awaited first round of Miss All Saints' 2022.

The tensivity of the first round was blown away by the African song performed by the department of English Literature led by Sandra Thejus, which was followed by dance numbers from the departments of Physics, Communicative English and Botany, solo performances from Sandra S of DC3 Communicative English and Devika of DC1 Economics.

The event moved on to the second round of the Miss All Saints', talent round. After the second round, five contestants were selected for the final round. After a series of performances by the Harmony club and Final flash dance team, the results of the special day were announced.

Ann Theresa Lasar of DC3 English literature was crowned as the Miss All Saints' of 2022 while Aarsha Gireesh of DC3 Comm. English and Aleena Saajan of DC2 Zoology bagged the first and second runners up respectively.



KERALA UNIVERSITY YOUTH FESTIVAL

The Kerala University Youth Festival was held in April this year from 23rd to 27th at Kollam. The management and college union ensured maximum participation of students for both group as well as individual events.



Our students put forward great competition through their participation in a total of 43 events which include 38 individual events and 5 group events. The college team secured the first position for both Group dance and Oppana. Sreenandana Hari of DC3 Chemistry bagged 2nd position for two events namely, Classical Music and Ghazal, and Aarcha Shaji of DC2 Zoology secured 3rd place for Malayalam poetry writing.





