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Centre of Women's Excellence

Anti – Sexual Harassment Cell\

2018 - 2019

The Anti-Sexual Harassment Cell conducted a meeting on "Awareness of Sexual abuse" on 1st October 2018 in the college Auditorium. The chief guest Mr. David Prathiban addressed the students on abuse of women.





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Anti – Sexual Harassment Cell 2019 - 2020

The Anti-sexual Harassment Cell of the College organised an awareness programme on 'Sexual Assault Prevention' on 08 July 2019 at 2.30p.m. in the auditorium. Mr. Prakash, Deputy Superintendent of Police, Thoothukudi Town, addressed the first and second year students on the ways to oppose the sexual harassment and the supportive laws to prevent sexual abuse. He also revealed the latest technologies created for the security of women. Mrs.Muthulakshmi, Inspector, All Women Police station, Thoothukudi, explained the current issues against women with various examples from life. The Principal, Rev.Dr.Sr.A.S.J Lucia Rose and Dr. C. Shibana presided over the programme.



• Anti-sexual harassment Cell organised an awareness programme on 'Prevention of sexual harassment of women' on 24 February. Mrs.V.Subashini B.A., B.L., Public Prosecutor, Mahila court, Thoothukudi addressed the first year students on how to oppose the sexual harassment and on the supportive laws to prevent sexual abuse. Students enquired the resource person about ways of approaching the authority and report the abuse. Dr.Sr.C.Shibana, Deputy Principal presided over the function. Dr. G. Priscilla, Ms. K.Saravana Devi and Ms Maria Nevis Jeyaseeli organised the meeting and motivated the students to raise their voice boldly against any sort of abuse meted out by them.



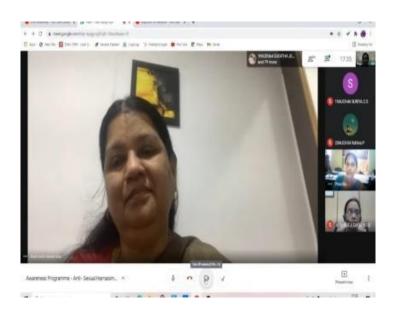
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Anti – Sexual Harassment Cell 2020 - 2021

The Anti-sexual Harassment Cell organised a special address on "Vinnil Pathi Mannil Pathi" on 31 March 2021 at 5.00 p.m. through online mode. Ms. A. Arulmozhi, Advocate, Madras High Court addressed the first and second year students about the freedom of women. She discussed two important declarations for women and how to make proper and right use of the technology. She also added that women should be aware of the right to speech and to know when and where to use it. She insisted that women are to be inculcated with the knowledgeof politics.





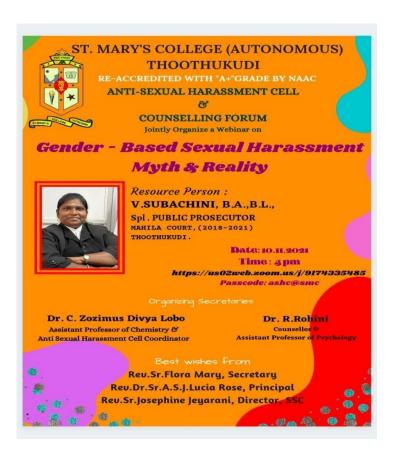
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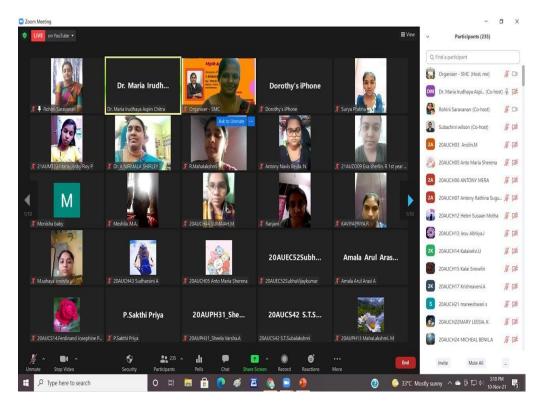
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Anti – Sexual Harassment Cell 2021 - 2022

- **♣** Gender-Based Sexual Harassment Myth and Reality
- Invitation



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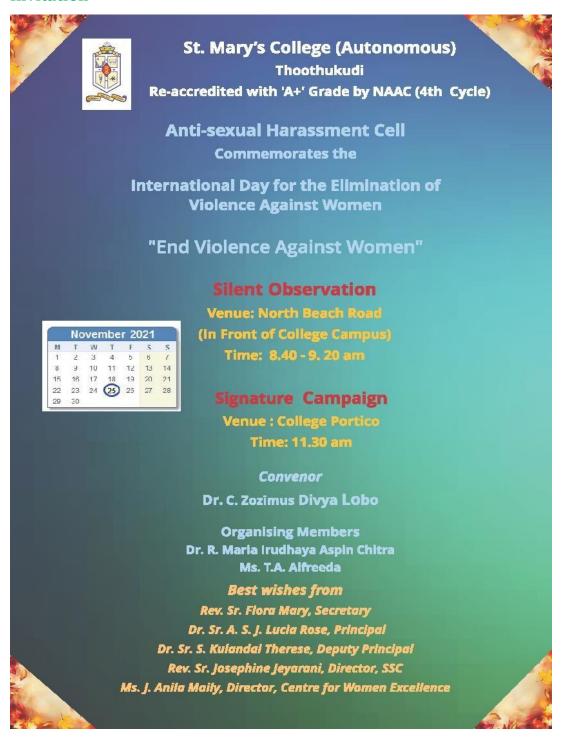


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The Anti Sexual Harassment Cell organized an awareness program on the topic "Gender-Based Sexual Harassment Myth and Reality" on 10.11.2021 through Zoom Platform mode of a webinar. Ms.V.Subachini B.A., B.L., Spl. Public Prosecutor, Mahila Court Thoothukudi was the resource person. She gave an awareness talk related to the prevention of sexual harassment, how to know the unwelcomed sexually determined behavior and the ways to ensure a safe environment for girls. Students actively participated and clarified their doubts in the question-answer session. 337 students and 20 Faculty were attended the meet.

↓ International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women

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Anti-sexual Harassment Cell

Commemorates the

International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women

"Cost of Being Silent : Recognising and Combating
Abuse in Relationships"



Convenor Dr. C. Zozimus Divya Lobo

Organising Members
Dr. R. Maria Irudhaya Aspin Chitra
Ms. T.A. Alfreeda

Resource Person

Ms. Meera Iyer, Head, Counselling Division, Emango Education Pvt. Ltd., Faridabad, Haryana





Best wishes from

Rev. Sr. Flora Mary, Secretary

Dr. Sr. A. S. J. Lucia Rose, Principal

Dr. Sr. S. Kulandai Therese, Deputy Principal

Rev. Sr. Josephine Jeyarani, Director, SSC

Ms. J. Anila Maily, Director, Centre for Women Excellence

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The Anti-sexual Harassment Cell of the college Commemorated the International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women on 26.11.2021. The title of the programme was "End Violence against Women".

The programme had three sessions. The first session was Silent Observation. The session was conducted at North Beach Road (In Front of College Campus) from 8.40 - 9. 20 am.

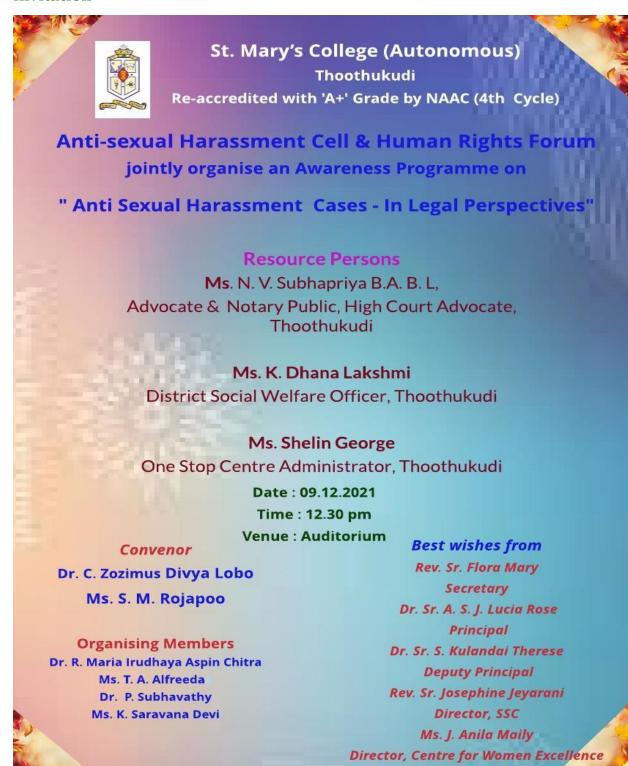
In the second session A Signature Campaign was conducted. The venue of the second session was College Portico at 11.30am.

In the third session an online webinar was organized. The topic of the webinar was "Cost of Being Silent: Recognising and Combating Abuse in Relationships". The webinar was organized on the Zoom platform at 4pm. The master ceremony was prepared by Alfreeda T.A, Assistant Professor, and Department of Economics. The programme was started with the welcome address of Dr. C.Zozimus Divya Lobo, Assistant professor, Department of Chemistry. The Resource Person of the webinar was Ms. Meera Iyer, Head, Counselling Division, Emango Education Pvt . Ltd. Faridabad, Haryana, She talked about all the dimensions of cost of being silent in abusive relations. She pointed out the need of recognising and combating abuse in relationships. She condemned violence against women. She discussed from the historical dimension of this problem of violence against women to the prevailing legal remedies. She strongly argued that this social and legal problem must be eliminated from all society. The vote of thanks was delivered by Dr.R.Maria Irudhaya Aspin Chitra, Assistant Professor, Department of Mathematics. The programme ended with the college anthem. The programme had best wishes from Rev. Sr. Flora Mary, Secretary Dr. Sr. A. S. J. Lucia Rose, Principal. Dr. Sr. S. Kulandai Therese, Deputy Principal Rev. Sr. Josephine Jeyarani, Director, SSC, Ms. J. Anila Maily, Director, Centre for Women Excellence. The organizing team comprises of Convenor, Dr. C. Zozimus Divya Lobo and Organising Members Dr. R. Maria Irudhaya Aspin Chitra and Ms. T.A. Alfreeda.

YouTube Link: https://youtu.be/j83k5JH QCY

♣ Anti - Sexual Harassment-In Legal Perspectives

> Invitation



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Anti - Sexual Harassment cell and Human Rights Forum of St. Mary's College (Autonomous), Thoothukudi jointly organise an awareness meeting on 9.12.21 on the title Anti - Sexual Harassment-In Legal Perspectives. Dr. Sr. Kulandai Therese, Deputy Principal, Rev. Sr. Josephine Jeyarani, Director of Self-Supporting Course and Ms. Anila Maily, Director of Centre for Women Excellence graced the occasion. Ms. S. M. Rojapoo, Assistant Professor of History welcomed the gathering. Ms. N. V. SubhaPriya Advocate, Kovilpatti, Thoothukudi District was the resource person. She addressed the essence of Anti - Sexual Harassment Act and its latest amendments with special reference to complaint mechanisms to redress the grievences. It was followed by the Interactive session which provided the students a chance to raise their queries to the resource person. Dr. C. Zozimus Divya Lobo, Assistant Professor of Chemistry proposed the vote of thanks. The meeting ended with the college anthem. Students and faculty from various disciplines were the beneficiaries.



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2022 - 2023

Anti – sexual Harassment Cell under the Centre for Women's Excellence' organised a Gender Sensitization Awareness Programme on "Preventing Sexual Harassment Against Women" on 27thOctober 2022. Dr. M. Vaijo Prema, Assistant Professor of History, Sarah Tucker College, Tirunelveli was the resource person. She delivered a speech on the types of sexual harassment and the effective ways to prevent sexual harassment. 252 students of II year of all departments were the participants.