

St. Mary's College (Autonomous)
Reaccredited with 'A+' Grade by NAAC (Cycle IV)
Thoothukudi



Criterion: V - Student Support and Progression 5.3 - Student Participation and Activities Year: 2018-2023

- 5.3.3 The institution conducts / organizes following activities:
- 1. Sports competitions/events 2. Cultural competitions/events
- 3. Technical fest/Academic fest 4. Any other events through Active clubs and forums

Technical fest / Academic fest 2019 - 20

#### **Technical Fest**

#### Marians Techwizz 20 - 20

Department of Computer Science, St. Mary's College (Autonomous) organized an Intercollegiate Competition "Marians Techwizz 20-20" held on 10.02.2020. Seventeen teams from thirteen Colleges participated. Totally seven Technical Events were conducted. Holy Cross Home Science College, Thoothukudi won the Overall Trophy and Kamaraj College won the Runner up Trophy









Winners of Techwizz 20 - 20

#### **Marian Star Science Fest 2020**

As a part of Marian Star Science Fest 2020, National level short film making competition on "scientific concepts" was organized on 21st February, 2020. Six teams from various institutions had participated. Among six teams, 2 participants were from Uttar Pradesh. Short films on different scientific concepts like time travel, importance of plants, Newton's law, detrimental of cell phones, superstitions beliefs were displayed. I prize was given to the team from Kamaraj College (Regular). II and III prizes were secured by the team from Dr. Sivanthi Aditanar College of Engineering and Kamaraj College (SF) respectively.



## **Academic Fest**

## Marian Star Phys Chem Quizzle"19

The Marian Star Phys Chem Quizzle"19 sponsored by the DBT, Government of India, New Delhi was organised by the School of Physical Sciences, St. Mary's College (Autonomous), on 14<sup>th</sup> August 2019 in the college auditorium.

#### Marian Star Bio Quizzle'19

A Quiz Competition was organised by the School of Biological Sciences, St. Mary's College (Autonomous) as a part of Star College Programme on 14<sup>th</sup> August in the Star Hall. The quiz competition was organized for the undergraduate students of biological sciences (Botany, Zoology, Biochemistry and Microbiology)



# **Emporio Zest-2019**

A one-day State Level Inter-Collegiate competition "Emporio Zest-2019" was held on 25.09.2019. Mr. Irwin Victoria, Airtel Super Singer fame was the guest of honor and Mr. Vinoth, Founder of O2 dance Studio gave the valedictory address. Students from various colleges actively participated in all the events. Holy Cross Home Science College won the overall winner trophy

#### Histo - Fest 2019

An Inter-Collegiate Competition Histo-Fest 2019 was hosted on 26.09. 2019 to celebrate World Tourism Day. Dr. S. Gowsalya Baskaran, Former Principal of Chermathai Vasan College, Madurai gave the inaugural address. Various competitions were conducted and five colleges participated. Dr. A. Devaraj, Assistant Professor in History, Kamaraj College, Thoothukudi gave the valedictory address and distributed the prizes for the winners



Winners of Histo – Fest 2019

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## Gandhi Jayanthi

To commemorate the 150<sup>th</sup> year of Gandhi Jayanthi, various competitions like Eco Carpet, Pencil Drawing and Power Point Presentation were conducted on 30.09.2019 by the Department of History.

## Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi

150th Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi was celebrated on 30.09.2019 by the Department of Tamil. Various competitions like Elocution, Essay writing and Poetry Writing competitions were conducted



**Elocution Competition** 

#### Elizabetiano Fiesta

The Department of English (SSC), St.Mary"s College (Autonomous) Thoothukudi, conducted an Intra- Departmental Literary fest, "Elizabetiano Fiesta" on 23.10.2019 to introduce and encourage the students of the department to the literary competitions, to help them participate in the literary competitions conducted in various colleges. The aim for Criterion V

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conducting the fiesta was to strengthen the confidence of the students. Dr.Joycilin Shermila, Principal and Associate Professor of English, Annammal College of Education for Women, Thoothukudi, inaugurated the fiesta and delivered the inaugural speech on Elizabethan age. She highlighted the important aspects of the Elizabethan age and its culture. The fiesta had competitions like, verse recitation, verse writing, extempore, collage, poster painting, Power Point Presentation, Skit, Tableau, Connections, Literary Dance, Tourn coat and Literary Parade. The students participated enthusiastically. Dr.Sr.Shibana, deputy Principal, St.Mary's College (Autonomous) Thoothukudi, delivered the Valedictory speech and gave away the prizes to the winners of various events. The students exhibited their talents and learnt more through the "Elizabetiano Fiesta 2019"



**Young Budding Actresses on Stage** 



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## **Birth Anniversary of Bharathiyar**

137<sup>th</sup> Birth Anniversary of Bharathiyar was celebrated by the Department of Tamil on 09.12.2019. State Level Elocution, Essay writing & Poetry Writing Competitions were conducted for College Students. 75 Students from other Colleges participated. Our Principal Dr.Sr.A.S.J. Lucia Rose distributed the prizes to the winners

#### Zealit2020

The PG and Research Department of English organised an Intercollegiate Literary Fest, Zealit2020 on 29<sup>th</sup> January 2020 on the theme Elizabethan Exuberances. Seven literary events were organised in which the students from various colleges participated. The programme began with the prayer song by the Marians. Dr.Joycilin Shermila, Principal, Annammal College of Education, Tuticorin, presided over the inaugural ceremony and delivered the keynote address. Dr.JuditSheelaDamayanthi, Associate Professor of English welcomed the gathering. The Valedictory ceremony of Zealit2020 was held at 3.30 p.m. Dr.Jacqulaine Leo, Associate 38 Professor of English welcomed the gathering. Rev.Dr.Sr.A.S.J.Lucia Rose, the Principal presided over the Valedictory Ceremony and distributed the prizes to the winners of various events. The Overall Winner Trophy was bagged by St.John's College, Palayamkottai and St.Xavier's College, Palayamkottai won the Overall Runner Trophy. The Vote of Thanks of the Valedictory Ceremony was proposed by Ms.PatriciaRomila, Assistant Professor of English. The active and enthusiastic cooperation of the staff and students of the Department of English made the event a success. The event came to an end with the College Anthem.







## **Inaugural & Valedictory Ceremony**

## **Marian Star Science Fest 2020**

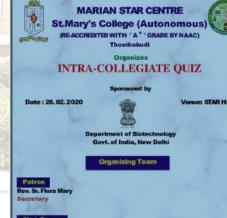
An Interschool quiz competition (Science Quiz) was organized for the school children of Thoothukudi district as a part of Marian Star Science Fest 2020 by Marian Star Centre, sponsored by DBT, Star College Programme, New Delhi in the STAR Hall, on 20<sup>th</sup> February 2020. Ten schools had registered for the quiz competition. The students of Holy Cross Anglo-Indian School, Thoothukudi, bagged the first prize. The team from Spic School, Spic Nagar and the team from Alagar Public School, Tuticorin won the second and the third prizes respectively.



## **Science Day Celebrations**

As part of the science day celebrations inter-collegiate competitions were organized under Star college scheme sponsored by Department of Biotechnology, Govt. of India, and New Delhi by Marian Star Centre on 21<sup>st</sup> February 2020 from 9A.M to 4P.M. Nine off stage events like collage, logo making, slogan writing, poetry, photography, clay modelling, vegetable carving, poster making and art from waste were arranged in various halls. Twenty teams from colleges in and around Thoothukudi participated actively in the competition

As a part of science day celebrations an intra-collegiate quiz competition was conducted under the Star College program supported by DBT, New Delhi on 26<sup>th</sup> February, 2020 in the Star Hall between 2 pm and 4 pm. UG students of the Science Departments (Botany, Zoology, Physics, Chemistry, Maths and Computer Science) of our college were the participants. One UG student from each department represented a team. Six teams participated in the quiz competition



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