

2020 – 2021

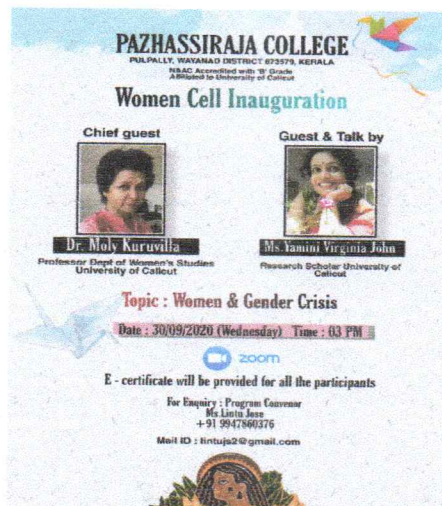
Women cell

Pazhassiraja College, Pulnally

Because of the pandemic situation, all the programs of Women cell in this year were conducted through online platforms.

Women Cell Inauguration (30/09/2019 Wednesday)

On 30/09/2020, the inauguration of Women cell was started with prayer at 3.00 pm. The Women Cell Coordinator Ms. Lintu Jose welcomed everyone. The college Vice Principal Dr. Dileep M.R presided over the program. The Founding Director of Centre for Women's studies, Dr. Moly Kuruvilla inaugurated the program. She talked about the challenges faced by women in today's society and also about the precautions we should take. Self financing programme coordinator Prof. Thara Philip felicitated the programme. She gave a very motivational talk to empower the students. College bursar Fr. George Alumoottil, CEO Fr. Varghese Kollammavudy and staff secretary Dr. Teena also felicitated the program. Ms. Mehtha K.M(BVoc) gave vote of thanks.





✚ Webinar on “Women and Gender Crisis in Covid-19” (30/09/2020 Wednesday)

As a part of women cell inauguration, a webinar was conducted on the topic 'Women and Gender Crisis in Covid- 19. Ms. Yamini Virginia John took the classes. She is a research scholar in the Dept. of Women’s Studies, University of Calicut. She discussed about gender, gender equality, health behaviours, gender violence, challenges for higher education and education for girls in the pandemic situation. The class was very interesting and fruitful to all those who attended the webinar. About 250 students were participated in the webinar.

Unpacking Gender

- ▶ WHAT IS GENDER
- ▶ Socially constructed performance of roles, behaviours, activities, ideas and identities, attributes that a given society considers appropriate for men and women

This construction will take effect from our earliest years, and on into adulthood.

And while women are more and more present in the workforce, they still remain the only ones in charge of the household.

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GENDER DYNAMICS OF COVID 19 PANDEMIC

- ▶ Pandemic is not gender neutral
- ▶ Differential impact on women and men, boys and girls
- ▶ Differential vulnerabilities due to their social and economic roles in the different societies they live in
- ▶ DEEPENS INEQUALITIES
- ▶ HEALTH AND HEALTH BEHAVIOURS
- ▶ Mortality is higher ? Is it physiological or social?
- ▶ Consequences for women- female headed households, female earners, care giving responsibility and exposure

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GENDER DYNAMICS OF COVID 19 PANDEMIC

- ▶ GENDER BASED VIOLENCE AND INTIMATE PARTNER VIOLENCE
- ▶ Frustrated, unemployed, and stress
- ▶ Struggling to access tobacco and alcohol anger through physical, verbal and sexual assault
- ▶ Domestic violence - space and access to public sphere, no conflict management, how to

BUILDING BACK BETTER

- ▶ Let's take advantage of these times, during which families will stay at home, in order to *promote gender equality* among all.
- ▶ In these days of confinement, *distribute care and domestic tasks equally* among men and women in the family.
- ▶ Violence is never an adequate response to differences of opinion, to stress, or to any other factor. If girls, adolescents or women are experiencing situations of violence, seek help as soon as possible.

▶ NEVER WASTE A CRISIS

- ▶ You are the future ! This world is yours for the taking
- ▶ Stay positive and build back better

✚ Craft making class(19/11/2020 Thursday)

On 19/11/2021, women cell organized a craft-making class for girl students through Zoom online platform. Mrs Sruthi A took the classes. She is a professional artist and dancer. She demonstrated how to make some crafts during the session. 30 students from various departments have participated. The session was very useful and interesting. Ms Dhrishya M of the Microbiology department gave the vote of thanks.



✚ Essay writing competition (04/03/2021 Thursday)

In connection with international women's day, an online essay writing competition was conducted on 4/3/21. The topic was ' the society and, the woman in new Malayalam films'. 12 students from various departments participated in the competition. Mr Jishnu K. Nair, Assistant Professor in the Malayalam department, announced the results on 08/03/2021,

International Women's Day. Anjana Suresh(second-year MCJ) won first place. Amalendhu (second-year History) and Nishana C.K (BVoc Agriculture) won second place. Aswathi T.S of Economics department Won third place. Mr Jishnu K. Nair congratulated all the participants and winners. Also, he gave an inspiring speech on women's right.



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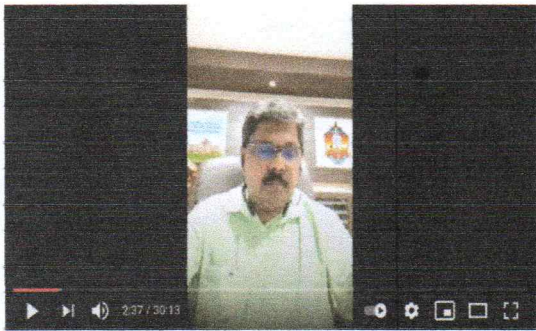
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🚩 International Women's Day Celebration(08/03/2021, Monday)

On 08/03/2021 we celebrated International Women's day through online. The Women cell convenor, Ms Lintu Jose, welcomed everyone. College Principal, Dr Anilkumar K, presided over the programme. He gave a brief introduction about the history of International women's day. The programme was inaugurated by Smt K.C Rosakkutty Teacher, KPCC Vice President and former chairperson of Kerala Women's Commission. She talked about the theme of international women's day this year. The hashtag in this year was #tochallenge. The teacher talked about the challenges that a woman facing now and some remedies to them. Self-financing programme coordinator Prof. Thara Philip felicitated the programme. She gave a motivational speech to all students. College bursar Fr. George Alumoottil, CEO Fr. Varghese Kollammavudy and Vice-Principal Dr Dileep M.R also felicitated the program. Mr Jishnu K. Nair, Assistant Professor in the Malayalam department, announced the results of the Essay writing competition conducted by Women Cell on 04/03/2021. Also, he gave an inspiring speech on women's right. Ms Jomol of first-year Microbiology gave the vote of thanks. After the formal function, some cultural events were also conducted.



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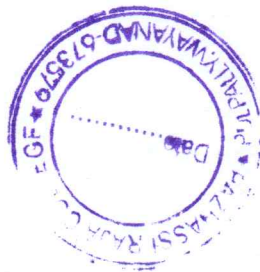


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