

Activities of the Union-2017-18

In the current academic year, the union had eleven union meetings and one executive meeting. The union really had a busy time for the year that it could lead the students to various fields other than study along with their academic learning. Various activities performed by the union in the current year are cited below.

June-2017

1. Cleaning the adjacent areas of the college

In coordination with the PHC Thiruvambady , on 29th June 2017, 50 students and two teachers named **Mr. Dany Jose and Ms. Disney Jose** leading them, with the company of the members of the various organizations of Thiruvambady visited the nearby houses of the college, which were more than 50 and gave awareness of fever and cleaned their houses.

JULY-2017

2. Visiting Jordan Bhavan

A team of students including the union members led by **Ms. Deepa Domanic** and **Mr. Deepesh K.** Visted Jordan Bhavan at Puloorampara on 27th July,2017. They shared many hours with the inmates, and offered the money collected from the students of the college.

3. Basketball Court Inauguration

Inauguration of our newly built Basketball court was done by His Excellency, **Mar. RemigioseInchananiyil, the Bisop of Thamarassery diocese** on 28 July 2017.

The Inaugural of basketball competition was also conducted on the day. The match was between ACT College team and the Diocesan priest's team. In the competition, the Diocesan priests were the winners. **Rev. Fr. Scaria Mangarayil (The Manger, ACT)** awarded the trophy for the winners.

August-2017

4. Onam Celebration

Lead by the newly charged union of 2017-18, celebrated the Onam celebration of the year on 31st Aug 2017. The celebration was began with the welcome speech of the Chairman, Mr. Athul K Dominic. Rev. Fr. Kurian Thannickal, The Vice Principal presided over the function and our principal Prof. Philip K Antony inaugurated for the same. A beautiful pookalam was designed for the college by the union members. Interesting and colourful competitions, including tug of war were organized. The conveners from the teachers for the celebration were Ms. Sanamma P.V. and Mr. Bernard. It is still felt the taste sweetness of the payasam contributed by the management on the day. The winners of the Onam competitions were awarded the prizes on the same day itself. The college Union Secretary Mr. Emmanuel thanked all the people.

September-2017

5. Teachers' Day Celebration

Teachers' Day 5th September, (Birthday of Dr. Rajendra Prasad) was celebrated in our college on 20th Sep. 2017. The Vice Chairman Divya Jose from B.A. English made the welcome speech for the programme. The chief guest of the programme was Fr. **Joseph Vayalil (Retired principal, CMI Devagiri)**. Rev. Fr. Scaria Mangarayil, (The Manger, ACT) delivered the message to the students. It was our principal Prof. Philip K Antony, the colleague of Fr. Joseph Vayalil who introduced him to us. Real and valuable experience sharing of Fr. Joseph Vayalil as a teacher motivated the teachers and students of Alphonsa college on the day. Many students took classes instead of their teachers on the day and shared their concerns regarding teaching.

October-2017

6. Gandhi Jayanthi Celebration

The union conducted a quiz competition on the topic „Indian freedom struggle and Mahatma Gandhi“ on October 4th 2017. Nine teams consisting of two members were participated. Jalita James and Rahmath Beevi, the students from Psychology Department won the first prize.

December-2017

7. Arts Day Celebration (2017 – 2018) FIESTOS '17

Alphonsa College celebrated the Arts Day – *Fiestos '17* on 9th December 2017. **Rev. Fr. ScariaMangarayil, the manager** has presided over the function. **Mr. Sunil Kumar**, the celebrity inaugurated the function in the presence of **our principal Prof. Philip K Antony** along with **Rev. Fr. KurianThannickal (The Vice Principal)**, **Mr. Athul K Dominic (The College Union Chairman)**, **Ms. Mubashira (The Fine Arts Secretary)**, **Mrs. Deepa Dominic (The Staff Coordinator)**. Mr. Sunil Kumar, the celebrity provided a warm introduction to the arts programmes by singing great collections. **R. ShelekSwaraj** of the first semester, **B.Com.Finance** who had won the second prize in All India Radio Guitar competition, also provided a wonderful Guitar performance for the celebration. Mr. Sunil Kumar and **R. ShelekSwaraj** were awarded mementos. At 11.30 a.m. an end was given for the inaugural function and then the doors for the competitions were opened.

The purpose of the Celebration of the Arts Day was to highlight our students' creative ambition that drive and give them a chance to showcase their hard work and inspiration. Since creativity and innovation do not come in a single form or medium, our showcase highlighted student's works from a diverse range of genres; including music, poetry, dance, mono act, etc. The competitions were concluded by 3.30 p.m. Thus the official conclusion of *Festos'17* was at 3.30 p.m. with a vote of thanks given by Mr. Sijo George, the staff coordinator.

8. CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION (2017 – 2018)

The Christmas celebration was held on 22nd December, 2018 at College Auditorium. The programme was started at 10.30 a.m. with a prayer dance. **Athul K Dominic (The College Union Chairman)** welcomed the guests. The programme was presided over by **Rev. Fr. ScariaMangarayil, Manager of Alphonsa College Thiruvambady**. A prolific and renowned Malayalam writer **K P Sudheera** who has a great place in Malayalam literature with great acceptance among the readers was the chief guest. She inaugurated the College Magazine '*OIKOS*'. **Mr. Sebastian Cherian, The Staff Editor** introduced the magazine. During the function, **Prof. Philip K Antony** delivered message to the audience. The programme was also blessed with the presence of **Rev. Fr. KurianThannickal (The Vice Principal)**, **Sr. Arpitha (The HOD of Psychology)**, **Mr. Dany Jose (The Union Advisor)**, **ShobikaPradeep Kumar (The Student Editor)**. After the inaugural function, prizes were distributed for the winners of various competitions that had been conducted prior to the Christmas celebration such as Christmas card making, Christmas Crib making, and Carol Group Song. The programme was ended with the vote of thanks given by The College Union Vice Chairman Divya Jose.

January-2018

9. sports and games 2017-18 - OLYMPIA 2K 18

Alphonsa collage Thiruvambady (ACT) conducted **OLYMPIA 2K 18**, Annual sports 2017-18 on 25th January 2018. The sports competitions were started at 9.30 am. The venue of the event was the collage ground. The games had started on 17th January 2018.

The following were the events:

SPORTS

- 1) 50 Metre race
- 2) Shot put
- 3) Javelin Throw
- 4) Discuss Throw
- 5) Relay (450 metre)

GAMES

- 1) Basketball
- 2) Volleyball

February-2018

10. B-Zone Arts Festival 2018 Participation Report

The B-Zone Arts Festival for the current academic year of the University of Calicut was conducted at the Government College, Madappally, Vadakara from 7th February, 2018 which continued till 10th February, 2018. Students of Alphonsa College Thiruvambady also became a part of the B-Zone Arts Festival this time which was a new and great experience for them.

The competitions that our Students participated are:

1. Guitar
2. Desabhakthiganam
3. Bharatanatyam
4. Poster Making
5. Lalitha Ganam

In Guitar competition, **Shelak Sheraj** won the Second Prize with 'A' grade and **Ashika** won 'A' grade for Bharatanatyam. The students were accompanied by two faculties; **Mrs. Dimple Nitty David** and **Mr. Sijo George**.

March-2018

11. College Day Celebration (2017 – 2018) TALENTIA 2K'18'

Alphonsa College celebrated the College Day – **TALENTIA2K'18'** on 6th March 2018. **Rev. Fr. Scaria Mangarayil**, the manager has welcomed all the people for the event. It was presided over by **The Vicar General of Thamarassery Diocese**. The function was officially inaugurated by **His Excellency, Mar. Remigiose Inchananiyil, the Bishop of Thamarassery diocese**. The chief guest of the programme was the renowned film star **Mr. Vinod Kovoor**. He motivated all of us with beautiful folk songs and sweet talk. **Our principal Prof. Philip K Antony** and The Chairman Mr. Athul K Dominic shared their valuable felicitation for the event.

On the same event the award for the „The Best outgoing Student“ was declared and distributed. The prizes for Sports and Games and the B-Zone were also distributed. The official function was over with the vote of thanks of Union Secretary Mr. Emmanuel. After the function, the stages were coloured with music and dance.

Alphonsa College, which was started in the year 2014 with limited facilities but with unlimited aim of witnessing the truth, has become one of the renowned colleges in the northern mountainous region of Kerala. Throughout the journey the College Unions that have been formed in time to time has contributed a leading role for its successful growth. With the aspiration of a bright future, The Student's Union of Alphonsa College is always with it as a friend and a companion.

The Student's Union of Alphonsa College 2017-18 is always thankful with our beloved Manager, Rev. Fr. Scaria Mangarayil, our Principal Prof. Philip K Antony, Rev. Fr. Kurian Thannickal (The Vice Principal), all the teachers and office staff of Alphonsa College Thiruvambady, Sobin Tom (The College Union Chairman 2016-17), Athul K Dominic (The College Union Chairman 2017-18), all the Union members of the academic year 2017-18 and the students of Alphonsa College Thiruvambady for their whole hearted support for the smooth conduct of the union.

