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St. Pious X Degree & PG College for Women

(Accredited by NAAC with 'A' Grade)

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I. NEWS IN FOCUS

1) Re-Opening

The college reopened on 1st June for the academic year 2016-17 for the staff invoking God's presence and blessings. The Principal Sr. Manikyam addressed the staff to plan for the academic & co-curricular activities of the year.

- UG II & III year students joined on 9th June 2016. PG I & II year students joined on 11th July and 3rd August 2016 respectively.
- II MBA joined on 16th August and I MBA on 21st September 2016.
- UG I year joined on 27th June, 2016 and a welcome prayer was organized for them, with a brief presentation of the strong value system of the College.



2) Results

- This year once again St. Pious X College is happy and proud to achieve success by securing 100% in BA, 97% in BSC, 96% in BCOM 90% in PG and MBA 2015-17 Batch has to its credit 6 distinction and 53 1st class. Well done staff & students!!!
- St. Pious College is proud to announce that 33 students have scored 100/100 in OU Public exams in Hindi, Telugu, Computers, Commerce, Physics and Zoology! A great moment of pride and joy! .



3) Admissions

- This year too, the number of admissions into First year courses increased with a whopping 580 in UG and 103 in PG. Thus the strength of the college is now about 1900. Hearty welcome to the Freshers!!!
 - It is to be noted that the Osmania University has introduced online-admission system in 2016-17.
- 4) **A warm welcome to all 16 new faculty members who joined this year in various departments.**

5) Choice Based Credit System (CBCS)

CBCS in UG First year syllabus is operational by the Osmania University from 2016-17. It is a student centric approach offering choice to the students to choose from science, arts and commerce. It includes the components like: Languages for communication, Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course, Skill Enhancement Course based on credits. Such modern curriculum paves way for a lot of innovation for the young graduates for future endeavors.

6) 'May her soul rest in peace'...

Sad Demise of Ms. Anitha : The Pious family lost Ms. Anitha, Lecturer in Public Administration, a jewel from its crown on 25th July 2016. A dedicated and efficient teacher indeed, she spread the fragrance of motherly love and imparted substantial knowledge to the student fraternity. She was a pioneer in PEARL Outreach activities and was dedicated to serve the society. She was an ideal teacher and a real friend of every one in the campus, who served 18 fruitful years with sincerity, hard work and commitment. May her beautiful smile always keep us cheerful and united.



- 7) **International Science Conference (ICMAES 2016)** was organised on 1-2 September 2016 in collaboration with IMRF

8) Share a meal!

This year, the College undertook a programme of sharing food with the needy with the objective of developing concern for people who are down trodden and leading a dejected life. The faculty members of each department take turn and come together to identify the needy and arrange food for them every month with a commendable and generous participation by all the students.



9) Parent-Teacher Meet: On 13 August 2016, a Parent - Teacher meeting was held to encourage interaction between teachers and parents regarding their wards, to inform the parents about the students academic performance and involvement in the college activities and take feedback for future initiatives.

10) Vigilance Inspection: The Telangana state in accordance with vigilance and Osmania University officials had come up with vigilance inspection and visited MBA college on 22 June 2016 to assess the quality of education offered by the Institutions.



11) NAAC Re-Accreditation: Reaching the Goal! The college was accredited by NAAC with 'A' grade in 2013. The second cycle of NAAC has begun as the Institution is marching ahead to submit the Self Study Report (SSR) by 2017. The AQAR 2015-16 was submitted in June 2016. The IQAC, various Criterion Committees and the college Management are diligently working with the latest tools &

technology to achieve excellence quality in Higher Education and for a successful Reaccreditation.

II. IQAC – Internal Quality Assurance Cell

In 2016-17 the IQAC promoted the following innovative practices to achieve academic excellence:

- Completed External Academic Audit for PG on 30th March 2016.
- Prepared and Submitted the Annual Quality Assurance Report (AQAR) for 2015-16
- Organised FDPs viz. Staff Seminar, Staff (new) Orientation Programme and Staff Workshop on attaining Autonomy.



- Environmental Audit completed on 16 Jan 2017 by Mr. N. Sreekumar, SMIEEE, PRAYAS, Mrs. Rini, Director, Nature Restoration Centre, and Mr. Chandra sekhar, Centre for Sustainable Agriculture.
- ICT initiative: Faculty and Students of MBA and B.Com have taken up an active role in organising orientation programmes for students on Digital Transactions.

III. STUDENT ENRICHMENT

1) Add-On Courses

- This year 8 certificate courses were offered to students in Multi-Media, Web- programming, Foreign Language – French, Theme Dance, Flower Making, Beauty Culture, Baking & Confectionary, Painting 540 students enrolled for the courses.



- A Diploma course was offered by NIIT in Advanced MS – Excel for the Business Management & Degree students which commenced from 26th August 2016.
- 15 students took up the diploma in Travel and Tourism and completed it successfully.

2) Bridge Courses : Almost all the departments offer Bridge Courses for the 1st year students to help fill the knowledge gaps and thus help them understand the subject better.

3) Orientation Programs : Orientation sessions were held for students and staff to refine their individual skills and personality.



i) "Steps to Success", was an orientation programme organized by the Department of Social Sciences for I, II, III BA and I B.Com students on 4th July, 2016. The speaker was Mr.B.S.N.Murthy from Vivekananda Institute of Human Excellency.

ii) Departments of Social Sciences organised an orientation programme on 4th July 2016 for I B.A, B.Com & B.Sc students on the concept of "Human Behaviour" focusing on the virtues of Success which help the students to reach their goals.



iii) English Dept orientated the 1st years on Communication Skills, departmental activities, syllabus requirements and Language lab on 5 July 2016.



iv) Dr.V.V.Giri , a Homoeopath, was invited as a resource person for orientation to a certificate course on Medical Coding on 9th July, 2016.

v) The departments of Zoology and Genetics organized "Youth – inspired, challenged and transformed through attitude change and communication" on 11th July, 2016 to inspire and motivate the students to realize their potential to be complete individuals.

vi) Library Dept orientated the 1st years on "Users orientation programme" from 18-20 July 2016.

vii) An orientation was arranged by Dept. of English on Travel and Tourism in the college with ATM on 29th & 30th July 2016.

viii) A one day Orientation Programme on Entrepreneurship was conducted by NSIC for B.Com students on 16th November 2016



ix) An orientation on "Energy Psychology and Alternative Therapies" was organised on 21 Dec 2016 to manage stress and balance energy levels.

x) An orientation programme was organized for II and III B.Com students and NSS Volunteers on "Winter camp 2016 Voice 4 Girls", in collaboration with Voice for Girls, an NGO, Telangana. 10 of our students were hired and trained for 5 days intensively to impart voice curriculum to maximize their teaching potential and gain knowledge about social realities and managerial skills for which they had to travel and live in a rural camp location. These ten trained counselors conducted activity based microteaching to 300 adolescent girls in Govt. schools for 10 days at Mahbubnagar, Jedcherla, Gandedd.

4) Career Guidance and Counseling

- 1st July, 2016:** The Institute of Company Secretary (ICSI) conducted a Career Guidance programme for all B.Com students arranged by the dept of Commerce.

- **15th July 2016** : "What's Next?" ,was a programme conducted by the Department of Biochemistry for UG students to enlighten them on the career prospects in life sciences and the importance of live project work.



The Resource persons were Dr.Rajkiran and Dr.Deepika of Cytomol Labs, Hyderabad. The students are enrolled for the project work at Cytomol Diagnostic and Genetic labs.

- **On 22nd July 2016** the dept of English invited "VISU- Study Abroad" who guided III year students in IELTS, TOFEL, GRE & GATE. Mr. Chakravarthy, Business Development Manager from VISU consultancy helped them to be familiar with the details of studying abroad.



- **23rd July, 2016:** 16 students of Department of Computer Science attended Tech Talk series arranged by GIT at 'Galaxy cafe', Banjara Hills' on "Mobile App Development".



- **22 Aug 2016:** "Career Trends in Life Sciences" was arranged by the Department of Biochemistry for the PG students of life sciences. The Resource Persons, Dr.Srinivas Reddy and Dr. Purushotham Reddy of Boreddy Scientific and Medical Communications gave an elaborate lecture on career in Medical writing, Medical coding, Clinical Data Management etc and also gave an

overview of the MNCs and other companies offering placements in such fields.

- **23 Aug 2016:** Orientation for Competitive Exams in Business schools by TIME was organised by Commerce Dept.
- **10th Nov 2016:** Manhattan group organised a career guidance session on pursuing studying abroad and its future prospects on organised by Commerce dept.
- **24th Nov 2016:** Career Guidance orientation by Tata Institute of Social Sciences was organized by Commerce dept.

5) Class Room Activities

In order to help students gain better insight into certain topics, to encourage teamwork and improve their presentation skills, debates, quiz, seminars, power point presentations were organized in classrooms.

Quiz on "Attribution Theories" was conducted for II BA students on 25th June, 2016. II BA (MPML) gave PPT on "Attitudes" in Psychology on 15th, 16th & 17th July, 2016 and III BA (MPML) on "Stress and Coping", a topic in Abnormal Psychology on 4th July, 2016. Debate on "Caste Reservation" was conducted on 9th August, 2016. Presentations on the novel "Pride and Prejudice" and dramatics on "Shakespeare's Tragedies" were performed in the II BA English Literature classroom.

6) Guest Lectures

S.No	Date	Department	Resource Person	Topic	Audience
1	7th May, 2016	MBA I MBA	Dr.A.G.Moos, Prof. Professor, O.U.	Macro Economic Conditions in India	
2	20th June 2016	3rd Language & Computer Sc.	Sri. Chirubala Subba Rao, Head Office NCR	Unit-Code Applications for digital devices	Head Students
3	22nd June 2016	English	Mr. Vincent	Blog Writing	II B.Sc
4	27th June, 2016	Chemistry II B.Sc	Prof. V. S. Chakravarthy, Head of Studies, Department of Chemistry, O.U. Hyderabad	Introduction to Spectroscopy and materials	
5	12 July 2016	English I, II and III BA	Prof. Anura Priya & Dr. Suresh Ray	Music, Drama & Literature	
6	26 th & 29 th July 2016	Com. and Head Head Students	Sri. Vinaya Kumar, Head of Studies, Degree College	Influence of Commerce in Daily Life	
7	10th Aug 2016	Sanskrit	Dr. Vijayarama Ayya, Assistant professor at department of Sanskrit in Osmania University	"Combined Academics with reference to Present Context"	Sanskrit Students
8	10th - 11th August	Head	Prof. M. Venkateswara, former Head, Dept. of English, Hyderabad	"KABITHAM: A SAMAGRA YATRA" (problem related to Hindi language and pronunciation)	
9	16th Sept, 2016	Social Sciences	RAMALA KRISHNA SRINIVAS, Former Director of NCH, Hyderabad	FOOD AND ETHICS	FOOD AND ETHICS Students
10	22nd Sept, 2016	Public Admin. B.A. POL. and I.P.P	PROFESSOR DR. CHANDRASEKHAR	PROFESSOR DR. CHANDRASEKHAR	

7) Field Trips & Industrial visits

The various departments organized field trips outside the classroom to offer practical knowledge to the students:

1. 15 Nov 2016 IICT-NGRI (Maths)
2. 26 Nov 2016 Mylan Laboratories Ltd., Hyd (Chem),



3. 10 March 2016 IK knowledge Park, Shameerpet, (Biochemistry & Microbiology)



4. 19 Sep 2016 CPMB, (Biochemistry)



5. 22 Sep 2016 CCMB (Biochemistry)
6. 9-10 Dec 2016 Gayatri Sugar Factory and Agricultural University at Rudur, Nizamabad (Biotech and Botany)



7. 8 Nov 2016 Fisheries rearing Unit, at NGRanga Univ of Rajendranagar and Zoological Survey of India, Attapur (Zoology)
8. 28 Nov 2016 ICRISAT (Genetics)



9. 18 Nov 2016 Deccan Development Society, Pastapur, Zaheerabad (Mass Comm)



10. 22nd November, 2016 a study tour to Vishwa Vishwani Business School at Hakimpet Hyd (Commerce)



11. 16 Nov 2016 Golconda Fort (Social Sci.)

8) Collaborations and Linkages

- Interaction with Industry ITC, WOW
- On July 12 & 13 The Department of Commerce and Zoology took the initiation of Recycling of paper. All departments and students participated and contributed a total of 3 tons and 8.5 kg of recycling materials. Students in turn received Classmate Notebooks, Pens, Pencils, Crayons Geometry Box, and Erasers.



- Travel And Tourism: The department of English collaborated with Across the Monde and entered an MoU for a Diploma Course in Travel and Tourism.



- GIT : The Department of Computer Science signed a MoU with Girls In Technology, a non-profit organization focusing on Women in Technology.



- The Physics and Comp. Sc depts. collaborated with Earth Sense Recycle Pvt. Ltd. and organised an awareness campaign on "Hazards of e-waste" in the campus and neighbourhood from 20th Oct 2016 to 22nd Nov 2016.



- **LINKAGE ESTABLISHED:** The Department of Biochemistry established a linkage with The Department of Genetics, Osmania University on 1-07-2016.



9) Seminars, Workshops, Camps and Conferences

In this academic year, our College organized 01 International Conference, 10 Seminars, 8 Workshops and 5 FDPs:

- Commerce: An Entrepreneur Development Programme was conducted in the month of June for 3 days (from 27/6/2016 to 29/6/2016), in collaboration with ED Cell , Osmania University. 100 B.Com students actively participated and were motivated by eminent entrepreneurs from industry and other fields.



- Physics: On 30th June, 2016 the Department organized a one day workshop sponsored by Indian Association of Physics Teachers, Telengana RC22, on Virtual labs for IInd & III B.Sc physics students.



- Biotechnology :A Two Day Workshop On "Bioinformatics" was organized on 23/8/16 to 24/8/16 by the Department of Biotechnology for the PG students.
- Chemistry: A two day workshop titled "Info@ Lab hazards and safety measures" and Info@ Scope in basic sciences was organized by the Department of Chemistry on 26th and 27th August 2016 for all Chemistry students of both UG & PG. Three distinguished speakers from Indian premier research institutes and reputed industry delivered talks on the above subjects. On 26th August, Mr. Ramasankar Ramachandran, AGM, Mylan Laboratories educated the students about the hazardous effects of common laboratory chemicals and the safety measures to be adopted to minimize their contamination while carrying out the experiments. On second day of the workshop, 27 th August 2016, Dr. Narahari Sastry and Dr. Ramanuj Narayan, Scientists, Indian institute of Chemical Technology delivered inspiring lectures on scope and demand of higher studies in basic science.
- Microbiology: International Science Conference ICMAES – 2016: A Two day International Conference on Microbiology, Agriculture & Environmental Sciences was organized by the Department of Microbiology on 1st& 2nd September 2016 in collaboration with International Multidisciplinary Research Foundation (IMRF), Vijaywada. Around 80 participants from various countries like the USA, Ethiopia, Srilanka and other states of India participated in the conference.



- Commerce: State Level Workshop on "Online Banking, Accounting, and Taxation" and One Day Workshop by on Demonetisation, Digital Marketing and Understanding Stock Market in Collaboration with Bombay Stock Exchange.



- MBA Workshop on Start –ups. A one day workshop on start – ups was organised by the Department of MBA in order to ignite the entrepreneurial spirit among the budding entrepreneurs through the product presentations of their Business ideas. The panelists and the resource speakers were Mr. Tanneru Suresh, Mr. Talla Veerendrenath and Ms. Janaki Ram who also judged the product presentation.





- **Physics:** On 7th September 2016, the dept. organised a one-day workshop on 'Optical Devices' in association with Texla Scientifics Limited, for II B.Sc and I M.Sc students. Mr.Manik Prabhu, MD of Texla scientifics and his team members demonstrated the assembling of various optical devices like Spectrometer, Polarimeter and travelling microscopes to the students.



- **Zoology:** A one day workshop on Butterfly Conservation was organised on 26th Oct 2016, in collaboration with butterfly conservation society.
- **Psychology:** A one-day workshop for II and III BA MPML students on "Introduction to Hypnotherapy as intervention for Counselling" was organised by dept. of Psychology on 17th Jan 2017.

10) Club Activities

1. On 19th July, 2016 as a part of club activity, an Ice breaking session was conducted for first year B.Com students by final year B.Com students. The First year students were introduced to the Commerce club – SPOORTHY, with its objectives and activities. Academic toppers of the university public examinations 2015-2016 were acknowledged and applauded with prizes.
2. 21st September, 2016: SPOORTHY club activity was conducted by the Department of Commerce. Ad-Tag-Pack competition was conducted for the commerce students to enhance their marketing

skills.



3. The members of Biomystery club started a "Campaigning Programme on Avoid Junk Food for a Healthy Life" at schools located in the surrounding communities. The first Campaigning programme was held at Holy Angels School, Snehapuri colony on 13-08-2016 during which the students at school were enlightened about the harmful effects of junk foods and the importance of nutritious food.



4. Zoic Club celebrated National Recycling Day - 22 students from our college participated in the competitions with the title "My swaach colony" at GHMC Uppal organised by ITC Ramky WOW.
5. Dr. Johnson's Literary Club conducted Open Forum, Literary albums, Poetry painting, JAM, Debate and projects on Advertisements, Food Colouring, Story Telling, Role Play as club activities for the I, II and III BA, BCom and BSc students.



11) Competitions

As part of National Recycling Day Celebration, the Zoology department organised competitions with the title "MY SWACHH COLONY" at GHMC office Uppal in collaboration with ITC Ramky WOW. 22 students participated and were given certificates and ITC packets.

On 20th August 2016 as part of the Institution Day Interdepartmental Group Dance Competition was organized with the theme "FUSION"

Inter - Collegiate Cultural Competitions 2016-17

Osmania University conducted the annual inter-collegiate competitions for the academic year 2016-17 from 3rd to 5th November 2016. Around 52 Degree and PG Colleges affiliated to OU participated in various events. Our college won five prizes in the following events.

Sl.No	Name of the Event	Student Name	Prize
1.	Classical Violin (Solo)	K. Ratna Lavanya	Ist
2.	Group Singing (Indian)	Rachel & Group	IInd
3.	Spot Painting	G.Akshya Reddy	IInd
4.	Group Dance Folk / Tribal Dance	A.Harika & Group	III
5.	Classical Dance	Chandra Lekha	III



Madhava Mathematics Competition was organized in collaboration with Department of Mathematics, S.P. College, Pune, Homi Bhabha Centre for Science Education, TIFR, Mumbai on 8th Jan 2017.

12) Environmental Concerns

• Energy Conservation Campaign

To create an awareness among students about the 'Energy Crisis' in our State, the Department of Physics, on 29-06-2016 has organized a one month long campaign on energy conservation in association with 'Thrive Solar Energy Limited', Cherlapally. The prime objective of this campaign is to promote consciousness on 'power saved is power produced' and to create awareness on optimum usage of renewable sources of energy. B.Prajatha, Senior Project Engineer, Thrive Solar Energy Ltd educated

the students on different tips to save electricity and to use solar energy. The highlight of this programme is a 'competition on power saving' between the participants, which made this programme more interesting. The students are asked to submit current bills of June and July, and participants who saved more power will be rewarded. This campaign was promoted by students and faculty in the neighborhood areas.

- The Physics dept conducted energy conservation campaign in July-August 2016 to promote consciousness on power saving and create awareness on renewable sources of energy, sponsored by thrive solar energy Pvt. Ltd. The dept motivated the students and the general public to save 2748 units of power in a month.



INTER SCHOOL RECYCLING COMPETITION

DATE: 14-7-2016

Department of Social Science participated in Inter School Recycling Competitions conducted by ITC to make India clean and green. All the old books and waste paper were given for recycling and for environment protection and received an appreciation certificate for recycling 15kgs of waste.

- E-Waste Disposal The Physics and Comp. Sc depts collaborated with Earth Sense Recycle Pvt. Ltd. and organised an awareness campaign on hazards of e-waste in the campus and neighbourhood from 20th Oct 2016 to 22nd Nov 2016.



- Haritha Haram Date: 13th July 2016 Venue: ECIL Campus

"Telangana ku Haritha Haram", was formally launched by Telangana Chief Minister Sri Kalvakuntla Chandra Shekar Rao Garu on Friday 3 July 2015 at Chilkur in Ranga Reddy District. It is a flagship programme of the Telangana Government that envisages increasing the present 24% tree cover in the State to 33% of the total geographical area of the State.



Keeping in view the objectives of the Government, NSS students of our college, numbering ninety six (96) under the guidance of Smt. S. Lalitha Devi and colleagues have visited the premises of Electronics Corporation of India, ECIL on 13th July 2016 to plant the saplings. The staff and students of the college have planted two hundred, (200 Saplings) at ECIL



- The Botany and Biotech Departments act as a catalyst for students to begin their role as budding environmentalists. Various environmental activities like greening the campus with medicinal herbs, decomposing of kitchen waste into bio-fertilizers and organic terrace gardening have been carried out from July 2016. Medicinal herbs were planted on 2nd August 2016 on the building terrace.

13) Interdisciplinary Courses

From 1st to 15th November 2016, 11 Interdisciplinary courses were offered to the II BA, BCom, BSc on the following topics:

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1. Financial Services, Management and Taxation
2. International relations, UNO, SAARC, ASEAN and BRICS
3. Health and Nutrition
4. Basics of Banking Insurance and Management
5. Medicinal Botany and Genetic Counselling
6. Web Designing
7. Indian Polity, Economy and Basics in Administration
8. Organizational Behavior
9. Basic Mathematics and Biostatistics
10. Phonetics and Speaking Skills to PG students

IV. TESTS AND EVALUATION

- Internal Examination: Unit tests 1 and 2 were conducted in the months of August and November respectively.
- Internal assessment in the CBCS was conducted for UG 1 year students in the month of 21st October 2016.
- CBCS 1st semester was held in December and January and II semester classes for UG 1 year students started on 9th January 2017.
- The prefinal exams were conducted preceding the semester end examinations

V. CELEBRATIONS

- 1) Freshers & Investiture was celebrated on 23 July 2016 organized by the dept. of Microbiology. An environment filled with joy and cheer welcomed the first year UG students. The senior students hosted a cultural fiesta and Miss Fresher Competition. The newly elected Student Council was invested through the Investiture Ceremony and the following are their portfolios:

Council Members: 2016-17 Executive Members

1. President: Priya Mackness, III B.Com @
1. Adleena, I B.A (MPML)
2. Vice- President: Catherine, III B.A (PPML)
2. Vishnu Priya, I B.Sc (BtBC)
3. General Secretary: Samreen, III B.Sc MSCS
3. Sheema, II B.Sc (MPCS)
4. Culture Secretary: Aleta, II B.Sc (BTBC)
4. Rekha, III B.Com (CS)
5. Sports Secretary: Tejashwini, III B.Com @

5. Seniorita, III B.A (MPML)
6. Member: Bhavya II B.Sc (BCMC)
6. Simran, I B.Com (CS) 'B'

2) 70th INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATIONS: 15-08-2016

The Department of Social Science organised essay writing, singing, elocution and cultural programmes and competitions on the occasion of Independence Day. Students from various Departments participated in the events and competitions that were held during 8-10th of August, 2016, and prizes given away on Independence Day by College Correspondent Rev. Sister Japamala, College Principal Rev. Sister Manikyam and by Rev. Vice Principal Sister Velangini.



Youth Alive- Rhythm of 70th Independence day

09th August 2016: The dept of English coordinated with 'Youth Alive' - a non-profit organization for the youth for personality development and social awareness - to celebrate the 70th year of independence.. A musical concert was arranged in the open playground for the students to spread the essence of friendship, brotherhood and tolerance. The students enjoyed the programme thoroughly as they swayed and danced to the music and sang songs with the performers. The group also invited the students to participate in various competitions in view of '1-day Mataram' on Independence Day with free passes. Registrations were done in the college and on spot.



3) Institution Day- St.Pious Feast: 20th & 21st August 2016

This year the Institution day or St. Pious X Feast was

celebrated on 19th for the first year and 20th for II and III years with innovative ideas and great vigor. The programme started at 10am on the 19th of August for the 1st years with a prayer song sung by the choir followed by Bible reading. It was followed by prayers by each dept. as their representatives placed a lit candle to the patron saint Pope Pious X. The Correspondent Sr. Japamala, Principal Sr. Manikyam and Vice Principal Sr. Velangini honoured the Patron Saint with and a film on "Biography of St. Pious X", directed and produced in the college by the students of BA, was screened to the staff and students which received great applause and appreciation from all. The B.A students enacted a skit on the virtues of St. Pious the Xth.



The Principal Rev. Sr. Manikyam focused on the virtues of the patron saint in her message and urged everyone to imbibe the qualities of simplicity, piety, generosity, humility, profound faith in God and fortitude.

The celebrations became colorful with a group dance competition on the theme "Fusion" where 9 groups participated with dynamism and vitality of life. B.Com (R) won the competition and was awarded a rolling shield. Two more prizes were awarded for best costume bagged by B.A (MPML) and best choreography bagged by MBA students respectively.

4) International Youth Day



5) Teachers' Day was celebrated on 6 September 2016 by students and staff in the auditorium. The Student Council honoured the teachers and reflected upon each department through students' speeches and also a PPT presentation.



6) National Statistics Day was celebrated on 29th June 2016.



7) World Music Day: 21-6-2016

The department of Social Sciences celebrated World Music on 21st June by organising a programme on music. The chief guest, Smt. Adi Lakshmi Sastry garu enlightened the students about the importance and benefits of Music for our body, mind and soul. A music competition was also held in which the students participated with a lot of enthusiasm.



8) Telugu Day

The Telugu Day was celebrated on 9th Sept, 2016



9) Hindi Day

The department celebrated Hindi -Day on 14.09.2016. As part of the celebrations various competitions were organized viz., reading competition, poetry, Recitation, singing for first and second year Hindi students. On this occasion Vice - Principal Rev. Sr. Velangini, MBA Principal Prof Kalidas spoke about the importance of the Hindi. Prizes were given away to the winners of various competitions.



10) International Yoga Day

The Pious Alumni association organized a session of Yoga for III B.Com students (Reg & Cs) on 21st June, 2016 which is observed as International Yoga day. The resource persons were volunteers from ISHA Foundation. They addressed on Origin, Importance and advantages of Yoga. Basic yoga skills for everyday was demonstrated and taught to the students.



11) MBA Krtya 2016 The students of St. Pious X P.G (MBA) College for Women organised a state level 'Management Meet' "KRtya 2016" on the theme "Starts Ups - A New Era", on the 21st of Nov 2016

drawing featuring innovators, Start-up Founders, Investors, Successful entrepreneurs & government officials. This event was organised to foster start – up ecosystem from the student entrepreneurs. A total number of 650 students from 40 colleges, from 5 districts of Telangana have participated in the meet.



12) Cynosure Creative Carnival – Inter collegiate Festival

Cynosure was an Intercollegiate Festival organized by the department of Mass Communication on 30 th November, 2016 in the college campus. The festival had various competitions like Short films on Drug addiction, Save the girl child, Environment pollution and Brand Quiz, Prank Call, Mock Press, Rock Band etc. Students from various colleges participated in the festival and enjoyed the food and other products put up in the stalls. The other events like Lip- Sync Battle, Rock Band etc also attracted good number of participants. The prize winners were awarded in the valedictory. The overall event was a great success and helped the students in developing their event organizing and managerial skills.



13) Human Rights Day



14)Christmas Celebrations: The departments of MBA, Zoology organised Christmas programme on 22nd and 23rd December 2016. Skits, Carol singing and Crib making competitions were organised, Mr. Samson Gandhi, Director, 'Person to Person Counseling' addressed the students on this occasion. The Principal, Rev. Sr. Manikyam spoke on the need to take care of the veteran citizens, esp. the grandparents of the youth. A short film enacted by children depicted the plight of the elderly when their grown up children abandon them.



Musical Concert: The department of English arranged a spiritual concert in the month of December and invited a Rock Band from Africa who performed in the College and rejuvenated the Youth with Values & Ethics. It was also a program to promote National Integration.



15) Resonance & Valedictory: The students' talents were explored through various literary, cultural and extra-curricular competitions during the month of December with a grand finale with Group dance and Drama competitions on 21st December 2016.



VI. ACHIEVEMENTS & AWARDS

1) Staff

Paper Review : Dr. Mala Das Sharma reviewed a paper of the educational journal "The Chemical Educator".



Felicitation: Dr. G. J. Grace was Felicitated by the non-teaching women employees of Osmania University on 22nd March 2016 for her support and rendering her services for the smooth conduct of two days sports competitions for non-teaching women employees of Osmania University on account of 11th International women's day celebrations.



Nominations: Department of Physical education Osmania University nominated Dr. G. J. Grace as Team Manager to accompany O.U athletic team (Women) which participated in All India Inter University Athletic Championship held at Patiyala Punjab University from 29th December to 3rd

January 2016 and also at Coimbatore in January 2017.



Ph.D: Dr. G. J. Grace, P.Ed, was awarded Ph.D in Sept 2016.

Dr. S. Sridevi has been a Chairperson for technical session, 43rd International Conference on "Science, Technology, Women's Studies, Business and Social Sciences" held at Goa from 3rd to 5th November 2016.



Best Scientist Award: Dr. S. Sridevi was also awarded the prestigious "Best Scientist Award" in recognition of contribution to the field of Microbiology for the Academic year 2015-16 by the International multidisciplinary research foundation on 3rd November 2016 at Goa.



Best Paper award: Mrs. Pritha Ghosh's research paper titled "Isolation of Cellulase producing bacteria from Environmental Sources" has been awarded best paper at the two day ICMAES on 2nd September 2016.



2) Students

I MSc Students conducted an innovative Quiz Competition at St. Pious School, Ramnagar on 29th Feb 2016 on National Science Day celebration

Ms Shivani Kumari, II BtBC and Ms. Neha, II MPC, bagged 2nd prize in "Top the bench" Competition held by Royal Society of Chemistry (London).

Ms J. Deepa, III MBC and Ms S Radhika, III BtBC bagged first prize in paper presentation, at the National Conference at St. Ann's College on 30th January 2016.

The Biochemistry Students are getting enrolled at "Cytomol" Diagnostics and Genetic Labs.

Prof. S. Pardhasaradhi, Faculty, MBA College, was nominated as a successful, meritorious Indian Personality for the prestigious "Bharat Gaurav Award" for the 'National Integration and Economic Growth' given by India International Friendship Society, New Delhi.



Prof. Pardhasaradhi giving award prizes

On 26th Oct 2016 the toppers of I MZC Sindhuja, II MZC Prasanna & III MZC Muneeba were awarded cash prizes.

3) Sports Achievements

G. Ashritha Reddy of B.Com III year (cs) added a jewel to the crown of St. Pious by representing India in Baseball world cup at Korea on 1st -13 th September 2016. A big applause to Ashritha!!



Tejashwini B.Com IIIrd year won Gold Medal in softball in senior state meet at Nalagonda and silver medal in federation cup at Amruthsur, Punjab. She had also won 4 th place in senior national softball at Ananthapur.

St. Pious Hand Ball team secured Gold Medal in senior and junior state meet.

In 10,000 mts P. Tejaswi of II MPCS secured Bronze medal and Lavanya of I B.Com secured silver medal.

In 5000 mts Tejaswi secured Gold Lavanya secured Bronze medal.

Yasmeen of I B.com secured silver medal in Hammer Throw.

Our college secured silver Medal in 4x100 mts relay, in 4x400mts relay, Shot put, Discuss hrow, 1500mts, 400mts Hurdles athletes secured 4th place.

P. Tejaswi of II MPCS participated in road race 7k at Shamshabad and was awarded cash prize.

Seven of our students participated in Due Ball senior national secured Bronze medal held at Kurnool.

VII. COMMUNITY SERVICE & EXTENSION ACTIVITIES

1) Departmental

- Students of III BtBC, G.Sowmya Reddy, Sravani, Akhila, Bindhu, Deviprasanna were volunteers for school students to visit ICRISAT on 26th July 2016.



- Students of II MBC Hima, Kranthi, Lahari, Anna parimala and Devi prasanna were volunteers for sage school students for educational trip to Agricultural fields at Ramoji Film city on 20th August 2016.
- The students of BA took the lead role in helping the orphan children at New vision foundation, an orphanage in H.B Colony by raising fund of Rs. 5000 and donated 50 woollen sweaters on 10-01-2016.



- Economics Department organised a Thyroid Health awareness camp for students, staff and neighbourhood by Dr. K. Sarojini Devi. She discussed the symptoms of thyroid diseases and precautionary measures to be taken. Blood samples were collected and reports were given.
- "Pious Lab to Local Network" – A Free Computer Training was taken up by student volunteers on Basics in Computers was arranged by Comp.Sc. dept. for neighbourhood women and under privileged students during the month of July, 2016.
- The Physics dept conducted energy conservation campaign in July-August 2016 to promote consciousness on power saving and create awareness on renewable sources of energy, sponsored by thrive solar energy Pvt. Ltd. The dept motivated the students and the general public to save 2748 units of power in a month.



- The Biochemistry dept is associated with the Rainbow Home since 2008 and visited the orphanage on 22nd Sept 2016 to donate necessary garments to the girls as an act of kindness.
- The Biochemistry dept started a campaign on "Avoid Junk Food for a healthy life" at Holy Angel's School, Snehapuri Colony on 13 Aug 2016.
- Biochemistry Students Volunteered for educational field visits of school children to various National Research Institutes like ICRI SAT, NIN, NGRI on 25th July and 20th August 2016.
- As an extension activity, the dept of commerce, in collaboration with STARS, an NGO, student volunteers from B.Com coordinated an

educational visit of Insight International School, Shaikpet children visit to NGRI, Habsiguda, on 11th August 2016.



- Reduce, Reuse, Recycle – is one of the greatest Environmental Milestone activities of the dept. of Zoology to promote environmental consciousness. On 12th and 13th July, 2016, the students collected more than three tones of old books and newspapers. The ITC WOW in return gave classmate notebooks, pens, pencils and certificates to the participants. The outcome of the programme was:
- Saved 66 full grown trees, 21,000 gallons of fresh water, 12,300 KW of electricity
- Reduced air pollution by 74%
- Generated livelihood for humans

The dept. is thankful to the Management and the Commerce Faculty for the success of this programme.

2) NSS & PEARL

PEARL (PIOUS EMPOWMENT AND REACH OUT PROGRAMME FOR LEARNING)

11th July 2016: HARITHA HARAM: PEARL volunteers participated in Haritha Haram programme organized by Govt of Telengana and planted around 100 plants.



18 th July 2016: Pearl Volunteers Started Teaching in the Wesley Govt school for the academic year 2016-17 on every Friday from 2:00pm to 3:30 in Maths, Science , English and Second Languages for the 6 th , 7 th , 8 th and 9 th class students .



19th August 2016: RAKSHA BANDHAN - One of the objectives of the PEARL is to serve the needy. On the occasion of the Raksha Bhandan 20 volunteers of NSS and PEARL and 4 faculty Members visited "SADHANA" institute for the mentally challenged, located at Industrial Park Nacharam.



14 th September -2016: MOU with IDF -- Mr. John and Kavya Social Project Managers from Indian Development Foundation orientated pearl volunteers on various social issues and Motivated them to join them in carrying the activities of IDF. Many of our volunteers were Interested to join IDF

27 th and 28 th -October - 2016: Candle making workshop held by PEARL Volunteers to all the interested students. 29th October 2016: candles prepared in the workshop were sold by keeping a stall and sold, a profit of Rs 1500 was made by the pearl volunteers and this amount is used for children day celebrations in the school.

15 th November 2016 : Children's day was celebrated in the Wesley Govt school, students conducted various competitions to the school children and prizes were given to the winners.



NSS ACTIVITIES

"Telanganaku Harithaharam" On 13-June- 2016 ,Mrs.Malathi Devi , NSS officer, Unit-II and Ms.Vanisree, NSS Officer, unit-I attended a meeting on at O.U, a flagship programme initiated by the Government of Telangana State with an aim to increase the tree cover from 24% to 33% of the total geographical area. The Mass plantation programme was taken up on 11-July- 2016 by the NSS Committee and Volunteers to rejuvenate the tree cover area in the forests and the urban areas. The first sapling was planted by Mrs. Shanthi Saizen Shekar, Corporator, Nacharam, the Correspondent Sr.Japamala, the Principal, Sr. Manikyam and the NSS Committee.

NSS Orientation Programme for I Years students on 21-07- 2016



The First year UG Students were enlightened about significance of National Service Scheme and the responsibilities of an NSS volunteer by Mrs.Geetha Reddy on 21-07- 2016 in the auditorium at 2:00 PM.

The NSS volunteers started the "swachh bharath" programme from the college campus on 21-06-2016 by cleaning the compost manure heap near the canteen. Our College has taken up the Swach Bharath Abhiyan and on 2nd August, 2016, the NSS volunteers and the committee members cleaned the Roads of Snehapuri colony.

The NSS visited the Sadhana Home(a home for the mentally challenged children) at Mallapur and celebrated the festival of Rakhi with them.

International Youth Day: Venue: Sundarayya Vignana Kendram, Barkatpura - NSS students attended International Youth Day was organised on 22-Aug- 2016 by Osmania University in collaboration with Government of Telangana. On 30-08- 2016 an awareness Programme on Road Safety was arranged for the NSS Volunteers in collaboration with the Indian Development Foundation ,Road Safety Club and Telangana Motor Vehicle Inspectors Association. Mr.Sanjay Ram,

Project Coordinator, IDF, gave a presentation on Road safety rules and encouraged the students to join the Training programmes at IDF to help the civilians.



“Signature Campaign” on “Safe and Eco Friendly Diwali”: In the College campus and neighbourhood to sensitize the students, staff and public towards an eco-friendly and pollution free Diwali, more than 20 NSS volunteers and faculty members participated on the impact of environment due to burning crackers.



NATIONAL YOUTH- DAY CELEBRATIONS

It was celebrated on 12th January 2017 in commemoration of the centenary birth celebrations of Swami Vivekananda. Essay writing and power point presentation competition on the “life and virtues of Swami Vivekananda were conducted. Ms. Vasudha Raj of III B.COM ‘CS’ secured the First Prize, Ms.Ravali of MPCPS and Ms. Agnes of III B.COM bagged the second and third prizes.



VIII. FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS

1) Organized

- Staff Seminar was organized by IQAC at the beginning of 2016-17 on the topic “Higher Education, Reaccreditation and Techniques of Effective Teaching” from 2-4 June 2016.
- On 16th and 17th August 2016 the Departments of Botany and Biotechnology organized a programme aimed to enrich knowledge in practical Bioinformatics for 1st Year BSc Students under CBCS.



- On 13-07-2016 Faculty Development Programme “Teaching is beautiful” was arranged by IQAC for the new faculty in conference hall. Mrs. Annie Sunil, Head, Dept of English motivated the faculty especially in the art of teaching, teaching methodology and innovative models of teaching.



- An Orientation on “Choice Based Credit System” was organized by the Dept. of English on 18 July 2016 for the UG Faculty in the conference hall. Prof. Sumita Roy, OU enlightened the staff on the different aims and objectives and implementation of the CBCS system introduced by the Osmania University in 2016.



- With an aim to evolve an appropriate model of the practical credit system in Biotechnology, a two day FDP on Bioinformatics on 16-17 Aug 2016 was organised by Biotechnology dept.
- Comp.Sc dept organized a State FDP on ICT Based Learning using Camtasia Tool: A State level FDP on 26th August 2016 using camtesia tool for computer faculty from various districts of Telangana was taken up by Mrs.T.N.Sravani, Faculty.

2) Attended

1. On 18 July 2016 the Eng. dept invited Dr. Sumita Roy to speak on "Choice Based Credit System" for the college faculty
2. Faculty Development Programme on 'Perspectives of Mathematics' in CBCS was conducted by Maths Dept. on 3rd November 2016 with the speakers Dr. Ramana Murthy, OU, Dr. Gopala Menon, HCU
3. 19th - 20th August, 2016: Mrs Sangeetha, faculty from Dept of Commerce and Mrs. K. Swarnalatha, Faculty, MBA attended an FDP organised by TASK (Telangana Academy of Skill & Knowledge) on Language Enhancement Skill at Ashoka Bhupathy Chambers, Begumpet, Hyd.
4. 9th September, 2016 : Mrs.G.Naga Laxmi and Mrs.G.Preeti attended Annual Departmental Conference of UG teachers of Commerce 09th September, 2016, organized by Department of Commerce, Osmania University. An Expert Talk on the topic "Companies Act, 2013" was arranged on this occasion.
5. Sr. Velangini, Mrs. Mary Cecilia and Mrs. Sheila Kezia attended departmental conference on CBCS curriculum on 2 July 2016.
6. Mrs. Annie Sunil HOD English attended an International Seminar on "Career Perspectives in Multimedia and Journalism" on 07th August 2016 organised by St. Ann's College, Mehdhipatnam
7. : "Education in excellence" organised by The Hindu @ Taj Krishna on 29th Nov 2016 was attended by the Principal, Rev. Sr. Manikyam and Mrs. Annie Sunil, HOD. Hon'ble ministers Kadiyam SriHari, Education and Mr. KT RamaRao, IT shared their views on teaching and learning in the present scenario.
8. 9th and 10th Jan, 2017, Mrs.G.Naga Laxmi and Mrs.Geetha attended a Two Day International Seminar on Recent Trends in International Accounting and Financial Services organized by

Little Flower Degree College, Uppal,Hyd.

9. Mrs. K. Uma Maheswari, HOD, attended a Seminar on "Relevance of Mathematics" to real world problems on the eve of Mathematics Day on 16 Nov 2016, OU
10. Dr. S. Sreedevi and 1st MSc. students attended one-day seminar on "Higher Education and Science and Technology in India" held on 30th August 2016 in OU.
11. Mrs. C. Latha and Mrs. R. Sushma, Faculty, MBA attended one day workshop on "Financial Derivatives" organised by Dept. of Commerce Osmania University Hyd. on 20th Dec 2016 at OUCCBM
12. Ms. Nahid Sultana, faculty, attended a one- day workshop, conducted by the Department of Public Administration, OU, on 6th Dec 2016.
13. On September 28th and 29th, Ms. Pallena has attended a two day National Workshop on 'Material Characterization Techniques, NWMCT-2016', which was organised by the Dept. of Physics, Osmania University.
14. Mrs. K. Swarnalatha has attended a Two day FDP on "Language Skill Program, with a Focus on Reading English Faster" conducted by Telangana Academy for Skill and Knowledge (TASK), on 19th Aug 2016 and 20th Aug 2016, at Ashoka Raghupathi Chambers, Begumpet, Secundrabad. The Resource person for two day program was Lt.Col. Virendra Khanna (Retd).
15. On 20.7.16 Mrs. Grace Beena Paul & Mrs.Alka Jha visited Dept.of Zoology, met Chairman Board of Studies, had a lengthy discussion about CBCS, Theory, Practicals and Project work to be assigned to the students.
16. On 3.8.2016 Grace Beena Paul & Mrs.Alka Jha visited Dept.of Zoology, met Chairman Board of Studies, Prof.Geetha Rajalingam discussed about CBCS, Semester pattern and Internal examinations.

IX. RESEARCH, PRESENTATION & PUBLICATION

1) Research Projects

- The students of M.Sc (Biochemistry) IV Semester, Ms.Priyadarshini and the students of III Semester Ms.Priyanka ,Ms.Swathi and Ms.Lavanya started working on a project at the department of Genetics, OU based on Type II

Diabetes under the Guidance of Dr. Smitha Pawar, Asst Professor, Department of Genetics, Osmania University.

- On 22.06.2016 MZC students from 2nd and 3rd years participated in Multidisciplinary research project, as a team visited HMT Nagar to collect water samples for their project.
- An Interdisciplinary Research Project : June 20th 2016 - Student projects were assigned to the II and III MGC students. As a part of project they visited HMT Nagar to collect water sample from a lake, at Nacharam, which was polluted by the industries. The samples will be analyzed and data collected will be correlated statistically by the Dept. of Genetics.

2) Paper Presentations

4-7 July 2016. Mrs. Monoshri Mitra, Faculty, English presented a paper at the 11th International and 47th National ELT@I Conference titled "Cognitive and Metacognitive Skills of Second Language Learners of English at the UG Level-A pragmatic approach through CoBI" at Vasavi College of Engineering, published under Abstract No. 228



Dr. Sudha Swaraga, Faculty, Chemistry along with students presented a paper at International Conference on Green Trends in Environment Sustainability at St. Ann's College for Women, Mehadipatnam, on 16-17 Dec 2016.

Mrs. Aparna presented a paper on "Hazardous effects of heavy metals" at the same Conference.

Mrs. U. Sujatha, Faculty, Genetics dept. presented a paper at an International conference on Life Science and Biological Engineering on 16th October 2016 in Hyderabad on the topic "Bio-aerosol impact studies in indoor and outdoor environments" in Hyderabad. She also presented a paper at an International Journal of Science, Engineering and Management (IJSEM) Vol I, Issue 6 October 2016 (ISSN 2456-1304).

Mrs. Pritha Ghosh's presented a research paper

titled "Isolation of Cellulase producing bacteria from Environmental Sources" at ICMAES.

Mrs Grace Beena Paul presented a research paper at International Conference at Melbourne, Australia from 22nd Nov-1st Dec 2016 and on "Myrmica rubra as Ecosystem engineers and predators, anthills as hotspots of nutrients" sponsored by the Management, and the organisers - Australian Entomological Society and Entomological Society of New Zealand.



She presented a paper in International conference on Microbiology and agriculture on Sep 3rd 2016 at our college.

3) Publications

Faculty

Prof.V.Brahmanandam, has a published article titled 'Growth Of Banking In Telangana' in the National Journal titled 'The Indian Economic Journal-Special Issue- Dec 2015'

Dr. Mala Das Sharma Sharma has published a paper titled "A student centric research and educational programme on Heavy Metal Pollution of water bodies from selected Indian cities" in the journal "Current Science".

Dr. Sudha Swaraga published a paper titled " Kinetics and Mechanism of protection of uridine-5-monophosphate from sulphate radical anions by caffeic acid under anaerobic conditions" in the journal "Chemical Science Review and Letters".

Dr. Rajyalakshmi, Faculty, translated and published Tirumala Tirupathi Devasthanam's book titled "Tirumala Parisara Kshetra" from Telugu to Hindi.

Sr. Velangini published a paper on "From Innocence to Experience to Innocence: The Protagonist of Henry James' The Portrait of a Lady in an International Referred e- Journal of Literary Explorations.

Students

The MBA II Year students J.Pooja, K.Suneetha, S.Trishala, R.Vasavi, B.M.Sai Kumari & K.V.Glory Angelena of 2014-2016 Batch have published papers

in the stream of Finance in the E-Journal 'IRJA Indian Research Journal, Volume:II'

X. RESOURCING & CONSULTANCY

Dr. Rajyalakshmi delivered a guest lecture to B.Ed lecturers on 23rd June 2016, at Kendriya Hindi Sansthan Agra, in Hyd on topic "Bhakti Sahitya".

Mrs Annie Sunil, HOD was a resource person on "Teaching is beautiful" on 13 July 2016 for the new faculty of St. Pious X College.

Dr. Mala Das Sharma, HOD, Chemistry, was a resource person for the National Conference Chem-Bridge organized by St. Ann's College, Mehadipatnam, on 29th and 30th January 2016.

She also reviewed a paper of the educational journal, the "Chemical Educator".

Dr. Swaraga was a resource person NMR Spectroscopy at Little Flower Degree College on 7 th Sep 2016.

Mrs. Grace Beena Paul, Faculty Zoology, also gave a presentation reflecting the vision and mission of the college and "Teach to influence life" for the newly recruited faculty on 13th June 2016.

XI. PLACEMENTS

The campus placements season started off early this year with 'Amazon India' being the first company to hire 1 of our student on 22nd August 2016.

25 students have registered for 'Telangana Academy for Skill & Knowledge' for various career guidance and placement activities



Orientation on Placements was organized on 8th September 2016 conducted for MBA II years on and the Resource Person was Mr. Tanneeru Suresh, Sr. Project Manager, TCS India Pvt. Ltd & Co-Founder of Techies Nest.

The Piousians of final year go through campus recruitment by reputed companies and organizations for job placements. Infosys, Hinduja Global Solutions, Deloitte, Genpact India, Unisys, GE capital, TCS, Wipro, GVK Bio, Amazon India, Cognizant, Karvy, IBM, Southerland, Tech Mahindra and Elico visit the Institution. The placement cell offers career guidance and arranges interviews to help the students face challenges and be placed in an appropriate position. Students from other colleges are also invited to participate in the recruitment.



Placement is tied up with TASK (Telangana Academy of Skill and Knowledge) since 2015. Training program on various skill sets and placement drives with corporate associated with TASK are provided to the students. It molds the undergraduate and post graduate as young corporals and self – confident entities. 2016-17 placement drives as on date. 183 students were placed and 53 were shortlisted by the recruiting companies.

MBA Orientation on Placements was held on 28th Sep 2016 for 2nd MBA and on 3rd Oct 2016 for 1st MBA towards the achievement of excellence and success. 10 students of II MBA are placed in Amazon & Genpact India.

Date	Name of the company	No of students placed
22/8/16	Amazon India	20
03/9/16	TCS open Ignite	Result pending
08/9/16	Hundhuja Global Solutions	14
19/10/16	Deloitte	2
08/11/16	Genpact India	52 placed 20 short listed
07/11/16	Unisys	12 placed 23 shortlisted
19/11/16	Infosys (through TASK)	3
23/11/16	Tech Mahindra	20
08/12/16	Southerland Global Services	54
10th & 11th Dec 2016	State Street corporation (TASK)	6
05/1/17	Karvy (TASK)	Result Pending
06/1/17	Synchrony Financial	
10/1/17	Elico(TASK)	Result Pending

XII. LIBRARY SCIENCE

User Orientation Programme Date: 18-7-2016 to 24-7-2016 Department of LIS Conducted user orientation programme to the freshers i.e., First year Degree students. Library Staff introduced library resources and services and issued library borrowing cards.



Star Users Meet Date: 6-9-2016 Department of Library Science Organized "Star Users Meet" at Degree Library. This is an extra facility to the rank holders. Library Committee selected 30 students as star users and presented "Star User Card" to rank holders



Animal Adoption Date: 28-9-2016 Department of LIS initiated to adoption of animals. Collected twenty one thousand. Mrs. Annie Sunil, HOD Dept of English, Mrs. Suneetha, HOD Department of LIS, Student Council Members Priya and Sanorita handed over the Cheque to the Curator Nehru Zoological Park. Adopted one pair of peacock and one Indian gharial at Nehru zoological park through MOU between Curator, and St pious College for one year.



XIII. Pious Alumni

1. The Alumni association Yoga session for students on International Yoga day- 21st June, 2016.
2. Miss. Aishwarya, an alumna currently working for a NGO, Voice for Girls and Miss.

Krishnapriya, also an alumna currently working for Amazon, trained the III year students in Resume Writing and Etiquettes for attending interviews.

3. On 03rd September, 2016, Miss. Miss Mani Meghala an alumni member, presently working for TCS, conducted an open ignite programme for the final year students registered with the placement cell.
4. An Orientation program "Face to Face with Achievers" was organised on 10th September with alumni members Miss. Mani Meghala, Miss. Sparsha & Miss. Pooja. They shared their experiences of the college life and also oriented the students about the corporate work environment and its requirements.

XIV. SPORTS

Students participated in the O U Inter-Collegiate Tournaments for women conducted by Osmania university and organized by various colleges for 2015-16, our college participated in Handball, Softball, Athletics, Tenni-koit and Lawn Tennis from November to January 2016.



K Naga Anusha Of III Mzc Secured Gold Medal In Hammer Throw, Bronze Medal Discuss Throw, Gold Medal In Shot put. OU inter college athletic championship held from 16th - 17th Nov 2015, held at GHMC Balayogi Athletic Stadium, Gachibowli, Hyderabad.

T Sai Deepthi of III BCOM (Cs) secured Bronze Medal in 10,000 metres race at O U inter college Athletic championship held from 1st - 2nd Dec 2015, held at GHMC Balayogi Athletic Stadium, Gachibowli, Hyderabad.

Among all O U Women colleges our college secured Silver medal in March past at GHMC Balayogi Athletic Stadium, Gachibowli, Hyderabad. In OU Inter college Athletic championship

Handball Team secured Bronze Medal in Handball In OU inter college championship held from 1st - 2nd Dec 2015.

In Lawn Tennis team secured Bronze Medal. continuously since three years we secured Bronze medal from 2013 to 2016.

Five of our students got selected to represent Osmania University at Inter University Handball championship going to be held at Alagappa University (Karaikudi) in the month of January 2016.

1. S NishaKumari III Bsc(Mscs)
2. M.amatha III Bsc(Mpcs)
3. G Nandini III Bsc(Mpcs)
4. K Radhika III Bsc(Mpcs)
5. P Lekhya III Bcom(Cs)

M.Tejaswani II B.Com (R) participated in All India Inter University Softball championship held at Jalandher, Lovely professional University, Punjab from 3rd-9th Feb. 2016.

Two students Ashritha Reddy II Bcom (CS) & Kamna Joshi II Bcom (CS) participated in All India Inter University Baseball championship held at patiyala, Pajabi university from 22nd to 28th FEB 2016.

Open tournament

9 students of our college represented Ranga Reddy District at State Level Junior Handball championship held at Adilabad from 13th to 15th Novand 2015 and secured Bronze Medal

S.Njsha Kumari III BSC (MSCs) and G.Mamatha Feona III BSC (MPCs) participated in 44th Senior Nationals Handball championship held at Pune,Maharastra from 17th – 22nd Nov 2015.

10 students of our college represented RangaREDDY District at State Level handball championship held at Adilabad and secured Bronz Medal

Five students of our college are participated in RGKA state Handball championship at saroornagar Indoor Stadium, Ranga Reddy Dist, from 11th -13Jan 2015 and secured Gold Medal

Y. Monica III B.Sc participated at National Chess Championship held at Patna (Bihar) in the month of October.

Pranathi of III B.Sc (BCMC) participated in state level RGKA meet in Table tennis held at saroornagar Indoor Stadium,Ranga Reddy, from 7th-8th Dec 2015 and secured Bronze Medal.

T. SaiDeepthi III B.Com (cs) secured silver medal in 5 k run which was organized by American Telugu Association (ATA)

Vimalleshwari II B.A (mass com) secured Gold medal in greater shuttle Badminton championship 2015 organised by GHMC.

Ashritha Reddy II Bcom (Cs) Kamna Joshi II Bcom (Cs).A.Vyshnavi II Bcom (Cs) participated in 30th National Baseball Championship held at Belagavi,Karnataka from 27th --30th Jan 2016.

S.NISHA KUMARI OF III B.SC (MSCS) got selected as goal keeper and captain for osmaniya University in Hand Ball for 2015-16 and she got selected for Indian camp in Hand Ball and felicitated by Ranga Reddy Handball association. Even she got selected in "Sports Authority of India" (SAI)

M. Tejaswini II B.Com (REG) participated in Inter-Zonal Soft Ball championship. She was the part of 16 member South Zone team. She got selected for "INDIAN camp" at Indoor to represent India at Cannada.

Ashritha Reddy & Kamna Joshi of II B. Com (CS). Both got selected for Indian Camp in Base Ball which going to be held after June 2016.

Ashritha Reddy, Kamana Joshi, and A. Vyshnavi of II B.Com (CS) participated in Base Ball Nationals at Bangalore from 27th -31st Jan 2016.



Students participated enthusiastically in the O U Inter-Collegiate Tournaments for women conducted in various colleges in and around Hyderabad in Table Tennis Chess Handball, Softball, Cross Country Athletics, Tenni-koit, shuttle badminton and Lawn Tennis from November to January 2016.

- Our College participated in SoftBall and HandBall in O.U Inter College tournament and secured 4 th place
- Our college students participated in various open tournaments like Districts, State, National and International.
- Six of our students participated in All India Inter University Base Ball Tournament at Chandighar Punjab.
- P. Lekhya of B.Com III year represented Osmania University at all India Inter University second time at Salem, Chennai.
- Kavya sritha of Ist BCMC participated in National cross country race at chatisgarh, Ranchi.
- .Our college students participated in O.U Atheletic championship 2016-17.
- Above all our college stood in second position in overall championship of O.U inter college Athletic championship for women 2016-17.



We wish all the best to the Sports Piousians!!! Keep it Up!!!