**5.4.1*The Alumnae Association and its Chapters (registered and functional) contribute significantly to the development of the institution through financial and other support services.***

**Response:**

**Fatima College Alumnae Association (FCAA), is a registered body (Reg. No. 92/2015) under The Tamil Nadu Societies Registration Act (1975).** It has national and international chapters.

**Augmenting Infrastructure on Camps**

* Installation of 26 solar lamps and 4 focus lights
* Installation of Water Cooler
* Establishment of Waste Paper Recycling and Oil Extraction Units

**Financial Support**

* **Endowments** have been created for academic excellence
* Financial support to the meritorious yet economically deprived students.
* Dr. Amirthavalli Memorial Award to two to four students majoring in Chemistry annually

**Promoting Entrepreneurship**

* **Paper Recycling and Oil Extraction Units** function effectively teaching entrepreneurial skills to the students of Entrepreneurial Development Cell
* **Fatima Incubation Centre** houses the business start-ups of the alumnae
* **Academic Services**
* Each department has an alumna in the Board of Studies
* Subject experts from among the Alumnae deliver Endowment Lectures
* Feedback is received from the Alumnae for the revision of curriculum

**Promoting Sports**

* A **soup kitchen** has been established for the sports students.

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