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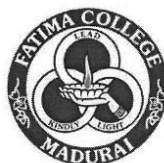
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REPORTS OF STUDENTS' UNION

FATIMA COLLEGE (Autonomous)
(College with Potential for Excellence)
(Re-Accredited with 'A' Grade by NAAC)
74th Rank in India Ranking 2020 (NIRF)
Mary Land, Madurai-18.



UNION REPORT 2019-2020

The duly elected student representatives who shouldered the responsibilities of the College Students' Union are:

SHIFT I

President	: Anto Jerlin.C	III B.A. English
Secretary	: J.Prinita	III B.Sc Zoology
Vice President	: L.Sibi Marian	II B.Sc Mathematics
Treasurer	: M.Padma Priya	II M.Sc Mathematics
Joint Secretary	: M.Puviya	I B.Com

SHIFT II

President	: R.J.Aarthy shree	III B.B.A
Secretary	: A.Kinslin	III B. Sc. Mathematics
Vice President	: N.Afzal Sara	II B.A. Statistics
Treasurer	: M.Shree Soundarya	II M.Com (CA)
Joint Secretary	: V.Rishaba	I B.Com (CA)



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The college re-opened after the summer vacation on June 18, 2019. Various Committees like Extended committee, Discipline committee, Decoration committee and Cultural committee were formed to aid the union bearers in executing their duties effectively. The committees collaborated well with each other for the smooth functioning of various events conducted on campus.

The election for the post of Joint Secretaries was conducted on June 28, 2019. Ms. M.Puviya of I B.Com of Shift I and Ms.V.Rishaba of I B.Com (CA) of Shift II were elected as Joint Secretaries.

Mr.N.K.Ragupathy, Ex-chairman, Staff Selection Commission, Government of India, New Delhi inaugurated the College Union on July 10, 2019. The inauguration marked the beginning of the eclectic students' activities on campus.

The Students Union was formed with the following objectives in mind:

- To serve as a link between the management and student community for the betterment of the college.
- To bring out the students' talent into lime light.
- To nurture the leadership qualities among students.
- To motivate the students to be a responsible citizen of tomorrow.
- To promote integrity and fraternity among students by creating the right ambience for academic, cultural and social activities.

SPRINGS 2K19

SPRINGS is an inter-collegiate cultural fest conducted every year. The theme for this year's grand celebration was "MELORS". It was held on September 20, 2019, and around 15 colleges from various districts of Tamil Nadu participated in various competitions.



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The overall shield was bagged by V.V.Vanniaperumal College for Women, Virudhunagar and the Runner up by Holy Cross College, Trichy. The guest of honour, Mr. Joe Mallori, Orator, Silver-screen Artist and Writer gave the valedictory address and distributed the prizes to the winners.

FINE ARTS

The inter-departmental fest Fine Arts was conducted on December 12th and 13th, 2019. The theme for this year was **“Rejuvenate Relationship”** which emphasized on the importance of relationships and the vital role each relationship plays in our well being. The overall shield for the undergraduates was bagged by the students of B.A English (Shift I) and the shield for the postgraduates was bagged by M.A English (Shift I). R.J. Stephan Ignitius, Suriyan FM presided over the valedictory function and distributed the prizes.

INTER - RELIGIOUS CELEBRATIONS

To bring about a harmonious living by understanding the multi-cultural reality inside the campus, Fatima College celebrates all major religious festivals. These celebrations inculcate religious acceptance among students.

Diwali, the festival of lights was celebrated on 24 October 2019 with much gaiety and excitement. Dr. R.Latha, Assistant Professor, Department of Home Science was the chief guest. She spoke about the significance of the festival and its grandeur.

The college wore a festive look on January 3, 2020 when the staff and the students celebrated the birth of Christ. A meaningful prayer service was followed by the thought provoking message given by Dr. Fr. Sebastian, Parish Priest, St. Joseph's Church, Gnanaolipuram, Madurai and the mirthful dancing of the Santa Claus added joy and color to the Christmas celebration.

The outgoing students celebrated Pongal on January 31st, 2020. Each major prepared and shared Pongal with the less privileged brothers and sisters. The students of each major donned uniform sarees symbolizing unity and collective strength.



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LEADERSHIP TRAINING:

Leadership training programs are conducted regularly to impart leadership qualities to the student representatives and to tap the latent talents of budding leaders. Two leadership training programs were organized on August 2, 2019 and on February 14, 2020, **Ms. Andresia Michaceline**, corporate trainer, student counsellor and **Dr. Rajarajeswari** Assistant Professor and Head, Department of Business Administration, Sri Meenakshi Gov.Arts College for Women, Madurai were invited as resource persons. They motivated the participants to excel as good leaders.

UNION ELECTION FOR 2020 – 2021

The election of the College Union office bearers for the forthcoming academic year 2020-2021 was conducted on March 4, 2020 and the following student representatives were duly elected.

SHIFT I

President	: K. Deepthika	III B.A. Tamil
Secretary	: K. Sathya Jothi	II B.A English
Vice President	: S. Saleith Evanjaline	II B.Sc Physics

SHIFT II

President	: N. Afzal Sara	III Statistics
Secretary	: M. Amrisha Bavatharani	II B.Com (CA)
Vice President	: G. Sneka	I B.Sc Mathematics

Treasurer	: S. Aparna	I M.A History
(Shift I & II)		

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ACTION PLAN

- To give exposure to the students in various aspects including internship and field work other than their chosen subjects through tie-ups with reputed institutions and companies
- To conduct medical camp and give general awareness about health and hygiene
- To motivate cultural committee to strengthen traditional art through various programme and activities

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Coordinator

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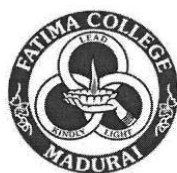
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UNION REPORT
2018-2019

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SHIFT I

President	: J. Jovica Sharan	III B.A. English
Secretary	: M. Preethi	III B.A. Sociology
Vice President	: S. Fathima	II B.Sc. Home Science
Shahzadhi		
Treasurer	: R. Meera	II M.Sc. Physics
Naachiyar		
Joint Secretary	: S. Jesfa Pouline	I B.A. Tamil

SHIFT II

President	: K. Lakshmipriya	III B.A. English
Secretary	: V. Renganayaki	III B.Sc. InfoTech
Vice President	: R.J. Aarthy	II BBA
Shree		
Treasurer	: M. Nivedhaa	II M.A. English
Joint Secretary	: M. Likitha	I B.Sc. Maths



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The election for the post of Joint Secretary was conducted on July 9, 2018. S. Jesfa Pouline of I B.A Tamil of Shift I and M. Likitha of I B.Sc. Maths of Shift II were elected as Joint Secretaries.

Dr.Mrs. M.A Susila, writer and activist, and former Professor of The Research Centre of Tamil, Fatima College, inaugurated the College Union on July 17, 2018. The inauguration marked the beginning of the eclectic students' activities on campus.

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- To serve as a link between the management and student community for the betterment of the college.
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- To motivate the students to be a responsible citizen of tomorrow.
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SPRINGS 2K18

SPRINGS is an inter-collegiate cultural fest conducted every year. The theme for this year's grand celebration was "**SHERO**". It was held on September 7, 2018, and around 15 colleges from various districts of Tamil Nadu participated in various competitions.

The overall shield was bagged by V.V.Vanniaperumal College for Women, Virudhunagar and the Runner up by Holy Cross College, Trichy. The guest of honour, Ms.Sumathi Sri, Public Speaker, gave the valedictory address and distributed the prizes to the winners.



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FINE ARTS

The inter-departmental fest Fine Arts was conducted on December 14th and 15th, 2018. The theme for this year was “**Back to Tradition**” which emphasized on the values of the forgotten tradition. The overall shield for the undergraduates was bagged by the students of B.A English (Shift I) and the shield for the postgraduates was bagged by M.A English. Dr.R.P. Rajeshwari, Dean of Arts, Srimad Andavar College of Arts and Science presided over the valedictory function and distributed the prizes.

INTER - RELIGIOUS CELEBRATIONS

To bring about a harmonious living by understanding the multi-cultural reality inside the campus, Fatima College celebrates all major religious festivals. These celebrations inculcate religious acceptance among students.

Deepavali was celebrated on 26th October 2018 with much enthusiasm. Mrs. B. Chandrika, Head, PG Department of Computer Applications was the chief guest. She spoke about the significance of the festival and its grandeur.

The college wore a cheerful look on December 22, 2018 when the staff and the students celebrated the birth of Christ. A prayer service was conducted and the Christmas message was given by Dr. Fr. Marcel Lincoln, Lourdes Shrine, K.Pudur, Madurai. The arrival of Santa Claus added joy and colour to the Christmas celebration.

The outgoing students celebrated Pongal on February 1, 2019. Each major prepared and shared Pongal with the less privileged brothers and sisters.

CONTRIBUTION TO GAJA RELIEF FUND

In an attempt to express care and concern for the people who lost their livelihood in GAJA CYCLONE, the students of Fatima College contributed 99,637 Rupees.

Aided course – Rs. 43,983

Self-finance – Rs. 55,654



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THE HIGHLIGHTS OF VARIOUS ASSOCIATION ACTIVITIES

The Students of the Research Centre of English won the Overall Shield in the Literary Fest “**Literaria 2K19**”, organized by **Thiagarajar College of Arts and Science**, Dindigul on February 19th, 2019.

Our students from various departments participated in the **9th BHARATYA CHATTHRA SANSAD** organized by MIT, World Peace University, Pune.

Thamarai Yazhini – III BA ENGLISH was one among the three delegates selected to question the honourable dignitaries among 1500 students.

Students of Fatima College participated in **NATIONAL ALL STUDENT PARLIAMENT** organized by the Kerala Legislative Assembly.

Our students participated in a **NATIONAL LEVEL DEBATE COMPETITION** conducted by St. Joseph's College, Trichy and won the Third place. They were awarded a cash prize of Rs. 6000.

The Research Centre of Home Science with Food Biotechnology organized a program to celebrate **BREAST FEEDING WEEK** in collaboration with Indian Academy of Paediatrics, Government Rajaji Hospital, Madurai.

In collaboration with Lion's Club, Dubai and Marti foundation, Fatima College organized a mega Women's Day Celebration on March 8, 2019. 27 Women achievers from various fields were honoured by conferring on them “Woman of Excellence” Award.

The Research Centre of Economics conducted a **NATIONAL LEVEL WORKSHOP ON TRAINING THE YOUTH TO COMBAT CORRUPTION** on February 18th, 2019.

Department of Sociology with Computer Applications organized a one day workshop on **KEEPING THE SPARK ALIVE** in collaboration with Guidance and Counselling Cell on February 7th, 2019.



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LEADERSHIP TRAINING

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UNION ELECTION FOR 2019 – 2020

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Secretary	: J. Prinita	II B.Sc Zoology
Vice President	: L. Sibi Marian	I B.Sc Maths
Treasurer	: M. Padma Priya	I M.Sc. Maths

SHIFT II

President	: R.J. Aarthi Shree	II BBA
Secretary	: A. Kinslin	II B.Sc. Maths
Vice President	: N. Afzal Sara	I B. Sc. Statistics
Treasurer	: M. Shree Soundarya	I M.Com (CA)

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ACTION PLAN

- To celebrate Pongal in collaboration with the residents of the villages adopted by the college
- To make the campus more eco-friendly by strictly adhering to plastic ban.
- To create awareness especially to the women community about the usage of internet and social media through awareness programme.
- To provide a more placement coaching for the students through placement trainings.

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UNION REPORT
2017-2018

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SHIFT I

President	: F.Mohammed Fazila Fathima	III B.A. English
Secretary	: M.Hashni	III B. Sc. Chemistry
Vice President	: J.S.Akshaya	II B.A. Sociology
Treasurer	: Gayathri Sankaran	II M.Com
Joint Secretary	: C. Johxy	I B. Sc. Physics

SHIFT II

President	: P.Yazhini	III B. Com
Secretary	: M. Soniya	III B. Sc. Maths
Vice President	: L. R. Bharathi	II B. Sc Statistics
Treasurer	: R. Hari Priya	II M. Sc HNN
Joint Secretary	: B. Krithi Rishika	I BBA



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The election for the post of joint secretary was conducted on July 14, 2017. C. Johxy of I B. Sc. Physics of Shift I and B. Krithi Rishika of Ist BBA of Shift II were elected as Joint Secretaries.

Dr.Christianna Singh, Principal of Lady doak college, Madurai, inaugurated the College Union on July 19, 2017. The inauguration marked the beginning of the eclectic students' activities on campus.

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- To provide a clean, comfortable and inviting environment for students, staff, and management to relate socially.
- To foster a healthy rapport between the students and the management.
- To nurture the leadership qualities among students.
- To promote integrity and fraternity among students by creating the right ambience for academic, cultural and social activities.
- To promote discipline and create a sense of responsibility among students

SPRINGS 2K17

SPRINGS 2K17 is an inter-collegiate cultural pageant conducted every year. The theme for this year's grand celebration was "EARTHIAN". It was held on August 26, 2017, and around 19 colleges from various districts of Tamil Nadu, met on the Maryland campus to participate in various competitions.

The overall shield was bagged by V.V. Vanniaperumal College for Women, Virudhunagar. The guest of honor, Mr. Velmurugan, South Indian Tamil film playback singer, gave the valedictory address and distributed the prizes to the winners.



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FINE ARTS

The inter-departmental fest Fine Arts was conducted on December 8th and 9th, 2017 the theme for this year was “**IMMACULATE OIKOS**” which encompassed the cleanliness in our environment. The overall shield for the undergraduates was bagged by the students of B.A English (Shift I) and the shield for the postgraduates was bagged by M. Sc. Mathematics. Thiru S. Ulagavel, Indian Bank Manager, presided over the valedictory function and Thiru Solai M. Raja, President, Tamil Nadu Olympics Association distributed the prizes.

INTER - RELIGIOUS CELEBRATIONS

To bring about a harmonious living by understanding the multi cultural reality inside the campus, Fatima College celebrates all major religious festivals. These celebrations inculcate religious acceptance among students.

Eid, the celebration of the end of Ramzan, was celebrated on July 26, 2017 and on October 16, 2017 Diwali was celebrated. It was a solemn celebration of lights celebrated alongside a memorial service for the 18 soldiers who were killed in a militant attack at a military base in Uri, Jammu & Kashmir.

On December 23, 2017, the staff and the students celebrated the birth of Christ. Rev. Dr. C. Joe Arun, Director, St. Joseph's Institute of Management, Trichy, was the chief guest of the Christmas Celebration. The joyful dancing of the Santa Claus added joy and colour to the Christmas celebration.

The outgoing students celebrated Pongal on January 20, 2017. Each major contributed Pongal for the orphanage and old age homes. The students of each major wore uniform sarees symbolizing unity and collective strength.



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CONTRIBUTION TO LITTLE SISTERS OF POOR

In an attempt to express care and concern for the elderly, the students of Shift I and Shift II donated an amount of Rs. 50, 513 to the Little Sisters of Poor.

COMMEMORATION OF SAINTHOOD OF MOTHER TERESA

On October, 20 2016, a solemn prayer service was held to commemorate the saint hood of Mother Teresa. Students generously contributed in cash and in kind to the Mother Teresa Old Age home located opposite to the college. A sum of Rs. 30, 000 was donated by the students.

THE HIGHLIGHTS OF VARIOUS ASSOCIATION ACTIVITIES

The students of the Department of Physics won the overall shield in **'RAINBOW-2017'**, an inter-collegiate competition conducted by **V.V.V.COLLEGE** for Women, Virudhunagar on February 3, 2017.

The Students of the Department of Home Science with Food Bio-Technology won the overall shield in **'NUTRI FEST'**, an inter – collegiate competition conducted by **V.V.V.COLLEGE** for Women, Virudhunagar on February 27, 2017.

Fatimites won the Overall Trophy in the State Level Intercollegiate **LIBRARY CARNIVAL** for held on February 15, 2017 at **V. V. V. College** for Women, Virudhunagar.

The Students of the Research Centre of English won the Overall Shield in the Literary Fest **"SAHITYA - 2017"**, organized by **GANDHIGRAM RURAL DEEMED UNIVERSITY**, Dindigul on February 21, 2017

Fatimites won the Runners Up Trophy in the District level **BIBLE CRICKET** competition organized by the **TAMIL NADU THEOLOGICAL SOCIETY**, Madurai on February 15, 2017.

The Students of the Department of Home Science with Food Bio-Technology, won the Runner Up Shield in **"HOME FEST – 2017"** organized by **GANDHIGRAM RURAL DEEMED UNIVERSITY**, Dindigul on March 18, 2017.



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The Students of the Department of the Physics won the Runner Up Shield in a State Level Intercollegiate Quiz Competition conducted by the **IGCAR AND RADIOLOGICAL SAFETY DIVISION**, Kalpakkam on March 21, 2017.

LEADERSHIP TRAINING

Leadership training programs are conducted regularly to impart leadership qualities to the student representatives and to tap the latent talents of budding leaders. The Students Union of Fatima College organized two leadership training programs for the year 2017-2018 in the college premises on July 7, 2017 and on February 19, 2018, **Rev. Fr. Godwin Rufus**, vice principal of Arul Anandar College, Karumathur and **Rev. Fr. George Chinnappan**, Director, Christodayam, Trichy, were the resource persons.

UNION ELECTION FOR 2018 – 2019

The election of the College Union for the next academic year 2018-2019 was conducted on February 19, 2018 and the following student representatives were duly elected.

SHIFT I

President	: J. Jovica Sharan	III B.A. English
Secretary	: M. Preethi	III B.A. Sociology
Vice President	: S. Fathima Shahzadhi	II B.Sc. Home Science
Treasurer	: R. Meera Naachiyar	II M.Sc. Physics

SHIFT II

President	: K. Lakshmipriya	III B.A. English
Secretary	: V. Renganayaki	III B.Sc. InfoTech
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Treasurer	: M. Nivedhaa	II M.A. English



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FUTURE PLANS

- To celebrate Pongal in collaboration with the residents of the villages adopted by the college
- To increase the number of student entrepreneurs
- To make the campus more eco-friendly
- To strengthen the relational ambience on campus
- To enhance the traditional value system and cultural practices on campus
- To train the budding leaders to become better citizens / leaders of tomorrow
- To multiply the potential leaders through active participation in various club activities

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UNION REPORT
2016-2017

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Secretary	: M.Vishali	III B. Sc. Home Science
Vice President	: F.Mohammed Fazila Fathima	II B.A. English
Treasurer	: K.Anusuya	II M.A Tamil
Joint Secretary	: C. Catherine Arulmalar	I B. Sc. Mathematics

SHIFT II

President	: D.M.Kamieni	III B. Sc. Mathematics
Secretary	: B.Mathumitha	III B.B.A
Vice President	: K.Harinitha	II B.A English
Treasurer	: B.Udaya	II MSW
Joint Secretary	: S. Aarthi	I B. Com (C.A)



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The election for the post of joint secretary was conducted on July 11, 2016.

C. Catherine Arulmalar of Ist B. Sc. Mathematics of Shift I and S. Aarthi of I B. Com (C. A.) of Shift II were elected as Joint Secretaries.

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SANGAM 4

Sangam-4 is an evolving Tamil Literary Cultural Movement which signifies the breath taking leap through global participation. It had its Madurai edition this year. The ten day long aesthetic bonanza between 12th August and 21st August, took place in Madurai, centre of the legendary Tamil Sangams of lore. The inaugural and valedictory functions were organized and hosted at Fatima



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College in collaboration with the team from Sangam 4 headed by Father Jegath Gaspar Raj, founder of Tamil Maiyam.

SPRINGS 2K16

SPRINGS 2K16 is an inter-collegiate cultural pageant conducted every year.

The theme for this year's grand celebration was *India: History, Heritage, Humanities*. It was held on August 27, 2016, and around 24 colleges from various districts of Tamil Nadu, met on the Maryland campus to participate in various competitions. The overall shield was bagged by Arul Anandar College, Karumathur, Madurai, and Ms. K. Thatshayini of Kalai Kaveri College of Fine Arts, Trichy was honored with the MS. SPRINGS 2K16. APC Mahalakshmi College, Tuticorin received the runners – up shield. The guest of honor, Mr. Vasanth S. Sai, Film Director, gave the valedictory address and distributed the prizes to the winners. In addition, Mr. Elan Chezhiyan, Regional Director, South Tamil Nadu, OSAI Organisation, delivered a special address.

FINE ARTS

The inter-departmental fest Fine Arts was conducted on November 25th and 26th, 2016 the theme for this year was **“PRO - LIFE ACTIVISTS”** which encompassed environmental sustenance, women and children and Social Media Networks. The overall shield for the undergraduates was bagged by the students of B.A English (Shift I) and the shield for the postgraduates was bagged by M. Sc. Mathematics. Thiru S. Ulagavel, Indian Bank Manager, presided over the valedictory function and Thiru Solai M. Raja, President, Tamil Nadu Olympics Association distributed the prizes.

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FATIMAVIN SUDARGAL

'Fatimavin Sudargal' is a social movement initiated by the students with objective to preserve the native breeds of cow. Students have identified various native breeds in the nearby villages and have planned to form groups. They have also decided to adopt one cow per group. They will regularly take care of the animal and also provide it with the right feed.

At present there are almost **500** members comprising of students from both the shifts. This will be an ongoing project in the years to come.

THE HIGHLIGHTS OF VARIOUS ASSOCIATION ACTIVITIES

The students of the Department of Physics won the overall shield in '**RAINBOW-2017**', an inter-collegiate competition conducted by **V.V.V.COLLEGE** for Women, Virudhunagar on February 3, 2017.



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The Students of the Department of Home Science with Food Bio-Technology won the overall shield in '**NUTRI FEST**', an inter – collegiate competition conducted by **V.V.V.COLLEGE** for Women, Virudhunagar on February 27, 2017.

Fatimites won the Overall Trophy in the State Level Intercollegiate **LIBRARY CARNIVAL** for held on February 15, 2017 at **V. V. V. College** for Women, Virudhunagar.

The Students of the Research Centre of English won the Overall Shield in the Literary Fest "**SAHITYA - 2017**", organized by **GANDHIGRAM RURAL DEEMED UNIVERSITY**, Dindigul on February 21, 2017

Fatimites won the Runners Up Trophy in the District level **BIBLE CRICKET** competition organized by the **TAMIL NADU THEOLOGICAL SOCIETY**, Madurai on February 15, 2017.

The Students of the Department of Home Science with Food Bio-Technology, won the Runner Up Shield in "**HOME FEST – 2017**" organized by **GANDHIGRAM RURAL DEEMED UNIVERSITY**, Dindigul on March 18, 2017.

The Students of the Department of the Physics won the Runner Up Shield in a State Level Intercollegiate Quiz Competition conducted by the **IGCAR AND RADIOLOGICAL SAFETY DIVISION**, Kalpakkam on March 21, 2017.

LEADERSHIP TRAINING

Leadership training programs are conducted regularly to impart leadership

qualities to the student representatives and to tap the latent talents of budding leaders. The Students Union of Fatima College organized two leadership training programs for the year 2016-2017 in the college premises on July 1, 2016 and on February 16, 2016, **Mr. K. Ravichandran**, Chair person for Business Studies Madurai Kamaraj University and **Rev. Fr. George Chinnappan**, Director, Christodayam, Trichy were the resource persons.

UNION ELECTION FOR 2017 – 2018



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The election of the College Union for the next academic year 2017-2018 was conducted on February 20, 2017 and the following student representatives were duly elected.

SHIFT I

President	: F.Mohammed Fazila Fathima	II B.A. English
Secretary	: M.Hashni	II B.Sc. chemistry
Vice President	: J.S.Akshaya	I B.A.Sociology with CA.
Treasurer	: Gayathri Sankaran	I M.Com

SHIFT II

President	: P.Yazhini	II B.Com (C.A.)
Secretary	: M.Soniya	II B.Sc. Mathematics
Vice President	: L.R.Bharathi	I B.Sc. Statistics
Treasurer	: R.Haripriya	I M.Sc. HNN

The union activities for the year 2016 - 2017 will be concluded with the duties being solemnly handed over to the successive union office bearers. This will be followed by the candle light ceremony for the out-going students.

FUTURE PLANS

- ◊ To encourage students to participate in 'Fatimavin Sudargal' – a novel ethnic and social venture
- ◊ To celebrate Pongal in collaboration with the residents of the villages adopted by the college
- ◊ To increase the number of student entrepreneurs
- ◊ To make the campus more eco-friendly
- ◊ To strengthen the relational ambience on campus
- ◊ To enhance the traditional value system and cultural practices on campus



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- ◊ To train the budding leaders to become better citizens / leaders of tomorrow
- ◊ To multiply the potential leaders through active participation in various club activities

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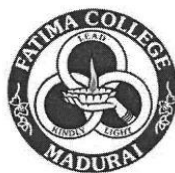
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**UNION REPORT
2015-2016**

The duly elected student representatives were inducted on 24th July 2015. They took an oath to be responsible leaders in the college, by taking up various posts within the college student's union. The honorable Principal of Yadava Women's College, Mrs. Poovazhaghi shared her inspiring words about being a good leader and the role of a good leader with examples and quotations from the lives of eminent personalities in history like Alexander the Great.

SHIFT -I

President	K.Madhumati	III B.Sc Physics
Secretary	M.Asha Priyadharshini	III B.Sc Chemistry
Vice president	Susan Anita Andrew	II B.Com
Treasurer	G.Janabai	II M.Com
Joint secretary	F.Mohammed Fazila Fathima	I B.A English



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SHIFT-II

President	S.Pavala Durga	III BCA
Secretary	Swathi Chezhiyan	III B.Com CA
Vice president	S.Delecta Josy	II B.A. English
Treasurer	D.Sandhiya	II MSW
Joint secretary	R.Pavithra Shree	I B.Sc Maths

FRESHERS' PARTY

The freshers' party was organized on 22nd June, 2015 for the first year students of both Shift I and Shift II courses. The fresher's party commenced at 8:00 a.m. by the lighting of the lamp by the Secretary Sr. Francis Pauline, the Principal Rev. Sr. K. Fatima Mary, the Vice Principals Sr. Fatima Mary Michael and Mrs. Fernando Delishia, and the student union President Ms. K. Madumati. This was followed by a solemn prayer service in which God's presence was invoked through prayer songs and special prayers. The Secretary Sr. Francis Pauline, and the Principal Rev. Sr. K. Fatima Mary motivated and blessed the students as they were about to embark on a new journey and stage in their lives, and wished them all to come out with flying colours.

LEADERSHIP TRAINING PROGRAMME

The Leadership training programme is conducted every year to impart leadership qualities to the student representatives and to bring out the hidden talents of potential leaders by teaching them strategies to handle the challenges associated with the various roles a leader must be able to face. They were given a fresh understanding on how to acquire new ideas to optimize and sustain their potential as a leader.



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In the Academic year 2015-2016, the first leadership training programme was conducted on 13th July, 2015. The honorable chief guest for this event was Mr. M. Rajasekaran, better known to the world as Kavignyar *Mu ra*. The leadership training programme was conducted for over 200 upcoming and existing leaders, which included the class representatives, assistant class representatives, union members, extended committee members and also the nominees for the post of Joint Secretary.

Mr. Rajasekaran began the leadership training by citing 'Mother' as the best example of a leader. He then explained the basic qualities of a leader viz. a leader must be patient, a good listener, a humble person, he/she should not dominate others, and must have an aim and goal in life. He also interacted with the students guiding and advising them about their goals and aims in life as this is what determines the destiny of a leader. He also motivated the students in other aspects of being a good and responsible leader.

ELECTION OF JOINT SECRETARY – 17.07.2015

The winners of the election were:

SHIFT I

F. Mohammed Fazila Fathima

SHIFT II

R. Pavithra Shree

SPRINGS 2K15

The grand celebration of SPRINGS 2K15 was held on August 22, 2015. The inauguration of this grand inter-collegiate cultural event began at 9 a.m. The inaugural address was delivered by the principal Dr. Sr. K. Fatima Mary, and the cultural committee of the college invited the participants from various colleges through their elegant dance performances and mime shows. 14 colleges from various districts across Tamil Nadu gathered in various venues within our college campus to participate in the 15 competitions conducted by us. Funds were raised to meet the expenses of SPRINGS 2K15 through inviting several stalls and sponsor



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for the students, participants and staff. The numerous competitions went on till 1.30 p.m.

At the end of this grand celebration the valedictory programme began at 3 p.m. in Jubilee Hall the chief guest of honor being Rev. Jegath Gaspar Raj the founder of Tamil Mayam, Chennai, he shared inspiring words of encouragement with the students and turned the celebration into a grand success. The eminent personality Mr. Nellai Balu founder of Yuva Bharathi Kendra, Madurai was also present and shared his insightful, humorous and thought provoking words with the students.

Finally, the winners of the various competitions were announced by the Union Coordinator, Dr. Ms .G. Uma and the prizes were distributed by the chief guest of honor. The overall shield was bagged by the V.V.V. College, Virudhunagar, and the title Ms. Springs was won by Jeyaraj Annapackiam College, Periyakulam. Thus, SPRINGS 2K15 came to a conclusion filled with joy and fun, by the tireless efforts and support of the union staff and union bearers.

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