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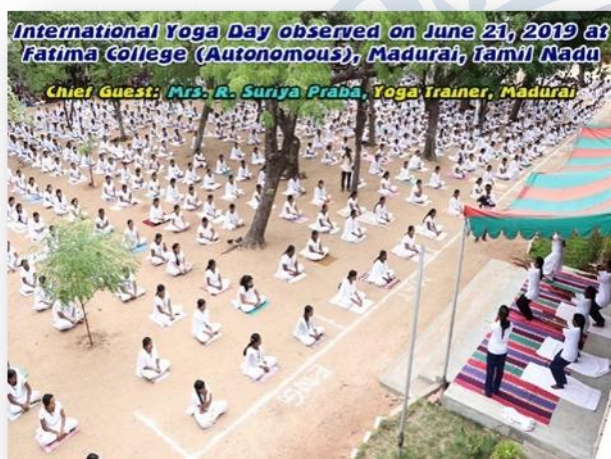
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CELEBRATION OF NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL COMMEMORATIVE DAYS, EVENTS AND FESTIVALS 2019 - 2020

INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY CELEBRATION: International Yoga Day was observed by the NCC unit on 21 June 2019. A guest lecture “Yoga and Meditation for Excellence” was arranged by Meditation in Action Movement. Yoga Trainer Mrs. R Suriya Praba, delivered lecture and demonstrated various yoga poses and enumerated their benefits. Nearly 2010 students did various stress relieving yoga exercises.



INTERNATIONAL PLASTIC FREE DAY: ROSA MYSTICA Library celebrated the day on 3 July 2019 to disseminate awareness on the banning of plastics.

INDEPENDENCE DAY: Every year, the **Quiz Club organizes Independence Day Competition** (Written Quiz) for the students. For the academic year (2019-2020), the competition was conducted on 5 August 2019 in Jubilee Hall. 99 students participated in it, among which 62 students were from Shift I and 37 students were from Shift II. S. Arunjunai Devi, II M.A History won the First Prize, I. Yohaeswari, II B.A Chemistry bagged the Second Prize and M. Kavya Devi of III B.Sc Home Science secured the Third Prize.



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WORLD BREASTFEEDING WEEK: The Department of Home Science with Food Biotechnology celebrated the World Breastfeeding Week on 6 August 2019. Dr. P. Catherine Leela, Gynecologist & Obstetrician, Meenakshi Mission Hospital and Research Institute, Madurai, delivered Special Lectures on “Empower Parents – Enable Breast Feeding”.



FIT INDIA MOVEMENT: On 8 August 2019, Fit India Movement, an initiative launched by the Prime Minister of India took off on a brisk note with a string of activities to inculcate the need to stay fit.

YouTube Link: <https://youtu.be/G5GoBCIs8to>



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INTERNATIONAL POET'S DAY: ROSA MYSTICA Library celebrated Poet's Day on 21 August 2019 by displaying the books of World famous Poets.

WOMEN'S EQUALITY DAY: The day was celebrated on 26 August 2019. Mrs. Premalatha, Co-ordinator, One Stop Center, Madurai, addressed the students about government schemes and Women's law.

WORLD PHOTOGRAPHY DAY: The department of Journalism and Mass Communication conducted a Photography Contest on 27 August 2019 to mark the celebration of World Photography Day. Mr. Antony Xavier, Chief Photographer of *Times of India* was the Chief Guest.



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MUTHAMIZH VIZHA: Muthamizh Vizha was organized by the Research Centre of Tamil on 28 & 29 August 2019. Dr. M. Chithambaram, Associate Professor, Alagappa Arts and Science College, Karaikudi delivered a lecture on “Kanavugal Meipada Vendum” (Let Dreams come True). A Special Address was given by Dr. Rama. Malavizhi Mangayarkarsi, Assistant Professor, Thiagarajar College, Madurai on the topic “Tamil Kaviyangale Nadakangal”(Drama and Tamil Epics)

TEACHERS’ DAY: Teacher’s Day was celebrated on 5 September 2019. Prof. R. Sudha, Registrar i/c, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai was the Chief Guest.

NATIONAL NUTRITION WEEK: The Department of Human Nutrition and Nutraceuticals organised NUTRIFEST 2019 “Rainbow Foods for Radiant Health” on 11 September 2019 to mark the National Week of Nutrition. Mr. R. Sethurajan, Assistant General Manager, Anamalais Agencies Pvt. Ltd., Madurai and Mr. L. Murali Krishnan, Managing Director, Kalyani Associates (P) Ltd., Madurai were the Chief Guests



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WORLD OZONE DAY & WORLD NATURE DAY: On 16 September 2019, Dr. M. Arasammal, Associate Professor & Head, Dept. of Commerce with Computer Applications Ms. V. Maheswari, Assistant Professor & Head, Dept. of Information Technology oriented the students towards environmental protection.



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WILD LIFE WEEK CELEBRATION: The Department of Zoology organised a guest lecture on “Conservation of Marine Wildlife in India” delivered by Dr. J. Jerald Wilson, Assistant Professor, Department of Marine & Coastal Studies, School of Energy Sciences, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai on 25 September 2019.



CELEBRATIONS OF 150TH BIRTHDAY OF MAHATMA GANDHI: Commemorating the 150th Birthday of Mahatma Gandhi **Dr. M. Valliammal**, Former Associate Professor, Department of History, Lady Doak College, was invited to give a lecture on the life of Mahatma Gandhi, on 26 September 2019.

ROSA MYSTICA Library conducted a Book Exhibition on Gandhi's Collection to observe his 150th Birth Anniversary.

YOUTH AWAKENING DAY: On 17 October 2019, Dr. S. Poongodi, Assistant Professor of Tamil, Fatima College, Madurai, gave an inspiring lecture on Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam and nation building.

DEEPAVALI CELEBRATION: Deepavali was celebrated on 24 October 2019. Dr. R. Latha, Associate Professor, The Research Centre of Home Science, delivered the Deepavali Message.



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INTERNATIONAL DAY FOR THE ELIMINATION OF VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN:

Ms. Carla Suzana Krueger, a researcher spoke on the importance of Women's Freedom, on 21 November 2019.



CHILDREN'S DAY CELEBRATIONS: Women Empowerment Animation and Training (WEAT) Centre organized Children's Day Celebrations day in collaboration with NSS of Fatima College for ten days in the villages Ambalathadi, Vadugapatti and Pillaiyarnatham. Different activities such as Eye Camp, Veterinary Camp and planting of saplings were carried out in the villages.

In the villages Adalai and Ariyur, Children's day celebrations were organised on 23rd and 30th of November. 60 Children participated in this programme. Awareness on organic farming and yoga was given. Leadership qualities of children were enhanced through their acting and cultural programmes.

70TH ANNIVERSARY OF CONSTITUTION DAY: Constitution Day was observed on 26 November 2019; the Chief Guest Mr. Samidurai, Senior Advocate, High Court, Madurai Bench spoke on the Indian Constitution and the significance of the Right to Information Act and other fundamental rights.

GRANDMA-PA FEST: On 29 November 2019, Grandma-pa Fest was celebrated in the College premises to foster respect for the elderly people. The programme was vibrant with the enthusiastic elderly participants.



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INTERNATIONAL DAY OF DISABLED PERSONS: NSS Program Officers organized a session on 3 December 2019, International Day of Disabled Persons. The students were motivated to be sensitive to the differently abled persons in the society.

ARMED FORCES FLAG DAY: 7 December 2019 marked the celebrations of Armed Forces Flag Day in which Dr. T. Godwin Vedanayagam Rajkumar, Associate NCC Officer was the Guest of Honour. The Students gained knowledge about the historical relevance of the Indian flag and its importance.



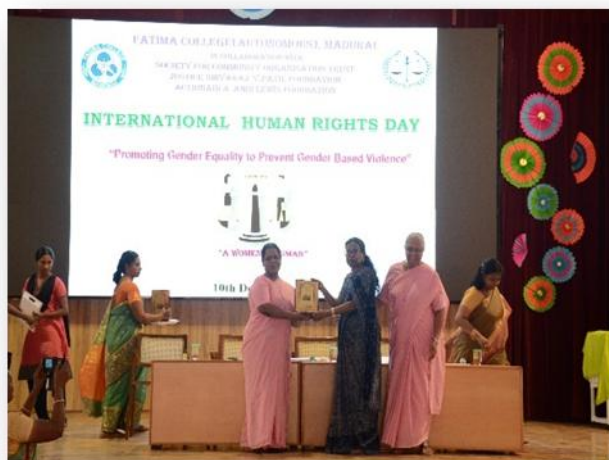
INTERNATIONAL HUMAN RIGHTS DAY: Human Rights Cell of Fatima College observed Human Rights Day on 10 December 2019. Advocate Selvagamathi, Managing Trustee, Justice Shivaraj V. Patil Foundation and Advocate S. Balasundari, Member of the Juvenile Justice Board, Madurai District were invited to speak on promoting Gender Equality to Prevent Gender Based Violence.



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ROSA MYSTICA, our Library, displayed books related to Human Rights Day. It also posted relevant quotes inside the library.

RAMANUJAN DAY: Dept. of Mathematics (Shift - II) & Statistics celebrated the Ramanujan Day on 18 December 2019. Dr. Regina Mary, Former Professor & Head, Department of Mathematics, Fatima College, Madurai was the resource person.

CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION: Rev. Fr. S. Sebastian, Parish Priest, St. Joseph Church, Gnanaolivupuram delivered the Christmas message on 23 December 2019.

PONGAL CELEBRATION: In an attempt to express their gratitude to the staff members and to share their joy with the poor and the orphaned, the outgoing students celebrated the Pongal Day on 31 January 2020 and shared Pongal with the Orphanages and the Homes for the destitute.

MATRIBHASHA DIWAS: The Deans of Cultural Committee of Fatima College organized Inter departmental competition for the students as part of *Matribhasha Diwas* celebration on 21 February 2020. Students from both Shift I and II enthusiastically participated and exhibited their talents.



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NATIONAL SCIENCE DAY: The Dept. of Physics organized the National Science Day on Science for People and People for Science on 28 February 2020. Dr. K. Sakthipandi, Assistant Professor, Department of Physics & Associate Dean, R & D, Sethu Institute of Technology, Kidaripatti was the Resource Person.

