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**Dignify Labour** 

The international community celebrates Labour Day on May 1 that brings global unity around the values of dignity and justice for workers everywhere. Besides celebrating the invaluable contributions of labourers for the promotion of human society and the environment, it also highlights the ongoing need to safeguard workers' rights in a changing world. The observance of Labour Day also aims at building and strengthening solidarity among the international community, the collective voice of labour for negotiations and reforms to address the just needs of the workers.

Labour Day has an educative value as the public, especially younger generations, gets to know the history of labour movements, the ongoing challenges the workers face, human rights related to labour, the dignity of labour, and the issue of equality. It teaches the human society to recognize the hard work, dedication, and contributions of workers across all sectors and their role in building nations, economies, and communities. It also teaches each person to dignify their work and that of others. By embracing the Depaulian spirit of

respect, empathy and justice, each member of the college community values the other and their work.



Message

The annual athletic meet commenced with an inaugural ceremony graced by the chief guest, Dr. Srinivasa V., Director, Department of Physical Education, Mandya University. The ceremony was attended by our Principal, Rev. Dr. Baiju Antony C.M., Dean of Studies Rev. Dr. Shijo Anthony C.M., Financial Administrator, Rev. Fr. Santoy Kurian CM, Principal of DPRIS Rev. Fr. Anish Xavier C M, Hostel Director Rev. Fr. Jayaraj C.M, and Physical Education Director, Ms. Angeline. This marked the beginning of a day filled with thrilling athletic events. The athletic meet featured a diverse range of track and field events, including sprints, distance runs, jumps, and throws. Students from various departments actively participated in the events, showcasing their athletic prowess and teamwork.

**Annual Athletic Meet** 

The winners of each event were awarded medals and certificates in the presence of the Dean of Studies and Physical Education Director, adding a sense of achievement and recognition to the day's events. Sanjana Shankar and Angel Paulose of 4<sup>th</sup> sem B Com secured individual championships in women's category. Sandeep and Mukesh Seervi of 6<sup>th</sup> sem B Com secured individual championship in men's category.



"The works of God are not accomplished when we wish them, but whenever it pleases Him."

~ Vincent de Paul

## **Exchange Programme**

Exchange programmes between colleges offer valuable opportunities for both staff and students to gain new experiences and broaden their horizons. These programmes promote academic, cultural, and personal growth, making them a beneficial part of higher education. Departments of Commerce and Management embarked upon a staff and students exchange programme with St. Philomena's Autonomous College, Mysore on 16<sup>th</sup> April, 2025.

# Selection to National Cestoball Team



Kavya P R of 4<sup>th</sup> sem BBA was selected to represent India in the South Asian Cestoball Championship for women, held at Ratnapura in Srilanka on 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> May, 2025.The team secured 2<sup>nd</sup> position.

# **Birthday Celebration** of Campus Superior

The management and staff joined together on 15<sup>th</sup> April, 2025 to celebrate the birthday of Campus Superior and Financial Administrator Rev. Fr. Santoy Kurian CM.



#### **Deplomat sports fest 2025**

The Department of Physical Education organized the Deplomat Sports Fest on 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> April, 2025 at De Paul College, featuring teams from various colleges. A huge crowd attended the event. 22 teams participated in the De Paul Cup Football for men and Mahajanas College, Mysore won the match and Vidyashram, Mysore became the runners-up. In the Throw ball matches for men, Government First Grade College, T. Narasipura secured 1<sup>st</sup> place and Sheshadripuram, Bangalore secured 2<sup>nd</sup> place. BMS College, Bangalore won the Throw ball Match for women and St. Joseph College, Hunsur became the runners-up



#### Deplomat 2025

De Paul College, Mysore, recently concluded its prestigious three-day National Level Inter-Collegiate Fest, DEPLOMAT 2K25, held from April 23 to 25, 2025. Organized by the Departments of Commerce, Management, Computer Applications, Arts, Languages and Physical Education, the fest aimed at fostering conceptual knowledge, creativity and physical prowess among youth across India.

The event was inaugurated on April 23<sup>rd</sup> at 9:30 AM, with a grand opening ceremony graced by Rev. Dr. Anil K. Thomas CM, President of De Paul College, who delivered an inspiring inaugural address. The function was presided over by the Principal, Rev. Dr. Baiju Antony CM, in the presence of distinguished guests and judges from various fields.

The fest witnessed enthusiastic participation from over 600 students representing more than 40 prestigious institutions nationwide. Winners and runners-up in each category were awarded cash prizes and certificates, while all participants received certificates of participation, recognizing their spirited involvement and talent.

The fest concluded with a valedictory ceremony, followed by a vibrant DJ performance by DJ Jonas Montero, adding a festive note to an already memorable event.



## **College Fests**

Students of our college enthusiastically participate in various intercollegiate fests and cultural events, showcasing their talents, creativity, and team spirit. These fests provide a vibrant platform for students to engage in healthy competition, develop leadership and organizational skills, and build lasting connections with peers from other institutions. Their active involvement reflects a well-rounded student life that goes beyond academics, nurturing confidence, collaboration, and a sense of community. A group of students participated in "Vidyutsav 2K25" organized by Vidya Vikas FG College, Mysore on 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> April, 2025.

Another group of students attended the fest organized by Mica College, Mysore and secured 1<sup>st</sup> prizes. Poorvik and Aaron secured first prize in Marketing; Apoorva and Mridula in Human Resource Management and Seija secured first prize in story writing.

#### FDP on Smart Board operation

In today's modern educational environment, technology plays a vital role in enhancing the learning experience. One of the most significant innovations in this field is the interactive smart board. These digital boards have transformed traditional classrooms into dynamic learning spaces, offering numerous benefits for both teachers and students. Since the college has installed smart boards in classrooms, the faculty members were given training to use the interactive smart boards on 23<sup>rd</sup> April, 2025.

**Industrial Visit** 



Industrial visits bridge the gap between classroom learning and actual industry practices. To gain knowledge about industrial processes, the Department of Computer Applications organized an industrial visit for its students to United Breweries (UB) at Nanjangud, Karnataka on 11<sup>th</sup> April, 2025.

## <u>Achievements</u>



Assistant Professor Roch Libya Rani, Head of the Department of Computer Applications, demonstrates exceptional dedication to continuous learning by actively enrolling in various computer application courses. Her eagerness to expand her expertise reflects a deep passion for the field and a commitment to staying at the forefront of technological advancements, setting a strong example for both her peers and students. She successfully completed a course on Python for Data Science and attended an 11-day FDP on Advanced Tools and Techniques for Research Methodology in the month of April.

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