

Naipunnya College Newsletter



Faculty Rejuvenation Programme 2024

The annual Faculty Rejuvenation Programme was held on **May 31, 2024**. It was inaugurated by **Fr. Dr. Paulachan K. J.**, Executive Director and Principal. **Dr. Sabu Varghese**, Director of the IT/HRD Cell, delivered the welcome address. In the morning, Ms. Raakhee Vijay Nair, Corporate and Leadership Facilitator, conducted a session on **Emotional Well-being** for the staff. In the afternoon, the Principal introduced the newly appointed staff and outlined plans for the upcoming academic year. A farewell was extended to Fr. Arun Valiyaveetil and Dr. Tessy Paulose, who were departing the institution. The session was coordinated by Ms. Emily Ittiachan, Director of the Centre for Examinations.



World Blood Donor Day

In connection with **World Blood Donor Day**, an interdepartmental quiz competition was organized by the NSS on **June 14, 2024**. A team of two members from each class participated in the competition. In addition, the NSS conducted a **Blood Donation Awareness Campaign** and facilitated the formation of a Blood Bank in Ward 11 of Koratty Grama Panchayath. A Blood Donors' Forum was also formed where students interested in donating blood can register.



International Yoga Day Celebration

The Department of Physical Education, Sports Club and NSS Unit of the College, in association with **SAURABHYA**, Monoorpilly, organized a yoga demonstration for first-year students, with a special focus on NSS volunteers and students from the Department of Physical Education.

Haritham 2024, World Environment Day Celebration

The **Environment Day Celebration** of this academic year, **HARITHAM 2024**, was organized by the NSS in association with the Bhoomithrasena Club on **June 05, 2024**. Aimed at extending green initiatives to the surrounding community, the programme consisted of two sessions: a formal meeting and sapling planting on the college campus, followed by a cleaning drive in front of the college. The event was inaugurated by Mr. Varghese Payyappilly, Ward Member of Koratty Panchayath.



National Reading Day Celebration

As part of Reading Day, the PG Department of English and the Department of Additional Languages, in association with the College Library, organized **Sameeksha** — a week-long celebration of reading that featured various competitions such as Treasure Island, Smart Cue and Mystic Threads. Exciting cash prizes and certificates were awarded to the winners. The chief guest, **Ms. Jeetha Johny**, Head of the Department of English, Prajyoti Niketan College, Pudukad, inaugurated the event on 19 June, 2024.



Anti- Drugs Day Seminar

In connection with **Anti-Drugs Day**, the NSS and Anti-Drug Cell jointly organized the inauguration of the DARE Club on **26 June, 2024**. The chief guest was Mr. T. K. Santhosh, Civil Excise Officer, Excise Range Office, Chalakudy. A seminar led by industry experts followed the inauguration, covering topics such as mental health, substance abuse prevention, counseling and psychiatric support. The event concluded with a pledge against drug abuse.



Orientation on FYUGP

On **June 28, 2024**, the Hon'ble Minister for Higher Education and Social Justice addressed all colleges in the state regarding the Four-Year Undergraduate Programme (FYUGP). Institutions were instructed to ensure arrangements for viewing the live telecast. The orientation was streamed in audio-visual format at 2:00 p.m. in the seminar hall.

NEXUS-24'

The **Freshers' Orientation Programme, 'NEXUS-24'** was held on **July 02, 2024** at Navarang. The programme began with a prayer song followed by the introduction and welcome address. The Principal, **Rev. Fr. Dr. Paulachan K. J.**, addressed the gathering. The one-day orientation included a motivational training session titled **"We Can!"** which was conducted by Mr. Anson Kurumbathuruth (Teacher & Trainer) in the forenoon. In the afternoon, a session on **"Cyber Security and Drug Challenges"** was conducted by Mr. Ajesh K. P. (Kerala Police Janamythri Trainer).



Blessing of new canteen (07-04-2024)



National Statistics Day Celebration

The P.G. Department of Commerce organized **"ESTADISTA 2K24"** – a celebration in honor of National Statistics Day. As part of the event, a quiz competition was conducted for Higher Secondary commerce stream students. The competition was held in two phases, the first round took place at the respective schools. The second round was conducted on the college campus, and the winners were felicitated during the valedictory function held later that day, on **July 07, 2024**.

Career Festival

A Career Festival was organized by the Department of Hotel Management in collaboration with **J.W. Marriott**, one of the world's most prestigious and internationally reputed hotel chains, on **June 27, 2024**. As part of the event, an industry interaction session was held to promote career opportunities at the NIMIT campus. The event commenced at 10:30 a.m. and concluded at 12:30 p.m., featuring a variety of engaging activities for the participants. Highlights of the festival included the screening of the "Be" video, which showcased Marriott's culture through inspiring stories, a career path discussion, a panel discussion, a display of current job vacancies and feedback collection from attendees.



NIDARSANA 2024

'Nidarshana 2024', the batch initiation ceremony for freshers admitted to various undergraduate programmes at NIMIT, was held on **July 01, 2024**. This marked the first public gathering of the academic year 2024-25, organized with the objective of welcoming all new students and their parents into the Naipunnnya family. **Dr. Gabriel Simon Thattil**, Retd. Senior Professor and HoD of Commerce, University of Kerala, graced the occasion as the chief guest. **Ms. Emily Ithlachan**, Director, Centre for Examinations, delivered the welcome address. The presidential address and presentation of the annual report were delivered by **Rev. Fr. Dr. Paulachan K. J.**, Exe. Director and Principal. A notable highlight of this year's 'Nidarshana' was the **honouring of Ph.D. holders** associated with NIMIT. The individuals honoured were **Rev. Fr. Dr. Assin Varghese** (Manager, St. Francis Assisi Public School, Athani & Former Asst. Exe. Director, NIMIT), **Rev. Fr. Dr. Antony Jose** (Asst. Professor, P.G. Department of English & Director, Naipunnnya Centre for Research), **Dr. N. S. Vinod** (Parent of Pooja Vinod, II BBA student) and **Dr. Minnu Francis** (Alumna & former faculty member, NBS).



Alumni Meeting

An online alumni meeting was held on **July 05, 2024**, at 7:00 p.m. During the meeting, participants were informed about the upcoming NAAC Peer Team visit, scheduled for **July 18 and 19, 2024**. Alumni were invited to visit the college on July 18 for a formal interaction with the Peer Team members. They were also briefed on the efforts made by the college management to highlight the achievements of former students and to showcase the institution's progress - much of which has been made possible through alumni support. The meeting concluded with a heartfelt acknowledgment of the alumni's contributions toward the college's continued growth and development.



Study Report Presentation to Koratty Panchayat

A formal Handing Over Ceremony of the study report titled **Community Challenges in Koratty Panchayat**, prepared by the final-year degree students of the **P.G. Department of Commerce**, was held on **July 10, 2024**. The students undertook a noteworthy project, focusing on several critical community issues such as Self-Help Groups, Women Entrepreneurship, Household Waste Management, Street Vendors, Energy Efficiency, Marketing of MSME Products, Agricultural Credit and Finance, Role of Krishi Bhavan, MGNREGS, Pakal Veedu, Investment Patterns of Salaried Individuals, Fish Farming, Dairy Farming, Extreme Poverty, Differently Abled Persons, and Government Schemes and Women Empowerment, including programmes like the Ashraya Scheme and Snehitha Scheme.



NAAC Peer Team Visit

The NAAC Peer Team Visit was held on **July 18 and 19, 2024**. The visiting team comprised **Dr. Bhaskarjyoti Bora**, **Dr. Mohammad Ubaidullah Bokhari** and **Dr. Pavan Mandavkar**. The visit commenced with a formal reception on July 18, which included a brief welcome and a prayer service. This was followed by a series of presentations led by the Principal, the HoDs and the IQAC Coordinator. Each member of the Peer Team then visited different departments for focused interactions. Dr. Bhaskarjyoti Bora visited the P.G. Department of Commerce, Dr. Mohammad Ubaidullah Bokhari visited the P.G. Department of Computer Science and Dr. Pavan Mandavkar visited the P.G. Department of English. The team also visited the exhibition, where they reviewed displays prepared by the staff and students. On July 19, the members took a guided campus tour and enjoyed the lunch prepared by the Department of Hotel Management. The visit concluded with an Exit Meeting, during which Dr. Pavan Mandavkar conveyed the team's observations and reflections on their experience at the campus.



Vegetable Garden Making

The NSS Unit of NIMIT organized a vegetable garden making activity on **August 05, 2024** at **St. Mary's L.P. School, Koratty East**, promoting sustainability and student participation in green initiatives.

NSS Cleaning Drive

The **NSS of NIMIT**, in association with **Naipunnya Welfare Services** and the **Karukutty Merchants' Association**, organized a cleaning drive at Karukutty Railway Station on **August 09, 2024**. The programme was inaugurated by **Sri. Roji M. John, MLA of Angamaly**. All second-year NSS volunteers actively participated in the event.



Friendship Day Celebration

As part of the **Friendship Day Celebration**, the NSS Unit of NIMIT organized a **one-minute talk** by NSS volunteers in all first-year classes. Four NSS volunteers visited each class, where one volunteer spoke briefly about the value of friendship. Additionally, friendship bands and quotes on friendship were distributed to five students in each class.

NAAC Mock Peer Team Visit

A precursor to the NAAC Peer Team Visit was the Mock Peer Team Visit, which took place on **July 13, 2024**. The visiting team included **Prof. Dr. Joseph Injodey** and **Dr. Sabeen Govind**. The members were formally received and escorted to the conference room, where a presentation was delivered by the Principal & Exe. Director, **Rev. Fr. Dr. Paulachan K. J.** Presentations by the heads of various departments were conducted in their respective departments. The team also visited the exhibition area and evaluated exhibits prepared by the staff and students from different departments. During the Exit Meeting, the team members shared their observations and provided recommendations on the steps to be taken in preparation for the upcoming formal NAAC visit.



Interview Skill Training-Finishing Touch

The Naipunnya Training Department conducted an exclusive **30-hour interview skills training programme, FINISHING TOUCH**, for the final-year students of the Commerce Department. The primary objective of the programme was to enhance the employability skills of the participants. The training sessions were facilitated by **Confido Trainings and Events Pvt. Ltd.** The attendance and performance of each participant were considered for eligibility toward the Skill Enrichment Programme (SEP) certification, awarded by the **STED Council**.



Digital Awareness Survey

An orientation session on **Digi Keralam**, Digital Awareness Survey was conducted by the **NSS Unit of NIMIT**, in association with **Angamaly Municipality**, on **August 05, 2024**, from 10:00 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. in the Main Block Seminar Hall. The session was attended by 60 second-year NSS volunteers, along with three CUSSP student representatives from each second-year class.



Session on Disaster Management

The PG Department of English organized a session on Disaster Management titled **Swelling Grounds and Swallowed Lives: A Master Class on What Triggers Landslides** on **August 09, 2024**, at 2 p.m. in the Main Block Conference Hall. The session was delivered by **Prof. Anilkumar P. S.** from the Department of Civil Engineering, Government Engineering College, Thrissur, as part of Swaraj 2024.

Shubharambh 2024

Shubharambh 2024, the **Post Graduation Initiation Ceremony for MSW, M.Com, and MSc** admissions, was conducted on **August 6, 2024**. The chief guest for the event was **Dr. Sam Thomas**, Professor and Dean of SMS, CUSAT, and Dean of DCMS (UoC). The programme took place at 10 a.m. in the NBS Seminar Hall.



NAVADARSHIKA 2024

The official initiation ceremony of the MSW Department, **NAVADARSHIKA 2024**, was held on Monday, **August 12, 2024**, at 9:30 a.m. in the NBS Seminar Hall (Samveda). The event was inaugurated by **Rev. Fr. Sebastian Kalapurackal**, MSW (Founder Director, Naipunnnya Group of Institutions). The resource person for the day was **Dr. T. O. Paulose** (MSW, LLB, DSD, PhD – Canada).



SEMINAR ON "RAGGING AND ITS CONSEQUENCES"

The Anti-Ragging Cell of NIMIT organized a seminar on the topic "**Ragging and Its Consequences**" on **August 16, 2024**, at Navarang, from 11:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. The session was conducted for all second-year students to raise awareness on the consequences of ragging.



EXPRESSIONS 2024

Expressions 2024, the talent show for first-year students, was held on **August 17, 2024**, at 1:15 p.m. in the Navarang Auditorium. The event was a vibrant showcase of creativity, enthusiasm and talent, marking a joyful welcome for the new batch of students as they stepped into the dynamic cultural life of the college.



Faculty Development Programme

A Faculty Development Programme on the topic '**Article Writing and Publication**' was conducted for the faculty members of the Departments of English, Commerce, Hotel Management and Computer Science during the **last week of August and the first week of September 2024**. The sessions were led by **Fr. Dr. Antony Jose**, Director, Centre for Research, NIMIT, who shared valuable insights on selecting research topics, sourcing reference materials and preparing scholarly articles for publication.

Workshop on Research for MSW students

The Department of Social Work, in collaboration with the Naipunnnya Research Centre, organized a workshop for MSW students on **September 10, 2024**. The session titled **Research: What? Why? How?**, aimed to provide students with an insightful understanding of the fundamentals of research and its application in the field of social work. The workshop addressed key aspects of research, including its purpose, importance, and the methodologies commonly used in social work research.

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RESEARCH : WHAT? WHY ? HOW?
Organized by
Department of Social Work in association with Naipunnnya Research Centre

Keynote speaker:
Rev. Fr. Dr. Antony Jose
Director, Center for Research, NIMIT

10th September 2024
Venue : 1st year MSW classroom
Time: 9:30am to 11:30am

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ANTI-RAGGING DAY

The Anti-Ragging Cell of NIMIT observed Anti-Ragging Day on **August 12, 2024**. In line with UGC guidelines, the college also conducted **Anti-Ragging Awareness Week** from August 12 to 18, 2024, aimed at educating students about the consequences of ragging. To mark the occasion, the Anti-Ragging Cell organized a series of online competitions to promote awareness and student engagement. A Digital Poster Making Competition was held on August 14, followed by a Digital Collage Making Competition on August 15, and a Digital Logo Designing Competition on **August 17, 2024**.

POTHICHORU

The NSS organized **Pothichoru** - distribution of fifty food packets to the needy - on **August 13, 2024**.

SWARAJ'24

Swaraj '24, the Independence Day celebrations, began with the flag hoisting ceremony at 8:45 a.m. on **August 15**. The event was graced by **Colonel Merlin Garvachen** of the Indian Army as the chief guest. **Mr. Aldrin Antu** and **Mr. Joyin Varghese** were honoured for their contributions. The day featured a variety of cultural and patriotic performances, including a march past, patriotic dance, and a yoga dance. The programmes were coordinated by the NSS Unit and the Department of Physical Education. As part of the celebration, the NSS Unit also organized a **Cleaning Drive**, a **Paper Bag Making Workshop**, and a **Brochure Making Workshop**.



"FINISHING TOUCH" - Interview Skills Training Programme

A three-day Interview Skills Training Programme, **FINISHING TOUCH** was organized by the **Training Department** to enhance the employability skills of final-year students from the Hotel Management Department. The program was held on **September 5, 6, and 7, 2024**, and included both interactive training sessions and a mock interview. **STED Council** Certificates under the Skill Enrichment Program (SEP) were awarded to students who attended all three days and achieved a minimum score of 80% in the performance assessment.



Cleaning Drive: Check Dam, Mudapuzha

The **National Service Scheme (NSS)** Unit of NIMIT, in collaboration with the **Koratty Grama Panchayat**, successfully organized a **Cleaning and Beautification Drive at the Check Dam in Mudapuzha** on **September 4, 2024**. The initiative aimed to promote environmental conservation and improve the visual appeal of the area. The programme was inaugurated by **Ms. Paucy Geo**, Ward Member, Koratty. A total of 21 student volunteers actively participated in the event.

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CHECK DAM, MUDAPUZHA

INAUGURATION
Mrs. Paucy Geo
Ward Member, Koratty

Aarambh and Youth Empowerment Series (YES)

The third MoU Signing Ceremony for the Youth Empowerment Series, held on **September 10, 2024**, marked a significant milestone with the formal launch of training for the **YES Inter-Collegiate Student Exchange Programme**. This initiative, a collaborative effort between **De Paul Institute (DIST)** and **Sunspire Institute of Management and Technology (SIMAT)**, aims to empower youth through academic collaboration and cultural exchange. As part of the event, **Dr. Justin Thomas**, an international trainer, conducted an engaging and insightful training session.



Seminar on Evolving Dynamics of Media

The **PG Department of English** organized a seminar on **September 25, 2024**, titled **From Sensational to Sensitive: Democratizing Media in the Post-truth Era**, addressing the evolving dynamics of media in today's information age. The session featured **Mr. Venkitesh Ramakrishnan**, a distinguished Indian journalist and author, as the resource person. The audience, comprising students and faculty members, actively engaged with the speaker through questions and discussions. Topics like media ethics, the influence of social media, and strategies to address media bias were explored in depth.



'Digi Keralam' - Digital Literacy Initiative

On **September 27, 2024**, the **National Service Scheme** unit of NIMIT, in collaboration with the **Koratty Grama Panchayat**, organized the **Digi Keralam Digital Literacy Initiative**. The event aimed to provide essential digital literacy training and empower NSS volunteers to act as trainers within their communities. The session was specifically designed for first and second-year NSS volunteers, all of whom actively participated in the training. It marked an important step toward fostering digital empowerment in the community.



Anti Drug Awareness Seminar

The **DARE Club** of NIMIT organized a seminar series as part of its Anti-Drug Awareness campaign. The first seminar in the series was held on **October 01, 2024** at 11:00 a.m. in the **MBA Block Seminar Hall**. The objective of the seminar was to educate and raise awareness among students about the harmful effects of drug abuse and the importance of prevention. The keynote speaker for the event was **Mr. T. K. Santosh**, a Prevention Officer from the Irinjalakuda Excise Range. With his extensive experience in drug prevention and law enforcement, Mr. Santosh provided valuable insights during the session. His address focused on the growing issue of drug abuse among youth, its social and legal consequences, and the role students can play in building a drug-free society.

Rhapsody - Best Singer Competition

The **Music Club** hosted its much-anticipated event, **Rhapsody 2.0**, on **September 26, 2024**. This vibrant competition provided a platform for students to showcase their musical talents, celebrating creativity, diversity, and passion for music. Featuring multiple categories, the event allowed participants to display their skills across various genres and formats. It fostered camaraderie and a deep appreciation for the arts, while offering an invaluable learning experience to the performers.



World Tourism Day Celebration

To commemorate **World Tourism Day 2024**, the **Department of Hotel Management** organized a seminar on **September 27, 2024**, aimed at enhancing students' understanding of **core tourism concepts and the significance of sustainable practices in the tourism industry**. The session offered valuable insights from industry experts and encouraged participants to reflect on the theme of global tourism. It not only deepened students' knowledge but also inspired them to contribute meaningfully to the future of sustainable tourism.



'SOURABH 24'- Hindi Day Celebrations

The **Department of Additional Languages** organized the **Hindi Day Celebrations, SOURABH 24**, on **September 27, 2024**, to commemorate **Hindi Day**, which is observed annually on **September 14** in India. Hindi Day is celebrated to promote the use of the Hindi language across various sectors, including educational institutions and government offices. The programme was inaugurated by **Dr. Sheena K. A.**, Assistant Professor, Department of Hindi, Cochin University of Science and Technology, Cochin.



Indictio & Aarohan 2024

Indictio 24 and **Aarohan 2024** were held on **September 28, 2024**, at 9:30 a.m. at the **Naipunnaya Pongam campus**. The event celebrated the **academic achievements of MBA and postgraduate students**, marking the successful completion of their programs. Highlights included the Declaration of Admission to the Alma Mater and the formal Dissolution of the Graduation Ceremony by **Rev. Fr. Dr. Paulachan K. J.**



Rupandram 2K24

The **Department of Social Work** organized a rural sensitization camp RUPANDARAM 2K24 at **Kuttampuzha Grama Panchayat from 21 to 26 October, 2024**. The camp aimed to enhance students' understanding of rural communities and strengthen their skills in social work practice. The primary objective of the camp was to expose students to rural life, community living, and collaborative work. It provided an opportunity for them to develop essential skills such as planning, organizing, and adaptability. The experience also contributed to the holistic development of the participants by encouraging teamwork and fostering a deeper awareness of rural issues.



Naipunnya Excellence Awards 2024

The Naipunnya Institute of Management and Information Technology hosted the Naipunnya Excellence Awards (NEA) 2024 on **October 09, 2024**. The event served as a platform to reflect the institution's commitment to academic excellence and to foster engagement with **higher secondary students** through a variety of competitions. The programme featured a wide range of events organized by various departments, providing participants with opportunities to display their skills and creativity. Students from several higher secondary schools took part enthusiastically, demonstrating both talent and a strong competitive spirit.



NSS Blood Donation Camp

The **NSS**, in collaboration with **SWAS** (BCA B & BSc IT) and the **IMA Blood Bank**, Aluva, successfully organized a Blood Donation Camp on **October 15, 2024**. The camp commenced at 10:00 a.m. in the Girls' Retiring Room on the Ground Floor of the MBA Block.



Industry Interaction Session

The Industry Interaction Session for **II Year BBA** students was held on **October 25, 2024**, from 2:15 p.m. to 3:15 p.m. in the Main Block Seminar Hall. The session was organized to bridge the gap between academic theories and real-world applications, with a particular focus on entrepreneurship and leadership skills. It aimed to inspire students to develop an entrepreneurial mindset essential for success in today's dynamic business environment. The welcome address and introduction of the resource person were delivered by Pooja Vinod of II BBA. The resource person for the session was **Ms. Elza Maria, an entrepreneur and owner of Lizbeth's Galleria**. Her expertise and experience as a successful businesswoman provided valuable insights into entrepreneurship and business management.

Face to Face

The **Training Department** organized an engaging programme titled FACE 2 FACE on **October 07, 2024** at Navrang, starting at 2:00 p.m. The event aimed to introduce the candidates nominated for the **College Union Election 2024-25** to the student community and provide a platform for meaningful interaction. FACE 2 FACE served as a valuable opportunity for students to meet the candidates, understand their perspectives and learn about their proposed plans and initiatives for the upcoming academic year. It also provided the candidates with an opportunity to share their visions and engage in insightful discussions with their peers.



College Union Election 2024-25

The College Union Election for the academic year 2024-25 was held on **October 10, 2024**, at the College Auditorium under the supervision of the Returning Officer, **Dr. Antony George**, with guidance from the Election Committee, along with the support extended by staff members of the college. A total of 15 candidates contested for 12 different posts. Of these, all posts - except for the Chairman and the First-Year UG Representative - were elected unopposed. Polling for the contested posts was conducted from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.



World Chefs Day

As part of the World Chefs Day celebrations, the students of **BHA, B.Sc. HM CS(A), HM CS(B) & HMCA (2024 batch)** organized a heartwarming initiative titled **Sharing Happiness with Sumptuous Payasam at Koratty Junction**. The event was held on **October 22, 2024** and aimed to promote the values of culinary craftsmanship and community service, embodying the spirit of World Chefs Day. The primary goal of the event was to celebrate the culinary arts while engaging in a meaningful activity that reflected social responsibility. By distributing traditional Payasam to the public, the students sought to spread happiness and gratitude within the local community, showcasing the rich culinary heritage of Kerala.

INDUSTRY INTERACTION FOR BBA STREAM

Fostering Entrepreneurial Mindset and Leadership into Golden Success.

📅 25/10/24
🕒 2:15 TO 3:15 PM
📍 Seminar Hall (Main Block)

Rev. Fr. Dr. Padachen K.J.
Principal NMIT

Dr. Mathew Jose K.
HOD, PG Dept. of Commerce

Ms. Vandana C.H.
Faculty Co-ordinator

Elza Maria
Entrepreneur
Owner of Lizbeth's Galleria
Imitation Jewellery and accessories

Swanti - Diwali Celebrations

The Diwali celebration event titled **'Swanti'** was held on **October 29** at 3:00 p.m. at the Basketball Court. The event celebrated the spirit of Diwali through vibrant dance performances that brought together students and faculty in a joyful and festive atmosphere. The performances blended traditional and contemporary dance styles, reflecting the rich cultural diversity of India. Performers, dressed in colorful traditional attire, captivated the audience with their graceful and energetic choreography. The accompanying music further enhanced the festive ambience, making 'Swanti' a truly memorable celebration of light and culture.



Cake Mixing Ceremony Mélange 2024

The Cake Mixing Ceremony – Mélange 2024 was a delightful and festive event that officially marked the beginning of the holiday season. Organized by the **Department of Hotel Management**, the engaging celebration took place on **19 November, 2024** at 10:30 a.m. in Navarang. The event offered a hands-on experience for all participants, allowing them to actively take part in the traditional cake-mixing process.



Seminar By - Pratidhi Counselling Center

Pratidhi Counselling Center, in collaboration with the **PG Department of Social Work**, organized an insightful session titled **Building Resilience: Managing Stress in Academic and Personal Pressure**. The session was conducted for First-Year MSW students on **November 20, 2024**, from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m., in the first-year MSW classroom. The session was led by **Sr. Dr. Preetha CSN**, Director of the Jeevana Center for Psycho-Spiritual Integration and Healing, Chowara. She shared valuable insights on the importance of building resilience in effectively managing both academic and personal pressures.

FEP by P.G. Department of English

The **PG Department of English** organized a successful Faculty Exchange Programme between NIMIT and **Bharata College of Commerce and Arts, Choondy**, held on **25 November 2024** and **5 March 2025**. The programme aimed to foster knowledge exchange and support professional development among faculty members. As part of the exchange, **Ms. Emil George** from Naipunnya conducted a one-hour session at Bharata Mata College, while **Ms. Maria Joy** from the partner institution shared her expertise with students at Naipunnya. Both faculty members returned with enriched teaching strategies and a broader understanding of current academic trends, contributing to the advancement of their respective institutions. The programme effectively promoted academic collaboration and cross-cultural engagement, laying the groundwork for future initiatives between the two institutions.

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IN ASSOCIATION WITH
DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH AND OTHER LANGUAGES,
BHARATA MATA COLLEGE OF COMMERCE AND ARTS,
CHOONDY, ALUVA
Organizes

FACULTY EXCHANGE PROGRAMME

DECODING MEANING: INTRODUCTION TO SEMIOTICS IN COMMUNICATION
MS. EMIL GEORGE
GUEST PROFESSOR
NMIT, PONDICHERRY
25 NOVEMBER 2024
(ONLINE)

EXPLORING PUBLIC RELATIONS: LEVERAGING PR TOOLS FOR EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION
MS. MARIA JOY
GUEST PROFESSOR
BHARATA COLLEGE,
CHOONDY
05 MARCH 2025
(OFFLINE)

ISO Surveillance Audit

The ISO Surveillance Audit was successfully conducted on Thursday, **7 November 2024**, in offline mode. Faculty and staff were well-prepared with the necessary documentation, including soft copies, scanned records and system-generated reports, ensuring smooth and efficient audit proceedings. The audit team meticulously reviewed the records, assessed compliance with ISO standards, and offered valuable insights and recommendations for improvement.



Be-Hub

In November, the **Training Department** introduced the **"Study Smarter, Not Harder"** habit to promote effective study techniques. With the month packed with examinations, this initiative aimed to support students in making November their most productive and successful study period. The focus was on developing efficient, stress-free study routines to help students navigate exam season with confidence and carry these habits forward. Best performers from each department were recognized for their outstanding application of these methods, showcasing measurable improvements and serving as motivation for their peers. This initiative not only encouraged smarter learning strategies but also laid the foundation for future academic success.



FEP (Faculty Enrichment Program)

A thought-provoking **Faculty Enrichment Programme (FEP)** titled **The Financial Well-Being of Undergraduate Students: A Study of Literacy, Spending and Savings Behavior** was delivered by **Ms. Akhila Thomas**, Assistant Professor, NIMIT, on **November 21, 2024**, from 3:15 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., at the Main Block Seminar Hall. **Ms. Akhila Thomas** shared valuable insights into the financial literacy, spending habits, and saving behaviors of undergraduate students. She emphasized the impact of these factors on students' overall financial well-being and offered practical guidance on managing personal finances more effectively.



Vegetable Harvesting by Bhoomithrasena Club

On **November 25, 2024**, the **Bhoomithrasena** members successfully organized a vegetable harvesting event. A variety of vegetables—including cauliflowers, pumpkins, and ash gourds - were harvested as part of the initiative. The event saw active participation from both faculty coordinators and student coordinators, who worked collaboratively to ensure a productive harvest.



Legado - Union Inauguration 2024-2025

Legado, the Union Inauguration for the academic year 2024-2025, was held on **December 17, 2024**, from 10:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., at the Navarang Auditorium. The programme began with a peaceful and spiritual prayer song sung by Kashinad, II BHA. **Ms. Sneha Cleetus**, Secretary of Fine Arts, delivered the welcome address, followed by the Presidential Address by **Rev. Fr. Dr. Paulachan K. J.**, Exe. Director & Principal, NIMIT, who inspired the audience with his words. The dignitaries then led the Robing Ceremony, and the lamp-lighting ceremony officially marked the start of the day's celebrations. The formal session concluded with a reply speech from **Mr. Manu A. Pynadath**, Chairman of NIMIT, and a vote of thanks by **Ms. Hannah K. G.**, Vice-Chairperson, who acknowledged the contributions of all those involved.



Staff Tour 2025

The staff tour for the faculty members of NIMIT was successfully organized on **Friday, January 03, 2025**. This one-day trip was arranged to **Thanima Farm Life, located in Nalleppilly, Palakkad**. The tour offered a perfect blend of adventure, relaxation, and team bonding, making it a truly memorable experience for all participants.



Logo Making Competition

The **Arts Club** of NIMIT successfully organized a Logo Making Competition on **January 09, 2025**. The event aimed to foster creativity and provide students with a platform to showcase their artistic talents and innovative thinking.

Best Physique Competition

The **Sports Club** of NIMIT successfully organized the Best Physique Competition on **January 16, 2025**, exclusively for the male students of the college. The event witnessed enthusiastic participation, with students from various departments showcasing their dedication to fitness and bodybuilding. Participants were judged on criteria such as muscle definition, proportion, strength, and overall presentation. A panel of experienced judges, including professional trainers, evaluated the contestants and provided expert assessments of their performance.



Residential Leadership Training Boot Camp

A residential Leadership Training **Boot Camp, LEADERS THRIVE**, organized by the Training Department, was conducted on **17 & 18 January 2025**, at **Saurabhya Wellness Centre, Ezhattumugham**. This exclusive leadership development programme was designed to equip young aspirants with the skills needed to lead with excellence and integrity, while fostering personal, professional and social growth.



Session on Stock Trading

The **PG Department of Commerce** organized an insightful session titled **Mastering the Markets: A Beginner's Guide to Share Trading** on **December 18, 2024**. Aimed at introducing students to the fundamentals of stock market trading, the session was held from 1:15 p.m. to 3:15 p.m. in the Main Block Seminar Hall. The event witnessed enthusiastic participation from commerce students eager to enhance their financial literacy. The resource person provided a comprehensive overview of key concepts in share trading, including market terminology, trading platforms, risk management, and beginner-friendly investment strategies.



Nativity 24

The **Christmas festivities** at NIMIT were held on **December 20, 2024**, filled with joy, unity, and festive cheer. On that day, celebrations began with class-wise events from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m., where students actively participated and enjoyed cake slices distributed by the college. The vibrant Nativity Competitions were held at the Navarang Auditorium from 10:00 a.m. to 12:45 p.m., showcasing the creativity and enthusiasm of the student community. Following this, the teaching and non-teaching staff gathered for a festive lunch at Navarang Auditorium, followed by the **Staff Christmas Meeting and Gift Exchange**. Christmas cakes were distributed to all staff by **Rev. Fr. Dr. Paulachan K. J.**, who also extended warm Christmas wishes to everyone.



Arts Day Celebration – Vismaya 2025

The Arts Day celebration, Vismaya 2025, was held on **Thursday, January 23, 2025**, at Navarang. The event showcased the outstanding creativity and talent of students, blending art, culture, and vibrant performances into a truly memorable experience. The Chief Guest of the day, renowned playback singer **Ms. Mridula Warrier**, inaugurated the function. Her mesmerizing performance added grace and grandeur to the celebration. Following the inauguration, the festivities continued with a series of competitions and performances that highlighted the artistic prowess of the students. Vismaya 2025 was a vibrant celebration that fostered a deeper appreciation for artistic expression and cultural heritage within the college community.



National Girl Child Day Celebration

National Girl Child Day was observed with great enthusiasm at Naipunnya College, on **January 24, 2025**. The event aimed to raise awareness about the rights, education and empowerment of the girl child, while celebrating their achievements and contributions to society.

Intercollegiate Korfball Championship 2024-25

The Intercollegiate Korfball Championship 2024-25 was successfully conducted at Naipunnnya College on **January 24, 2025**. The event brought together talented athletes from various colleges, fostering teamwork, sportsmanship and competitive spirit.



Republic Day Celebration

The Republic Day Celebration was held on **January 26, 2025** at 8:45 a.m., jointly organized by the **Department of Physical Education and the NSS**. The event was marked by patriotic spirit and enthusiastic participation from both students and faculty members. The Flag Hoisting and Republic Day Message were delivered by **Mr. Viswas P. V.**, Station Officer, Fire and Rescue Station, Angamaly.



Crescendo

The college marked a historic milestone with Crescendo 2025, a grand celebration of its remarkable achievements and journey towards excellence. The event, held on **29 January, 2025**, was a testament to the institution's commitment to academic brilliance and holistic development. The highlight of the occasion was the **presentation of the NAAC A++ accreditation certificate** to Naipunnnya College by the Chief Guest, **Dr. P. Raveendran**, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor of the University of Calicut.



Fire and Safety Awareness Session & Demo

The NSS unit of the college organized a Fire and Safety Awareness Session & Demonstration on **January 26, 2025**. The session was led by **Mr. Dileep Kumar P.G.**, Station Officer at the Chalakudy Fire and Rescue Station, who shared valuable insights on fire prevention, emergency response, and rescue techniques. The event aimed to enhance awareness of essential fire safety measures among students and staff. In addition, to promote cleanliness and environmental responsibility, the NSS volunteers organized a cleaning drive as part of the day's activities.



Blessing & Inauguration of New Block

The Blessing and Inauguration Ceremony of the new Hotel Management Block, the official announcement of the NAAC A++ Grade and the conclusion of the Silver Jubilee Celebrations were held on **January 29, 2025**. This marked a significant milestone in the institution's history. The event brought together faculty, students, dignitaries, and well-wishers to commemorate these achievements.



Snehasangamam 25

The NIMIT successfully hosted its flagship event, Snehasangamam 2025, on **February 08, 2025**. Organized by the second-year undergraduate students, the event commenced at 8:30 a.m. with registration, followed by fun games and activities to engage the participants.



Laqshya '25

LAQSHYA '25, a **National Level Techno-Cultural Management Fest**, was hosted on **February 13, 2025**, drawing over 600 participants from 40+ colleges. The event began with an inauguration by digital creator and gaming influencer **Dinil Dinesh**, and featured 24 events spanning technology, culture, and management - testing participants' skills, creativity, leadership, and teamwork. The fest wrapped up with a vibrant entertainment program, leaving participants energized and enthusiastic. Guided by **Fr. Tony Manickathan** and **Mr. Jiss Jose**, and organized by student coordinators **Hannah K.G.**, **Deepak J. Manavalan**, and **Agnes Shaju**, LAQSHYA '25 showcased Naipunnnya's commitment to fostering youth talent and providing a dynamic platform for students to excel and innovate.

International Conference 2025

The Naipunya Institute of Management and Information Technology, in collaboration with the **Naipunya Centre for Research (NCR)**, successfully organized the **International Conference on Sustainability, Innovation, and Social Responsibility (IC-SISR 2025)** on Wednesday, **February 19, 2025**. The conference focused on promoting sustainable development, fostering innovation, and encouraging social responsibility among individuals and organizations. It brought together researchers, academicians, industry professionals, and students from across the globe to share insights, present research papers, and discuss practical solutions to contemporary challenges.



Grand Tech Arena '25

NIMIT successfully organized Grand Tech Arena '25, its **national-level flagship hackathon**, on **21 and 22 February 2025**. The event provided a dynamic platform for innovators and tech enthusiasts to **Build, Break, and Repeat**, fostering creativity and real-world problem-solving skills. Participants competed across multiple exciting tracks, including **AI for Sustainability, Web3, Future of Work & Education, Social Impact, Water Conservation, Pollution Control, and Open Innovation**. With participation from institutions nationwide, the event witnessed enthusiastic participation, driving the spirit of innovation, technological advancement, and collaboration forward.



Women's Day Self-Defence Training

As part of the Women's Day celebrations on **March 11, 2025**, a self-defence training session was organized for the girl students of the college. The event aimed to empower students with essential self-defence techniques and boost their confidence in ensuring personal safety. Experienced trainers conducted the session, demonstrating practical techniques to handle real-life situations effectively.



Viva 2025

The college hosted **VIVA 2025, the Annual Sports Meet** for the academic year 2024-2025, on **Friday, February 21, 2025**, at the college ground. The inauguration was held at 9:30 a.m. in the Sports Complex Ground, followed by athletic events in the Main Ground. The sports meet was inaugurated by the chief guest, **Mr. Christy Davis**, Santosh Trophy football player.



Faculty Exchange Programme

The **PG Department of English** at Naipunya College successfully organized a Faculty Exchange Programme in collaboration with **Bharata Mata College of Commerce and Arts, Choondy, Aluva**, on **March 05, 2025**. As part of this academic initiative, **Ms. Emil George** from Naipunya College and **Ms. Maria Joy** from Bharata Mata College actively participated in the exchange. The programme aimed to strengthen academic collaboration, foster knowledge sharing and promote innovative teaching methodologies between the two institutions.

Crearis '25-College Day Celebration

The 23rd College Day Celebration, Crearis '25, of NIMIT was held on **March 07, 2025**. **Dr. Raju Narayana Swamy IAS**, Principal Secretary, Parliamentary Affairs, Government of Kerala, was the Chief Guest for the occasion. This grand occasion served as a platform to showcase the diverse talents of the students and to celebrate the college's achievements over the past year. The event featured a variety of vibrant activities, including cultural performances that highlighted the artistic skills of the students. It also provided an opportunity to recognize and reward students who excelled in academics.



Screen Printing Workshop

The **Department of Fashion Designing** at Naipunnaya College successfully conducted a Screen Printing Workshop on **March 12, 2025**, marking a first-time experience for both staff and students. The workshop aimed to introduce participants to the art of screen printing, a creative and essential technique in the fashion industry.



Multilingual Webinar

A Multilingual Webinar was successfully organized on **March 15, 2025**, by the **Department of Additional Languages**, NIMIT. The event brought together distinguished speakers and students to celebrate the diversity of languages and their significance in communication and culture. The highlight of the event was the keynote address, featuring expert speakers delivering sessions in multiple languages. **Ms. Cincymol Varghese**, Assistant Professor at St. Albert's College, Ernakulam, conducted a session in French; **Dr. P. Priya**, Professor at Government Arts & Science College, Calicut, presented in Hindi; and **Dr. VishnuRaj Thuvayur**, Sub-Editor of Mathrubhumi, delivered his session in Malayalam. Each session provided valuable insights into the richness and importance of these languages in literature, communication and cultural expression.



Faculty Enrichment Programme

As part of the Faculty Enrichment Programme, a lecture was conducted on **March 27, 2025**, by **Ms. Anna Diana**, titled **Osteoscan in Oncology: A Gateway to Early Detection of Bone Metastases**. In her informative and engaging session, Ms. Anna explored the revolutionary application of Osteoscan technology in oncology. The event also recognized the academic contributions of teachers and certificates were presented to those who had presented papers during various sessions of FEP.



Session on Consumer Rights

The **PG Department of Commerce** organized a special session on Consumer Rights on **March 14, 2025**, in observance of **World Consumer Rights Day**. Held in the Main Block Seminar Hall, the session featured **Advocate A. D. Benny**, a renowned legal expert from Kerala, as the keynote speaker. He provided insightful guidance on consumer protection laws, legal remedies, and the importance of consumer awareness, illustrated with real-life case studies. The event was both informative and interactive, empowering students and faculty with essential knowledge about their rights and responsibilities as consumers.



Faculty Enrichment Programme

As part of the Faculty Enrichment Programme held on **March 20, 2025**, an insightful lecture was delivered by **Mr. Tilvin Sabu** on the topic **A Study on Rediscovering Heritage Mixology**. The session explored the art of blending traditional flavours and techniques into modern beverages, offering a unique perspective on preserving cultural heritage through mixology. The event also celebrated the remarkable achievement of **Fr. Arun Vallyaveetil**, who secured first prize in the letter-writing competition organized by India Post.



PTWA Meeting and Open House

The **PTWA (Parent-Teacher-Welfare Association)** meeting and Open House for first-year postgraduate students was successfully conducted on **March 27, 2025**. The event provided an effective platform for open communication and collaboration among parents, faculty, and students.



Amrutham

The **PG Department of English**, in collaboration with the **Department of Additional Languages**, organized **Amrutham-2025 - a Language Enrichment Programme for non-teaching staff** - on **March 28, 2025**. The event commenced with a prayer and a warm welcome. **Ms. Annie Sebastian** led an insightful session on effective communication, while **Rev. Fr. Dr. Antony Jose Kalloorkaran** delivered an engaging talk on time management. Interactive activities such as a Scrabble game and a quiz, coordinated by **Ms. Sabina Leo** and **Ms. Gigy Johnson** respectively, fostered team spirit and encouraged enthusiastic participation. The programme was well-received, with participants appreciating its relevance and practical value, and expressing interest in similar initiatives in the future. The event concluded with refreshments and a note of gratitude, reflecting the college's commitment to holistic staff development.

Aarohan '25

Aarohan '25, the **Programme Completion Ceremony** for the undergraduate batches of 2022-2025, was held on **Wednesday, April 23, 2025**, at the Navarang Auditorium. The event commenced with a ceremonial procession from the main block and opened with a prayer song by the college choir. **Rev. Fr. Dr. Paulachan K.J.**, Executive Director and Principal, officially declared the ceremony open and delivered the Presidential Address. The Keynote Address was delivered by **Honourable Justice C.N. Ramachandran Nair**, the Chief Guest for the occasion. The ceremony featured the presentation of candidates, department-wise acknowledgments by the Heads of Departments and the distribution of programme completion certificates and research awards by the Guest of Honour.



TAKSHAK '25

The **placement drive** titled Takshak '25 was organized on **April 24, 2025**, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. The event witnessed enthusiastic participation from NIMIT students, candidates from other institutions and job seekers. Several companies took part, offering flexible entry opportunities into the corporate sector and conducting multiple selection rounds, including aptitude tests, group discussions and personal interviews. With over 100 registrations, the drive received an overwhelming response. The Placement Cell ensured the smooth execution of the event through well-organized interview panels, discussion rooms, and waiting areas, all of which contributed to its overall success.



CLASS GROUP PHOTOS - 2025 OUTGOING BATCHES



B.Com. Finance (A)



B.Com. Finance (B)



B.Com. Computer Application



B.Com. Computer Application



B.B.A.



B.Sc. Computer Science



B.C.A. (A)



B.C.A. (B)



B.H.A.



B.Sc. HMCS (A)



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