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Special Edition Newsletter 2024 - 2025

Message

Dear Esteemed Readers,

It is with great honor and enthusiasm that I welcome you to this special edition of BNV Echoes, the official newsletter of BNVCTE. This edition stands as a testament to our collective growth, achievements, and unwavering commitment to excellence in education, innovation, and community service.

The past year has been transformative for BNVCTE, marked by significant milestones, pioneering initiatives, and a renewed dedication to shaping the future. This special edition is a reflection of our progress, aspirations, and the dynamic spirit that defines our institution.

Faculty members have made commendable contributions to academic and professional fields, students have excelled in various competitions, and our partnerships with industry leaders have strengthened our vision of skill-based, future-ready education. The evolving landscape of education demands adaptability and innovation. BNVCTE remains at the forefront by integrating advanced learning methodologies, digital transformation, and industry-aligned curricula. Our commitment to fostering creativity, critical thinking, and hands-on experience ensures that our students are not only job seekers but also job creators.



With sincere appreciation,

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Shri. A. Suresh
Managing Director
BNVCTE

Message

Dear BNVCTE Family,

With deep appreciation and admiration, I extend my sincere gratitude to all who have contributed to this Special Edition of BNV Echoes 2025, celebrating our collective achievements, academic excellence, and commitment to innovation. This newsletter is more than just a collection of stories—it is a reflection of our collective dedication, hard work, and unwavering commitment to excellence in education.

I would like to express my sincere thanks to our faculty members for their relentless efforts in shaping the minds of future educators, our students for their enthusiasm and achievements, and our editorial team for their dedication in bringing this publication to life. Your passion and perseverance continue to inspire and strengthen our institution.

A special word of appreciation to our readers, supporters, and well-wishers. Your encouragement and engagement motivate us to reach new heights, ensuring that BNVCTE remains a beacon of knowledge, innovation, and success.

May this edition of BNV Echoes serve as a reminder of our progress and a source of inspiration for the journey ahead. Thank you all for being an integral part of this remarkable endeavor.



With gratitude and Best wishes,

Dr. Meerakumari. G
Academic Director
BNVCTE

From the Managing Editor's Desk...

Dear BNVCTE Family,

It is with immense pride and great enthusiasm that I welcome you to this Special Edition 2025 of BNV Echoes, a reflection of our shared achievements, aspirations, and the transformative impact of education.

As we embark on another year of academic excellence and innovation, we celebrate the milestones that define our journey. The past year has been a testament to our resilience, adaptability, and collective commitment to shaping a brighter future. Our students have demonstrated remarkable dedication to learning, our faculty have continued to inspire with their expertise and mentorship, and our institution has strengthened its role as a leader in vocational and technical education.

At BNVCTE, we believe that education is not just about acquiring knowledge but about applying it meaningfully to drive change. The ever-evolving global landscape demands that we cultivate not only technical skills but also critical thinking, creativity, and a spirit of continuous learning. It is through this mindset that we empower individuals to contribute meaningfully to their professions and communities.



As we look ahead, let us remain steadfast in our mission to foster excellence, innovation, and inclusivity in education. Let this edition of BNV Echoes serve as a source of inspiration, a platform for sharing insights, and a reminder of the limitless potential that lies within each of us.

I extend my sincere gratitude to our students and faculty who have played an integral role in our success. Your unwavering support and commitment are the pillars of our institution's growth. Together, we will continue to break barriers, embrace challenges, and shape a future filled with promise and possibilities.

Wishing you an insightful and inspiring read!

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Dr. Lakshmi. S
Principal
BNVCTE

Chief Editor's Note...

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Beyond academics, BNVCTE is a vibrant community where collaboration, inclusivity, and ethical leadership thrive. Through social initiatives, we continue to build a culture that values holistic development and societal impact. This edition highlights some of these inspiring stories that reflect our collective responsibility and shared vision.

None of this would be possible without the relentless dedication of our faculty, the enthusiasm of our students, the support of our alumni, and the encouragement of our stakeholders. Your passion and perseverance make BNVCTE a beacon of excellence.

As we unveil this special edition of BNV Echoes, I invite you to immerse yourself in the narratives of innovation, success, and transformation. Let us continue to echo our mission, amplify our impact, and stride forward with confidence and determination. Here's to another year of remarkable achievements and boundless possibilities!

Warm regards,

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Mrs. Aswathy. A. S
Assistant Professor
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Calendar of Activities of BNVCTE

June 2024 - March 2025

DATE	EVENTS	DATE	EVENTS
05-06-2024	World Environment Day celebration	30-11-2024	Students of BNVCTE attended Educational Conclave by TALROP
26-06-2024	Caption Writing Competition at BNVCTE		
20-06-2024	Blood Donation Camp in Collaboration with PRS Hospital	16-12-2024 to 20-12-2024	Community Living Camp for 2023 - 25 Batch: Aykya
20-07-2024	Annual Sports Meet: 2023 - 2025 Batch	22-12-2024	Intercollegiate Geometric Pattern Drawing Competition
23-07-2024	Theatre Practice: Workshop by Shri. R Kiran Bodhi	05-01-2025	BNVCTE 2024 - 26 Batch Students volunteered in 63rd Kerala School Kalotsavam
24-07-2024	Capacity Building Programme by Dr. Anu Mukund	08-01-2025	BNVCTE Students visited International Book Festival
25-07-2024	Intracollegiate Letter Writing Competition	10-01-2025	Capacity Building Programme by Mrs. Rejeena S
26-07-2024	Capacity Building Programme by Mr. Manoj G	17-01-2025	Film Festival
31-07-2024	A Talk on Communicative English by Mr. Rajesh Mohan	20-01-2025	Intercollegiate Message Writing Competition
13-08-2024	Inter Collegiate Slogan Writing Competition	22-01-2025	Workshop on Stress Management by Mrs. Mini Natarajan
15-08-2024	Independence Day Celebration 2024	24-01-2025	National Girl Child Day Celebration at VHSS for Girls, Thiruvallam
30-08-2024	Formal Inauguration of 2024 - 2026 Batch		
05-09-2024	Teachers Day 2025: Special Assembly	25-01-2025	Annual Sports Meet: 2024 - 2026 Batch
06-09-2024 & 07-09-2024	International Conference on "Teacher Education at 2030 - A Visionary Roadmap for Progressive Education"	27-01-2025	Workshop on Presentation Making by Ms. Sruthy Poovattil
12-09-2024	Onam Celebration - 2024	30-01-2025	Workshop on Theatre Practice by Shri. Satheesh G. Nair
02-10-2024	Gandhi Jayanthi Celebrations 2024	31-01-2025	Field Trip of 2024 - 26 Batch
10-10-2024	World Mental Health Day Celebrations	08-02-2025& 09-02-2025	BNVCTE 2024 - 26 Batch students attended International Energy Festival
15-10-2024	Election for College Union 2024 - 2025	14-02-2025	Awarwness Class on Cyber Crime by Cyber Cell
19-10-2024	Visit to Historical Palace - Kuthiramalika Palace		Valentine's Day Celebrations
22-11-2024	Visit to Kripatheeram Mariam Thresia Home	17-02-2025	Seminar on Value Based Education by Dr. A. Prasanna
29-11-2024	Inauguration of College Union and Arts Club		Intracollegiate Quiz Competition
		18-02-2025	Workshop on Puppet Making

BNVCTE CELEBRATES WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY WITH GREEN INITIATIVES

The Environment Club 'Prakruthi' of BNV College of Teacher Education celebrated World Environment Day on June 5, 2024. Dr. Lakshmi S, the Principal of BNVCTE, was the guest of honor. The event began with an inspiring message from the Principal. Ms. Sruthi S of the English Optional presented the theme of the day "Igniting Environmental Consciousness in Young Minds". A key highlight was the Seed Distribution led by the Principal, Vice Principal, and teachers. The Manager, Mr. A Suresh, and Academic Director, Dr. Meera Kumari G, also took part in the distribution. Ms. Shilpa and Ms. Anupama handed seeds to the Headmaster of BNV Vocational & Higher Secondary School (BNVV&HSS). Ms. Aparna and Ms. Alfila did the same for the Headmaster of VHSS for Girls. The event emphasized environmental responsibility and sustainability. The program concluded with a vote of thanks by Convenor Mrs. Aswathy A S, Assistant Professor (General Education). The celebration inspired students to take small steps towards a greener future.



BNVCTE HOSTS BLOOD DONATION CAMP



Blood donation is a noble act that helps save lives and strengthens the spirit of humanity. To promote this cause, BNV College of Teacher Education organized a Blood Donation Camp on June 28, 2024, as part of World Blood Donor Day. The event was conducted in collaboration with PRS Hospital, Thiruvananthapuram, with doctors and medical staff ensuring a smooth and safe donation process. The camp started at 10:00 AM with an inaugural speech by Principal Dr. Lakshmi S, followed by an awareness session by a doctor from PRS Hospital. Before donating, all participants underwent a preliminary health check-up to ensure they were fit to donate. The donation process was carefully supervised, with volunteers assisting in coordination. A total of 31 individuals, including students and faculty, participated in the drive. Donors were provided with refreshments and medical supervision after the donation to ensure their well-being. The camp concluded at 12:30 PM, leaving a positive impact on all participants. It served as a reminder that a small act of kindness can save lives and inspired many to become regular donors.

ANNUAL SPORTS MEET OF BNVCTE 2023 - 2025 BATCH

The Annual Sports Meet, 2024 of BNVCTE 2023 - 2025 Batch was held on 20th July 2024, organized by the Sports Club under faculty in-charge, Nadeem Surfid N, Physical Education faculty, Prasanth T S, and Sports Club Secretary Anoop Krishnan. Students, divided into Red, Blue, and Green houses, competed in events like the 100 m Race, Shot put, Javelin throw, and Relay. The prize distribution was held on 26th July, with Principal Dr. Lakshmi S presenting the awards. The event was a grand success, fostering sportsmanship and enthusiasm among students.



BNVCTE HOSTS THEATRE PRACTICE WORKSHOP



BNV College of Teacher Education conducted a theatre practice workshop for the 2023 - 2025 Batch on 23rd July 2024 at the Seminar Hall, providing participants with an immersive experience in acting and stage performance. The workshop was facilitated by Shri. R. Kiran Bodhi, Speaker and Research Scholar, who guided participants in enhancing their acting skills and creativity. The positive feedback highlighted the importance of such workshops in the development of theatre practitioners.

CAPACITY BUILDING PROGRAM FOR STUDENT TEACHERS

On July 24, 2024, BNV College of Teacher Education conducted Capacity Building Program for the 2023 - 2025 Batch to enhance teaching skills and critical thinking among student teachers. Dr. Anu Mukund, Lecturer in English in National Institute of Speech and Hearing (NISH), Thiruvananthapuram, served as the resource person, delivering insightful sessions on developing thinking skills in education. The event, inaugurated by Principal Dr. Lakshmi S, saw active participation from students, fostering a dynamic and interactive learning environment. Dr. Anu Mukund brought a wealth of knowledge and experience to the program, captivating the audience with her insights and expertise. The program was a resounding success, equipping participants with valuable skills and reinforcing the importance of collaboration and professional development in teaching.



CAPACITY BUILDING PROGRAMME ON TEAM BUILDING

BNV College of Teacher Education organized a Capacity Building Programme on July 26, 2024, focusing on Team Building for the 2023 - 2025 Batch. Mr. Manoj G, Higher Secondary School Teacher from GHSS, Venjaramood, led the session, engaging students with interactive activities. A screening of the film "Dabbawala" highlighted the importance of teamwork and efficiency. The event was well-received, leaving participants inspired with valuable collaboration skills for their future careers.



SEMINAR ON COMMUNICATIVE ENGLISH AT BNVCTE

On July 31, 2024, BNV College of Teacher Education organized a seminar for the first years students, titled "Let's Talk Good English" to enhance students' communication skills. Mr. Rajesh Mohan, a Certified Psycho Linguistic Trainer and Strategic Communication Coach, led the session with interactive activities and practical strategies. Students actively participated in discussions and exercises, improving their confidence in English communication. The seminar concluded with a Q&A session, leaving participants inspired to refine their language skills for academic and professional success.

78TH INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION AT BNVCTE

BNV College of Teacher Education celebrated Independence Day on August 15, 2024, with great patriotism. The event began with the hoisting of the National Flag by Sri. A Suresh, Managing Director of BNV Group of Educational Institutions. Inspiring speeches were delivered by Dr. Meera Kumari G, Academic Director, and Dr. Lakshmi S, Principal, highlighting the significance of freedom. Neha S, first year student from the Malayalam optional, shared a thought-provoking reflection on Independence Day. The celebration concluded with student performances and the distribution of sweets, fostering unity and national pride.



TARANG 2K24 - TALENT DAY & BATCH INAUGURATION



BNV College of Teacher Education organized Tarang 2K24, a Talent Day celebration and Inauguration of the B. Ed. 2024 - 2026 Batch on August 30, 2024. The event began with a formal inauguration by Shri. A Suresh, the Managing Director of BNV Groups of Educational Institutions, presided by Smt. M Easwari Amma, Chairperson of the BNV Trust, marking an important milestone in the students' academic journey. The program featured vibrant performances, including dance, music, and skits, showcasing students' creativity and artistic talents. The celebration created an atmosphere of joy and enthusiasm, reinforcing the importance of creativity in education and building confidence among future educators.

TEACHER'S DAY CELEBRATION AT BNVCTE

BNV College of Teacher Education celebrated Teacher's Day on September 5, 2024, to honor the contributions of teachers in shaping society. The first-year B. Ed. students organized a special assembly featuring speeches, poems, and a book review to express their gratitude. Dr. Lakshmi S, Principal of BNVCTE, and Dr. Reghunathan Nair, Librarian, delivered inspiring messages on the importance of teachers. The program concluded with the National Anthem, leaving everyone with a deeper appreciation for the noble profession of teaching.



INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON TEACHER EDUCATION @ 2030

BNV College of Teacher Education, in collaboration with the Council for Teacher Education Foundation (CTEF) Kerala, hosted a two-day International Conference on "Teacher Education @ 2030: A Visionary Roadmap for Progressive Education" on September 6 & 7, 2024. The event brought together 129 delegates, including teacher educators, researchers, and students, to discuss the future of teacher education in alignment with NEP 2020. The conference was inaugurated by Dr. Raju Narayana Swamy IAS, Principal Secretary,



Govt. of Kerala, and featured keynote addresses from distinguished speakers such as Dr. Protiva Rani Karmakar from Bangladesh. The event also included a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) signing between BNVCTE and CTEF, strengthening academic collaboration.



The conference featured five insightful sessions, including discussions on NEP 2020, digital platforms, employability skills, and AI tools for education. Experts such as Dr. Brinda Bazeley, Dr. K.Y. Benedict, and Dr. Briju Thankachan led engaging presentations, while over 30 research

papers were presented by scholars. The event concluded with a valedictory session, including a tribute to Late Thiruvallam N. Atchutan Nair, the founder of BNV Trust, and a special address by Smt. Easwari Amma, Chairperson of BNV Trust. The feedback from delegates highlighted the significance of the discussions in shaping future educational policies. The conference successfully provided a platform for academic discourse, innovation, and collaboration in teacher education, inspiring educators to implement progressive teaching methodologies.

ONAM CELEBRATIONS "ONAPPOLIMA 2K24"

BNV College of Teacher Education celebrated Onam as "Onappolima" on September 12, 2024, with great enthusiasm. The event was inaugurated by Shri. A Suresh, Managing Director of BNV Group of Educational Institutions. The celebration featured cultural performances, Thiruvathira, traditional Onam games, and a grand Onasadhya, bringing joy to students and faculty. The event successfully showcased Kerala's rich cultural heritage, making it a memorable occasion for all.



GANDHI JAYANTI CELEBRATION 2024 AT BNVCTE

BNV College of Teacher Education celebrated Gandhi Jayanti on October 2, 2024, honoring Mahatma Gandhi's ideals of nonviolence and peace. As part of the celebrations, the Social Science Association "Heritage" organized an intercollegiate quiz competition titled "Mahatma Marga". A total of 43 students participated, answering 15 questions within a strict 15-minute time limit. The event successfully reinforced Gandhi's values and encouraged students to reflect on his contributions to India's independence.

COLLEGE UNION ELECTION FOR THE 2024-25 BATCH



The College Union Election for the academic year 2024-25 was conducted at BNV College of Teacher Education, Thiruvallam, on October 18, 2024. The election process was conducted in a fair and transparent manner, with students actively participating in the democratic selection of their representatives. The event began with the nomination and

campaigning process, where candidates presented their manifestos and addressed key student concerns. Voting took place from 10:00 AM to 11:30 AM, with a high turnout ensuring a successful electoral process. The newly elected representatives expressed their gratitude and committed to working towards the welfare of students and the development of the institution.

FIELD VISIT OF 2024 - 26 BATCH TO KUTHIRAMALIKA PALACE

The 2024-2026 batch of BNVCTE visited the historic Kuthiramalika Palace in Thiruvananthapuram on October 19, 2024. The trip, led by Principal Dr. Lakshmi S and faculty members, provided students with insights into the architectural brilliance of the palace, built by Maharaja Swathi Thirunal Balarama Varma. Students explored the cultural, historical, and artistic significance of the monument and the Travancore royal family. The visit was an enriching experience, deepening their appreciation for Kerala's heritage and history.



VISIT TO KRIPATHEERAM MARIAM THRESIA HOME

On November 22, 2024, students of 2024-26 batch and faculty of BNV College of Teacher Education visited Kripatheeram Mariam Thresia Home as part of a meaningful outreach initiative. Led by Principal Dr. Lakshmi S, the students organized interactive programs while the elderly residents also participated, creating a heartwarming experience. As a token of support, the students contributed a monetary donation, making the experience even more impactful and fulfilling.



BNVCTE COLLEGE UNION & ARTS CLUB INAUGURATION

BNV College of Teacher Education held the College Union and Arts Club 2024 - 2025 Inauguration on November 29, 2024. The College Union was inaugurated by Dr. P. Sasikumar, Scientist at Vikram Sarabhai Space Centre, while the Arts Club was inaugurated by Shri. Abhilash Mohan, Deputy Editor of Mathrubhumi News. Shri A. Suresh, Managing Director of BNV Group of Educational Institutions, revealed the new College Union name, and the Subject Associations were inaugurated by Dr. Meera Kumari G. The event featured inspiring speeches and enthusiastic student participation, making it a memorable occasion.



COMMUNITY LIVING CAMP - AYKYA 2024



The Community Living Camp for the 2022-2025 batch of BNV College of Teacher Education was held from December 16 to 20, 2024, at the Mitranikethan city center in Thiruvananthapuram. The camp, titled 'AYKYA 24,' was inaugurated by Dr. Suni Kumari P. M., Vice Principal, and Mrs. Shiny Pratap, with student coordinator Akshara G. A total of 54 students were divided into four groups—Jalam, Vayu, Prithvi, and Agni—who actively participated in various activities, including assemblies, cultural events, and guest interactions.

Expert-led sessions covered diverse topics such as AI for teachers, first aid and CPR, traffic awareness, and emotional well-being. The camp concluded with a feedback session and report presentations, making it a memorable and enriching experience for all participants.

INTERCOLLEGIATE GEOMETRIC PATTERN DRAWING COMPETITION

The Mathematics Association of BNV College of Teacher Education organized an Intercollegiate Geometric Pattern Drawing Competition on December 22, 2024, as part of National Mathematics Day celebrations. The event aimed to encourage creativity and mathematical thinking through artistic geometric designs. Participants from various colleges showcased their skills, creating intricate and visually appealing patterns. The competition was a great success, promoting a deeper appreciation for the beauty of mathematics in art.

CAPACITY BUILDING: WORKSHOP ON LEADERSHIP SKILLS

The Capacity Building Workshop on Leadership Skills was held on January 10, 2025, for the first-year B.Ed. students of BNVCTE. Conducted by Mrs. Rajeena S, a former student, the workshop aimed to enhance leadership abilities through sessions on communication, decision-making, emotional intelligence, and team management. The workshop also emphasized the importance of trust, empathy, and critical thinking in effective leadership. By the end, students gained valuable insights and practical tools to develop their leadership potential with confidence.



FILM FEST 2025 AT BNVCTE



The Film Club "UDAAN" of BNV College of Teacher Education organized a Film Fest on January 17, 2025, featuring three movies: Johnny English, Ajinomotto, and The Exorcist. The event was inaugurated by Sri. A. Suresh, Managing Director, while Dr. Meerakumari G, Academic Director, handed over the first ticket to Dr. Lakshmi S, Principal. The event was a grand success, showcasing the Film Club's dedication to promoting cinema as an educational and entertaining medium.

WORKSHOP ON STRESS MANAGEMENT

As part of the Capacity Building Program in B. Ed. Curriculum of the University of Kerala, BNV College of Teacher Education organized a Stress Management Workshop on January 22, 2025, for first-year B. Ed. students (2024 - 2026 batch). The session was led by Mrs. Mini Natarajan, a counseling psychologist, who provided insights on understanding stress, its causes, and effective management techniques. The workshop included interactive activities, relaxation therapy, and a Q&A session, making it an engaging and impactful experience.



NATIONAL GIRL CHILD DAY CELEBRATION BY "GHARAANA"



The Women's Club "Gharaana" of BNV College of Teacher Education celebrated National Girl Child Day on January 24, 2025, with a dance drama titled "Kannal Pottu" at VHSS for Girls, Thiruvallam. The event began with a rally promoting girl child empowerment, followed by a captivating performance highlighting the struggles faced by girls in society. The Principal, Dr. Janu M. S., praised the initiative, encouraging more such impactful programs. The event concluded with feedback from VHSS students, leaving a strong message on gender equality.

20TH ANNUAL ATHLETIC MEET AT BNVCTE

The 20th Annual Athletic Meet of BNV College of Teacher Education was held on January 25, 2025, at the BNV School Ground, Thiruvallam. The event was inaugurated by Shri. Suresh, Managing Director, and featured a March Past by three houses – Blue, Green, and Red – demonstrating discipline and team spirit. Students



participated in various athletic events, showcasing their skills and sportsmanship, with intense competition between the houses. The meet concluded with a prize distribution ceremony, celebrating the winners and fostering a strong sense of unity and sports excellence.

REPUBLIC DAY CELEBRATIONS: 2025

BNV College of Teacher Education celebrated Republic Day on January 26, 2025, marking the 76th Anniversary of India's Constitution. To commemorate the occasion, the Social Science Association "Heritage" organized an Intercollegiate Message Writing Competition on the theme "Youth for a Stronger India". A total of 15 participants submitted their entries, and the top three winners were awarded e-certificates. The event successfully highlighted the importance of Republic Day and the role of youth in nation-building.

WORKSHOP ON PRESENTATION MAKING BY "RAFTAAR"



The Technology Club "Raftaar" of BNVCTE organized a workshop on effective utilization of web tools for presentations using Canva on January 27, 2025. The session was led by Ms. Sruthy Poovattil, a former student, who provided hands-on training in designing engaging presentations. Students actively participated in a competition, where they created Canva slides on the topic "Drug Abuse", applying the skills learned. The winners were recognized, and prizes were distributed during the college assembly on February 18, 2025, making the event a valuable learning experience.

THEATRE PRACTICE WORKSHOP AT BNVCTE

BNV College of Teacher Education conducted a Theatre Practice Workshop led by Shri. Satheesh G. Nair, Director of Art Space Centre for Performing Arts. The session focused on body, mind, and sound training to enhance creativity and communication in education. Students participated in interactive exercises, scriptwriting, and performances, integrating theatre techniques with subject learning. The workshop provided valuable insights into using dramatization as a teaching tool, making learning more engaging and effective.



FIELD TRIP 2025 TO WONDERLA AND LULU MALL

BNV College of Teacher Education organized a field trip for the 2024-2026 B.Ed batch on January 31, 2025, to Wonderla Amusement Park, Kochi, and Lulu Mall. The trip, coordinated by Dr. Roshna V Gopal, included 39 students and five faculty members, who departed early at 4:00 AM. Students enjoyed adventure and water rides at Wonderla, followed by a visit to Lulu Mall and a movie screening at Vanitha Theatre. The trip was a memorable experience, fostering fun, bonding, and relaxation beyond academics.



SEMINAR ON VALUE-BASED EDUCATION

BNV College of Teacher Education hosted a seminar on "Value-Based Education: Indian Knowledge System" on February 17, 2025. Dr. A. Prasanna from the Sri Sathya Sai Organization delivered an insightful lecture on the importance of values in education and their relevance in modern times. The session emphasized holistic development through the Indian knowledge system, encouraging deeper reflection among students and faculty. The event concluded with a vote of thanks by Bindhya, a B.Ed. student, leaving participants inspired to integrate values into education.

PUPPET MAKING WORKSHOP AT BNVCTE



BNV College of Teacher Education hosted a Puppet Making Workshop on February 18, 2025, led by alumni Ms. Navya and Ms. Gopika (Batch 2021 - 2023). The session provided students with hands-on training in puppet crafting, fostering creativity and innovative teaching methods. Dr. Lakshmi S, Principal, expressed pride in welcoming former students as resource persons. The event concluded with a vote of thanks by Ms. Bindhya, making it a memorable and enriching experience for all participants.

INTERNATIONAL MOTHER LANGUAGE DAY CELEBRATIONS

BNV College of Teacher Education celebrated Mathrubhasha Dinam (International Mother Language Day) on February 24, 2025, to promote linguistic and cultural diversity. The event, organized by the Malayalam Association "BhashaYog", was presided over by Dr. Reghunathan Nair, the Librarian, who spoke on the importance of preserving language and culture. Principal Dr. Lakshmi S inaugurated the function, emphasizing the significance of mother tongue in shaping identity. The celebration included poetry recitations, language-based games, and a cultural pledge, making it an engaging and meaningful event.



Achievements



Dr. Sunikumari P M
Vice Principal, BNVCTE
Dr. K Soman Memorial Award
for Teacher Educator of the year 2024
Instituted by CTEF, Kerala



Sreekala R
Third Prize for
Essay Writing Competition
Sri Sathya Sai Organization



Namitha Devi V N
Second Prize for University Level
Quiz Competition
Energy Club Kerala



Sumi V T



Krishna Priya H R
Selection to the
Table Tennis Team
University of Kerala



Gayathri S S
First Prize for Inter Collegiate Debate Competition
Govt. College of Teacher Education, Thycaud



Angel G D'Cruz



Neha S
First Prize
Inter Collegiate Patriotic Song Competition
All Saints' College



Lekshmi Gopal .V
Second Prize



Varsha R
Third Prize for
Troll Making Competition
SN Training College, Nedunganda



Neena. S. Raj
Third Prize for
Poetry Writing Competition
PTM College of Education, Vizhinjam



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