

## ABOUT THE COLLEGE



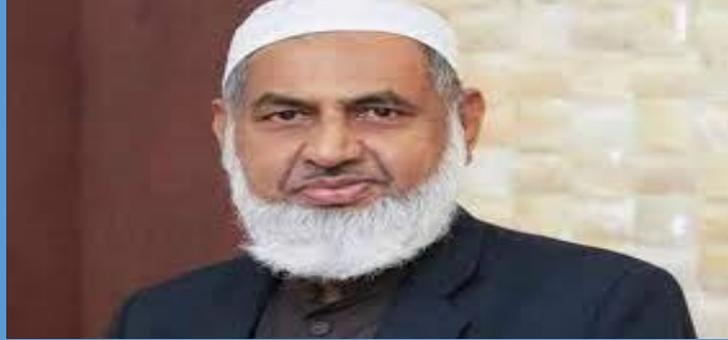
P.A. First Grade College is affiliated to the Mangalore University, Mangalagangothri, and has been recognized by the Government of Karnataka. The college is counted among the top-rated colleges in Karnataka with an excellent scholastic and co-scholastic track record. The college is one of the emerging academic wings of the PACE group. The college offers undergraduate degree programmes in Food Technology, Food, Nutrition and Dietetics,

Computer Applications, Commerce and Business Administration. It is a matter of great pride to be known as the first college in Dakshina Kannada to have established B. Sc. in Food Technology. Students are given ample opportunities for developing their personality and professional aptitude. It is located in a picturesque campus and offers the ideal setting for an academic environment.

- *“Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world”*
  - – Nelson Mandela.

## *About the Chairman*

*“Do not depend on others. Make your own ways of making things happen.”-  
The Mantra of his Success*



*September 1943- December 2021*

Dr. P.A Ibrahim Haji was a well-known Entrepreneur, Educationist, and Philanthropist. He was a renowned, dynamic and multifaceted business personality and the Founder and Chairman of PACE Group. He dedicated his life to uplift the society. The life of Dr. P.A. Ibrahim was a saga of dedication, certainty, and sacrifice. Dr. P.A. Ibrahim ventured into the education space in 1999, by setting up P.A. Educational Trust, and then PACE Group at the global level. The group operates in India, the UAE, and Kuwait, with schools and colleges with over 20,000 students from over 25 countries. He moved from one successful business to another, exploring further and further into new fields.

But he never lost sight of the basic values of life. He believed that he had to share his achievements with his fellow human beings. An urge and willingness to serve humanity and above all a great desire for growth and development made him an achiever. Dr. P.A. Ibrahim Haji has been honoured by many awards for his philanthropic ideas and social work.

We express our profound grief at the loss of our beloved chairman, a man with indomitable will and energy. May you rest in peace and your soul find the abode of heaven.

**DEEPEST CONDOLENCES!**

## Vice -chairman’s Message

*“It always seems impossible until it’s done”- Nelson Mandela*

It is a matter of great delectation and contentment that P.A.F.G.C., has come up with the first issue of the College E-Newsletter “COGNIZANCE”. I believe that the Newsletter will serve as a window through which the complete profile of the academic and co-curricular activities, achievements and progress made during the stipulated period can be viewed. The MoUs signed, the committees and associations formed, the events and invited talks organised during this period exemplify the varied opportunities available to the students to augment their experiences and multiply their perspectives towards education and life.

My heartiest congratulations to the Editorial team for the first issue of E- Newsletter (Sept- Dec 2021).



Mr. Abdullah Ibrahim  
Vice- Chairman  
PACE Group

## FROM THE PRINCIPAL’S DESK

*“A clear vision, backed by definite plans, gives one a tremendous feeling of confidence and personal power”*

*- Brain Tracy*



*It gives me great pleasure to bring out the E-newsletter for the period: Sept – Dec 2021. It is indeed a matter of great pride that P.A. First Grade College has made outstanding progress in academics, co-curricular and extra-curricular activities. We believe that the real education is not what happens within the four walls of the classroom, it is the culmination of all activities that happens within and outside the classroom as we know that learning happens from all sources. The involvement of our students in various association activities in the college is a platform to exhibit their talents and also to learn beyond academics thereby preparing themselves to overcome the challenges in life.*

*Our focus is to empower the students with sound knowledge, wisdom, experience, life values and methodological training both at the academic level and in the highly competitive global market.*

*I thank the editorial team for compiling the newsletter in a short period in a beautiful manner and my best wishes to all the readers of this message.*

*Dr. Surfraz J. Hasim  
Principal*

## EDITOR'S DESK



It is a matter of great pride and privilege to be the E-Newsletter Editor and assert my profound glee to launch this first issue of the quarterly newsletter of P.A.F.G.C. “**COGNIZANCE**”. This Newsletter serves as an eloquent expression of the progress and achievements that the college has to its credit and presents a beautiful mosaic of activities of the college between September - December 2021.

I zealously thank the Principal, Dr. Surfraz J. Hasim for entrusting me with this task and for his guidance at every stage for the smooth execution of compiling the E-Newsletter. My thanks to our esteemed members of the Editorial Board for their cooperation and

support and putting in their best in bringing out the first issue of our college E-Newsletter.

**Ms. Sharvana**  
**Editor**  
**COGNIZANCE E-Newsletter**  
**(Sept- Dec 2021)**  
**P.A.F.G.C.**

### VISION

To foster valuable resources for society and industry through excellence in education, training, and skill set development.

### MISSION

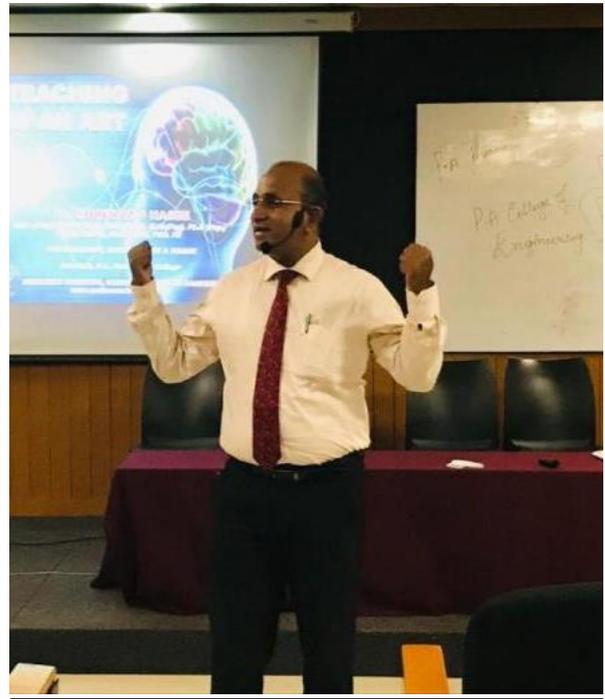
- To develop students intellectual capacities in Humanities and Social Sciences, Science, Commerce and Management to the fullest.
- To strive for better Industry-Academia collaborations to sensitively actualise solutions toward building an inclusive society.
- To generate new prospects of employment through continuous creative exploration of skill sets.

# EVENTS

## FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME

The Faculty Development Programme on “Teaching is an Art” was organised on August 30, 2021 and September 1, 2021, at PACE Multi-Purpose Hall. Dr. Surfaz J. Hasim, Principal, P. A. First Grade College, initiated the programme and being the resource person, addressed the faculty members on how to focus and equip various strategies, to disseminate knowledge to the students effectively.

The programme emphasized on the ways to cater diverse group of students with power of emotional intelligence. He reiterated the relevance of positive attitude that would bring about immense transformation by focusing on the good in any given situation and the ways to implement the same with the students. He then laid stress on the importance of meditation which is the perfect way to align the mind. The



presentation also focused on time management, which is the prime factor and has a great value to utilize in this competitive world.

The programme involved various activities, video clips that widened the faculties to enhance the support in their roles, aiming for an energetic academic life and culture. The sessions received a very positive feedback.

## TEACHERS DAY CELEBRATION

P. A. First Grade College, Mangaluru celebrated Teachers Day on September 6, 2021 at EduSat Hall in the Campus. Dr. Ramis M. K., Principal, P. A. College of Engineering, elucidated the teachers about their responsibilities in moulding the generations. Addressing the gathering Dr. Saleemullah Khan, Principal, P. A. College of Pharmacy advised the teachers to give foremost attention in imparting knowledge to the students. Dr. Surfraz J. Hasim, Principal, P.A. First Grade College, briefed the role of teachers to open students' minds to ideas, knowledge and dream. Principals' of sister institutions, Dean (SA), Vice Principals, AGM – P.A.E.T.

Group of Institutions, HoDs, faculty members were present on the occasion.

The programme served as a platform to the teachers in sharing their teaching experiences and it aimed at respecting the teachers for their significant work. Ms. Ibthisaan Banu, Dept. of Science welcomed the dignitaries. The vote of thanks was proposed by Ms. Vanishree, Dept. of Commerce. Ms. Yashaswini, Dept. of Commerce compeered the programme.

*"One book, one pen, one child, and one teacher can change the world."  
- Malala Yousafzai*



## AZADI KA AMRUTH MAHOTSAV



As per the notifications issued by the Ministry of Education, all the educational institutions have been advised to celebrate 'Azadi Ka Amruth Mahotsav' by organizing various events and related activities on the theme 75 years of India's Independence 'Azadi Ka Amruth Mahotsav' in their respective colleges.

P. A. First Grade College celebrated 'Azadi Ka Amruth Mahotsav, the 75 years of India's Independence under the guidance of the Principal, Dr. Surfraz J. Hasim on September 7, 2021 at Edu Sat hall in the Campus. The chief Guest, Capt. Rudresh, Campus Supervisor, P.A.E.T. Group of Institutions addressed the gathering and exhorted the students to join the Army to serve the nation and shared his own experiences in the field. Mr. Muhammad Musthafa, Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science highlighted the supreme sacrifice of the great martyrs who

gave their lives for the sake of freedom and the necessity to preserve it. Patriotic songs, writings, speech on the theme of patriotism, about freedom fighters who gave their lives and made great sacrifices and such other related activities were conducted in different languages.

The Principal, Dr. Surfraz J. Hasim in his Presidential address advised the students to play proactive roles in building the nation through cohesive efforts. The celebration encouraged the students to participate and commemorate the value and spirit of the freedom fighters who fought for the independence.

Ms. Sharvana, Dept. of English hosted the programme. Ms. Preethi Flavia Periera, Head -Dept. of Commerce delivered the welcome address and Ms. Murial Melony Misquith, Head- Dept. of Science proposed the vote of thanks.

## **TOBACCO FREE INSTITUTION – AN AWARENESS PROGRAMME**

An awareness programme on creating tobacco free institution was organised by the NSS unit of P.A.F.G.C., on 23 September 2021 at PAFGC campus. Principal, Dr. Surfraz J. Hasim addressed the gathering and urged the people to abandon tobacco and highlighted the various effects of tobacco on human beings. NSS programme officer Mr. Muhammed Musthafa in his address advised that tobacco is injurious to health, it will spoil the human being's life and urged the people to create a tobacco free society. The volunteers of NSS unit held the poster which carried a message to create tobacco

free society and abandon tobacco. The NSS volunteers created awareness among the people about the various effects of tobacco on human beings by holding posters. The volunteers pledged for the creation of Tobacco Free Society. Heads of Science and Commerce department and other faculty members were present in the programme.



## **INTERACTION- IRCS**

Interaction with the members of Indian Red Cross Society (IRCS) was held on 23 October 2021, at PACE Board Room. Mr. Prabhakar Sharma, K.A.S(R), Hon. Secretary, IRCS, D.K., Mr. Praveen Kumar, District Chief Coordinator, IRCS, D.K., Mr. Abbas Uchil, Member, IRCS visited the campus and interacted with the Principals and other faculty members of P.A.E.T. Group of Institutions. Many programmes were planned jointly that

would promote humanitarian principles and values.



## FAREWELL PROGRAMME

The Farewell function ‘Tot ziens’, – memories to begin a new journey for the batch of 2018-21 was held on 25 October 2021 at PACE auditorium. The chief guest for the programme was Mr. Faizal, Head – Centre for Professional and Organizational Development, PACE.

The programme commenced at 10 A.M with the prayer by Abbas Ibrahim Mubaris, III BBA. This was followed by the Welcome speech by Ms. Sharvana, HoD- Languages. The programme continued with the address by the chief guest, Mr. Faizal who spoke encouraging words of wisdom for the final year students and also highlighted the importance of communication skills for the employability. Dr. Krishna Prasad, HoD- Biotechnology, PACE joined the programme and addressed the students with his inspiring words. He encouraged the students that past must always be considered as a lesson with optimistic view for looking ahead. He blessed the students to get success in their life. Ms. Murial Misquith, HoD- Science

shared her message with the students and wished good luck for their future. Ms. Preethi Flavia Pereira, HoD- Commerce addressed the students and shared her experience with the students. Few faculty members as well as students from the department of Science and Commerce shared their experiences about their journey at P.A.F.G.C. campus. Mr. Sharfuddeen, AGM, P.A.E.T. Group of Institutions graced the occasion by his presence. The programme continued with the distribution of certificates by the guests to the prize winners of various activities conducted by the college.

The presidential remarks was given by Dr. Surfraz J. Hasim, Principal, P.A. First Grade College, wherein he motivated the students by highlighting the importance of goal setting in life. The photo session was held with the outgoing students. Finally the programme concluded with the vote of thanks by Ms. Annet Dsouza, Department of Commerce. The master of ceremony for the programme was Ms. Ibthisan Banu, Department of Science.



## ORIENTATION PROGRAMME

P.A First Grade College, Nadupadavu, Mangaluru conducted an Orientation Programme for the freshers on, 15 November 2021. The programme started with a prayer invoking blessings of the almighty.

Dr. Manjunatha Pattabi, Dean, faculty of Science and Technology, Mangaluru University, was the chief guest who inspired the students to work hard to obtain knowledge. He set a formula 'KAPI' – which stands for Knowledge, Attitude, Punctuality and Integrity which has to be inculcated by students. He insisted parents to have a track on their wards for their betterment.



Dr. Saleemullah Khan, Principal, P.A College of Pharmacy, reflected on the importance of current education system. He also stressed on being responsible to oneself, to embrace the differences and alternative thinking. Prof. K.P. Soofie, Principal, P.A Polytechnic, added that the university is committed to provide a safe, secure and excellent research oriented academic ambience. He advised students to use English as the medium of communication throughout their academics and to be more sincere and obedient in their work. Prof. Sajeesh Regunathan, Principal, P.A Institute of Physiotherapy, motivated

students on leadership qualities and to set goals to achieve a successful life.

Dr. Surfraz J. Hasim, Principal, P.A First Grade College, in his presidential address, welcomed the gathering and gave an overall information about the college to the students and parents. He encouraged students to have a fresh beginnings and plan accordingly to lead a victorious career. He then felicitated Dr. Manjunatha Pattabi, with a token of appreciation.

Dr. Sayyed Ameen, Dean-Student affairs, PAET, spoke about rules and regulations at boy's hostel. Mr. Faizal, Head- centre for Professional and Organizational Development, PACE, motivated students to lead a successful life. Captain. Amar Mascaranas, Logistics and Supply chain expert, shared his expertise to the gathering. Ms. Najla Mariyam, Assistant Professor, Department of Language, guided students and parents with college rules and regulations.

Ms. Murial Misquith, HoD Science, Ms. Preethi Perira, HoD Commerce, Ms. Sharvana, HoD Languages, Ms. Chaithra, HoD Computer Applications, Ms. Deepthi Udyavar, Student welfare officer and Ms. Vanishree, NAAC Coordinator, were also present amongst the guests.

Ms. Ramya Anne, Assistant Professor, Department of Language, was the Master of Ceremony. Ms. Annet Dsouza, Assistant professor, Department of Commerce, welcomed the gathering and Ms. Ibthisaan Banu, Assistant Professor, Department of Science, delivered the vote of thanks.

## INDUCTION PROGRAMME



Induction Programme was conducted by P.A. First Grade College for the First Year students from 16 November 2021 at E- learning centre and the Multipurpose hall. A spectrum of sessions had been organised under the Induction programme and were presented by eminent speakers. The induction programme consisted of sessions on Entrepreneurship, Core Values and Attitude, Group Dynamics and Cross Culture, Posture and Good Health, Smart Education, etc.

Mr. Mohammed Faizal, Head -Centre for professional & organisational development PACE, dealt with Group Dynamics and Cross Culture which helped our students to gain profuse knowledge on maintaining good relations among different people and also on the maintenance of behaviour in the group, as students from various background mingle and this would help them in a very good way. Prof. Chandana B.R, Asst. Professor, Electronics and Communication Engineering, insighted on the values and

ethics which the students should maintain throughout their lives and the ways of maintaining it along with its benefits by elaborating on her topic Universal Human Values. Prof. Sajeesh Regunathan, Principal, P.A. College of Physiotherapy, in his session on Posture and Good Health, made sure that the students gained knowledge on their physique, the problems related to their health and also conducted activities that helped students to gain more knowledge in shaping the good posture and well being . Dr Sayyed Ameen Ahamed, Dean, Student affairs, P.A.E.T. Group of Institutions, dealt with the topic on “Smart Education-journey towards successful career”. It clearly gave the students an idea to lead towards the successful journey, the hidden concepts to success, and the need of understanding the smart education to ease stressful lives.

Dr. Surfraz J. Hasim, Principal, P.A. First Grade College helped the students in knowing their subconscious mind,

understanding their own mind and leading the positive life with his topic on Explore your Mind. Mr. Iqbal and Mr. Ibrahim M, Physical Director and Coach engaged different sessions on the Physical Fitness and enlightened our students on the benefits of staying fit and healthy and also traced few students who are willing to participate in various upcoming events. Ms. Preethi Flavia Pereira, HoD of Commerce and Management, made sure that all the information on the mentoring was provided to the students and all the rules and the regulations pertaining to the college was shared. Ms. Murial Melony Misquith, HoD of Science who spoke on the topic of Food For Health and insighted on the daily need of food in our life, its importance, the requirement, the nutrients gained and role of food in maintaining the good health. Ms. Chaitra, HoD of Computer Application spoke on the topic - Technology's impact on our lives and gave the importance, role and need of technology in our day to day life and how does it show its impact in one's life. Ms Sharvana, HoD of Languages, in her session on Common Errors in English, helped the students in rectifying the basic errors that occurred during communication and also on the errors while writing. Ms. Vanishree, Assistant Professor, Commerce and Management, dealt with the topic of Entrepreneurship which gave a clear idea to the students on certain aspects of starting up of the companies, business

and leading to be an entrepreneur. Ms. Deepthi Udyawar, Assistant Professor Commerce and Management, elaborated on basic etiquettes that has to be given to each and every student as they move on from one level of education to another level helping to cope with their peers and maintaining good relations with all the faculty members.

All the sessions carried out throughout the induction programme served to be the most beneficial for the students to deal with the new beginning of their college life. On Friday, 19<sup>th</sup> November 2021, the induction programme was concluded with the valedictory programme. Mr. Abdullah Ibrahim, Executive Director, P.A.E.T. Group of Institutions, Dr. Ramis M.K, Principal, PACE, Dr. Sayyed Ameen, Director, MBA- Centre for Management and Research Studies, Prof. Sajeesh Regunathan, Principal, P.A. College of Physiotherapy, Prof. Chandana B.R, Asst. Professor, Electronics and Communication Engineering, Heads of various departments of P.A.F.G.C. were present on the occasion. The resource persons were felicitated. The induction programme was coordinated by Ms. Ibthisaan Banu, Dept. of Science and Ms. Gowthami, Dept. of Commerce. The master of ceremony was Ms Ramya Anne, Assistant Professor, Department of English. Ms Zainab Ridha, III FT proposed the vote of thanks.



## STUDENT DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME



P.A First Grade College together with Lions and Leo Clubs Mangaluru, conducted Students Development Programme for the first year students on 23 November 2021. The programme started with a prayer invoking blessings of the almighty.

Dr. Surfraz J. Hasim, Principal, P.A First Grade College, welcomed the members of Lion and Leo club and also welcomed the gathering. He motivated the students on their journey of education and the ways to plan and lead a victorious career. Lion Satish Rai, President of the Lions Club, Mangaluru, gave a brief account on Lions Club and its foundation. He also inspired the students to work hard to shape their

future and addressed about the various programmes they conducted. Ms Murial Misquith, HoD- Science, cordially introduced the Resource Person, Prof. Ronald Pinto, Director- Institute of Individual Development, Mangaluru. He spoke about the Importance of Academic Excellence and Employability Skills. He elaborated on the stages of learning that will help to enhance the ability to have higher aims in life and also with basic effective communication, academic excellence and positive attitude one can achieve perfect employability skills.

Ms. Annet Dsouza, Assistant professor, Department of Commerce and

Management, introduced Lion Denis Rodrigues, Treasurer of the Lions Club. He clarified the queries of the students and also advised them on how to persuade their career. The members of the Lions and Leo club and the Resource Person were felicitated and were presented with the token of appreciation. Ms. Murial Misquith, HoD of Science, Ms. Preethi Perira, HoD of Commerce, Ms. Sharvana, HoD of Languages, Ms. Deepthi Udyavar, Student Welfare Officer, Ms Ramya Suraj, Asst . Prof. Dept. of Commerce and Management, Ms. Ambily Asst. Prof. Dept. of Science, Ms. Nausheen, Asst Prof. Dept of Science were also present. Ms. Annet Dsouza, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce, was the Master of Ceremony. Ms. Deepthi Udyavar, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce and Management proposed the Vote of Thanks.

### **“ART IS A LINE AROUND YOUR THOUGHTS”- PAINTING COMPETITION**

The Literary Association and the NSS unit at P.A. First Grade College organised a Painting Competition on account of National Pollution Control Day on 02 December, 2021 at the Drawing Area on the second floor. The competition was organised to bring out the creative expression, artistic

skills of the students and also to gauge their awareness quotient. The aim of this competition was not merely to see the creative aspect but also to trigger the thought process of the students towards these issues. Competitions of this sort, increase the observational skills, response to thoughts, awareness and concern of the students towards these issues. The college always encourages student participation in competitions for their holistic development. The judge of the event was Mr. Abdul Jaleel, Asst. Professor, Dept. of Commerce and the decision regarding the winners was made on the basis of criterias like- Relevance to the theme, Creativity, Neatness and Overall presentation. Ms. Fathimath Hasna, I year BCA scored first and Ms. Ayshath Safha, I year BBA (Aviation) scored second place in the competition. The winners will be awarded with the certificates as well as prizes.



## ENVIRONMENT CLUB LOGO RELEASE



The Environment Club at P. A. First Grade College organised "Logo Launch - Green Aura" on account of National Pollution Control Day on 02 December 2021 at G-27 meeting hall. The principal, Dr. Surfraz J. Hasim, Dr. Sayyed Ameen, Dean (Student Affairs) P.A.E.T., Mr. Iqbal, Campus Manager P.A.E.T., HoD's, SWO, NSS Programme officer, Mr. Ibrahim, Physical Director, Environment club coordinators Ms. Najla Mariyam, Ms. Ambili, Ms. Ashwini and student members were present on this occasion. Dr. Surfraz J. Hasim, the Principal, launched the Green Aura Logo and motivated the students to value environment and to plan for programmes and events which would motivate the community in general and the students in particular. Dr. Sayyed Ameen released the video presentation of the club and stressed on the importance of our environment and its conservation. The club expressed its participation in sustaining a hygienic and healthy campus. Ms. Aleema Nabeela, II year FND, compered the programme.

## EQUALITY, REDUCING INEQUALITIES, ADVANCING HUMAN RIGHTS



International Human rights day was observed at P.A. First Grade College, Mangalore, under the aegis of NSS unit on 10th December 2021 at E- learning centre. Dr. Dayanand Naik, Associate Professor, Department of Political Science, Mangalore University, was the chief guest. In his address, he urged the NSS volunteers to read the Constitution of India and create a legal awareness among the people in the society. He highlighted many legal aspects and spoke about UAPA act. He explained the importance of Human rights and how students can take positive action against the violation of human rights. Dr. Surfraz J. Hasim, Principal, P.A First Grade College, in his presidential address encouraged students to read the Constitution of India and educated students on their human rights and how they can protect their freedom. He then felicitated Prof. Dayanand Naik as a token of gratitude. NSS program officer, Mr. Muhammed Musthafa, welcomed the gathering. Dr. Sayyad Ameen, Mr. Abdul Khader, Office Superintendent, PACE, Ms. Preeti Flavia Pereira, HOD- Commerce, Ms. Vanishree, NAAC Coordinator, Ms. Sharvana, IQAC Coordinator and Ms. Deepti Udyavar, Student Welfare officer were present on the occasion. Ms. Nuhma, NSS Volunteer, was the Master of Ceremony. Ms. Fatima Hiba proposed the vote of thanks.

## **INAUGURAL CEREMONY: INTER-COLLEGIATE FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT**

P. A. First Grade College organised Mangalore University Inter-collegiate football tournament from 13 December to 15 December 2021 at P.A Campus ground and Mangalore University playground. 36 teams registered for this tournament. The inaugural ceremony started with great gaiety on 13 December 2021 at 11.30 am at P.A.Campus playground. The inaugural ceremony began with the formal procedure seeking the blessings of the almighty. Mr.Iqbal, Physical Director, P.A.E.T., formally welcomed the dignitaries. Dr. Gerald Santhosh D'Souza, Director, Dept. of Physical Education, Mangalore University, in his inaugural oration, stimulated the participants on the benefits of Sports in maintaining balanced health and fitness. Dr.Surfraz J.Hasim, Principal,

persuaded the students to participate in the sports activities and the significance of sports in various aspects of life. He then felicitated Dr. Gerald Santhosh D'Souza, as a token of gratitude. Dr. Prasanna Kumar, Assistant Director, Dept. of Physical Education, Mangalore University, Dr. Sayyed Ameen, Dean (Student Affairs) P.A.E.T., Mr. Ibrahim, Physical Director, P.A.F.G.C., HoD's, Coordinators and volunteers of the Sports Committee, Faculty members were present on this occasion. Ms.Fathimath Hiba, II year BBA, compered the programme. Ms. Ashwini, Asst. Professor, Dept.of Commerce & Management proposed the vote of thanks. Dr. Gerald Santhosh D'Souza, formally inaugurated the tournament by kicking off the ball.



## SPECTACULAR VALEDICTORY FUNCTION BRINGS MANGALORE UNIVERSITY INTER-COLLEGIATE FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT 2021 TO A FITTING CLOSE!



P. A. First Grade College organised Mangalore University (Mangalore Zone) Inter-collegiate Football Tournament from 13 December to 15 December 2021 at P.A Campus ground and Mangalore University playground. The three days witnessed spectacular display of confidence, hard work, leadership and competition. The last day was a vibrant culmination of the magnificent tournament. St. Aloysius College, Mangalore, emerged as the Champions of the tournament and St. Philomena College, Puttur, as the Runner-up. The Valedictory Function of the football tournament took place on 15 December 2021 at Mangalore University, Mangalagangothri at 2:00pm. Ms. Aysha Bashariya Monacco, Asst. Professor, Dept. of BCA, welcomed the gathering. Dr. Gerald Santhosh D'Souza, Director, Dept. of Physical Education, Mangalore University, emphasised on the impermanence of winning and losing. He congratulated the winning team and encouraged all the participants to work hard

and have a firm determination. Dr. Surfraz J. Hasim, Principal, PAFGC, Dr. Prasanna B.K, Assistant Director, Dept. of Physical Education, Mangalore University, Mr. Iqbal, Physical Director, P.A.E.T., Mr. Ibrahim, Physical Director, P.A.F.G.C., Coordinators and volunteers of the Sports Committee, were present on this occasion. Ms. Fathimath Nuhma, II year B.Com, was the master of ceremony. Mr. Iqbal, Physical Director, P.A.E.T., expressed gratitude to all associated with the smooth conduction of the event.

Football is football and talent is talent. But the mindset of your team makes all the difference.

## **AN INVITED TALK ON LIVE STOCK MARKET**

Commerce and Management Association of P. A. First Grade College organised an invited talk on Live Stock Market on 16<sup>th</sup> December 2021, from 9:30 AM at Multi-Purpose Hall. Dr. Sayyad Ameen, Director, Centre for Management Studies and Research was the resource person. Ms. Afsath, III-yr B.Com., rendered the words of welcome to the gathering. The session started with providing basic information about the stock market - fundamental and technical analysis of the market, demat account, NIFTY 50, and Sensex. He apprised the students with concepts of disciplined investment and shariah based screening of stock market. The main highlight of the session was that

the information was rendered by demonstrating the live stock market trading on real time basis. Dr.Surfraz J.Hasim, Principal, P. A. First Grade College, addressed the students and shared his experience of investment in stock market and exhorted the need to have the knowledge of stock market. Ms. Preethi Flavia Pereira, Head- Department of Commerce, Ms. Deepthi Udyavar, SWO, Faculty Coordinators of Commerce and Management Association Ms. Gowthami and Ms. Chaithanya, students of B.Com, Student members of Commerce and Management Association were present. Fathimath Hiba, II-yr BBA was the master of ceremony and Mohammed Shahid, I-yr B.Com, proposed the vote of thanks.



## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

***Dr. Surfraz J. Hasim, Principal, P.A.F.G.C. Mind Trainer & Coach – invited as the resource person for the training program at different organisations / institutions.***

1. 20 Sept 2021: St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangaluru  
As a resource person for the induction program (Webinar) for first year post graduate students on the topic “Introduction to Mind Mapping”
2. 25 Sept 2021: Pharmed Ltd, Bengaluru  
Full day Session on “Work – Life Balance”
3. 12 Oct 2021: Government Polytechnic, Bantwal  
As a resource person for the induction program of first year diploma students on “Personality Development”
4. 20 Nov 2021: Shri Madhva Vadiraja Institute of Technology & Management, Udupi  
Faculty Development Program on “Mind Engineering: An attempt towards work life balance for teaching professionals”
5. 22 Nov 2021: Excellent Pre University College, Moodabidri  
Student Empowerment Program on “Scientific Studying Techniques”
6. 25 Nov 2021: Bearys Institute of Technology, Innoli  
As a resource person for the induction Program for 1st year engineering students on “Mind Engineering”
7. 5 Dec 2021: Dept. of Guidance & Counseling, St Agnes College, Mangaluru  
A session on ‘Hypnotic Counseling’ for the current students and alumni.
8. 20 Dec 2021: Resource person for the Childrens Educational Program on the topic “Scientific Studying Techniques” organized by P.A.F.G.C. in association with Educational Resources Centre, D.K and other NGO’s held at Anandashram High School, Someshwar.

***Ms. Ibthisaan Banu, Asst. Professor, Dept. of FT & FND-***

- 10 December 2021: St Aloysius College (Autonomous), Mangaluru.  
As a resource person on the topic “Balanced Diet”.



## FACULTY PARTICIPATION- FDP/ WORKSHOP/ WEBINAR/ SEMINAR/ PAPER PRESENTATION

SI.NO	FACULTY MEMBER	TITLE	ORGANISED BY	DATE
1	Ms. Sharvana	Webinar on Literary Modernism in Retrospect	St. Aloysius College, Mangaluru	10.11.21
		FDP on National Education Policy: Challenges and Opportunities	Mulki Sunder Ram College, Shirva in association with GFGC and Centre for P.G.Studies, Thenkanidiyur	25.11.21
2	Ms. Chaita B.S.	One-Day Workshop on Choice Based Credit System Semester Scheme with Multiple Exit and Entry Options in the UG Programmes under NEP 2020	MUCSTA, Mangalore University	20.11.21
3	Ms. Annet Carol Dsouza	FDP on Empowering Commerce Teachers for NEP 2020	Mangalore University in association with MUCTA, St. Agnes College, Mangaluru, GFGC Kavour, & MAA	18.10.21-24.10.21
4	Ms. Gowthami	Presented paper on 'Crisis Management of Restaurants in Mangalore during COVID 19 at Online Three Day National Conference-2021 on Corporate Governance and Financial Management	Department of Studies in Commerce, Mangalore University Mangalagangothri	10.09.21-12.09.21
		National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 : Multidisciplinary and Holistic Education	Sri Venkataramana Swamy College, Bantwal	23.09.21
		FDP on Empowering Commerce Teachers for NEP 2020	Mangalore University in association with MUCTA, St. Agnes College, Mangaluru, GFGC Kavour, MAA	18.10.21-24.10.21
		Virtual Syllabus Workshop on NEP 1st Semester BBA	Sri Bhuvanendra college, Karkala in association with FOBMAT	06.12.21
5	Ms. Reshma K.C.	National workshop on Corporate Governance and Financial Management	Department of studies in commerce, Mangalore University, Mangalagangothri	11.09.21
		NEP 2020: Multidisciplinary and Holistic Education	Sri Venkataramana Swamy College, Bantwal	23.09.21
		FDP on Empowering Commerce Teachers for NEP 2020	Mangalore University in association with MUCTA, St. Agnes College, Mangaluru, GFGC Kavour, & MAA	30.11.21-02.12.21
		Virtual Syllabus Workshop on NEP I Sem BBA	Sri Bhuvanendra college, Karkala in association with FOBMAT	06.12.21

6	Ms.Chaithanya D.	National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 : Multidisciplinary and Holistic Education	Sri Venkataramana Swamy College, Bantwal	23.09.21
		National Education Policy : Challenges and Opportunities	Mulki Sunder Ram College, Shirva in association with GFGC and Centre for P.G.Studies, Thenkanidiyur	25.09.21
		FDP on Empowering Commerce Teachers for NEP 2020	Mangalore University in association with MUCTA, St. Agnes College, Mangaluru, GFGC Kavour, MAA	30.11.21-02.12.21
		Virtual Syllabus Workshop on NEP 1Semester BBA	Sri Bhuvanendra college, Karkala in association with FOBMAT	06.12.21
7	Ms.Ashwini H.	Workshop on NEP: Management Principles and Applications	MUCTA, Mangalagangothri	20.11.21
8	Ms.Spoorthi V.S.	Workshop on NEP 2020	Mangalore University, Mangalagangothri	25.10.21
9	Ms.Ayshathul Bashariya Monaco			
10	Ms. Noorjahan Begum S.A.			
11	Ms. Vanishree Y.			
12	Ms.Deepti Udyavar	Workshop on NEP Accounts	MUCTA	20.11.21
		FDP on Empowering Commerce Teachers for NEP 2020	Mangalore University in association with MUCTA, St. Agnes College, Mangaluru, GFGC Kavour, & MAA	30.11.21-02.12.21
		Virtual Syllabus workshop on NEP I sem BBA	Sri Bhuvanendra College, Karkala	06.12.21
13	Ms.Ramyashree	Workshop on V sem	Mangalore University, Mangalagangothri	19.11.21
14	Ms.Sara Maskuruneesa	NEP 2020 and Kannada Language	Mangalore University College Kannada Teachers Association and Dept.of Kannada, Mangalore	27.09.21

## OUTREACH PROGRAMME

P.A.F.G.C., in association with Children's Rights Committee, D.K. District, Federation of Educational Resource Centres, D.K. District, and Education Resource Centre, Mangalore, organised an Outreach Programme / Extension Activity at Anandashram High School, Someshwar on 20 Dec 2021, on Scientific Studying Techniques. Around 90 students of 10th Std and the teachers participated in the programme.



## MoU with KCCI



P. A. First Grade College signed MoU with Kanara Chamber of Commerce and Industry on 17 Dec 2021. This will surely benefit our students in exposing to the industry and enable them to understand the industrial environment practically. KCCI

will guide us in providing internships to our students to bridge the gap between Industry & Academia. The KCCI team was represented by Mr. Shashidhar Pai Maroor, President, Mr M Ganesh Kamath, Vice President, Mr Nissar Fakeer Mohammed, Hon. Secretary, Mr Mytreya Chief Operating Officer. P .A. First Grade College was represented by Dr Surfraz J Hasim, Principal, Dr Sayyad Ameen Ahammed, Dean - PAET Institutions, Ms Murial, Asst. Professor & HoD - Science, Mrs Vanishree, Asst Professor - Commerce & Management, Mrs Deepthi Udyavar, Asst. Professor- Commerce & Management & Student Welfare Officer.

## MoU with Sadhana Academy

P.A. First Grade College signed MOU with Sadhana Academy, Mangaluru on 30 Dec 2021. This will benefit our students & staff in getting trained by experts. Dr Chandrashekara Shetty T, Partner, Sadhana Academy, Dr. Surfraz J Hasim, Principal, P. A. First Grade College & Mrs Deepthi Udyavar, Asst. Professor, PAFGC were present.



## MoU: The Canara Workshops Ltd:



MOU signed between P A First Grade College & The Canara Workshops Ltd, Mangaluru on 31 Dec 2021. This will benefit our Commerce & Management Students to undergo internships. Mr Premnath S. Kudva, Chairman & Managing Director, The Canara Workshops Ltd, Mr. J A Saleem, DGM (HR), The Canara Workshops Ltd, Dr. Surfraz J Hasim, Principal, PAFGC, Mrs Vanishree, Asst. Professor, Mrs Deepthi Udyavar, Asst. Professor, PAFGC were present.

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## COMPLIMENTING ACCOMPLISHMENTS

An ecstatic compliment to Mr. Shamrid, bearing register number 191882924- III B.Com., and Mr. Ahmed Thameem, bearing register number 202301522102 -II BCA for being selected to the Mangalore University Football team, to participate in the South Zone Inter-University Football Tournament 21-22.

Plaudits to Mr. Ibrahim, P.E.D, P.A.F.G.C., for being appointed as a Football Coach to the Mangalore University Football Team 21-22.



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