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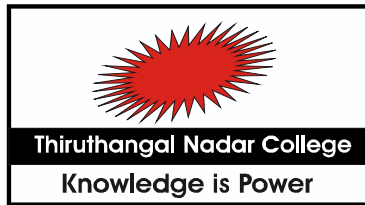
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It gives me great pleasure to present unto you the Annual Report for the year 2016-2017.

Thiruthangal Nadar College was established in the year 1997 by Thiruthangal Nadar Educational Society, a wing of the Chennaivazh Thiruthangal Hindu Nadar Uravinmurai Dharma Fund. The hall marks of the Education we disseminate here are quality education, development of self-confidence, commitment to excellence and a holistic outlook on life along with decorum.

In a short span of 20 years the college has reached the zenith of its progress in many facets and has carved a niche for itself in North Chennai. Every year the college gains momentum in its ambience and reputation. The College now offers 11 U.G. Courses, one five-year integrated course M.Sc (CS&T) and two P.G. courses M.Sc (C.S) & M.Com. It has proposed to initiate B.Sc (Physics), B.Sc (Chemistry), B.A (English Litt.), Diploma course in Computer Application and Tourism & Management and a Certificate Course in E-Commerce to cater to the needs of the Student Community. The College strength is 2967(1798 Boys &1169 Girls) with 102 Teaching faculty and 66 supporting staff.

This illustrious academic year 2016-17 turned out to be a year full of activities and exuberance.

At the outset I am glad to profess that I have been Re-Elected as the Member-Syndicate University of Madras in the month of September 2016.

I am happy to announce that our College Vice-principal Prof.S.Asaithambi has been Elected as the Senate Member of the University of Madras. It is to be marked that it is a rare privilege for both Member-Syndicate and Senate Member to hail from the same College.

Our college convened a meeting for the Freshers along with their parents on 4th July 2016, which turned out to be rewarding session.

To commemorate the sacrifice of millions of patriots the 70th Independence day was celebrated in our campus with patriotic fervor, wherein Thiru. M.G.E. Selvaraj, Vice-President of Thiruthangal Nadar College Presided over the function and our esteemed Executive Committee Member of Thiruthangal Nadar College Thiru. M. Narayanaswamy hoisted the flag.

To invoke the blessings of Goddess Saraswathi, a solemn pooja was performed in the campus on 7th October 2016 in the presence of our Honourable Members of the Management.

The 68th Republic Day was celebrated in full solemnity & grandeur in the campus on 26th Jan 2017. Hon'ble Vice - President of Thiruthangal Nadar College Thiru.J.Periandavar hoisted the tricolour in the august presence of Thiru. S Raja, Asst. Secretary of Thiruthangal Nadar College and other esteemed Members of the Management.

On 6th September 2016, to glorify the Teaching Community on the occasion of the Teacher's Day celebration, Dr. S. Thirumagan, Honorable Controller of Examination, University of Madras felicitated our Teaching Faculty in the august presence of Thiru. A.Mariappan B.E., M.I.E., President of Thiruthangal Nadar College and other Members of the Management.

True to its tradition, various Departments Inaugurated their Association and conducted activities to offer students an exposure to different facets of their discipline. Many guest lectures were organized to enhance the learning experience of students.

1. On behalf of the Dept. of Tamil, Education Day was observed on 15th July 2016 to commemorate the 114th Birthday of Perunthalaivar Kamarajar. Hon'ble Secretary & Correspondent of the College Thiru.S.K.A.Savarimalaiyan B.Com., presided over the function and Poet Nandalala served as the Chief Guest and enhanced the glory of the day, as a part of the function the 61 meritorious students of the Second and Third year were bestowed with the Merit Scholarship which served as a great source of encouragement for them.

2. The Daffodils Association of the Dept. of English had its Inaugural Ceremony on 22nd July 2016. The event was presided by Thiru. S.K.A. Savarimalaiyan B.Com., Honorable , Secretary & Correspondent of the college and the Chief Guest of Honour was Smt. S.Arasi Asst.Professor of English, Pachaiyappas College, Chennai.

3. The Dept of Mathematics had the Inauguration of their Association on 8th August 2016. Dr.R. Srinivasan Asso. Professor, Dept. of Mathematics D.G.Vaishnav College, Arumbakkam, Chennai, enlightened the audience with his speech. The function was presided by Thiru.S.K.A.Savarimalaiyan B.Com., Hon'ble Secretary & Correspondent of our college.

4. The Department of Corporate Secretaryship had their inaugural function on 10th August 2016 with Thiru.M. Ramesh Babu, Founder & Partner, Grant Ascend Consulting LLP. The function was presided by Thiru.S.K.A.Savarimalaiyan B.Com., Hon'ble Secretary & Correspondent of our college.

5. The Department of Computer Science and Computer Application had the Inauguration of their Association on 19th August 2016 with Mr.Gangatharan Velu, M.Tech., QA Engineer, Alcon Laboratories(India) Pvt Ltd., as the Chief Guest who enticed the audience with his address. The occasion was presided by Thiru.S.K.A.Savarimalaiyan B.Com., Hon'ble Secretary & Correspondent of our college.

6. The Associations of the Dept. of Commerce, Accounting & Finance and Bank Management were Inaugurated on 23rd August 2015 by Dr.N.S.Santhosh Kumar, Director of Legal studies, Govt. of Tamilnadu, Member-Syndicate, University of Madras, Chennai. Thiru.S.K.A.Savarimalaiyan B.Com., Secretary & Correspondent of our college presided the event.

7. The Department of B.Com (Computer Application) and Management Sciences had their Inaugural function on 7th September 2016. Hon'ble Secretary and Correspondent of the College Thiru. S.K.A. Savarimalaiyan B.Com., presided over the function. The Chief Guest of Honour was K. Jothi Sivagnanam , Prof and Head Department of Economics, Member-Syndicate, University of Madras.

A one day Workshop was organized by the Department of Computer Science and Computer Application on 29th July 2016. The theme of the workshop was Hadoop and Thesis Writing. It was facilitated by Mr. Ranjith Sekar, Head Consultant Virtusa Consulting Services Pvt. Ltd. and Dr. C. Jothi Venkateswaran Prof. and Head, Department of Computer Science Presidency College, Ch-5. The occasion was presided by Thiru.S.K.A.Savarimalaiyan B.Com., Hon'ble Secretary & Correspondent of the College.

To bring out the latent talents of the students to the forefront the various Depts. of our college had set the platform by conducting varied contests like Oratorical, Essay, Poetry writing, Slogan Writing, Word Building, Spell Check, Best out of Waste, Pencil sketching, Debugging, PPT, Ad-Zap, Jewellery Making, Greeting Card Designing, Quiz etc., many entrants tried their skills at these competitions.

Our faculty keep themselves in tide with the emerging trends in the field of education. To update themselves and keep abreast with the latest developments in their respective fields, they grab every opportunity to attend orientation programmes, refresher courses and paper presentation sessions.

As a mark of enhancing his expertise our Revered Principal Dr.S. Murugesan had the privilege of attending a seminar cum workshop for Academic Administrators of colleges on 10th July 2016 which was organized by UGC-Academic staff college University of Madras. The focus of the theme was "Issues in Higher Education and Counselling Skills" & it turned out to be a rewarding session.

I am extolled to announce that Dr. Velayutham of the Department of Bank Management and Accounting and Finance has been conferred with the Doctorate Degree through Vel's University in April 2016. The focus of his research was in Management with the theme "A Study on the Consumption Pattern with Specific Reference to Fast Food Outlets in Chennai, Tamil Nadu".

I am glad to notify that Dr.M.Jagadeeswari of the Department of Tamil was conferred with the Doctorate Degree through University of Madras in April 2016. The theme of her research was "Periyapurathanil Manithaneyamum Yuirirakkamum".

I am happy to present that Dr.K. Lokeshwaran of the Department of Tamil was conferred with the Doctorate Degree through University of Madras in Feb 2016. The topic of his research was “Irupatham Nuttrandu Tamil Kavithain Vagaigal”.

I profess it with great pleasure that twelve of our Faculty Members have qualified themselves in the State Level Eligibility Test in this academic year.

Bestowal Ceremony of Merit Scholarship for the I Year Students was organized on 24th Aug' 2016 in our College in the esteemed presence of our Board of Governors which was a source of encouragement to our students to scale greater heights in their studies. By the noble gesture of offering scholarship through The Chennaivazh Thiruthangal Hindu Nadar Uravinmurai Dharma Fund 71 students were benefited.

A Faculty Development Programme was organized to enhance the skills and research calibre of the Faculty Members on 18th February 2017. The Chief Guest Dr. Rita John, Prof. & Head, Dept of Theoretical Physics University of Madras Guindy Campus, Chennai facilitated the programme on Teaching, Learning and Research in Higher Education which turned out to be a rewarding session.

Our Vibrant NSS unit under the efficient guidance of our Programme officers Mr.Samuel & Mr. PremKumar conducted a 5 days camp in the month of January 2017 at Aavor village, Ponneri Taluk which was an enriching experience. The camp was inaugurated by Hon'ble Secretary and Correspondent of our College Thiru.M.G.E.Selapalam in the presence of esteemed Principal of the College Dr.S.Murugesan. The Students indulged in cleaning the surroundings and Plantation of Saplings thereby advocating a pollution free environment. They conducted various mimes, street plays, conferences and debates. A medical eye camp was organized to create an awareness to the People regarding personal and social well being. They focused on the theme “Healthy youth for healthy India”. The camp came to a close with the Valedictory function in the august presence of Honorable President of the College Thiru. A. Mariappan and esteemed Vice-Principals of the College Dr.K.C.Lalithambika and Prof.S. Asaithambi respectively.

The following NSS Volunteers have won the honour through their wide participation:

- **G.Rajasri of III B.Sc (Maths) has had the honour of participating in the 68th Republic Day Parade at Chennai.**
- **Naveen Kumar of III B.Com (A/F) had the privilege of being selected to attend the National Adventure Camp at Manali (H.P) from 26th October to 4th November 2016.**
- **N. Vignesh and K. Nandhan of III B.Com (C.A) had the credit of being selected to participate in the 21st National Youth Festival held at Rotak, Haryana from 12th to 17th January 2017.**
- **The NSS volunteers A. Karthick of III B.Com (A/F) and G.Rajasri of III B.Sc (Maths) had the privilege of being selected from University of Madras to participate in the seven day Pre-RD preparatory camp at the National College, Tiruchy from 7th to 16th October 2016.**

A Mega blood donation camp was organized by the N.S.S. and Y.R.C. units of Thiruthangal Nadar College in its precincts on 9th September 2016. Around 500 students enthusiastically donated blood. The camp was presided by Dr.E. Selvakumar, Sri Kumaran Multi Speciality Hospital Ch-13. The noble event was inaugurated by Dr.T.T.Krishnakumar, Medical Officer R.S.R.M. Hospital, Chennai. The camp was assisted by Dr. S. Subash (Govt. General Hospital, Blood Bank), Dr.N.Rajkumar (Stanley Medical College), Dr.P.Ravindran (Kilpauk Medical College). The occasion was graced by Hon'ble Secretary & Correspondent, Thiru.S.K.A.Savarimalaiyan and other esteemed Members of the Management.

Our students have proven their prowess and mettle in the field of sports too.

- ❖ **S. Naveen Rajalingam of II BCA 'A' has won the Gold Medal under light weight category (46-49kg) organized by Tamil Nadu Boxing Association at Jawaharlal Nehru Indoor stadium, from 10th to 12th June 2016.**

- ❖ **The Men's Table Tennis Team of our college has won the Third place in Madras University 'B' Zone Men Table Tennis Tournament held at Thiruthangal Nadar College, Chennai-51, through 1st and 2nd August 2016.**
- ❖ **Our college Women Chess Team has secured the Third place in Shri. Krishnaswamy Memorial Inter-Collegiate Tournament held at Shri. Krishnaswamy College for Women, Chennai on 19th August 2016.**
- ❖ **Our College Men's Table Tennis Team has won the third place in Madras University Inter Zone Men Table Tennis Tournament held at SIVET College on 1st September 2016.**
- ❖ **Our college Men's Cricket Team has won the Runners-Up Trophy in Sir Theagaraya Inter-Collegiate Cricket Tournament hosted by Sri Theagaraya College Chennai on 13th September 2016.**
- ❖ **Our college has the credit of organizing the Madras University 'B' Zone Men Ball Badminton Tournament in which our Men's Ball Badminton Team has won the Runners-Up Trophy.**
- ❖ **In the Madras University Inter-Zone Power lifting competition held at DG Vaishnav College, Chennai on 13th October 2016, R. Nisanth of I B.Com (G) 'B' has won the Bronze medal under 93 kg category.**
- ❖ **R.K. Barath of I B.Com (G) 'A' has won the Gold Medal in the State Level Boxing competition under (49-52kg) category on 25th September 2016. He also has the credit of bagging the Gold medal in III National Boxing Federation Cup 2016 under the (49-52kg) category organized by youth Rural Games and Sports Federation held at Peddem Sports ground, MAPUSA Goa from 21st to 23rd October 2016.**
- ❖ **In the State level Chess Tournament organized by KCG College of Technology Chennai through 10th and 11th September 2016 H.Saravanan of I B.com (A/F) has procured the Third place.**
- ❖ **R. Gnana Prasad of III B.Com (B.M) has the rare privilege of being selected by the Madras University Men Football Team to represent the South Zone Inter-University Men Football Tournament held at Gulbarga University, Karnataka from 11th to 21st January 2017. The Team had won the Third place. He has also represented Madras University Men Football Team to participate in all India Inter zone University Men Football Tournament held at Kolkata University from 16th to 21st February 2017.**

- ❖ **Our college Boxing Champion S. Naveen Rajalingam of II BCA 'A' has won the silver medal under fly weight category in Madras University 'B' Zone Inter-Zonal Men Boxing Competition held at Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium Chennai from 13th to 15th December 2016.**

The Training and Placement Cell of Thiruthangal Nadar College plays a pivotal role in enabling the students to face the challenges of the global market. The Placement Cell co-ordinates the recruitment activities of the college. The quality and calibre of the students are enriched through orientation programme in Softskills, Personality Development, Communication skills and Facing interviews.

The following programmes were organized by the Training and Placement Cell in the academic year 2016-17.

- **A one day workshop was conducted on 30th November 2016 by the firm Image for the final year students.**
- **A Career Development Programme was conducted on 20th December 2016 by the organization Edumatters.**
- **A workshop on logistics was facilitated by IIL on 9th December 2016 for the final year students.**
- **Short term training on Personality Enrichment & Career Development programme was organized from 19th December 2016 to 26th December 2016 by Barclays-GTT.**
- **ITM conducted a one-day Workshop on GDPI on 28th December 2016.**
- **A seminar was organized on 9th January 2017 by Times Pro for welfare of the students.**
- **GEO-IT conducted a Seminar for the final year students on 20th February 2017.**
- **A Workshop on Programming in language was facilitated by AMS on 21st February 2017.**
- **An Awareness programme on Online Assessment Test was organized by Brain Valley Company on 22nd February 2017.**
- **Aspiring Minds Assessment Pvt. Ltd. conducted a programme on AMCAT online Assessment on 23rd February 2017, for the final year students.**

- **The commendable services of Training and Placement cell has resulted in the recruitment of 250 students in various reputed sectors such as Suriya Informatics Solution, CAMS, JUST DIAL, TCS-BPS, ICICI, ACCESS HEALTH CARE, CAP GEMINI, ALCANCE TECHNOLOGIES.**

As a mark of balancing the calamity caused by the 'vardah storm' the Enviro Club of the college involved in tree plantation programme on 6th January 2017. The event was graced by Thiru S.M. Subbiah, President of Chennaivazh Thiuthangal Hindu Nadar Uravinmurai Dharma Fund, Thiru. A.Mariappan, President of Thiruthangal Nadar College, Thiru M.G.E. Selapalam, Hon'ble Secretary and Correspondent of Thiruthangal Nadar College.

The main library of the college with a prime motive of improvising the habit of reading has organized a programme on Awareness of Reading and Enrollment of Membership in Chennai District Library on 15th February 2017. The occasion was presided by Hon'ble Secretary and Correspondent of the College Thiru M.G.E. Selapalam and the Chief Guests of honour were Thiru S.Ilango Chandrakumar, Chennai District Library Officer, Tamil Nadu General Library Department and Thiru C.A. Mohanarangam, Librarian of Branch Library Erukkanchery.

TNC has launched a Language Lab on 18th Jan 2017 to aid the efficient teaching and quick learning of English. This audio visual installation empowers students to learn English language in an interesting manner.

The Department of Computer Science organized an Inter Collegiate Fest titled Techno Fest 2017 on 20th February 2017. The Techno Fest included five on stage and off stage events. The occasion was presided by Thiru. A.Mariappan Hon'ble President of the College. The Chief Guest of honour was Dr. M. Srinivasan Prof. and Head Department of Criminology, University of Madras.

The Department of Computer Science initiated the Science Day Celebration on 28th February 2016 which served as an opportunity for young budding scientists of our college to showcase their innovative projects. The occasion was graced and addressed by Hon'ble Secretary and Correspondent of our College Thiru. M.G.E. Selapalam and Revered Principal of our College Dr.S.Murugesan.

The Department of English had the Valedictory Function of their Daffodil's Association on 5th January 2017 with Dr. V. Bharathi Harishankar Prof. and Head Dept. of Women's Studies University of Madras as the Chief Guest. The function was presided by the Hon'ble Secretary and Correspondent of our College Thiru M.G.E. Selapalam.

The Dept. of Computer Science, Computer Application and Mathematics jointly together had the Valedictory function of their Association on 22nd February 2017. The Chief Guest of Honour was Mr. Ezhil Raja M.Sc (ITM) AVP-Digital Marketing Payoda Technologies Tidelpark Taramani and the Hon'ble Secretary and Correspondent Thiru. M.G.E.Selapalam presided over the occasion.

The Department of Commerce(G), Corp.Secretaryship, Management Sciences, Accounting and Finance, Bank Management and B.Com.,Computer Application jointly organized together a National Conference on 24th February 2017 in our college. The focus of the theme was Impact of Demonetization in Banking and Retail Sector in India. The Conference was Presided by our Hon'ble Secretary and Correspondent of the College Thiru. M.G.E.Selapalam. The Chief Guest of the day Dr. Lakshmi Narayanan,Prof. LIBA inaugurated the conference and the special invitee Dr. V. Surekha Prof. & Head Dept. of Commerce, Valliammal College for women, Chennai delivered the keynote address. Nearly 90 Research Scholars from various sectors have contributed to the significant topic.

To create awareness on the Consumer's Rights the Dept. of Commerce has initiated the Citizen Consumer Club which was inaugurated on 27th February 2017. The Chief Guest of the day was Mrs. Jothi, Asst. Commissioner (Ezhilagam) Food Product Distribution and Consumer Rights Protection Dept. The Consumer Club was inaugurated in the presence of Mr. M.Selvaraj,Treasurer and director FEDCOT., Mr.S.V.Suguna Kumar, Asst. Commissioner, (Tiruvottiyur) Food Product Distribution and Consumer Rights Protection Dept. and Mr. Jeevarathinam, Co-ordinator, Chennai Zone (FEDCOT).

As a part of the Learning Curriculum a three days tour to Vayanad (Kerala) was organized for the final year Boys and Girls separately in the month of February 2017, which served as an enriching and ever cherishable experience for the students.

The maiden venture of Thiruthangal Nadar College UKTI-2017, an Inter-Collegiate Fest (Battle of Talents) was held in the precincts of the college on 1st February 2017 in full pomp and show. Thirty two colleges across Chennai and Tamil Nadu numbering to a galore of 648 students participated in a variety of fourteen onstage and offstage events. The occasion was presided by Thiru. A.S.D. Annamalaisamy, Secretary of the Chennaivazh Thiruthangal Hindu Nadar Uravinmurai Dharma Fund, in the presence of Thiru. A.D. Subbiah, President of Thiruthangal Nadar Vidhyalaya. The Fest was inaugurated by the Chief Guest Dr. K. Pazhani, celebrity of the small screen, along with Guest of Honour Mr. Jayachandran Star performer of small screen. The show served as a platform to bring the latent talents of the students to the fore. The day was made colourful by the presence the celebrated judges from big and small screen. DRBCC Hindu college Pattabiram amidst the stiff combats had the privilege of bagging the Overall Trophy.

The Cultural Association “Ragam, Thalam, Pallavi” of Thiruthangal Nadar College is born to conquer glories by bagging shields, trophies and overall championships in the stiff combats of various intercollegiate Fests. It plays a vital role in escalating the fame of the college to greater heights. Their laudable Laurels enlisted below testimony the efficacy of the team. They have the credit of participating and winning laurels in competitions at VAIGAI Social Academy, C.T.T.E.College, Hindustan College of arts and Science, Sri Kanyaka Parameswari Arts and Science, Madras Christian College, Nazareth

College of Arts and Science, DRBCC College of Arts and Science, Soka Ikeda College Of Arts and Science, Annai Velankanni College of Arts and Science, J.H.A.Agarsen College of Arts and Science, Sri Devi Arts and Science College and Vels University. I proudly profess that they have bagged 135 trophies in total including the Cash award of Rupees 30,000/.

It is a proud moment to announce that on this great occasion the Management are to honour our staff members for their exemplary performances like completing a decade of service, regular attendance and for presenting maximum Research Papers, a galore of students are to be honoured for their proficiency in various subjects, for securing centum, for regular attendance and in college Quiz competition.

With this I come to the end of my report. On this joyous occasion let me conclude by thanking God Almighty for his wonderful guidance. Thank you all for your unstinted support and co-operation. Together let us march forward and act with courage and dignity to take us to escalating heights.

Thank You.