REPORT SUMMARY- GUEST TALK

St. Aloysius College (Autonomous) Mangalore Department of Postgraduate Studies & Research in Food Science

Summary Report: Guest Talk Session in Celebration of World Breastfeeding Week 2023

Date: 8th August 2023, Time: 02:30 pm to 04:30 pm

Venue: Fr. Robert Sequeira Hall

Coordinator: Dr. Daniella Anne L. Chyne

Introduction: The event began with Ms. Anju Kurian delivering a succinct introduction to the significance of World Breastfeeding Week 2023, focusing on the theme "Let's make breastfeeding and work, work!"

Prayer Session: A solemn prayer session, accompanied by soulful songs, was conducted by Mr. Preetham and his team, setting a serene and positive atmosphere for the event.

Welcome Speech: Dr. Ronald Nazereth, Director of LCRI Block, extended a warm welcome to resource person Dr. Mario J. Bukelo and all attendees, while Dr. Daniella Anne L. Chyne, the Department Head, enlightened the audience about the crucial "1000 days of life" for an infant. The Department also expressed their appreciation to the guests by presenting a flowering sapling.

Resource Talk: The guest speaker, Dr. Mario J. Bukelo, a distinguished Pediatrician and Neonatologist from SCS hospital, delivered an enlightening talk on the importance of breastfeeding. Dr. Bukelo shed light on traditional and conventional breastfeeding practices that new mothers often follow. His valuable insights deepened the attendees' understanding of this vital aspect of infant care.

Vote of Thanks: Dr. SN Raghavendra concluded the event with a heartfelt vote of thanks, expressing gratitude to Dr. Mario J. Bukelo for his enlightening talk, as well as to the department and all participants for their active engagement and contributions.

The guest talk session on World Breastfeeding Week 2023 proved to be a remarkable success, fostering awareness and understanding of breastfeeding practices among the audience. The Department of Postgraduate Studies and Research in Food Science aspires to continue hosting such enriching events in the future, promoting greater knowledge and collaboration in the field.

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