1. CENTRE FOR SOCIAL CONCERN



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About CSC

Centre for Social Concern established in 2008 as an outreach centre of college. After studying and analyzing the needs of Mangalore city, Centre is actively engaged in working for and with the marginalized with the intension of addressing their needs and developing social awareness among students and staff.

Initiatives of CSC

UNNAT BHARATH ABHIYAN -Village Adoption under UBA programme

SAHAAYA- **40** hours programme to create sense of social responsibility in UG Students

RURAL EXPOSURE- Five days village experience for PG Students

One Rupee Coin Revolution by the students and staff

Objectives:

- To develop awareness among students about the social problems and issues
- To create social consciousness and inculcate social values in students and staff
- To provide opportunity for active participation of students and staff in empowering our society
- To challenge the students to understand their social responsibility

VILLAGE ADOPTION - UNNAT BHARATH ABHIYAN

Villages

Kavalapaduru Panchayath - 38 kms

Pilathabettu Panchayath - 46 kms

Kandavara Panchayath - 16 kms

Mulur Panchayath - 13 kms

Someshwara Panchayath - 20 kms



Backyard Farming in the Schools of Adopted Villages



Unnat Bharath Abhiyan Survey of Adopted Communities-Pilathabettu, Kavalapadur, Gurupura & Kandavara



Engaging School Children in Extra Curricular Activities

SAHAAYA- A PROGRAMME FOR UG STUDENTS

40 hours Experiential Learning of Social Service for UG Students

Context-Experience-Reflection-Action-Evaluation is the Pedagogy of Learning

Systematic implementation through Planning and Evaluation Committee; Executive Committee and Mentors



'Flashmob' to create Awareness on "Smoking in Public Area", City Centre Mall, Mangaluru



Experiential Learning of Farming Activities at different places Shamboor and Dayalbagh, Ujire, D.K



Tuition Classes for the Children of Marginalised Communities at Kulur, Morgansgate and Madhypadav, Mangaluru



Planting Saplings at Western Ghats



Encouraging Children to Plant Saplings at D.K.Z.P Higher Primary School Bajalpadpu, Mangaluru



Manuring the Plants in Mangaluru City



Cleandrive Programmes in the Mangaluru City



Rev Fr Swebert D'Silva SJ Former Principal (2007-2017) St Aloysius College (Autonomous) Mangaluru

Purpose of Jesuit Education is to create "men and women for others and with others". Only intellectual formation is not sufficient to live a meaningful life. It is in uplifting the poor and the marginalised, one's life becomes meaningful. In order to promote such an attitude and mindset in our students the SAHAAYA programme was introduced in the College for the Under Graduates and a week long village Immersion programme was started for the PG students. In order to render structural support to these programs a CENTRE FOR SOCIAL CONCERN was also started. In all, students must realise their Individual Social Responsibility as the College itself tries to fulfill its Institutional Social Responsibility. An educational institution cannot remain an island in a society. Only when it gets immersed in societal upliftment by responding to its problems and finding creative solutions can it find its own meaning. I wish that all our students become aware of societal oppressive structures and become agents of social change creating a peaceful, just and equal society.



Door-to-Door Awareness on Detection and Prevention of Malaria in High Risk Areas under, Mangaluru City Corporation



Door-to-Door Awareness on Management of Household Waste



Destruction of Larvae to Prevent the Spread of Malaria in High-Risk Areas under Mangaluru City Corporation



Medical Camps-Pediatrics, Geriatric, General & Dental Health Care at Pacchanady



Mr Madhu Manohar, Environmental Engineer Health Department, Mangaluru City Corporation

I appreciate the great efforts done by students of St Aloysius College through the programme SAHAAYA. The Centre for Social Concern has coordinated the activities of Larvae destruction, campaign on prevention of Malaria and Awareness on segregation of Solid waste and so on. Congratulations to the staff and students for joining Mangalore city Corporation, in efforts to control Malaria. Programmes like SAHAAYA Will surely result in making students understand their responsibility towards the society. Thank you for the immense support. MCC always looks forward for the support from institutions like St Aloysius College.



Flashmob on the Occassion of Health Awareness Day at Hosangadi, Kasaragod



Career Guidance Programme Students of Government PU College, Chelarpadav, Mangaluru



Beautification of Tagore Park Aloysius College Road, Mangaluru



Children's Club formed at Morgansgate, Kulur and Madhyapadav to Motivate Children to Pursue Education



Ms Preema Tauro, Lecturer Department of Business management

I am associated with SAHAAYA from the past 3 years, I feel it is one of the good initivates undertaken by the college to make the students aware of the social problem around them and also make them the part of this program by contributing their time and service in such programs. It is very important for the students to realize that helping the society not just makes them aware of social problems but also makes them a good human being.



Assistance to Flood Victims at Coorg



Beach Cleaning Programmes at Tannirbavi, Ullal & Someshwara, Mangaluru



Organic Farming Initiative at Pavoor, Manjeshwar



Lifestyle Education at Prakrithi Inernational School Karkala, Udupi



Dr Aruna Kalkur T, Asst. Prof Department of Statistics

SAHAAYA....I have seen our students understanding the reality of life and helping others after attending SAHAAYA. I am confident that those who study in our college will help those who are in need. Sahaaya is a program in which students will learn how to make a healthy society by understanding the problems of others.



Campaign on Right to Vote at Kunjathbail, Pacchanady and Kulur, Mangaluru



Walkathon for creating awareness on Road Safety and Discipline, Mangaluru



Cyclowalkathon for Clean Environment, Mangaluru



March Against Violation of Human Rights, Mangaluru



Visits to Snehalaya Rehabilitation Centre Manjeshwara, Kasaragod



Celebrating Christmas with Orphan Children at Fatima Retreat Centre, Mangaluru



Sharing Materials with Inmates of Paschim Rehabilitation Centre Ullal, Mangaluru



Interaction with the HIV Infected Children of Snehasadan, St Camillus Care Home, Kinnikambla, Mangaluru



Mr Rohith Sanctus, Director
Paschim Rehabilitation Centre, Ullal

Students of St Aloysius College keep visiting our institution in various batches and learn the life of inmates who are destitute and mentally challenged. Students spend quality time conducting various activities for inmates. In doing so, they understand the realities of life. Students also have shared materials with our inmates. This is the witeness for the sensitivity the college has created in the students through the programme of SAHAAYA. I honestly feel that SAHAAYA is a programme that brings together the students and the less fortunate section of our Society. Let this be same in the coming days also.



Donating Wheel Chair to a Differently Abled Child at Jeppinamogeru, Mangaluru



New Year Celebration with the Inmates of Sevasram, Home for Destitute Deralakatte, Mangaluru



Rescue and Rehabilitation of Mentally Challenged Person from Vogga



Interaction with Inmates of Luiciana Old Age Home Moodushedde, Mangaluru



Mrs Clara D'Cunha

Managing Trustee-TELOCA Rehabilitation Centre, Ullal

SAHAAYA is a great initiative by SAC which provides experiential learning for students. Number of students have visited our institution and had a very close relationship with our inmates. This relationship has helped the students to know the impact of Alcoholism and in return our inmates got motivation to free themselves from addiction. Students have been active in organizing awareness program and recreational sessions and also shared material in order to support our institution. I whole heartedly thank the management, staff and students for their great t support and encourage the students to learn from the experiences of our inmates.



Visit to Ave Maria Pallitive Care Centre Vamanjoor, Mangaluru



Sensitizing Students on Substance Abuse at TELOCA Rehablitation Centre Ullal, Mangaluru



Learning Waste Management Process of Mangaluru City at Pachanady Recycling Unit, Mangaluru



Volunteering at Vatsalya-Animal Care Trust Shakthinagara, Mangaluru



Joyson Pereira, BCA (2014-2017)

Growing up I always knew, I wanted to be a positive influence in the lives of others. But never thought of doing it in real circumstances. As a teenager I entered into college, as a part of curriculum there came a task named SAHAAYA, as a part of this program I visited an orphanage for children in Mangalore. At this moment I realized how lucky I was to have parents who have been there with me all the time providing love, care and comfort. I always thought my parents were not so supportive and they could have done much more for me and I always blamed them. But these children were so unlucky not to have even a single parent. Due to SAHAAYA I came to know that I have the most precious gems in the world and I cannot afford to lose them.



Volunteering in Construction Work of Marginalised Families



Volunteering for Play Ground Renovation at D.K.Z.P Higher Primary School Baikampady, Mangaluru



Volunteering Toilet Constructions for the Marginalised



Volunteering for Construction of School Building at D.K.Z.P Higher Primary School, Daddalkadu



Savio Pereira, BBA II Year

SAHAAYA exposure is a unique and wonderful experience. At times we take life for granted and exploit the privileges we have. While doing SAHAAYA program we learn the difficulties and problems people face in their daily lives thereby we learn to appreciate and value the life we have with all the luxuries and privileges.



Awareness for Women on Nutritional Needs of Children at Faizal Nagar



Students Involvement with Children of Slum in Mangaluru



Sharing Materials with Mother Theresa's Poor Home Falnir, Mangaluru



Water for Birds in the College Campus



Session on Menstrual Hygiene at Government Higher Primary School, Nainad



Encouraging Urban Children for Sports Activities



Traffic Control Programme in Mangaluru City



Income Generation Programme for Women at Pacchanady, Mangaluru

ONE RUPEE COIN REVOLUTION-BY UG/PG STUDENTS & STAFF

About One Rupee Coin Revolution:

* Daily one rupee contribution from students & faculty is utilized for a social cause

Initiative of 2017-18

* Donated Sanitary Napkin Incinerators to Government Colleges in adopted villages.

Names of the Colleges

- * Government Pre-University College, Gurupura, Mangaluru D.K.
- * Government Pre-University College, Kavalapaduru, Vogga D.K.
- * Government Pre-University College, Punjalkatte, D.K.
- * Government First Grade College, Punjalkatte, D.K.







Handing over Incinerators

RURAL IMMERSION PROGRAMME - FOR PG STUDENTS

ABOUT RIP

St Aloysius College (Autonomous) is committed to form the Post Graduate students as "men and women for and with others who are socially responsible" so that they become powerful force in the transformation of society. In this regard, every Post Graduate student of this College is expected to get a living experience in the marked villages for five days.





- Providing a living experience of rural people in general and the dalit/tribal life, in particular
- · Making students understand the rural social system and community living
- · Helping students to be aware of the rural social problems and approaches adopted to solve them
- · Realizing the rich culture of rural India
- Exchange of knowledge and skills between rural people and college students



Fr Jerald D'Souza SJ Director, LVK Mundgod & Hangal

Rural exposure provides an atmosphere to have a dialogue of cultures whereby college students and villagers are equally benefitted. Students appreciate the richness of simple living and the villagers are challenged to pursue intellectual goals

ORIENTATION AND PLANNING

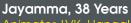












Animator, LVK, Hangal Tq, North Karnataka



Students stay in the villages has been a learning experience for both villagers and students. I am a part of this programme from last six years. Over the years I have seen that the children of our village are gradually moving to cities like Mangalore for higher education. Am very happy to say that the girl children of our villages are also willing to continue their studies because they have seen the students of St Aloysius College. These students are role models for the children of our villages. It is very important to mention that even the parents are willing to support their children to continue the education. Students and staff also use innovative techniques to create awareness on social issues like HIV/AIDS, personal and environmental hygiene, child marriage and so on.

BONDING WITH THE FAMILIES











Lirisha Vinola D'Souza, M.Sc Biochemistry (2015-2017)

Masters in Food Innovation in Lincoln University, Christchurch, New Zealand.

It was a great experience where we got immense love and affection from the people and was a good occasion to extend our social service and skills. It also helped me to understand the lifestyle and value of poor lives.

EXPERIENCING VILLAGE LIFE











Praveen A, MA English (2009-11)
Principal, Adarsha College, Kakyapadav, Bantwal

"Village exposure was a memorable moment in my life. I was able to experience the life of the poor and the marginalised of our society. The family I lived with, taught me how to be satisfied with what we have. This was a great life lesson for me. I congratulate St Aloysius College for this brilliant outreach porgramme."

PROGRAMMES IN THE VILLAGES











Carlos Leyon Fernandez, MA English (2013-15) PhD Scholar, University of Aberdeen, Scotland

"The rural exposure program was an eye opener in several ways. For a group of students who have always lived in cities and towns, life in the village was a learning experience. Working in the fields, teaching children in the school, interacting with the villagers in the evening and listening to their life experiences was unforgettable. It was a week that would always be etched in our memories".

WORKING WITH CHILDREN







- * Lifestyle Education
- * Teaching with Creativity
- * Group Activities
- * Exploring their talents







Geetha, 45 Years Sirigod Village, Hangal Tq, North Karnataka

Students of St Aloysius College (Autonomous) have been coming to our village from long time and living with these students has been a special experience to me. I have clearly seen a change in the people here that they are now able to overcome the discrimination based on caste, creed religion and gender. Because our children have lived and interacted with the students many of them are now motivated to continue their education. Students keep encouraging women like me to be active participants in the affairs of our village.

WORKING WITH YOUTH











Tukaram, 22 yeras Byanalli, Mundgod, North Karnataka

Students of St Aloysius College Mangalore come to our village every year and spend five days with us. In my house also there were three students and they were very open to learn our culture and adjust to our food habits. I know that they came from rich families but they were very simple and humble. In my opinion this kind of programme reduces the gap between village and cities.