

ST. IGNATIUS COLLEGE OF EDUCATION (AUTONOMOUS)

Accredited with 'A' grade by NAAC (Second Cycle)
Palayamkottai – 627 002



CELEBRATIONS
2019-2020

Feast of St. Ignatius

We celebrated the Feast of our Patron, St. Ignatius of Loyola on 31st July, 2019. Rev. Fr. Alphonse Manickam, Secretary, St. Xavier's College of Arts and Science (Autonomous), Palayamkottai, was the Chief Guest of the celebration. He enlightened us with the true Ignatian spirit of selfless service to the society. Our Principal Rev. Sr. Dr. A. Nirmala Devi organized the celebration and Dr. A. Jeya Sudha Asst. Professor of History coordinated the programmes.

The same day with all the ICM Institutions- Loyola Primary School-Tamil Medium, Loyola English Nursery and Primary School, St Ignatius Convent Hr. Sec. School and Our Lady's Hospital we celebrated the feast, with a solemn Eucharistic celebration by Most. Rev. A. Jude Paulraj, Bishop Emeritus of Palayamkottai Diocese, followed by a grand tea party



Independence Day

To commemorate our freedom from the clutches of the British, we celebrated the 73rd Independence Day on the 15th August, 2019 in our college. Rev. Sr. Arul Suganthi, Headmistress of St. Ignatius Convent Higher Secondary School, Palayamkottai hoisted the National Flag as the chief guest of the celebration. The Secretary of our College, Rev. Sr. Magdalene Therese, presided over the function. The entertainments were value based and inculcated patriotic spirit in the young minds. As a part of the celebration, we conducted various competitions, like elocution, essay writing, poem writing and drawing. All the students participated actively and the winners were appreciated with prizes. Dr. A. Jeyasudha, Assistant Professor of History and Dr. S. Josephine, Director of Physical Education made the arrangements for the celebration.



National Sports Day

We celebrated the National Sports Day of India in our college on 30th August 2019. In this regard, we had arranged a special lecture by Dr.C.Durai, Assistant Professor & Head, Department of Physical Education, Manonmaniam Sundaranar University, Tirunelveli, on the theme “Build your Physique and Build the Nation”. The Secretary, Rev. Sr. A. Magdalene Therese and the Principal, Rev.Dr.A. Nirmala Devi felicitated. Dr. S. Josephine, Director of Physical Education had made the arrangements for the function with the support of all the staff members



Teachers Day

The management of the College organized a day's recuperation tour to Courtallam for the staff on 4th September, 2019. An active team of 39 members from both teaching and non-teaching staff, along with the Secretary and the Principal of our College enthusiastically participated. The recreation committee entertained the participants. It was pleasant and is unforgettable.

Teacher's day celebration continued in our college on the next day also, with felicitations and celebrations. Rev.Sr.Mary Salestina, the Superior of the ICM convent and Rev.Sr.Philo De-Mel from ICM community blessed the teacher staff and the budding teachers. The prospective teachers expressed their gratitude towards their teachers through variety entertainment. A community meeting of the management and the staff of our institution, cherishing the memoirs and the rich heritage of the College since 1957 followed this celebration.



Teachers Day

On the next day, i.e., on the 6th September, the celebrations continued in St.Xavier's College of Education in their premises. Rev.Dr.V. Henry Jerome SJ, Rector, St.Xavier's Institutions presided over the function in the august presence of Rev Dr. D Thomas Alexander, Principal, St. Xavier's College of Education and Rev. Sr.A. Magdalene Therese, Secretary, St.Ignatius College of Education.

Rev.Fr.Dr.G.Pushparaj S.J. Secretary, St.Xavier's College of Education and Rev.Sr.Dr.A.Nirmala Devi ICM, Principal, St.Ignatius College of Education felicitated the gathering. Rev.Br.Joe Antony, SHJ, Headmaster, St.Mary's Hr.Sec.School,V.K. Puram was the chief guest. His address was thought provoking and inspiring. The staff members and the student teachers of both the colleges had a meaningful celebration

