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ആഗസ്റ്റ് 29-ാം തീയതി ഭാരതമാതാ കുടുംബത്തിന്റെ ഓണാഘോഷം കേമമായി സംഘടിപ്പിച്ചു. ഗംഭീരമായ ഓണസദ്യ ഉണ്ടായിരുന്നു. ബഹുമാനപ്പെട്ട മാനേജരച്ചൻ ഓണസന്ദേശം നൽകി. ഒത്തൊരുമയിൽ നാം വളരെ ദൂരം പിന്നിട്ടിരി ക്കുന്നു എന്നും നമ്മുടെ ഓണം കഠിനാധാനത്തിന്റെയും സഹകരണത്തിന്റെയും ഓണമാകുട്ടെ എന്നും അദ്ദേഹം ആശംസിച്ചു. അസി.ഡയറക്ടറും പ്രിൻസിപ്പലും സ്റ്റാഫ് സെക്രട്ടറിയും ആശംസകൾ അറിയിച്ചു. ഓണപ്പാട്ടുകളുടെ ആനന്ദം നുകർന്നതിന് ശേഷം എല്ലാവരും സദ്യയിൽ പങ്കുകൊണ്ടു. പൂവിളികളും പൂപ്പാട്ടുകളും, ഓണപ്പെ രുമയിൽ മുന്നിൽ നിൽക്കുന്ന തൃക്കാക്കരയിൽ ഇനിയും മുഴങ്ങിക്കേൾക്കട്ടെ!



From IQAC Coordinator's Desk



The last couple of months have been a vigorous and dynamic venture, with all academic and extracurricular activities of the college in full swing. In addition to departmental activities, the eventful month witnessed programs

of various clubs, add-on courses, AICUF, Jesus Youth, NSS and NCC. The college Union elections amplified the momentum of the activities.

As August gave way to September, the air filled with the aroma of festivities, as the college joyously celebrated the festival of Onam in all its grandeur. I believe, this edition deserves to be dedicated to the noble message of equality and harmony that Onam stands for. Bharata Mata College has always warmly embraced equality and rejoiced in the spirit of harmony. It is undoubtedly the unity and the hand-in-hand functioning of various departments that contribute to the smooth functioning of the college. Toasting to the spirit of togetherness, we present the August-September edition of the newsletter.



"P. J. Thomas Award" for the Best Economist 2017 is presented to Dr. Viswanath Pandit by Dr. Rangarajan, Former Governor RBI, in our College Auditorium on 28th September 2017.











Bharata Mata College joined hands with the weeklong Onam celebrations of Thrikkakara Municipality on 7th September 2017. The Onam week celebrations were flagged off in the Municipal Community Hall by BMC Manager Rev. Fr. Jacob Palackappally followed by students' Onam in which more than 90 students participated. The college band swayed the audience to the tunes of Onam folk songs melodiously blended with Malayalam pop songs. This was followed by an hour long stunning dance fusion of all traditional dance forms of Kerala. The boys and girls of the college performed a harmonious and spectacular blend of Pulikali, Thiruvathira, and Pulluvanpattu in the spirit of Onam which mesmerized the spectators. The programme which included the graceful presence of Mahabali received a standing ovation from the spell bound audience.



BMC DAY CELEBRATION

Every year BMC conducts a get together for the staff and their families. The evening of August 15th this year saw one such happy event of all the staff and their families spending time together. The evening was jovial with the enthusiastic participation from the staff as well as their family members joining hands in various games and cultural programmes.





A GLORIOUS ACCOMPLISHMENT

Faculty who have successfully completed the Minor Research Projects Sponsored by UGC



Joseph Joy Puthussery Commerce



Anu K John Chemistry



Sindhu Joseph Chemistry



Divya Jose Chemistry



Dr. Beena Mary John Physics



Dr. Anu Philip Physics



Dr. Liji Joseph Malayalam



Fr. Anish Paul Malayalam



Soumya Thomas Malayalam



Sabitha Zacharias English



Lissy Kachappilly English



Merin Jose English



Dr. Lissy Jacob Mathematics



Dr. Priyalakshmi.G Zoology



Dr. Shalini Jose Hindi



Dr. Kochurani Joseph Economics



Dr. M.T. Antony Economics



Prof. Ransamma Joseph Economics

FDP Substitutes



Jinishlal Raj Malayalam



Minu George Commerce

LEADERS AT A GLANCE

College Union 2017-18



Arjun Babu Chairman



Sukanya P.S Vice Chairman



Dhanya Jolly Gen. Secretary



Nanthu Unni Magazine Editor



Sangeetha S Arts Club Secretary



Shahana A.A Lady Representative



Rashida U.K Lady Representative



Gayathri K.U 2nd PG Representative



Anishad P Udayakumar-First DC Representative



Afra Navas 2nd DC Representative



Anjal Krishna 3rd DC Representative



Jomol Johny UUC



Kiran Peter UUC

ഗുരുവന്ദനം

സെപ്റ്റംബർ 14 ന് എസ്.എച്ച്. ഗുരുകുലം സെമിനാരിയിൽ വച്ച് അധ്യാപകദിനം അർത്ഥസമ്പൂർണ്ണമായി ആഘോഷിച്ചു. വൈകുന്നേ രം അദ്ധ്യാപകരേല്ലാവരും ഗുരുകുലത്തിലേക്ക് ക്ഷണിക്കപ്പെടുകയും സ്നേഹാന്തരീക്ഷത്തിൽ ഒത്തുകൂടുകയും ബഹു: ജസ്റ്റിനച്ചന്റെ സ്നേഹസ്വാഗതത്തെത്തുടർന്ന് ജോസ് പുത്തൻ വീട്ടിൽ പിതാവ് ഗംഭീരമായ സന്ദേശം നൽകി. വിദു ഒരു സദൃയാ വിളമ്പുന്നവനും തയ്യാറാക്കുന്നവരും ആസ്വദിക്കുന്നവരും വിദ്യയെ സദ്യകണക്കെ ഉൾക്കൊള്ളണമെന്നും അദ്ദേഹം പറഞ്ഞു. എല്ലാ രൂചികളും ജീവിതത്തെ അറിയാൻ ആവശ്യമാണെന്നും വിദ്യയോ ടുള്ള സമീപനം നല്ല വിദ്യാർഥിയെ നിർണ്ണയിക്കുമെന്നും അദ്ദേഹം വിശദീ കരിച്ചു. തുടർന്ന് റെക്ടറച്ചനും മാനേജരച്ചനും സംസാരിച്ചു. പ്രിൻസിപ്പൽ കൃതജ്ഞത പറഞ്ഞു. കൊച്ചുറാണി മിസ്റ്റാം, ലാലി മിസ്റ്റാം, അധ്യാപക സമൂഹത്തെ പ്രതിനിധീകരിച്ച് സംസാരിച്ചു. സ്നേഹവിരുന്നിനുശേഷം കുട്ടികളുടെ പാട്ടും തുടർന്ന് ഒരു നൃത്തനാടു പ്രകടനവും ഉണ്ടായിരുന്നു. മനസ്സു നിറയെ സന്തോഷത്തോടെ, ഭാരതമാതായ്ക്ക് മാത്രം ലഭിക്കുന്ന ഇത്തരം ആദരവുകൾക്ക് നന്ദി പറയാൻ അധ്യാപകദിനാഘോഷങ്ങൾ ഇനിയുമുണ്ടാകട്ടെ.



हिंदी सप्ताह

भारत माता कॉलेज के हिंदी विभाग द्वारा हिंदी सप्ताह मनाया गया. पूरे भारत में सितंबर 14 को हिन्दी दिवस के रूप में मनाया जाता है। यह इसलिए कि इसी दिन, सन् 1949 में भारतीय संविधान में देवनागरी लिपि में लिखी जाने वाली हिंदी भाषा को राजभाषा घोषित किया गया। भारत माता कॉलेज का हिन्दी सप्ताह सितंबर 14 से सितंबर 22 तक था। इस दौरान कुछ कार्यक्रम चलाए गए। उस दिन की प्रभात वंदना हिंदी में की गई। सितंबर 19 को हिन्दी में समाचार पढ़ने की प्रतियोगिता चलाई गई जिसमें छात्रों की काफी भागीदारी हुई। बीकोम विभाग की अनुमोल एस, निधि षाजी, काव्या सुकुमारन और एकणोमिक्स विभाग के राधेष आर षेणोय इस के विजेता हुए .सितंबर 22 को अन्तरविभागीय हिन्दी समूह गीत की प्रतियोगिता हुई जो बहुत ही मनोरंजक थी। इसमें बीकोम रेगुलर, बीए इंग्लिश और बी.एस.सी फिसिक्स ने यथाक्रम प्रथम, दूसरा और तीसरा स्थान हासिल किया. हिंदी सप्ताह के दौरान छात्र और अध्यापक गण हिन्दी विभाग के अध्यापकों से हिन्दी में बातचीत करके हिन्दी सप्ताह को धन्य किया.

മലയാളം



പ്രജവ എഴുത്തുകാരൻ ശ്രീ. സന്തോഷ് ഏച്ചിക്കാനം ഇയാളം അസോസിയേഷൻ ഉദ്ഘാടനം ചെയ്യുന്നു.

Inauguration of Add-On Courses 2017-18

This year, Bharata Mata College, aiming at the all-round development of the students, decided to widen the scope and range of the Add-On courses. All the departments decided to conduct a course in collaboration with External Experts in the field. The Courses cover a wide range of topics from Digital Branding to Graphic Designing to Training for Competitive Examinations. All the first year students and many senior students are part of these courses.

The inaugural function was conducted on 9th August 2017 at 2.pm. Dr. Sr. Princy K. L, the coordinator of the Add On Courses, cordially welcomed the gathering. Dr. M C Dileep Kumar, Former Vice Chancellor, Sree Sankara University of Sanskrit, Kalady was the guest of honour. He commended the college on this excellent endeavor. Rev. Fr. Jacob G Palackappilly, Manager of the college, presided over the function and delivered the Presidential address. Felicitations were offered by the Principal Dr. Aype Thomas and Assistant Director Fr. Binto Kilukkan. Dr. Laly Mathew, Senior Vice-Principal delivered the Vote of Thanks. The External experts and students of the various courses attended the meeting.

The courses offered are

- Certificate Course in Graphic Design and Animation
- Certificate Course in Entry into Government Services
- Certificate Course in Digital Marketing and Online Branding
- 4. Certificate Course in Flori Business and Flower arrangement
- Certificate Course in Health and Wellness
- Fundamentals of Income Tax Law and Practice
- Diploma in Airline/ Airport Management
- 8. Finance Market Professional Course
- Computer Course in Financial Accounting with Tally ERP 9
- 10. Diploma in Computer Application
- 11. Food Processing & Preservation (UGC Sponsored Chemistry Dept.)
- 12. Broadcast Content Development for TV and Radio (UGC Sponsored Malayalam Dept.)



Club Activities



Chess Club

- **BMC Chess team bagged second position in the 'CHESSMATES' chess competition conducted by Kunjali Marakkar School of Marine Engineering in association with CUSAT chess club on 11th August 2017.
- *Neelima A. George of 3rd B.Sc Mathematics and Alwin Biby of 1st B.Com (aided) won second position and third position in the individual championships respectively.
- *Vismaya P.R. of 1st B.Sc. Physics was awarded the 'Best Woman Player' title in the Angamaly State Open Chess Tournament 2017



A workshop conducted by Fine Arts club



An Awareness Programme conducted by Women's Cell during the breast feeding week celebration

FOR THE SOCIETY, WITH THE SOCIETY

Activities of NSS for the months of August and September 2017



Orientation for 1st year NSS volunteers on 11th August 2017 by Prof. Anton Joseph and Prof. Baiju K.P.

NSS Seven Day Special Camp

at Vakathanam Panchayath from 31st August to 6th September 2017









FOR GOD AND COUNTRY

AICUF

AICUF members of BMC spent a memorable day with the inmates of the House of Providence at Vilangu on 8th August 2017. The visit was graced with the Charitable act of cloth distribution to the inmates. On 16th August 2017, a Marian Devotional Song Competition was held in connection with the Assumption of Mother Mary. There was a one day Fresher's camp on 25th September 2017 at Christ College, Irinjalakuda. A Leaders' Camp, which was conducted from 1st to 3rd of September at Trivandrum, was highly beneficial to the members.

Ann Mary Devassykutty of second year Mathematics has been selected and elected as National Council Member of AICUF in the election conducted in Chennai.

Jesus Youth

Prayer meetings and Core meetings have been conducted regularly by Jesus Youth. Six students from our college participated in Jesus Youth Core Team training which was conducted from 4th to 6th August 2017 at Don Bosco, Vaduthala. Thirty five students from our college had actively participated in the Campus Meet conducted for three days from 31st of August to 3rd of September at Viswajyothi CMI Public School, Angamali. Our Jesus Youth Coordinator Ann Mary was anointed as Jesus Youth central sub region team member. Central sub region is a team which has the responsibility of all Arts and Science Colleges of Ernakulum, Angamali, Cherthala and Alappuzha.



Camp at Christ College Irinjalakuda



Cloth Distribution



Ann Mary Devassykutty National Council Member, AICUF



Visit to Home of Providence, Vilangu



Department activities

"Samaritan" an orientation programme on Trauma & Emergency care, conducted by PG Department of Commerce and Research Centre 16/8/2017 in collaboration with Rotary club of cochin west, Lakeshore hospital & Kochi City Police. The teaching programme, provided by the doctors of VPS lakeshore hospital. This programme focused on education about trauma care, its management at the site of accident and safe transportation of victims to the nearest trauma care centre.



* Commerce Association under the PG Department of Commerce and Research Centre was inaugurated this year on 11th August on the eve of international youth day, by CA Soman N L, Chief Projects Manager, BPCL, Kochi. The prizes for Merit holders of the department including those who secured A+ and A for B.Com and NET holders of M.Com were distributed by the chief guest.

The programme was followed by a workshop on GST- the newly introduced tax by CA Soman N L. The resource person was presented with a momento by CA Joseph Joy Puthussery, Asst. Professor and Association in charge.



- * Prof. K L Sebastian, S.S. Bhatnagar award winner and present Dean, IIT Palakkad (formerly in IISc) delivered a lecture on Nobel Prize Chemistry 2016 on 24th August 2017 as part of the Nobel Prize Lecture series conducted every year by the Department of Chemistry.
- * On 24th August, Prof. K.L.Sebastian inaugurated the Chemistry Association and released the department manuscript magazine "Chemitos".
- * Department of Chemistry, in association with KSCSTE, celebrated Ozone day 15th September. The program included a Public Awareness Campaign, Oath-taking led by Principal, Dr. Aype Thomas, Intercollegiate Quiz competition and lecture by Dr. C.M.Joy, Retired profess or of Botany, S.H. College, Thevara on the topic, Caring for all Life under the Sun.





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- * The students of English Department enacted the Shakespearean plays Richard III, Midsummer Night's Dream and Romeo and Juliet on August 8th. The enactment enabled the students to get more insight into the plays and its themes.
- * The department organised a thrilling Arm-Wrestling competition on 11th August in which students from various departments participated with great enthusiasm.
- * Unsung Heroes, a Wall-Magazine by the students, about the less celebrated freedom fighters gave a new understanding into the freedom struggle. The Magazine was inaugurated by Fr.Varghese Thottiyil on 16th August.
- * Dr.Laly Mathew and Mini.M. Abraham took an Orientation class for Anganvadi teachers on August 3rd.



- * The second year MSW students, in association with Agricultural department, organized an Agricultural event namely 'Katir' on 17th of August 2017 to give relevance to 'Chingam one' which marks the day of harvest and prosperity for Keralites.
- * A survey was conducted at the Kannengery colony adopted by BeFORE on August 18th to identify the problems existing in the colony, to prioritise the problems and to submit a detailed study report to the SC department.



- * On August 21, the MSW department organized a Student Interaction Program with Mr. Murali Thummarukudy-"Germinating a new idea on the banks of Periyar".
- * A four day Finishing School training programme titled "Employability Training" was organized for MSW and MBA students of Bharata Mata College. The training sessions were conducted by Mr. Pushparaj (Trainer) & Ms. Neetu Sreekumar (Regional Lead, Training under Mahindra Pride).
- * The first year MSW students were given a three day street play training programme by the Bharata Mata School of Social work from 14th to 16th of September. Mr. Mangaldas an expert street play trainer was the invited resource person for training the students.
- * MSW 1st year students were taken to Santhwana Institute of Counselling and Psychotherapy located in Kacherippady as part of their first Agency Orientation visit. For a session was led by Fr. Varghese Puthuserry (Founder, Director of Santhwana).
- * MSW 1st year students were taken to two different agencies namely Kusumagiri Mental Health Centre and Welfare Services Ernakulam (Sahrudaya) for an orientation about the vision, mission and activities of the agency.



Students Observation Visit to Santhwana Institute of Counselling and psychotherapy. A first year student delivering his feedback about the observational visit



Agency Orientation delivered by the Mr. Biju (Manger of Environment Department at Sahrudaya)



STREETPLAY TRAINING



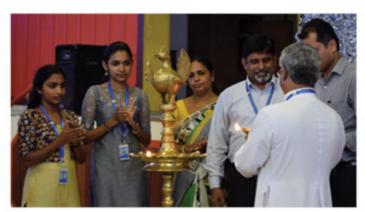


Exhibition cum sale of the handmade products prepared by the mentally challenged patients and MSW intern students at OOLAMPARA Mental Health Centre

- * The department of Finance and Taxation (SF), in association with IBPS, conducted a session on cracking interviews and competitive exams on the 23rd of August 2017. The session was handled by Mr. K Thinesh Tilton, Area Manager of ICFAI Group, who has 15 years of experience in Sales, Marketing and Operations.
- * The department of Economics conducted an inter-departmental Freedom Quiz on 14th August, in connection with Independence Day celebrations, 2017. Mr. Saju Cherian was the quiz Master. B.Sc Physics (Regular) and Vocational grabbed the first and second cash prizes in the event.



A departmental debate was cond ucted on 'Impact of GST on Indian Economy' as part of study on Fiscal Federalism by the department of Economics.



Physics Association Inauguration

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- * The Department of Physics conducted a Seminar on "New directions on magnetic recording" was delivered by our chief guest Dr. Senoy Thomas, Assistant Professor, Department of Physics, CUSAT.
- * The Department of Physics organized a "Remembrance of Hiroshima and Nagasaki Day" on 11th August 2017. The program was organized by the first year students of the department. Students also made origami doves as a symbol of peace and poster presentations which illustrated the disasters of Hiroshima and Nagasaki.
- * In connection with Ozone day celebrations, the Department of Physics conducted a Power Point Presentation competition on "Global Warming" for the students from various departments.







- * The students of final year B Com TTM visited Cochin Port Trust as a part of their Industrial Visit
- * In connection with Independence Day Celebration the Department of Commerce [SF] conducted various programmes like Patriotic Song Competition, Slogan making competition and Poster Designing
- ** Bharata Mata Institute of Management organised its annual inter-college management fest X'lencia on 27th September 2017 with the objective of providing a platform for the students from various colleges to showcase their talent. The event went successful enough with more than 420 registrations from different colleges across the country for the events-Best Manager, Finance Game, Marketing Game, HR Game, Business Quiz, Treasure Hunt, Photography and Football 3's.



Dr. Kiran Kumar delivered a lecture on Future prospects of learning Zoology at UG Level (Zoology Dept.)















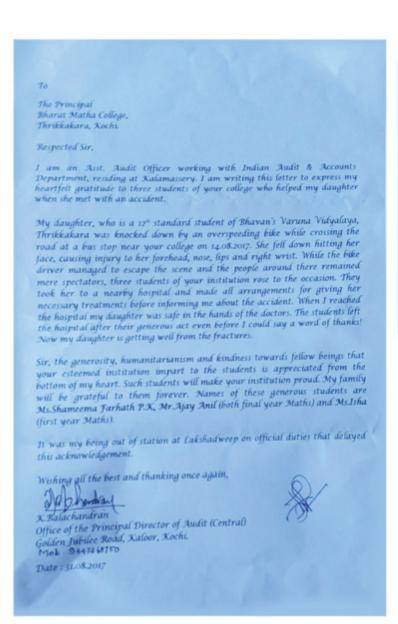


Student Achievement Aug-Sept. 2017

- * Neelima A. George and team secured First place in the Inter-Collegiate Chess Tournament in Mahatma Gandhi University for the year 2016-17 held at K. G. College, Pampady, Sept.2017.
- * Neelima A. George has secured Second place in the event CHESSMATES in the national techno-cultural fest PROPULZO 2K17 organized by K. M. School of Marine Engineering, CUSAT, 9-11 Aug. 2017.
- * Pranav Raja, Abraham Babu, and Sherin Maria of BCom (Aided) passed Management Aptitude Test (MAT) 2017.
- * Aamy Nikhila Saji of BCom (Aided) passed 1st group in the intermediate (Integrated Professional Competence) Course in Chartered Accountancy.
- * Pranav Raja and Alan J. Chethiyil of BCom (Aided) won first prize in Business Plan presentation competition in "ComArena"inter collegiate fest organised by The PG department of Commerce and research Centre, St. Thomas College, Pala.
- * Gayathri K.U. and Anu Jacob of 2nd year M.Com won 1st prize in National Level Paper presentation competition, in 'ComArena', inter-collegiate programme at St.Thomas College, Pala,
- * Amal Manoj, Pranav Jayan of III semester Botany won the First prize in quiz competition sponsored by the Kerala State Council for Science, Technology& Environment held on 20-09-2017 at Al – Ameen College, Edathala in connection with the Ozone day Celebrations
- * Amal Manoj, Pranav Jayan of III semester Botany won the Third prize in quiz competition conducted by BMC quiz club.
- * Amal Manoj, Pranav Jayan of III semester Botany participated in the quiz in connection with the International Ozone Day2017 by the Department of Chemistry at Bharata Mata College
- * Shilpa .S. of III DC English Literature was elected General Secretary of the MG University Students' Union 2017-18.
- * The students of English Department bagged the First prize for Marian Song Competition organised at the college.
- * The students of English Department bagged the Second Prize for Patriotic Song Competition held at the college in connection to Independence Day Celebration.

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- * Student achievement: Aparna Lalu of III year zoology attended NCC Annual Training camp at St. Xavier's College, Vaikom from September 23rd to October 2nd, 2017.
- * Bibin Thomas, 3rd BA Malayalam Student was selected to attend a two day workshop at Trivandrum conducted by Ayyappapanicker Foundation
- * Alexis Jewel of 1st year Taxation from the Department of Taxation and Marketing (SF), secured second position in Shuttersnap-Photography competition organized on 20th September 2017, by Rajagiri College of Social Sciences, Kalamassery.





Neethu Parvathy K.P. University First Rank MSC Pharmaceutical Chemistry

A heartfelt letter from an extremely thankful father to three of our students who've made us proud by exhibiting exemplary humanitarian attitude and helping his injured daughter. The College is indeed Thankful to: Ms. Shameema Farhath P.K, Mr. Ajay Anil and Ms. Isha for carrying the values of the college outside its premises and making this world a better place.

of Standing Ovation

Faculty Achievement August- September 2017

- * Ms. Nimmy A. George, Assistant Professor has been granted deputation to undergo Ph.D course under Teacher Fellowship scheme of U.G.C.XII Plan in the School of Management Studies, CUSAT, Kalamassery.
- * Dr. Shibi Pradeep was awarded PhD from Bharathiyar University under the guidance of Dr. M Kanaka Ratnam. The thesis title was "Marketing Practices and Problems of Selected Small Food Processing Units in Ernakulam District, Kerala".
- * Julie P J, Rehana John & Manju Malathy attended a Faculty Knowledge Programme conducted by ICFAI Business School, Cochin on 11th August 2017
- ** Dr. Manjula R Iyer & Kripa Jose authored "Financial Literacy in the Second Trajectory Phase of Financial Inclusion Plan under Pradhan Mantri Jan Dhan Yojana (PMJDY)" UGC Approved International Journal of Research in Computer Science and Management Studies.
- * Dr. Jinsa Mary Jacob attended the orientation course at Human Resource Development Centre, University of Hyderabad during 6th July – 2nd August, 2017.
- * The Apex Voluntary Agency for Rural Development (AVARD) Bhavan organized a one day state level workshop titled "CONSANO II" focusing of "Problem Solving Techniques" led by Dr. Anoop Antony (Asst. Prof. St. Josephs College, Pilathara). A total of 19 people inclusive of students, College faculties and counselling practitioners attended this workshop.



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Asst. Professor Nithin has returnes as Lieutenant Colonel Nithin with Silver medal.



