

ST.JOSEPH'S COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCE

(AUTONOMOUS)
CUDDALORE-1





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ST.JOSEPH'S COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCE (Autonomous) CUDDALORE-1 CITIZEN CONSUMER CLUB

REPORT (June 2019- March 2020)

Awareness Session on Consumer Protection Act

The Citizen Consumer Club organized an Awareness programme on Impact of Plastics for the Shift I Citizen Consumer Club Volunteers.

Date : 26.09.2019

Venue: Rev.Fr.M.A.Ratchakar Hall Resource Person: Mr.Arum Selvam









The Citizen Consumer Club organized an Awareness programme on Know your Rights (Women Laws) for the Shift II Citizen Consumer Club Volunteers.

Date : 26.09.2019

Venue: Rev.Fr.M.A.Ratchakar Hall

Resource Person: Mrs.K.Jayabharathi, Advocate, Member-District Legal Services

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➤ Legal Awareness Campaign

Anti Ragging a Legal Awareness Campaign was conducted in our campus on 04.10.2019 The Flyers about the Anti Ragging were distributed to the students.







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What Consitutes Ragging

- Any disorderly conduct of spoken words or written languages or any act which has the effect of testing or handling any other student with rudeness.
- Indulging in rowdism or undisciplined activities which causes or is likely to cause annoyance, hardship or psychological harm or to raise fear or apprehension thereof in a fresher or a junior student.
- Asking the students to do any act or to perform something which such student will not / in the ordinary course do and which has the effect causing or generating a sense of shame or embarrassment so as to adversely affect the physique or psyche of a fresher or a junior student.
- Exploiting the services of a fresher or any other student for completing the academic tasks assigned to any individual or a group of students.
- Any act of financial extortion or forceful expenditure burden put on a fresher or any other student by students.
- Any act of physical abuse including all variants of it: sexual abuse, homosexual assaults, stripping, forcing obscene and lewd acts, gestures, causing bodily harm or any other danger to health of the person.
- Any act or abuse by spoken words, emails, post, public insults which would also include deriving perverted pleasure, vicarious or sadistic thrill from actively or passively participating in the discomfiture to fresher or any other student.
- Any act that affects the mental health and self-confidence of a fresher or any other student with or without intention to derive a sadistic pleasure or showing off power or authority by a student over any fresher or any other students.

Punishable ingredients of Ragging:

- Abetment and criminal conspiracy to ragging.
- Unlawful assembly and rioting while ragging.
- Violation of decency and morals through ragging.
- Injury to body, causing hurt or grievous hurt.
- Wrongful restraint and confinement.
- Assault as well as sexual offences or even unnatural offences.
- Extortion.



> District Management called for Meeting:

Our Cuddalore District Management conducted an meeting for all the Citizen Consumer Club Coordinators of Various Schools and Colleges on 18.10.2019. Our College CCC Co-ordinator Dr.A.R.Johnson Durai, attended the meeting.





➤ WORLD CONSUMER RIGHTS DAY (15TH MARCH 2020)

POSTER PRESENTATION COMPETITION

15th March is considered as **World Consumer Rights Day** (WCRD), an annual occasion for celebration and solidarity within the International Consumer Movement. On the eve of **World Consumer Rights Day**, the Citizen Consumer Club organized a **Poster Presentation competition** for our College Students with the Following topics

Year	Topic
I Year	Awareness on Food Adulteration
II Year	Credit/Debit Card Advantages and Disadvantages
III Year	Rules ,Regulations & Laws for the Welfare of the Consumers

Date : 19.02.2020

Shift I (Boys) : 9.30 am to 12.00 Noon

Shift II (Girls): 2.00 pm to 4.15 pm

Nearly 120 Students (65 teams) participated from both Shift I and Shift II and presented their talents. **Rev.Fr.G.Peter Rajendiram,** Secretary, St.Joseph's College of Arts and Science (Autonomous) inaugurated the Poster Presentation Competition. Mr.A.R.Johnson Durai and Dr.K.Shagirtha Coordinator of Citizen Consumer Club invited the gathering and honored the Chief Guest. Mr.T.Arul Selvan, Chairman, Tamilnadu Consumer Education and Development Foundation acted as the Judge for the Shift I boy's students and **Dr.Kavitha Natarajan**, Subha Anandham Hospital, Cuddalore acted as the Judge for the Shift II Girls students.



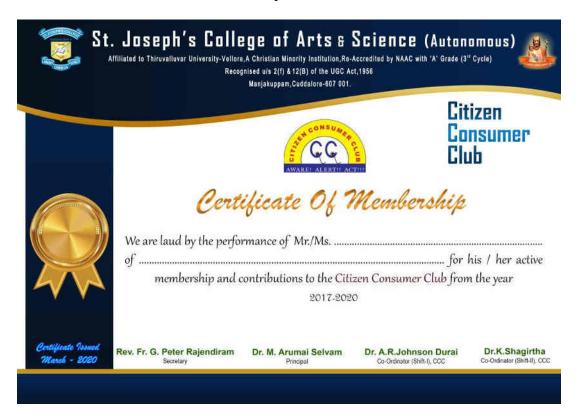








At the end of the Academic year the III Year Citizen Consumer Volunteers were honored with Certificate of Membership



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