## ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE(AUTONOMOUS) CUDDALORE

# PG DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK <u>ANNUAL REPORT 2018 - 19</u>

### AN AWARENESS PROGRAMME ON SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY, CHILD ABUSE AND ITS RELATED ISSUES

The Department of Social work has conducted An Awareness Programme on Social Responsibility, Child Abuse and its Related Issues on 27.06.2018. The programme was started at 11:45am in M.A Ratchakar Hall. Mr. M. Arumai Selvam, Vice-Principle, felicitated the gathering, Mrs. Jeyanthii Ravichandran, Dean of Evening College shared about her personal experience and explained the student responsibility in it. Chief Guest Dr. Thirumurugan S.V. Mahadevan, District, 3D Printing Medical Consultant and Social Activist started sharing about the environmental behaviour and social changes. He also explained the Act ant its impact and also covered topic on types of abuse faced by the children. Through this programme the student were benefited from the various clubs as follows NSS, NCC, Social Service Club, and Women Empowerment Cell and so on. Ms. Amaladevi, Member of DESHNA Foundation, Puducherry she had general interaction with the student and asked about Dr. A. P. J. Abdul Kalam shared some valid points.



(Chief Guest interacting with the students)

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(Inaugural Address by Mr. J. Durai Raj, Head, Department of Social Work)



(Welcome Address by Dr. Susheela Devi, Principal, Immaculate College for Women)

#### ASSOCIATION INAUGURATION AND FIRST AID AWARENESS PROGRAMME

The Department of Social work has organized **Association Inauguration and First Aid Awareness Programme** on 19.07.2018. The programme was started at 9:30am in M.A Ratchagar Hall. Annual report was presented by Mr. J. Durai Raj, Head Department of Social Work. Rev. Fr. G Peter Rajendran, Secretary gave presidential address, Principle gave Felicitation address, Mr. M. Arumaiselvam Vice-Principal and Mrs. Jeyanthi Ravichandran Dean of Evening College have shared their experience with social work. Chief Guest Mr. T. Venkadesan Chief Organizer, Dr. Abdul Kalam Trust for Future Vision has stared sharing about the trust and activities which is governed by the trust. Chief Guest Mr. S. Neelagandan, Project Officer, ALERT NGO, Bangalore. He started sharing about the memories which he had with Dr. A. P. J. Abdul Kalam. This session continued by teaching Aid Awareness to the students about

- The Act related to accident
- CPR-Cardio first aid process by experiment
- ➤ He also gave First Aid Directions for Fire, Fix, Accident, and Fracture and So on.

  Students from various clubs had participated and got benefited through this programme.



(Honoring Chief Guest)



(Presidential Address by Rev. Fr. Secretary)

Name of the Organization Visited : Neycer India Limited, Vadalur.

**Date** : 30.07.2018

On 30.07.2018, I year MSW students along with two faculty members went to Neycer India Limited, Vadalur. This observation visit is in order to learn the activities being carried out in this place and to have exposure on social work practices. There were manufacturer and supplier of EWC toilet seat cover, top button cistern, front handle flushing cistern, lab sink,

under counter sink, corner sink. They have explained about the working process which is followed by the worker, through this visit student enabled their knowledge in the production of ceramic.



(I MSW Students visiting Neycer India Limited, Vadalur)

#### **OBSERVATION VISIT - 2**

Name of the Organization Visited : SOS Children's Village, Pondicherry.

**Date** : 31.07.2018

On 31.07.2018, I year MSW students along with two faculty members went to SOS Children's Village, Pondicherry for their observation visit in order to keenly watch the activities being carried out in this place and to have exposure on social work practices. It was started working in the area after the tsunami in 2004 for the lost parental care which would include family- based care for the children. It helps the children to recover from traumatic experiences. They provide families with food, educational support, as well as medical advice and treatment. In order for families to generate income, they offer them vocational training, career counseling and advice. The students of MSW gathered the lot of information and got experience in the village.



(I MSW Students at SOS Children's Village, Pondicherry)

#### **GUEST LECTURE ON SOCIAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP**

On 01.08.2019, the Social Work Department has organized a **Guest Lecture on Social Entrepreneurship** for I and II MSW Students at Rev. Fr. Paul Rajkumar Seminar Hall from 11.00AM to 1.30 PM. Dr. S. Seshadri, Director, Indigenous & Frontier Technology Research Centre, Chennai was the Chief Guest for the programme. Mr. J. Durai Raj, Head, Department of Social Work delivered the inaugural address and gave Introduction about the Chief Guest. Dr. S. Seshadri, Director, Indigenous & Frontier Technology Research Centre, Chennai gave a wide orientation about entrepreneurship and motivated the students to become as social entrepreneur as they won't depend on anyone for their livelihood and offer jobs to those who are in need. Ho also gave some examples of eminent personalities those who succeeded as social entrepreneurs. Thus, students of MSW gave their valuable feedback about the lecture and thanked the Chief Guest for his motivational talk setting examples of successful social entrepreneurs.



(Dr. S. Seshadri, the Chief Guest giving a wide Orientation about Entrepreneurship)

Date: 29.08.2019

Place: Kattumanarkoil, Chidambaram.

#### Name of the Organization Visited: CARE INDIA

CARE is an International Funding Organization. It has been working over 65 years. Its Headquarters is located in Geneva. They are focusing on the people who are in under poverty and social exclusion. They are giving programmes in health, education, disaster management, and livelihood. Their goal is to empower of women and girls from poor and marginalized communities leading to improvement in their lives and livelihoods. Care is also doing a government projects. They were giving emergency relief within 24 hours. Care is activated in 94 countries all around the world.



(The director of CARE India giving orientation to the students)

**Date:** 29.08.2019

Place: Kattumanarkovil, Chidambaram.

#### Name of the Organization Visited: REAL

Rural Education and Action for Liberation (REAL). It is developmental organization working for the people. They were working for the past 38 years. They started in 1980 situated in Villupuram, Tamil Nadu. It is collaborated with CARE India international agency. Their mission is promoting economic and environmental livelihood alternatives. They are bringing developments in education for girls. They started a project named "Kanayasampuranam". It's fully based on women's development. REAL brought up the women's skills to the society. They give free education to the children and provide savings schemes for women. They bring leadership skills to women. They are providing online study and skill training in slum areas.



(I MSW students during their visit to REAL NGO)

**Date:** 29.08.2019

Place: Natarmangalam, Chidambaram.

Name of the Organization Visited: Natarmangalam Model Panchayat

Nattarmangalam is a village in Kaattumannarkovil in Cuddalore district. It is a model Panchayat. Mrs. Sudhamanirathinam is a Dalit President and the only Panchayat in India administrated by all ward member women of the Nattarmangalam village Panchayat in Kattumannarkoil block of Cuddalore district has become a trail blazer in the term of village Panchayat administration and women empowerment. She helped the people to implement all the government policies to the village. She helped the poor children for their education. She arrange AIDS Awareness, Plastic Awareness, Dengue Awareness, Medical Camps, etc to lead a hygienic and disease less life. She received Panchayat SashaktakaranPuraskar Award-2012, Outstanding Women Panchayat Leader Award-2013, National Women's Day Award, and The Best Women Award in Tamil Nadu Vasan Council, Tamilnadu Puducherry Youth Congress Award, Mrs.Jeyanthi Natarajan Award, Vishwassewak Society Award in Delhi,

Cancer Camp Award, and Best Women Award for her excellent leadership quality in Nattarmangalam Panchayat.



(I MSW students during their visit to Natarmangalam Panchayat)

#### STREET THEATRE TRAINING PROGRAMME

Street Theatre training programme is a program that was conducted for the development of the students by the Department of social work. Mr. M. Dhayalaseelean and Mrs. Suganya, Memebers of Beschi KalaiKuzhu, Kumbakonam Diocese came as the Trainers from 03.09.2018 to 08.09.2018 timing 9am to 5 pm. Students were taught Kummi, Kollattam, Oyilaattam, Karagam, Parai, and Skit during these days. On the final day of street theater training program, the valediction function was held in the evening in the presence Rev.Fr. G. Peter Rajendiram, Secretary of our college. The students performed all the arts that they were taught in the street theatre training program. After the valedictory message, Rev. Fr. Secretary distributed the certificate of street theater training programme to the students.



(Street Theatre Training Programme)



(Participation Certificate to the I MSW students)

#### **RURAL AWARNESS CAMP**

Rural Camp is an integral part of the training programme for the students pursuing Social Work. This was organized for six days at Vellapadi, Kannangudi Panchayat, Chidambaram Taluk of Cuddalore District from 17.09.2018 to 22.09.2018 with an objective of creating a platform for the students to understand and analyze the Rural Social System, Strategies used by the Non-Governmental Agencies, Nature of Government Intervention for the development of poor people, and to facilitate the students experience of group living. During this camp, the students were encouraged to organize and carry out programmes and events for social awakening and development of the people and conduct a survey on socio-economic and educational status of people at Vellapadi.

#### **DAY 1**:17.09.2018

On 17<sup>th</sup> September Survey on Socio-Economic and Educational Status of People at Vellapadi and manual work such as cleaning, clean the unwanted grass, plastics and other wastes was carried out.



In evening **Inauguration & Awareness on Ill Effects of Alcohol Consumption.** Our college vice-principal, Mr.Arumaiselvam was the Chief Guest of the programme graced the event by his presidential address. Mr. P.Kooteswaran family counselor, Sakthi family counseling centre, Cuddalore came as the resource person and gave a speech about effects of alcohol consumption. After that our students presented a cultural programme such as awareness song, skit, pair dance, solo dance, group dance.



(Students performing cultural programme during the camp)

#### **DAY 2**: 18.09.2018

In the Morning the students had manual work and did the cleaning work. Then around 10.00am the session on **Swachh Bharat Mission** was conducted. Mr.R.S.VelumaniDistrict Co-ordinator, Cuddalore was the Chief Guest. He asked the participants to take pledge on Clean India. He gave wonderful speech about the Swachh Bharat to the village people.



(Pledge on Swachh Bharat taken by MSW students and villagers)

Session on "Awareness on health and hygiene" was conducted in the evening. Dr.B.Michael raj clinical psychologist, Grace De-addiction cum rehabilitation centre Bhuvanagiri, was the Chief Guest. He gave talk on health and tips for hygiene.



(Manual work done by students)

#### **Day 3**:19.09.2018

After finishing manual work we gather at church for a morning session. That session topic was "Programme on Alternative Livelihood", Dr.S.Rajan, Additional Director, Veterinary Department; Bhuvanagiri was the resource person and gave more talk about cattle growth and earning money through cattle. At 4.00 pm, Sports and competitions were conducted for the village people. Various games were conducted such as Musical chair, Biscuit to mouth, Threat Pulling for youth people and Volley ball. In theevening session on "Awareness on Importance of Education" was conducted. Mr. A. John Pradeep Ebenezer, Head, Department of Computer Applications of our college was the Chief Guest. He interacted with children by visualizing some pictures and asked questions from that pictures. He distributed gifts to the children and prizes to the winners of the sports which were conducted on that day. After this, the cultural programme was presented by the students.



(Mr. A. John Pradeep Ebenezer interacted with the children)

#### Day 4:20.09.2018

In the morning session on "Livelihood promotion through poultry farming" was conducted. Mr.M.Siranjeeve Krishnan Proprietor, Vetrivel Animal Feeds and Farms, Puducherry came as the Chief Guest and gave speech about poultry farming. He gave many tips for healthy poultry farming through organic way. In the evening session on "Techniques for better living and Suicide Prevention" was organized. Our College Dean of Studies, Rev.Fr.Xavier and Mr.Rajkumar clinical psychologist, Mahatma Gandhi Medical College, Puducherry came as the Resource Persons. Our Fr.Xavier gave a talk about life measures and tips for good life. Then Mr.Rajkumar gave presentation on Suicide Prevention by using PowerPoint Slides. Finally our Students performed the cultural programme such as awareness song, skit, solo dance, pair dance, group dance and Karagattam, Oyiellatam.



#### **Day 5**: 21.09.2018

In the morning session on "Awareness on Rural Development Scheme" was conducted. Mr.S.Selva Raj BDO, Keerepalayam block was a Chief Guest and gave a speech about developmental scheme for the village people. Then the Chief Guest planted tree saplings. In the noon, "Awareness on Environment Protection and Tree Plantation" was conducted. Our College Principal, Dr.S.Chinnappan and Dr.L.Santhana Raj & NSS Coordinator came as the resource persons. The Chief Guests planted Tree Saplings in that particular place.





(Students planted saplings)

In the evening, "Session onLeadership Development" was conducted. Rev. Fr. Assisi Rector, St. Joseph's Seminary was the Chief Guest and gave a speech about leadership in the family, society and so on.

On that day **Free Medical Camp** was organized in collaboration with Aarupadai Veedu Medical College, Pondicherry. Our College Secretary Rev.Fr.G.PeterRajendiram was the Chief Guest of this event. After the formal welcome and honoring, our students presented Skit and Karagam. Then, Chief Guest gave a talk about importance of medical camp. After this inaugural proceeding, Medical Camp got started and more than 250 people benefited through this camp.





#### INDO-FRENCH SOCIO-CULTURAL EXCHANGE PROGRAMME

**DATE**: 10.10.2018

TIME: 9.00 am to 4.30 pm

VENUE: REV.Fr.P. Paul raj Kumar seminar hall

Department of social was organised **Indo-French Socio-Cultural Exchange Programme** for student's development. This was 1<sup>st</sup>time in our college the cultural exchange programme taken place, there was seven students from France came for the programme and shared their views. The following topics were presented by the MSW volunteers.

SESSI	TIMING	TOPIC	MSW STUDENT	FRENCH
ON			PRESENTERS	VOLUNTE
				ER
	Individual presentations		Volunteers	
Session	10:30am –	Socio – Cultural Aspects of	Vishali. R	Gayathri R.
1	11:15am	India & France		
Session	11:30am –	Constitution of India &	Kiruthiga .R&	
2	12:00pm	France	Aishwarya .S	Johann W.
Session	12:00pm –	Political System of India &	Rajesh kumar. R	
3	12:30pm	France		Sourya R.
Session	12:30pm -	Education System of India	Anandhan &	
4	1:00pm	& France	Keerthana .S	Floriane S.
Session	1:00pm – 1:30pm	Economic System of India	Rajeshwari .D	Irina B.
5		& France		
Session	2.30 pm – 3.30	Cultural Programme		
6	pm	(Folk Dance, Music &	MSW Students	Volunteers
		Song)		Volunteers
Session	3.30 pm – 4.30	Interaction with Students	French Learning	Volunteers
7	pm	learning French in our	Students of our	
		College	College	



(Presidential Address by Rev. Fr. Secretary)



**Indo-French Socio-Cultural Exchange Programme** 

### GUEST LECTURE ON YOUNG PEOPLE AND MENTAL HEALTH IN CHANGING WORLD

Guest Lecture on Young People and Mental Health in Changing World was conducted among college the MSW Students of St. Joseph's college of Arts and Science (Autonomous) Cuddalore on 12.10.2018. Mr. M. Raj Kumar, Clinical Psychologist Mahatma Gandhi Medical College of Research Institute, Puducherry gave the presentation about the mental health problems. He suggested about ways to solve these problems.



(Ms. Abirami, Psychiatric Social Worker addressing the Students on Young People and Mental Health in Changing World)

### SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME ON GOAL SETTING – A TOOL FOR PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

**Date:** 13.10.2018

**Venue:** Shanmuga Nagar, Parangipettai, Cuddalore District.

On13th November 2018, Social Work students has organized Sustainable Development for Irular people Programme as their CO-program. The Social Work students conducted two sessions. Dr .S. Joseph's Christian Daniel, Head Department of Microbiology, was the Resource person for this program. He gave a speech about importance of Goal Setting for the children and adult in the Irular Community. He also shared about his research findings on the

study conducted on Irular Health Issues. The Participants were provided with Free Sapling sponsored by BLESS NGO.



Chief Guest addressing the gathering on Goal Setting



Distribution of Sapling to the Irular People by the Chief Guest.

#### SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME ON IMPORTANCE OF

**EDUCATION** 

**Date** : 13.10.2018

Venue : Shanmuga Nagar, Parangipettai Block, Cuddalore District.

Rev. Fr. Assisi, SDC, Rector, St. Joseph's Seminary& Advocate, Cuddalore District court, was the resource person for this program. He motivated the children and shared Importance of Education about the school students and Irular peoples. The students of social work performed Skit and other cultural to the people.



Honoring the Chief Guest



Chief Guest Interacting with Participants

#### GAJA CYCLONE RELIEF ASSESSMENT

Cyclonic Gaja made landfall in Nagapattinam District of Tamil Nadu on 17.11.2018. Heavy rain and strong winds have been lashing the coastal areas of Tamil Nadu. The Department of social work students are went to Nagapattinam for the relief assessment work along with social service club volunteer student and with the collaborations of BLESS NGO. Totally there were 28 students from social work Department, 5 students from social service

club and four staff members have started their journey on 03.12.2018 at 4.30pm from St. Joseph's College of Arts and Science (Autonomous), Cuddalore. Accommodation and food were arranged by the sponsors (BLESS NGO). Accommodation was made in the Vellankanni. Students were assigned with the packing work for the distribution. On 4<sup>th</sup> December the students have been divided into two groups by which one group of student went for data collection to the affected villages and one group of student went to distribute the things to the needy. The following dates 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>December student are instructed to collect data from the affected villages; totally we have covered 12 villages. This was a great exposure to the students.



(Relief Distribution by the students)



(Focused Group Discussion on Post Disaster Condition of People)



(Assessment on Post Disaster Condition of People by MSW students)

#### NATIONAL LEVEL WORKSHOP ON RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

**Date:** 12.12.2018

**Time:** 9.00 am to 5.30 pm

Venue: Rev. Fr.Paul Rajkumar seminar hall

The Department of social work organized National level workshop on Research Methodology for the betterment of student's development. Dr.A.Alan Godfrey Assistant professor Department of social work, St.Joseph's college of arts and science Bangalore was a resource person. Resource person stated his speech by defining the research and selection of topic that has 4P's (passion, problem, people, place) and gave examples for selecting the topics which includes 4P's. Objectives of the study has to types of itgeneral objective, specific objectives. He told about the Review of Literature it is based on secondary data and research objectives it contains (Research author, Background, methodology, Findings, conclusion). Then he moved on to types of research and explained about it they are (historical research, descriptive research, diagnostic research, exploratory research, and experimental research). There are two major research that are quantitative research and qualitative research and also the mixed methodology research. Then he moved on to research design that is blueprint. The types of research design are Descriptive, Diagnostic experimental, Exploratory, parallel convergence design, sequential exploratory, ex-post factor. Then he talked about sampling data and census data. Sampling is two types they are probability and non-probability sampling. Session II he explained about the types of nonprobability sampling and he told about tools for data collection. Session III he explained about hypothetical testing and data representation. This workshop was very much useful for the student's research and their future development.



(Resource Person addressing the gathering)

NATIONAL LEVEL SEMINAR ON "GROWING DISTANCE BETWEEN FAMILIES DUE TO MODERN TECHNOLOGY"

**Date**: 12-02-2019

**Time**: 9 a.m to 5.30 p.m

Venue: M.A.Ratchagar Hall

PG Department of Social Work organized National Level Seminar on Growing Distance between Families due to ModernTechnology. The programme was held on 12<sup>th</sup> February 2019 in M.A.Ratchagar Hall. The Chief Guest was Dr. Birudu Raju, Research Associate and Psychiatric Social Worker, ADBC Project, Department of Psychiatry, NIMHANS, Bangalore. He gave orientation talk to the students about case study process, problem solving techniques with few examples. This seminar was organized to develop the student's community. The programme was divided into three session as follows, there were different topics have been discussed.

#### **SESSION-I:**

CHAIRPERSON: Dr. A. Shahin Sultana, Professor

Department of Social Work, Pondicherry University,

Puducherry.

**TOPIC:** Scope of Social Work Practice in Family Well Being

**TIME:** 11.30 A.M TO 12.30 P.M

#### **SESSION-II:**

CHAIRPERSON: Mrs. V. Chitrakala, Medical Social Worker

JIPMER, Puducherry.

**TOPIC:** Work Family Balance among Adults

**TIME:** 01.30 P.M TO 02.30 P.M

#### SESSION-III

CHAIRPERSON: Dr Birudu Raju, Research Associate,

Psychiatric Social worker, ADBC Project,

Department of Psychiatry, NIMHANS, Bangalore.

**TOPIC:** Family Therapy and Well Being - Role of Psychiatric Social Workers

**TIME:** 2.30 P.M TO 4.00 P.M



Felicitation was given by Secretary Rev. Fr. Peter Rajendiram



(Resource Person addressing the gathering)



(Paper presentation during the National Seminar)

#### AWARENESS PROGRAMME ON BAN OF ONE TIME PLASTIC POLLUTION

Venue: Library Extension Hall

**Date:** 07.02.2019

**Time:** 9.30am to 11.30 am (Shift - I)

2.30pm to 4.30pm (Shift – II)

PG Department of Social Work organized a programme on Ban of One Time Plastic Pollution. This programme was organized by Department of Social Work jointly collaborated with Enviro Club and Department of Zoology. The Chief Guestwere Dr. N. Dhakshinamoorthy Designated Officer, Tamil Nadu Food Safety Department, Cuddalore and Mr. T. Arul Selvam Coordinator, Community Environmental Monitoring. This programme was organized to both shift I and shift II students. Through this programme students learned many things about the plastic usage, recycling, reuse and contamination of food. There were more models presented to the student to make aware of food contamination. On the same day we were organized the poster and model competition. Many students have been participated and won the prize.



(Rev.Fr. Secretary visiting models)



 $(Rev. Fr.\ Secretary\ addressing\ the\ students)$ 

### PARTICIPATION IN INTERNATIONAL CHILDHOOD CANCER AWARENESS DAY PROGRAMME

Venue: Puducherry Beach

**Date:** 17.02.2019

**Time:** 4.00pm to 6.00pm

PG Department of Social Work Student has participated and performed street play in **International Childhood Cancer Awareness Day Programme.** This programme was organized by JIPMER Puducherry. During this programme the student has taken part in human chain and they also performed dance and got certificate for their participation.



#### PARTICIPATION IN ART FESTIVAL

Venue: Town Hall, Cuddalore.

**Date:** 16.02.2019

**Time:** 8.30am to 1.00pm

PG Department of Social Work Student has participated in MuperuKalaiVizha. It was a District level Cultural programme organized by Nehru Yuva Kendra. Mr. M. C. Sambath Minister for Industrial Department, Government of Tamil Nadu was the Chief Guest of the programme. Many collegeshave participated in this programme. It was a great experience to

the students. There were many village people youth clubs also gathered to get the prize and sports materials.



(Students performance at Art Festival)

### AWARENESS PROGRAMME ON SAVE THE GIRL CHILD AND IMPORTANCE OF EDUCATION

**Date:** 28.02.2019

Venue: Sri Ramalingar High School, Subranamiyapuram

The programme started with prayer song sung by I-MSW student followed by welcome address given by Edviya. Mr. J.Durai Raj, Head, Department of Social Work has given honour to the chief guest with the introduction and importance of social work and community organization programme. Mr.K.Thirumavalavan, District Child Protection Officer, Cuddalore. He shared about the importance of girl education and welfare schemes that are given to girl children. Awareness on helpline 1098 was given. He spoke about the ill effects of child marriage and good touch and bad touch was explained. He conducted his speech on saying about child labour problems. Mr. P. Joseph Victor Raj, Director, Hope Pondicherry. He interacted with the student and shared about life skill Education given by Hope. He concluded his speech by wishing best wishes to 10<sup>th</sup> student for their exam. Mr. Thinakaran, Child Protection Member, and said few strategies' of girl child in India. He insists the important of education to the girl children and girl child marriage through real

stories and the problems of it. He recalled about child helpline 1095 and said about child Welfare Committee. This programme was concluded with vote of thanks followed by National Anthem given by I-MSW student.



Inaugural address by the Head of the Department

#### AWARENESS PROGRAMME ON ALCOHOL CONSUMPTION

**Date:** 02.03.2019

**Venue:** CommunityHall,Kunduuppalavadi, Cuddalore.

The programme started with the welcome address given by I-MSW student followed by honouring the Chief Guest and the dignitaries. Mr. J. Durai Raj, Head, Department of Social Work spoke about the usefulness of community organization to the community people and said about the awareness on alcohol consumption to the women gathered there. He concluded by thanking everyone who was presented there. Mr. L. S. Anthony Samy, Director, BLESS spoke about the role of women in a family and the role of women in the family. He shared the importance of giving awareness and usefulness. He concluded his speech by thanking the organizers of this programme. Mrs. N. Shakthi, Block Development Officer (BDO), Cuddalore. She spoke about the illness of alcohol consumption. After the chief guest's speech, the Ist MSW student sang an awareness song on alcohol consumption and performed their skit. Theprogramme was concluded with vote of thanks given by I-MSW student.



#### WOMEN'S DAY CELEBRATION

Date: 08.03.2019

**Venue:** Municipal Middle School, Mulligrampattu, Nellikuppam.

The programme was started with the prayer song followed by Tamil Thai Vazhthu and the dignitaries were honoured with the shawl and memento. The inaugural address was given by Mr. J. Durai Raj, Head, Department of Social Work, St. Joseph's College of Arts and Science (Autonomous), Cuddalore.He conveyed his women's day wishes to all the women. He proudly shared about the importance of women and he also shown some famous women personality as an example. Mrs. J Vasanthi, Headmistress, Municipal Middle School. She shared about her life history. She requested all the parents to give importance to their children rather than focused on T.V serials. She also explained about the importance of the education. Mrs. A. Annamal, Department of Tamil, St. Joseph's College of Arts and Science (Autonomous), Cuddalore wished all the women on the special occasion. She brought out her life experience and shared about the difficulties of her life to pursue her higher education; through this she insisted the importance of education to all the girl children. She showed many examples of women achiever. Finally she point out all the mother to take of their children especially the girl children should give more important to survive successfully in the society. Social work student presented their street theatre on women's issue. Prizes were distributed to the winners.



#### PROGRAMME ON SIGNIFICANCE OF SPORTS IN DEVELOPMENT OF LIFE

Date: 12.03.2019

Venue: Bharathi Government Higher Secondary School, Bahour

The programme was started by praising the lord. Welcome address was given by I MSW student than the dignitaries were honoured. Mr. G Palanisamy, Head Master, Bharathi Government Higher Secondary School gave the inaugural speech. He briefly explained about the importance of sports. Mrs. J. MegalaiBesin, In-charge of Bharathi Government Higher Secondary School. She thanked the organisers for organising the special programme to the school students. Dr. M. Vetrivel, TGI Bharathi Government Higher Secondary School, Bahour. He explained shortly that sports are not depending upon conscience it depends upon good health. He proudly talked about the student of Ist MSW student. Mr. V. Siva Kumar, Sub inspector of Police, Bahour started his wonderful speech by sharing about his schooling. He said that village youngsters are outstanding in sports but they were addicted to technology. He encouraged the student to play a healthy game to maintain body fit and healthy. He explained the importance of sports for our life. I MSW student performed their group dance and skit to enlighten the student knowledge on sports. The prizes were distributed to the winners. The programme was ended with the vote of thanks followed by National Anthem.



Prize distribution to the winners by the Chief guest

#### MOTIVATIONAL PROGRAMME ON POSITIVE MENTAL HEALTH

**Date:** 13.03.2019

Venue: REAL NGO, S. Puthur, Cuddalore.

The programme was started by praising the lord. Welcome address was given by I<sup>st</sup> MSW student than the dignitaries were honored. Inaugural address was given by Mrs. S. Vanathi, Assistant Professor, Department of Social Work, St. Joseph's College of Arts and Science (Autonomous), Cuddalore. She appreciated the organisers. Mrs. V. R. Abirami, Psychiatric Social Worker, MGMCRI, Puducherry has explained about the health and conscience by brought out the important features as follows thinking, reminder, feelings, thoughts, behaviour, sensory organs and IQ level. She also explained about the suicidal thought and drug addictions. She concluded her speech by telling tips to lead happy life. Mr. M. Raj Kumar, Clinical Psychologist, MGMCRI, Puducherry explained about alcoholism and addictions. He also briefly explained about sleep and necessity of sleep. He suggested the people to eat digested foods in particular time. He told some tips to divert the mind from anger. He also gave many tips to have a good sleep. The doubts were clarified on disorders by Chief Guest. The programme was ended with the vote of thanks followed by National Anthem.



Organizer discussing with the participants