

The Women Cell plays a crucial role in promoting gender equality, creating a safe and supportive environment for women, and addressing issues related to gender discrimination and harassment. The Women Cell consists of members of the Teaching, Non- teaching and student communities who are committed to the cause of women's welfare and empowerment.

I. Women Cell Composition.

Sl No	Name	Designation	Remarks
1	Dr. Hemalatha CP	Assistant Professor of Hindi	Convenor
2	Ms. Rubeena P	Assistant Professor of Economics	Member
3	Ms. Nidhisha V	Assistant Professor of Chemistry	Member
4	Ms. Beyathumma CK	Typist-Office	Member
5	Ms.Arya P	II MSc Physics- UUC	Member
6	Ms. Akhina Prasad	II BSc Chemistry- Joint Secretary	Member
		College, Union	
7	Ms. Sreelekshmi PV		

II. Meetings Conducted.

Sl No	Term	Date	Remarks If any
1	I Term	15-06-2017	
2	II Term	23-11-2017	
3	III term	01-03-2018	

III. Programmes Conducted.

1. Inauguration of Women cell activities 2017-18.

The activities of the Women's Cell for the academic year 2017-18 were inaugurated on 5th December 2017 by Prof. Thara S Philip, an Associate Professor of Malayalam (Rtd) at St. Mary's College, S. Bathery. The inauguration event featured a talk on "Female Individuality" by Prof. Thara S Philip. The event witnessed a total of 181 participants, including both students and staff members. Presiding over the function was Dr Muhammed Fareed, TP, Principal. As part of the event, prizes were distributed to the winners of the examination conducted by the Women's Cell



in collaboration with the National Commission for Women (NCW) on Women Empowerment. Dr Viji Paul, Ms.Noorjahan, Ms. Akhina Prasad, and Ms. Ck Beyathumma gave felicitation talks at the programme. Dr Hemalatha welcomed the gathering, and Ms. Nidhisha V delivered the vote of thanks.





2. Examination on Women Empowerment.

The women cell Conducted an examination on women empowerment in collaboration with NCW on 20-11-2017. 34 students participated in the competition. The winners of the competition are listed below.

Sl No	Name	Class	Position	Remarks
1	Shamal Salim	D1 Chemistry	I	Quiz competition
2	Harshal C	D1 Chemistry	I	Quiz competition
3	Dilshad Roshan	D2 Physics	II	Quiz competition
4	Abhijith CV	D2 Physics	II	Quiz competition
5	Vignesh K	D2 English	III	Quiz competition
6	Afsal Muhammed	D2 English	III	Quiz competition
7	Ajmal Muhammed	D1 Bcom CA	I	Poster Making
8	Janeesh Babu	D1 Bcom CA	II	Poster Making
9	Suhaina P	D1 Mathematics	I	Essay Writing
10	Nizam Ismail	D1 English	II	Essay Writing

3. Women's Day Celebration on 08-03-2018 with student's union.

The College Union celebrated Women's Day on 8th March 2018, honouring women who had made their mark in diverse fields and achieved remarkable success. Among the honoured individuals was Ms. Rukhiya, a trailblazer in the cattle slaughtering business. Her success in a traditionally male-dominated field showcased her determination, resilience, and entrepreneurial skills. Another remarkable woman recognized during the event was Ms Lilly Thomas, who successfully managed a Dairy Farm. Ms Bindhu Mandad, the first female Auto Rickshaw driver in the area, was also honoured for breaking gender stereotypes and excelling in a profession predominantly dominated by men. Ms. Vijayi, a physical education teacher, was acknowledged for her outstanding contributions to the field of education. As a female teacher in a predominantly male-dominated profession, she played a vital role in promoting physical fitness and empowerment among students.

The function was presided over by Dr.Muhammad Fareed, the Principal of the college. Leading the function were Ms. Arya P, the University Union Councillor, and Ms. Akhina Prasad, the Joint Secretary of the College Union. Overall, the Women's Day celebration served as a platform to honour and appreciate the achievements of these extraordinary women who excelled in their



careers despite facing various challenges. Their accomplishments showcased the potential and capabilities of women in fields where their representation is traditionally limited. More than 300 students participated in the function.



4. Women's Day Celebration on 09-03-2018 with Social work Department..

In collaboration with the College's Social Work Department, we arranged another programme yuvadika in connection with International Women's Day on March 9, 2018. The program was inaugurated by Ms Usha Kumari, Chairperson of the Women Development Council (WDC) in Kalpetta. We were honoured to have Ms Reshma, a KSRTC Bus Conductor, and Ms Soumini, a KSRTC Conductor, as our esteemed chief guests. Considering that KSRTC conductor positions are predominantly occupied by males, they graciously shared their experiences as conductors, offering valuable insights. Muhammad Shuhaib (Assistant Professor of Social work) welcomed the gathering and Ms. Nidhisha (Assistant Professor of Chemistry) delivered the vote of thanks.













The event encompassed engaging activities, including quiz competitions, poster-making competitions, and essay-writing competitions for the students. The list of winners across the various competitions are given below.

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Conclusion

The Women's Cell has been instrumental in creating a gender-inclusive environment and addressing the unique needs and concerns of women within our institution. With active participation from over 500 students, the various programs organized by the Cell have made a significant impact. As we move forward, we reiterate our unwavering commitment to fostering an inclusive and empowering space for women at WMO Arts and Science College. Together, we will continue to strive for equality and progress.