DON BOSCO COLLEGE, MANNUTHY

ANNUAL REPORT 2020 – 21

With gratitude to God and Don Bosco…….

**Academic Year 2020-21**

The pandemic situation of Covid-19 altered the educational system in the academic year. Due to Covid-19, many changes came to our world and It took some time for everyone to adopt the new normal. A general staff meeting was held in the last week of May 2020 and chalked out the plan of activities for the academic year. The departments submitted their activity calendar for the new academic year. It was really a new digital step for students, staff and parents. But we managed well to prepare both students and teachers to adopt the new virtual methods of teaching and learning.

Two new UG courses were introduced–B.Com Banking & Insurance and BSc.Mathematics. The second and third year of UG & PG classes started by 1st June 2020. First semester classes of the newly joined candidates commenced by 3rd October 2020. PG classes of first semester started from 23rd November 2020. All the classrooms were virtually managed using Google meet platform. The class timing was from 8.30 am to 1pm, Monday to Friday. Google Classroom was the application used for the submission of assignment and notes. Study materials were provided through the same platform. The year started off with the new Manager& Director Rev.Fr.Mathew Kapplikkunnel SDB. We wish and pray that the Almighty enables him to raise this institution to greater heights.We really thank our former Manager & Director Rev.Fr. Jos Pathickal SDB for guiding us for the past few years with his valuable thoughts and prayers.

Fr.RajuChakkanattu SDB, continued charge as Principal and Fr. Lijo Kalambadan SDB continued as the Vice Principal of the college. Fr.Sumon Uzhunnalil SDB, our Administrator supervising all administration activities for the development of infrastructure.

Ms.Chris Aloysius, Head of Department (HoD)of Computer Science, assumed charge as Academic Dean and Ms.Neethu George, of Computer science department took the charge as new HoD. Mr.Antony P James continued as IQAC coordinator. As we all know, Excellence is the gradual result of always striving to do better. May God shower his blessings abundantly on them for raising our institution to excellence.

**Student & Staff Strength**

The total strength of students for the academic year 2020-21 is 756 with UG (711) and PG(45) .

The college now has 52 members on the staff, 39 teaching and 13 non – teaching staff.

Teaching staff update their profile by learning new methodologies and innovations, by doing courses & attending national & international conferences, attending Faculty Development Programmes and also doing paper presentations.

Some of them are already doing their Ph.D .They are:

Ms.Chris Aloysius - Academic Dean(Department of Computer Science)

Mr.Antony P James - Department of Electronics

Ms. Anu P J - Department of Computer Science

Ms. Babitha Thamby - Department of Computer Science

**Arrival & Departures**

Of the 52 staff members ,11 are new arrivals. They are :

Ms. Leena K.P – Department of Commerce

Ms.Julin Jose K - Department of Commerce

Sr.Jasmy A.V- Department of Commerce

Ms.Anu Joseph- Department of Computer Science

Ms.Ginnu George – Department of Computer Science

Ms.Anagha K J - Department of Computer Science

Sr.Deepthi Thomas - Department of English

Ms.JonithaJoyson- Department of English.

Ms.AncyRaphel - Department of English

Mr.P.WWiljoy- Department of Management

Ms.Nomiya Davis – Department of Management

Ms.Sunila N.A – Librarian

Mr.Anil Sebastian – Physical Education

**Relieved staff**

Ms.Sunanda K –Department of Management

Ms.Sakhi M.P – Department of Mathematics

Ms.Neethu Thomas – Department of Computer Science

Ms.Aleena Wilson – Department of Commerce

Ms.Navya Poly – Department of Commerce

Mr.Thahirudeen Sahib V M- Physical Education

Ms.Sofiya Francis – Assistant Librarian

Ms.Seena (Librarian) and Ms.Mariamma ( Cleaning staff) got retired from the college.

Don Bosco College is deeply indebted for their valuable service during the brief period they were with us.

### [Internal Quality Assurance Cell - IQAC](https://iqac.puchd.ac.in/)

IQAC done NAAC HEI Registration on 10/10/2020

* NAAC IIQA Submission Date 14/12/2020
* NAAC IIQA approved on 18/12/2020
* Submitted the NAAC SSR on 24/02/2021
* SSR Clarifications Submitted on 17/05/2021

Faculty Development Programs & Training programs

1. Training program - “quality enhancement and accreditation:

Conducted training programme on topic “quality enhancement and accreditation” on 30/07/2020. The session steered by Prof.Dr. M.P.Rajan – accreditation Ambassador Paramarsh Team, Vimala College Thrissur. All the staff member participated in the training programme.

1. Webinar- “Outcome Based Education”:

Conducted Faculty Development Programme under the UGC Paramarsh Scheme on 29/03/2021 on the topic “Outcome Based Education” through the online Platform . Resource person was Rev. Fr. Johny Jose, Registrar, Assam Don Bosco University Assam. All the staff members were participated in the webinar.

Conducted internal auditing on 17/09/2020. All the HODs were present for the auditing and verified all the documents. As per the suggestions from the HODs, IQAC decided to set up a document scanning team.

Conducted an external audit based on PARAMARSH action plan Vimala College Thrissur on 30/07/2020. Prof. Dr. M.P.Rajan -Accreditation Ambassador Paramarsh Team, Vimala College Thrissur audited all the files and gave valuable suggestions.

Conducted student’s orientation programs for students for the topic “NAAC- benefits for students”

IQAC conducted 8 monthly meetings for the academic year 2020-21 as follows:

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| **Sl No** | **Date** | **Agenda** |
| 1. | 06/08/2020 | Discussion on Advanced and Slow Learners |
| 2. | 28/09/2020 | SSR discussion, Timetable Discussion |
| 3. | 13/10/2020 | NAAC registration , SSR Presentation, NAAC awareness class for students |
| 4. | 17/12/2020 | NAAC work status, Criterion wise discussion |
| 5. | 04/01/2021 | Data collection 2020-21, Document Scanning |
| 6. | 01/03/2021 | Department wise discussion, Criterion wise discussion |
| 7. | 03/03/2021 | Data collection 2020-21, Document Scanning, presentation preparation |
| 8. | 05/03/2021 | Department presentation |

IQAC collected the feedback from the students for curriculum enrichment with the help of online platform Kredovoice out.

**College Union Elections and Union Inauguration**

Our college has opted for parliamentary mode of election for the past years. But due to the situation of pandemic, we didn’t receive any notification from the University and no election was conducted in the Academic year 2020-21

**PTA – Parents Teachers Association**

Don Bosco College always called on the parents to join hands with the college authorities in moulding the students into young men and women of character, in pursuit of the tradition of Don Bosco, who always sought the holistic development of youth.

Our PTA Executive Members of the Academic Year 2019 – 20:

President& Principal - Fr.RajuChackanattu, SDB

Vice President - Mr. Devadas K V

Secretary - Ms. Minu Thomas

Vice Principal - Fr. Lijo Kalambadan SDB

Members - Mr. Shiji Joy

Mr.Girish K.K

Ms. Devadas P.K

Mr.Santhoshkumar K S

Ms. Ligi Thomson  
 Mr. N T Thankachan

Ms. Prathibha M.E (Dept. of Management)

Ms.Chris Aloysious (Dept.of Computer Science)  
 Ms. Joby Jacob (Dept of Commerce)

Class-wise PTA online meetings were arranged at the end of each semesters. Congratulations to PTA Secretary, Ms.Minu Thomas and the teachers in-charges for making the necessary arrangements.

**Academic Performance of Students**

The college maintains good results in the university examinations. We would like to congratulate the students who would be receiving awards for proficiency in studies.

BBA - Amaljith V Rajeev - 73 %

B.com CA - Soubhagya Thimotheous - 72 %

B.com Finance - Nikhil George - 69%

BCA - M.S Neeshma - 71 %

BSC Computer Science - Rahul K.C - 77 %

M.COM - Silpa - 72%

MSc. Electronics - Jincy K.K - 77%

**Placements**

The Placement cell has a vital role in giving training and placements for the students by motivation and skill development. The following students got placements in the specified organisations :

Sona Sajan - IIIrd year B.Com Finance - Wipro

Finto Francis - IIIrd year B.Com Finance - Greenwind Solution Pvt.Ltd

Alan Francis Denny - IIIrd year B.Com Finance - Greenwind Solution Pvt.Ltd

Ujwal Dileep - IIIrd B.Sc Computer Science - Wipro, Infosys

Lakshmi P.S - IIIrd B.Sc Computer Science - Wipro, TCS, Qspiders

Divya Rajachandran - IIIrd B.Sc Computer Science - Qspiders

Aswin Sajan - IIIrd BCA - Wipro, Infosys.

Ajay James - IIIrd BCA - QSpiders

Sreejith Santhosh - IIIrd BCA - QSpiders

The conduct of both the university examinations and internal examinations were done with due seriousness and preparations abiding the university & government guidelines in the pandemic situation. Internal exams were done through Google classroom virtual application. Congratulations to Ms. Anu P J, in-charge of university examinations and Ms.Veena Babu in-charge of internal examinations.

**Associations**

**1. Commerce Association**

* The association conducted an online inter collegiate workshop on 16/01/2021.
* They conducted a webinar on Introduction to Security Market on 2-10-2020. The webinar was lead by Mr.Sanil Abraham, Senior Financial Journalist .The Session was a great chance to have a live interaction with the experts from the stock market.
* Department of Commerce in Association with Hedge School of Applied Ecconomics has conducted a webinar through Google meet on “Wealth Management as a career for students/Aspirants” literacy on 16th January 2021 which is regarded as a well rewarding career opportunity for many graduates.
* Department of Commerce has conducted a live workshop on financial literacy on 12th feb 2021 which was a money plan workshop to empower students by giving them the methods to manage their personal and household income efficiently.

**2. Management Association (ARMS-Association of Radiant Management Students )**

* The Management Department of Don Bosco College, Mannuthy conducted a Webinar on Entrepreneurship on July 28, 2020 at 10.00 AM. The speaker Mr.Vinod K G ( Project Director of TDLCCS ) gave his valuable thoughts about entrepreneurship.
* An online workshop on REDC Business Plan was conducted by REDC (Rural Entrepreneurship Development Cell) Kerala for the second and third year students of management department on 18th October 2020 at 10 A.M. The workshop was organized with the objective of promoting rural entrepreneurship culture / environment in the campus.
* On 18/10/2020 , the department conducted a webinar by MGNCRE team for the students of management department.

**3. Computer Science Association**

* CYBER SECURITY DURING ONLINE LIFE & LEARNING - The national webinar was conducted on 27th June 2020.. The aim of the seminar was: Common cyber security problems in the game include information disclosure and cyber-attacks.
* ACADEMIC PROJECTS - The national webinar was conducted on 22nd July 2020. The aim of the seminar was to introduce the students new innovations, ideas, concepts and the languages for their projects in the covid 19 season.
* Career Choices & Planning During Recession - The webinar was conducted on 10th AUGUST, 2020 (MONDAY).The aim of the seminar was:Importance of planning career early especially during times of Recession
* The Way Ahead with Python – The webinar was held, on 11th December 2020.The resource person was Mr.Asish P.Sajan , Business Analyst, Axis Bank Ltd.Mumbai. He was our old student who passed out by the year 2015-16.
* VIRTUAL HORIZON AND THE GROWING ANGST - The International webinar was on 25th February 2021. webinar mainly focus on the topic How social media affect us?
* The Department of Computer Science,Organised a tech fest TECHNOVA on march 12th 2021.There were events like Short video making, Troll making, Start up ideas that to encourage students creativity.As a part of evet we conducted a webinar on topic “Career paths and Opportunities in Information Technology”
* Global Career Opportunities & Campus Placements - India and Abroad "-The webinar was conducted in association with EazyLink Academy for all Computer science final year and passed out students !! The program aim was to help all the students to prepare for their future career plans in India & Abroad. Webinar Date was on 20th March 2021.
* The final year project presentation was held on 31/03/2021 at AV hall. All the final year students were participated and each group explained their project with power point presentation. The corresponding group in charges were explained the core idea of the topics and they asked some queries about the topics presented.

**4. Electronics Department Association**

* Department of Electronics conducted a webinar on “The New trends and scope of electronics” on 10 th March, 2021.There are 112 participants from different corners took part in the webinar. Dr. Rinu Abraham from United states Pennsylvania State University, USA was the resource person. The webinar was aimed on providing knowledge on Recent Trends in Electronics like Internet of Things (IoT), Artificial Intelligence (AI).
* They conducted a National webinar on the topic “ Machine Learning “ on 31st March 2021 in Google meet platform. Dr.Mathew Mithra Noel, Professor of Vellor institute of Technologies was the resource person. The Session was a great chance to have a live interaction with the experts from the Artificial intelligence

**5.Language Department Association**

* Language Department In association with IQAC is organized an International E-Conference “Including the Excluded : Challenging Existential Peripheries” (Session 1) on 29/03/2021 at 9.30 am using Google meet platform.. Dr.C.G Shyamala was the keynote speaker and she gave a lecture on the topic “The Intersection of art ,Actvism and Social Relevance”. Around 140 participants from different premier institutes in India and abroad participated in the E –Conference.
* Language Department In association with IQAC is organized an International E-Conference “Including the Excluded : Challenging Existential Peripheries” (Session 2) on 20/04/2021 at 9.30 am using Google meet platform. Meera Kashiraman ,Senior Research Fellow ,Vimala College was the keynote speaker and she gave a lecture on the topic “Trauma of Exclusion : An Inquiry into Pariah Status of Rape Victims/Survivors”. Around 88 participants from different premier institutes in India and abroad participated in the E –Conference.
* As a part of Campus Connect , Language department in association Library Club (Bibliotech) and IQAC organized VITA NOVA , literary fest of the year 2020-2021. The fest mainly focused on the constructive changes in ecology that happened in the context of COVID -19 Pandemic . The fest revolved around four events Wall Art, Bottle Art , Seed Paper pen and Happy Pots . The prior registration was done for all the events.
* Don Bosco College Language Department in association with Bilbliotecha (Libarary Club) and IQAC organized VITA NOVA II on 10/03/2021. It was a attempt to spur the creative and writing talents hidden in the students like essay writing , poem writing, story writing , Cartoon competition, Review(Book and Film), Pencil Drawing, Manuscript Magazine Title and cover page designing.

**Community Social Service (CSS) & Club Activities**

On 1st January 2021, as part of Christmas the community social service along with catholic movements club distributed cakes and chocolates among doctors, staffs and patients of District Medical Hospital, Thrissur. We also donated an amount to three of the patients there for their further treatments. We had spent a lot of time with them and then returned by seeing their happy faces. We strictly adhered to the covid protocols because of which h only few students could accompany to the hospital.

On January 29th Don Bosco College Mannuthy along with blood donation Kerala organized a ‘Biriyani Challenge’. We distributed around 650 biriyanis and we handed over the profit from this to Blood Donation Kerala. We this money we helped a very poor patient.

CSS unit of Don Bosco College have socially responsible students who will be a promising asset for a better tomorrow.

* **Catholic Movement club** conducted virtual Christmas celebration which was a moment of sharing happiness in this pandemic situation. Virtual celebration also included a selfie with crib contest in which many students participated. The club members also visited Thrissur District Hospital and celebrated Christmas with the inmates of hospital. The club also organized several prayer gatherings which was a spiritual upheaval for students in the times of hardships. The activities of the club for the academic year ended with a farewell to the outgoing students of the club. The Catholic Movement club was a strong hold for students in their spiritual journey.
* **Nature club** organized ‘Plastic free Campus’ was held on 18.03.2021 at Don Bosco College, Mannuthy. In the Zero Plastic work, 25 members of the Nature Club participated actively. The students made awareness among about disadvantages of using plastic. They also collected plastic things from the College area and disposed them safely in collection point near the canteen area.
* **Nature Club** conducted ‘Acorn recycler’s day’ on 18th March 2021 at 9.30 am in front of the Arts block. Our principal Dr. Fr. Raju Chakkanattu SDB, inaugurated the function in the presence of teachers and club members. Around 25 Members participated in the programme. And they brought some recycled products such as bottle art, Paper craft, etc.
* **Yoga club** in association with IQAC, Don Bosco college Mannuthy, conducted a webinar on ‘Career opportunities in Yoga’ on 08th may 2021
* **Women cell** organized ‘Women Empowerment’online programme on 12th March 2021 with resource person Adv.Honey M.Varghese, CBI High court Judge.
* **Women cell** in association with CSS unit of the college coordinated a Blood donation camp on 08/03/2021 for female students under the guidance of Indian Medical association, Thrissur.

**Special Achievements of our students**

1. Don Bosco College Women football team won the title Second Runner Up in Calicut University Women Football Championship in the year 2020-21.
2. Ms. Soubhagya Thimotheous of Ist M.Com got silver medal in Calicut University interzone karate Women Championship(U 68 category)
3. Our Men Football team reached in the pre-quarter final in Calicut University D-Zone level.
4. Mr. Ashish Antony Pauly of 1st year BCA got first prize in professional website creation in a technical fest done by Vidya College, Thrissur.
5. Mr. Sebi Francis of 1st year BCA got 2nd prize in Short-film making conducted by Nirmala Institute of Education, Panaji, Goa.

**Conclusion**

Don Bosco is growing at an incredible pace, marching ahead with all its might, definitely with the right spirit and in the right direction. This is possible because the Don Bosco family believes and follows the institutional Core Values namely Discipline, Determination, Dedication, Integrity & Trust, Interest & Involvement! Students are oriented here towards conspicuous value additions, namely, the quest for knowledge, the desire for innovation, the approach for total personality development and the pride in being a member of Don Bosco family!

We thank everyone –the management, parents, faculties, students, the PTA and our well –wishers for helping us to work towards achieving this dream and for taking the college forward.

Stay Safe….