Mannaniya College of Arts and Science Tourism Club Activity report 2023-2024

The Tourism Club was Officially registered under Department of Tourism, Government of Kerala in the year 2023 with the aim of fostering a passion for travel and cultural exchange among students. The club provides a platform for students to explore new destinations, understand diverse cultures, and gain knowledge about the tourism industry. Since its inception, the club has actively engaged students in various tourism-related activities, promoting a sense of adventure and global awareness.

As part of establishment of Tourism club in colleges - Department of Tourism, Government of Kerala, arranged an event of State wide announcement of Tourism Club Registrations, and an orientation session for program managers and volunteer leaders on March 27, 2023 at Mar Ivanios College Thiruvananthapuram. The Function will be inaugurated by Honourable Minister of Public Works and Tourism, Kerala Shri PA Mohammed Riyas. The Principal Suggested Sri Hashim M (HOD, Tourism and Travel management) and Dr Sini Mol V N (Assistant Professor Department of Commerce) as Programme managers. Tourism Club Programme manager of our College Sri Hashim Attended the programme.

1. World Environment Day Celebration

In honor of World Environment Day 2023, the Department of Tourism Kerala o organize a mega clean-up drive & Awareness at Kovalam Hawa Beach on June 5th, 2023, at 05:00 PM. With the theme "Beat Plastic Pollution" this event aims to raise awareness about the detrimental effects of plastic pollution and take significant steps towards a cleaner and healthier environment. This program was inaugurated by the Honorable Minister for Public Works Department & Tourism, Shri PA Muhammad Riyas. Five students from our college participated in this programme.





2. Onam Celebrations

The official Onam celebrations of the Kerala Government were held from 27th Aug to 2nd of September 2023. The official inauguration function took place on 27th August 2023 at Trivandrum. A number of art and cultural gatherings were held in conjunction with this event. The Honorable Chief Minister, Ministers, Celebrities and other dignitaries are participated in this function. The Onam celebration of 2023 will conclude on September 2, 2023, with a grand pageantry starting from Vellayambalam and ending at Mancadu. Our tourism Club Volunteers are also participated in this programme.





3. Asian Mountain Bike Championship 2023

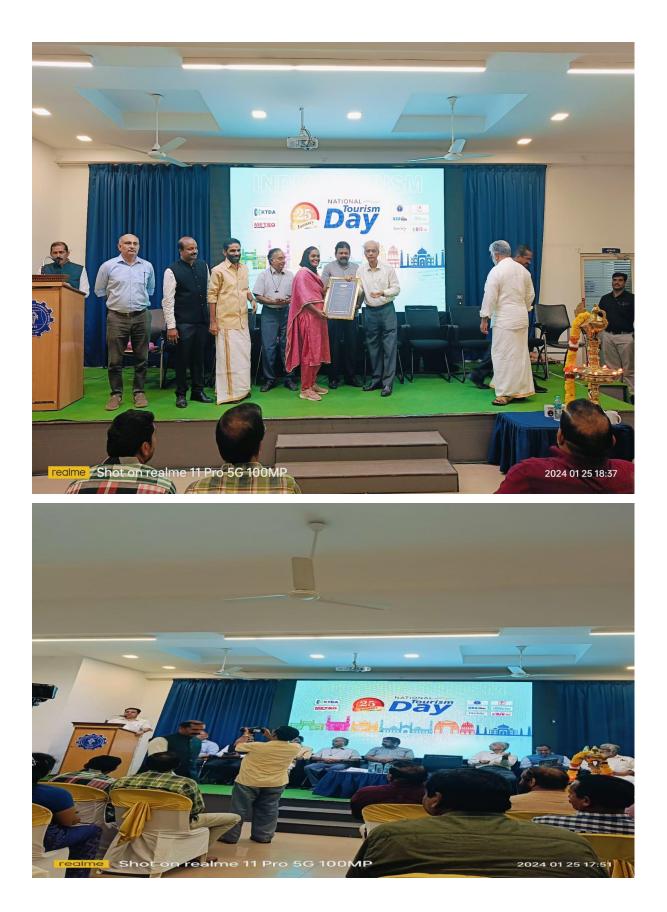
28th Asian Mountain Bike Championship 2023 an International Event conducted by Kerala Tourism- in Ponmudi, Thiruvananthapuram. After conducting interviews in the North and South zones, approximately 350 candidates attended the interview, from that shortlisted 40 candidates for Guest Relations and Liaison roles for the event. One of our vibrant Students Miss Haritha Selected as volunteer.





4. National Tourism Day Celebratory Event - Recognition of Well-Performed Tourism Clubs

As part of the national Tourism Day Celebratory Event on 25th January, Kerala Tourism Development Association (KTDA), Metro Mart, and the Trivandrum Chamber of Commerce and Industry (TCCI) organize an event aim to recognize and honor well-performers in the tourism industry in Kerala. They have extended an invitation to honor 25 well-performed Tourism clubs in Thiruvananthapuram district as well. Our college has demonstrated commendable efforts in promoting and contributing to the tourism sector. Considering this, our esteemed institution is also included in the well-supported Tourism Clubs in the Tourism Industry. The programme was inaugurated by Sri. A N Shamzeer(Kerala legislative assembly speaker) and chief guest was Sri K Jayakumar IAS (Chief Scretary). Dr Sini Mol V N (Programme manager Received the honuor on behalf of the college.





5. Prevention of Sexual Harassment (PoSH) Training

With the objective of making safe environment for women at work place, Responsible Tourism Mission in association with UN Women India is organised PoSH Training program for the officials of the Department of Tourism and allied institutions at Thiruvananthapuram on 18th and 19th of March. The training was imparted by UN Women Technical Expert Adv.Ujwala Kadrekar.). Dr Sini Mol V N (Programme manager) Attnded the training programme take place at the Grand Chaitram Hotel, Thampanoor on the 18th and 19th of March.