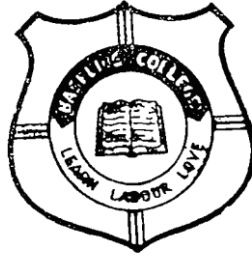


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### **Introduction**

Baselius College, Kottayam, Kerala was established in the year 1964 by a galaxy of eminent men to fulfill the long cherished dream of the Malankara Orthodox Christian Community to dedicate themselves to the service of God and man. This premier postgraduate institution that flourished from the precincts of the MD Seminary High School was founded to perpetuate the sacred memory of our heavenly patron His Holiness Baselios Geevarghese, the late lamented Catholicos of the East, who steered the destiny of the Orthodox Church with grace and vision for more than three decades. The college was brought under the Educational Agency of the Malankara Orthodox Church Colleges in 1979. The college was accredited by the NAAC at the three star level in 2000 and Reaccredited with B<sup>++</sup> level in 2007. The campus is made vibrant by several co-curricular and extracurricular activities. The faculty and students make optimum use of the Information and Communication Technology facilities available. The full fledged Computer Centre and Multimedia and Audiovisual Centre facilitate basic training to the students, and has made a conscious effort to invest in the hardware and train the faculty in documentation and data processing.

The College was re-accredited by NAAC in February 2007 with B<sup>++</sup> rating. The college also produced several ranks, B.Com (Model I) – II Rank, B.Com (Vocational) –OM & SP – I, II and III Ranks, BA Malayalam – III Rank, BA Political Science – III Rank & MA Economics – I Rank. Altogether the gone year was a glorious year in the history of this college.

### **Emblem**

The college emblem carries the motto ‘Learn, Labour and Love’. Every member of the college shall acknowledge that learning truth is his pursuit, labouring hard is his preoccupation and loving all is his religion.

### **Vision**

To be a premier temple of higher learning, imparting quality holistic education to all seekers irrespective of caste, creed and gender.

### **Mission**

To dispel the darkness of ignorance and elevate youngsters to the pedestal of wisdom by fostering spirituality, knowledge and skill, thereby empowering them to deal with real life situations and equipping them to build a fruitful future for themselves and the society at large.

### **Objectives**

The College stands for academic excellence, development of skill and character formation so as to produce intellectually mature, morally upright, socially committed and spiritually inspired men and women. In pursuance of this mission, the College has set the following objectives:

- ❖ To develop the potentialities of young men and women and help all those engaged in the pursuit of Truth and Knowledge, keeping in view the intellectual, physical and spiritual values.
- ❖ To inculcate the sense of discipline, social responsibility and community service in the youth and also to bring home the dignity of manual labour.
- ❖ To provide society with the right kind of leadership and men and women trained in various spheres who are competent to tackle the problems in life and make them worthy citizens of our community and the country in general.
- ❖ To instil in the students a sense of national pride and appreciation of Indian traditions and cultures.
- ❖ To sensitise students to critique current socio-economic, political and cultural issues and to denounce all forms of oppression relating to class, caste and gender.
- ❖ To sensitise students to environmental issues, thus motivating them to promote ecological justice and sustainable development.
- ❖ To establish a link between the institution and policy-makers through collaborative research leading to social development.
- ❖ To recognize the advantages of using modern tools and technological innovations for teaching and governance and their visible impact and motivating role in empowering the student community.

#### **SECTION A: PLAN FOR ACTION CHALKED IN THE BEGINNING OF THE YEAR (2007-2008) TOWARDS QUALITY ENHANCEMENT.**

At the beginning of the academic year, a meeting of the IQAC was held and a plan of action was chalked out keeping in mind the following objectives:

- \* Fostering global competencies and enhancing academic excellence among students.
- \* Addressing the environmental and societal issues
- \* Creating a balanced personality in students
- \* Promoting the use of technology

#### **Fostering global competencies and enhancing academic Excellence**

In order to foster global competencies and academic excellence among the students, the following plans were chalked out.

- To conduct national and state level workshops and invited lectures and seminars in the UG and PG departments.
- To continue add on courses in the Departments of Botany, Chemistry and Physics
- To conduct periodic debates and quiz competitions.

#### **Addressing the environmental and societal issues**

- To strengthen the activities of National Service schemes, NCC and Nature club.
- The Red Ribbon Club is functioning in this college in close association with our NSS units. Its main objective is to sensitize students regarding the need for voluntary blood donation. Side by side, it also helps create awareness regarding diseases such as HIV/AIDS,

Hepatitis B etc which are mainly spread through infected blood, casual and unprotected sexual contact etc. Our Red Ribbon Club unit arranges mass blood donation programmes on selected dates, accepting blood from all willing students and staff. It also arranges blood for medical emergencies reported from neighbouring hospitals. Every year, on World Aids Day (December 1<sup>st</sup>), there will be special awareness programmes under the auspices of the RRC.

### **Creating a balanced personality in students**

- To arrange orientation programmes and value education classes for the students to improve their self awareness, motivation and mental and moral hygiene.
- To organize health monitoring programmes in the Physical Education and Zoology departments, and also under the auspices of NCC and NSS.

### **Promoting the use of technology**

- To purchase licensed computer software.
- Internet facility to be made available in all Departments and networking to be established.
- Strengthening the multimedia and online radio on the campus.
- Purchase of more computers for all departments.

## **SECTION B:**

### **1. Activities reflecting the goals and objectives of the institution:**

The institution wishes to reflect its goals and objectives in all the curricular, co curricular and extracurricular programmes offered. All activities are focused on allowing the students to grasp, imbibe, and disseminate the vision of the institution. Focusing on these ideals, the following activities were organized:

- \* The activities of the Counseling Cell, Women's Forum, Men's Forum, and NCC, NSS are strengthened which contributed to the personality development of the students. Co-curricular activities augment the students to use their knowledge base in a different ways through organizing group discussions, quiz programmes, panel discussions etc.
- \* Orientation programme was conducted for first year UG and PG students.
- \* NSS unit of the college organized several activities under the college level theme 'For the Home Town and the Country'. The unit conducted district level Legal Literacy Programme for the second year degree students, Hosted procession and seminar in connection with AIDS Day with the co-operation of various NGOs and District Administration department.

#### **➤ Department of English**

- Organized Medical Emergency Awareness programme by IEMS on 28th November 2007.
- Conducted the Film fest "Reflections" on 21 & 22 November 2007 and Sakshara Keralam, Sundara Keralam- Cartoon Designing on 8<sup>th</sup> September 2007. Documentary film on Hiroshima day was also screened.

- The department organized various programmes in connection with World Environment Day, Child Labour Day, and AIDS day.
- Value based orientation programme by Sadhu Padmanabhan was conducted on 21<sup>st</sup> August 2007.
- Dept. of English signed an M.O.U with Sutherlands Global Communication System to start communicative skills programme.

➤ **Department of Zoology**

- Conducted a seminar on 'Problems and solutions of Adolescence' on 21/08/2007 by Dr. Jose Kuruvilla, Pediatrician, Medical College, Pushpagiri, Kerala.
- Department of Zoology conducted a seminar on organic farming on 26/11/2007 by Tom Zacharia, Bijumon Kurian and Anjuma Gayan of Manarcaud Social Service Society.
- 36 students of the Dept participated in a survey on 'Chikungunya Outbreak', in Kottayam District from June-July 31<sup>st</sup> organized by TIES & School of Environmental Studies, MG University, under the guidance of the faculty of this Dept.
- Students and teachers visited the food fish culturing farm at Kumarakom on 10/07/2007 for a study on fish culturing and harvesting. They also visited the Kumarakom Bird Sanctuary for bird species diversity studies.

➤ **Department of Malayalam**

- Pothiyil Gurukulam is a traditional training centre for kooth and koodiyattom in Manganam, a village near to Kottayam town. Malayalam dept. gives whole hearted support to the functioning of the gurukulam by all means. Usually the annual celebration of the Pothiyil Gurukulam is hosted by the dept. Teachers and students visited Manganam Balabhavan, a poor boys' home and spent a day with them. The expenses of the meals of that day were also met by the Dept.

➤ **Department of Chemistry**

- Chemistry exhibition 'Rasavismayam' was conducted in November 2007.
- Counseling classes for 2<sup>nd</sup> and final year students were conducted.

➤ **Department of Commerce**

- The major programme of the year was 'Commerce Kaleidoscope' the Inter Collegiate Commerce Fest hosted by the Association. Competitions were held in five different management and cultural events in which 150 students from different colleges participated. K.G. College won the overall Championship.

➤ **Department of Politics**

- Organized special lectures and seminars related to Environment Day, Voters Day and Hiroshima Day.

**2. New Academic Programmes initiated (UG and PG):**

No new programmes were initiated during the year. (Applied for, but not sanctioned).

### 3. Innovations in curricular design and transaction:

Members of Board of Studies Dr. V.A. Philip (Malayalam) and Dr. P.V. Viswanathan Nampoothiri (Sanskrit) have done their level best in. Prof. K. Mathew Member of Syndicate, Mahatma Gandhi University and Prof. Geethakumari, Academic council member of MG University have played key roles in the curriculum designing.

### 4. Inter-disciplinary programmes started:

No new programme started. Interdisciplinary programmes for B.Sc. Students, and BA students based on their curriculum were conducted. Zoology was taught to Botany, Botany for Zoology students, Chemistry for Botany and Zoology, Mathematics for Physics and Statistics to Mathematics and Quantitative tools for economic analysis for MA Economics.

The students get opportunity to join for the 3 Career oriented programmes-Add on courses- conducted by the three departments –

- 1.) Chemistry - Water Analysis in association with Dept of Environmental Chemistry, MG University
- 2.) Physics - Computer Hardware Maintenance
- 3.) Botany - Rubber production Management.

### 5. Examination reforms implemented:

- A minimum of two internal examinations were conducted every year.
- An examination committee was set up.
- The committee suggested to follow the seating arrangements of university examination for internal assessment tests also, fixing a reasonable teacher student ratio in each class to facilitate efficient invigilation during examinations.

### 6. Candidates qualified: NET/SLET/GATE etc.

EXAMINATION	Number of successful candidates
NET/SET/SLET	7
GATE/CAT	0
Total	7

### 7. Initiative towards faculty development programmes:

The management conducts an annual conference of teachers of the MOC Corporate Management every year to motivate teachers. One day educational seminar in connection with the annual conference was found to be fruitful in the holistic quality enhancement of the teachers of the institution.

*Orientation Programme/Refresher courses*

SI No	Name of the teacher	Dept.	Course
1.	Dr. Jalaja J Malayan	Chemistry	Refresher course on e-content –development held at CACEE, Cochin University of Science and Technology from 5-3-2007 to 26-3-2007
2.	Prof. Sosamma Chandapillai	Chemistry	Orientation Programme - IT Oriented (UGC Sponsored) conducted at Academic Staff College,

			University of Kerala, Kariavattom, Thiruvananthapuram from 17-4-2007 to 14-5-2007.
3.	Dr. Nirmala Joseph	Physics	Refresher course- 26/07/2007 to 16/ 08/ 2007 UGC Sponsored, ASC, Thiruvananthapuram.
4.	Dr. Jalaja J Malayan	Chemistry	Refresher course at Maharaja's College Ernakulam 6/02/2008 - 27/02/2008.

FIP Programme

Teachers pursuing doctoral research under FIP: NIL

*Participation in Seminars & Workshops*

<b>Administrative level</b>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Orientation Programme</b> on the various schemes/programmes implemented by the Govt. /UGC for SC/ST students at the University Level Education was organized by Mahatma Gandhi University on 27.03.2008 in the University Assembly Hall. Attended by Prof. Rajan V. Thomas, Head of the Dept. of Botany, representing SC/ST Monitoring Cell of Baselius College.</li> <li><b>Seminar</b> on Restructuring and Grading in Degree at Baselius College on 27.02.2008 –all teachers participated.</li> <li><b>One day seminar</b> on Quality Initiatives in Re-accredited Institutions conducted by IQAC of Assumption College, Changanasserry on 22<sup>nd</sup> Feb 2008. Dr. J. Nalini (Commerce Dept)</li> </ol>

Sl. No	Name	Department	Level	Seminar Title	Duration	Venue
1.	Dr. Maya Kuriakose	English	State	Teaching improvement Techniques	1 day 15/4/07	Baselius College, Kottayam
2.	Dr. Varghese					
3.	Leena Prof.					
4.	Jyothimol P Prof. Daisy Zacharia					
5.	Dr. Maya Kuriakose	English	State	Issues of Representation in Literature by Prof. Jayaram	1 Day	Baselius College, Kottayam
6.	Prof. Elsa .C. Maria Sebastian					
7.	Prof. Omana Mathew	Economics	Regional	Women Empowerment	1 day 1/12/07	YWCA Kottayam

8.	Dr. Biju Thomas	Physical Education	National	Preservation and propagation of Indigenous Sports and Games in India organized by Maruthy College of Physical Education, Coimbatore	28, 29 Feb 2008	Maruthy College of Physical Education, Coimbatore
9.	Dr. Biju Thomas	Physical Education	National	Innovative approaches to excellence in Physical Education and Sports	27/2/08	Kongunalu Arts and Science College, Coimbatore
10.	Dr. Eley I.C.	Hindi	National	Functional Hindi	10, 11 January 2008	St. Thomas College, Pala
11.	Dr. Eley I.C.	Hindi	National	Translation a cultural bridge	7,8 Feb 2008	St. Teresas College, Ernakulam
12.	All Staff	Chemistry	Regional	Electro analytical methods	14/3/07	Baselius College, Kottayam
13.	Dr. Daisy Joseph	Chemistry	State	Quality Initiatives in Reaccredited Institutions conducted by IQAR	22/2/08	Assumption College, Changanasserry
14.	Prof. Sosamma Chandapilla	Chemistry	State	Structural computation in the field of chemistry	3/4/08	CMS College, Kottayam
15.	Dr. Daisy Joseph	Chemistry	State	Resource Person: Dr. Manoj (Techno park, Trivandrum.)		Baselius college, Kottayam
16.	Dr. Susan Panicker	Zoology	State	Seminar on Pathiramanal Diversity conservation and responsible Ecotourism development organized by Muhamma Grama Panchayat and centre for Earth Science Studies, Thiruvananthapuram.	5/7/07	Muhamma Grama Panchayat
17.	Dr. Varghese	English	National	Transcending Borders and Cultures	26/2/07 to	Baselius College,



	Leena & staff of the dept				27/3/07	Kottayam
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### 8. Total number of seminars/workshops conducted:

Sl. No	College/ Department	Topic	Regional/ State/ National/ International	Date And Venue	Target Group
1.	Economics	Interview Techniques and Career guidance. Resource Person: Dr. P.R. Venkita- Raman, Eminent Career guidance expert.	Regional	26 -11-07	PG Students of Economics
2.	Chemistry	Electro Analytical Method	State	14-3-07	Teachers and Students
3.	Botany	Rubber plantation cultivation practices	Regional	10-09-07	Farmers and Biofarming promoters
4.	Chemistry	Campaign against global warming	Regional	5-5-07	Students
5.	Chemistry	Newer Techniques in Organic Reaction Mechanism	Regional	19-11-07	PG and UG Students
6.	English	Transcending Borders and Cultures: Transaction and Interdisciplinary studies (UGC sponsored) Two days	National	26-2-07 27-3-07	Teachers and Students
7.	English	Smt. Manju Mathew Memorial Lecture	Regional	31-10-07	PG Students and research Scholars
8.	English	Orientation for teachers	Regional	15-11-07	Teachers

### 9. Research Projects

#### RESEARCH PROJECTS: Ongoing

Sl. No	Faculty	Dept	Grant allocated	Grant received	Project Title	Period	Complete or Not
1.	Dr.Varghese Leena	English (TRADA) Minor Research Project	10,000	10,000	Psycho-spiritual needs of the Tsunami Affected People of Ward Nos. 1&15 of Kuthiathode Panchayath of	2007-2008	Ongoing

					Alleppey District.		
2.	Dr.Daisy Joseph and Dr.Annamma Kurian	Chemistry (UGC) Minor Research Project	40,000	40,000	NR/PAN and NR/PMMMA Graftco polymer synthesis and characterization	2006-2008	Ongoing
3.	Dr.Jalaja J Malayan& Dr.Meera V	Chemistry (UGC) Minor Research Project	60,000	60,000	Acid base properties and catalytic activity of magnesium-aluminium mixed oxides	2006-2008	Ongoing
4.	Dr. P.V. Viswanathan Nampoothiri	Sanskrit (UGC) Major Research Project	234700	234700	Keraliya Thanthra Vidya and Its Relevance in Modern Society.	2007-2009	Ongoing

**10. Patents generated, if any:** NIL

Patent application was submitted for “Cellulose Nanofibre produced from water hyacinth” by a team lead by Prof. Varkey Mathew, Head of the Dept. of Chemistry. Application No. 2506/Che/2007

**11. New collaborative research programmes:** NIL

**12. Research grants received from various agencies:** 1.1 lakhs

**13. Details of research scholars:**

Sl. No.	Name of the Research guide/ Subject & Dept.	Name of the Research Scholar	Title	Ongoing/ Awarded / Year
1.	Dr. Susan Panicker Sub: Microbiology Dept. of Zoology	1. Nisha S Babu	Effect of Vermicompost enriched with different Microbial fertilizers on the growth and yield of brinjal	Ongoing
		2. Dr. Razia S. Ebrahim	Identification, isolation of Actinomycete Frankia on the growth of Casuarina sp of Kerala	Awarded Ph.D in 2008
		3. Sangeetha S.	Studies on the effect of Arburcular fungi on the growth performance of cow pea vigna unguiculata	Ongoing
		4. Elizabeth Basil	Resident bacterial flora of freshwater fishes and prevalence of bacterial activity in integrated farming	Ongoing

2.	Dr. P.V. Viswanathan Nampoothiri Sub: Sanskrit Dept. of Sanskrit	1. Satheesh kumar Kandoth	Idioms and phrases of Bhasha- a critical study	Ongoing
		2. Sajeevkumar S.	Adwaita Sidhi and Nyayamrutatarangini-A comparative study limited to mithyatva	Ongoing
		3. Prasanna Antharjanam M. N.	Anviksiki disa Bhagavatha puranasya pathanam	Ongoing
		4. Sunil Angadickal.	Cities mentioned in the Pancamahakavyas-A Study	Ongoing
		5. Harikrishna Sharma K.N.	A Concept of dream. A study based on Yogavasistha and C.G.Jung	Ongoing
		6.Induja	Manusmritis on Public Interest and present public interest litigation	Ongoing
		7.Vijayaraj	A critical study of Taitiriyopanishad with reference to Panchakosha Sidantha	Ongoing
		8.Syam M.S.	The relevance of teaching of Kathopanishat in modern life	Ongoing
3.	Dr. Varghese Leena Dept. of English	1. Jishamol Alex	Women and Ecology in the selected works of Kamala Das and Sugatha Kumari	Ongoing
		2. Trisina M. Alapatt	Undefined Boundaries of Self: Gender, Culture and Resistance in selected works of Maxine Hong Kingston and Sandra Cisneros	Ongoing
4.	Dr. Alexander Raju (Retd. from Baselius College, Kottayam) English	Sri. Jyothis P Kuruvilla	Photographing a green survivalist perspective. An Eco-Aesthetic approach to “The Book of Prophet Isaiah”	Ongoing

5.	Dr. Annie Margret (Retd. from BCM College, KTM) English	Bijimol Thomas	A Comparative study of the search for Bleak identity in the selected plays of Lorraine Hansbewrry and James Baldcoin	Ongoing
6.	Dr. Alexander Raju	Prof. Jyothimol P	Texts, Counter-Texts and Inter-Tets: An Analysis of inter-textuality in Jean Rhy's Wide Sargasso Sea and JM Coetzee's Foe	Ongoing
7.	Dr. A.M. Unnikrishnan	Dr. M.A. Siddeek M.A Sandya V.S. Biji V.G. Jalaja Bhaskaran	Politics in Malayalam Short Story 1980 onwards.	Ongoing

**14. Citation index of faculty members and impact factor** NIL

**OTHER PUBLICATIONS**

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*Research Papers Published*

Department of English

1. **Dr. Varghese Leena** 'Noonakal: A Study In Child Fantasy', Baselius Researcher, Vol. 8, No.1, June 2007.
2. **Dr. Rajith Chandran M.R.:** Eloquent Silences of the Occidental Orient: Analysis of Orhan Puumuk's Snow, Baselius Researcher, Vol. 8, No.1, June 2007.
3. **Dr. Alexander Raju:** The Sociopolitical moifs in Sahleselasme's novel. The Atersata – a critique. From Improvisational Ecriture to Hyper textual collagry.

Department of Malayalam

**Dr. A.M. Unnikrishnan**

Published in Kesary Magazine

4. Saphalami Jeevitham (about Dr. V.S. Sarma) 11<sup>th</sup> March 2007.
5. Kavithayude Veendedupe (About Indira Asokan's Poems) 16<sup>th</sup> Dec 2007.
6. Vadakum koorile orkumbol: Annual Issue 2007.

Published in Pragathy Gaveshana Magazine

7. Ara noottandinte sahithyam kathirum Pathirum Annual Issue 2007.
8. Akashathinum Appuram July- September 2007.
9. Sahanam – Cheravally Sasiyude Kavyakrithiyil "Smruthiyum Moolyavum Punarjanikkunna Kavitha" Dec 2007.

Department of Chemistry

Paper Presentations

**Prof. Varkey Mathew**

10. 'Cellulose Nano fibre from banana and plant waste', at the Incubation Programme conducted by IIT Bombay, Alumni Association, Pune Branch held at Pune, 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> October 2007.
11. Did a presentation and exhibition of New nano fibre material invented in innovations 2008 conducted by IIT alumni association, Pune on January 4-7, 2008.

**Dr. Suma Bino Thomas**

12. Effect of Degree of cross-linking on the oxidation behavior of poly-vinyl pyrrolidone supported chromate' at the Dept. of Chemistry, Calicut University, 11-12 January 2007.

Research Papers Published

**Dr. Daisy Joseph**

13. Excess thermodynamic functions, polarizability, polarization and the molar volume of some mixed solvents, Baseliu Researcher, Vol. 8, No.2, December 2007.

**Dr. Annie Mathews**

14. A simple method to synthesize pyrimidine derivatives, Baseliu Researcher, Vol. 8, No.2, December 2007.

**Dr. Jalaja J. Malayan**

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16. Analytical Estimation of Soil Samples – Baseliu Researcher Vol. 8, No. 1, June 2007.

Department of Zoology

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**Dr. Susan Panicker**

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18. Bacterial diversity of precompost and Intestinal bacterial flora of *Eisenia foetida*, Baseliu Researcher Vol. 8, No.2, December 2007.
19. Studies on the relation between pH and distribution of Arbuscular mycorrhizal fungi in Kerala soils. *Indian Journal of Bot. Research* (ISSN 0973-2233) 2007 Vol. 3, No-2,307.

Department of Hindi

20. **Dr. Elcy I.C** – Harisanker Parsai Ka Kadha Sahithya: Manaveeya Samlagnatha - Baseliu Researcher, Vol. 8, No.1, June 2007.

Department of Politics

21. **Prof. Joshua George** – Social Formation of The St.Thomas Christians of Kerala In The First Sixteen Centuries - Baseliu Researcher, Vol. 8, No.1, June 2007.

Department of Physics

**22. Dr. V.M.Mathew** – Mainstream of absolute relativistic grand unified spin resonance cosmology – Can gravitation be detected? - Baseliuss Researcher, Vol. 8, No.2, December 2007.

*Books Published*

**Dr. Varghese Leena** – Dept. of English

Whispering Echos, Kottayam: Impressions, 2007.

**15. Honors/Awards to the faculty:**

- \* Member of the Syndicate, MG. University - Prof. K Mathew Dept. of Physics.
- \* Academic council member - Prof. Geethakumary Dept. of Mathematics.
- \* Board of studies Members: Dr. P Viswanathan Nampoothiri, Dept. of Sanskrit & Dr. V.A.Philip, Dept of Malayalam.
- \* Member ISPS (Indian Society for Probability and Statistics) - Dr.Annie Cherian.
- \* Life member of AMI (Association of Microbiologists of India) – Dr.Susan Panicker.
- \* Life member of IABMS (Indian Association of Biomedical Scientists) -Dr.Susan Panicker.
- \* Prof.Varkey Mathew was a resource person in a one day seminar for Bank officers and entrepreneurs on 31/01/2008.
- \* Prof.Varkey Mathew chaired one session in the International seminar on Advanced Materials conducted by M G University, Kottayam.
- \* Dr. A.M. Unnikrishnan, Dept. of Malayalam got Durgadathan award for literary criticism, instituted by Tapasya Sahithyavedi 2007-2008.
- \* Prof. M.J. Thomas Endowment instituted by the PTA in the name of Prof. M.J. Thomas who was the principal of the college from 1988 to 1994, to be awarded to the outstanding members of the teaching staff every year generally awarded to the retiring faculty.

Recipients this year are: Fr. E. M. Philip, Dr. Molly Varghese, Prof. P. A. Kochuthresia.

**16. Internal resources generated:**

The human resources available in the college are very effectively utilized for the overall development of the students. The Principal delegates charges of various tasks to teachers whose potential can be efficiently used for the development of the institution. The administrative staff of the college is also adequately trained to promote the overall development of the students.

The financial resources of the college are effectively managed for the overall development of the college. The college Bursar supervises the management of financial resources and he functions as Laison officer between the management and the Principal.

The Departments of the college generated a total amount of Rs. 1046376.33 through various activities such as Dept. Association collection, Study materials, Sponsorship for Workshops / Seminars, PTA, Alumni, Staff Association Collection, College Union Collection etc.

Sl.No	ITEM	AMOUNT	
		Rs.	Ps.
1.	PTA	4,87,000	00
2.	Alumni	10,000	00
3.	<b>Depts.</b>		
	Botany	19,679	00
	Zoology	31,977	99
	Physics	50,700	00
	Chemistry	78,550	00
	Mathematics	15,550	00
	Commerce	99,815	00
	English	35,973	29
	Economics	31,264	05
	Politics	9060	00
	Malayalam	19,300	00
	Commerce-Vocational	47,507	00
4.	Management	1,00,000	00
5.	Other Well Wishers	10,000	00
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1046376</b>	<b>33</b>

**17. Details of the departments getting SAP, COSIST(ASSIST)/DST.FIST, etc. assistance/recognition:** NIL

**18. Community services:**

Activities of NSS

The National Service Scheme of Baselius College has been trying to give an extension dimension to the Higher Education system and to orient the student youth to community service while they are studying in educational institutions. The activities of the year 2007-08 were organized under the guidance and leadership of the Programme Officers:- Prof. K.J. Cherian, Dr. K.M. Yeldho and Prof. Jyothimol P.. Ganga P. Nair (II BA Economics), Sreedevi T.K. (II BA English) and Sajan Puthuchira Alex (I BA English) were volunteer secretaries.

Theme of the Year

Activities of the year were organized according to the university theme 'Healthy youth for Healthy India'. Activities were conducted under the college level theme 'For the Home & the Country'.

Important Activities of the Year

- Three day orientation camp for the freshers.
- Ten day special camp for the first year volunteers at Pallikkathode.

- Street play at Pallikkathode to create public awareness against drug addiction.
- Beautification and maintenance of civil station campus.
- Celebration of Children's day with the members of Poor Boy's Home Kanjikuzhy.
- Jubilee Cup Test Series Cricket Match, to strengthen teacher-student relationship.
- District level Legal Literary Programme for the Second year degree students.
- Active participation in the Gandhijyothiyathra at University on Gandhijayanhi day.
- Hosted procession and seminar in connection with AIDS Day with the co-operation of various NGOs and District Administration Department.
- An interaction with the members of various Kudumbashree units of Pallikkathode Panchayath.
- Construction and maintenance of roads in Pallikkathode panchayath.
- Participation in the seminar on Minority Rights by Human Rights Protection Council in connection with Human Rights Day.

#### Celebration of Important Days

- Independence Day
- NSS day
- Teachers Day
- AIDS day
- Children's day
- Human Rights Day

#### Seminars /awareness programmes

- Active participation in various seminars conducted by NGOs and different agencies.

#### University level representation

- Volunteers of our unit participated in the intercollegiate camps organized by different colleges.
- Participated in the state level camps conducted at different universities.

#### Activities of National Cadet Corps

Our college is having a Sub-Unit of NCC with 108 cadets. This includes 32 girl cadets. The sub-Unit is under 16 (K) Bn. NCC of Kottayam Group and is commanded by Major K. Mathew.

In addition to regular parades on 20 Saturdays, our Sub-Unit is utilizing all seats allotted to us in various camps at District, State and National Level. This year, we gave special thrust on cleanliness and we undertook awareness programmes against Chickun Guinya. Our cadets also donated blood for the needy. Our Office and Cadets are in the forefront of the maintenance of discipline in the Campus.

#### Department of Botany

A DRC - Dry Rubber Content testing lab is set to test the actual dry rubber content in latex. Rubber growers in and around Kottayam are benefitted through this service for a nominal fee. DRC of a latex sample decides its price/kg.



### Department of Zoology

Department has a fullfledged Microbiology Research lab functioning under the leadership of Dr. Susan Panicker. Periodic drinking water quality –bacteriological- testing is done in the lab collecting untreated water samples from the dug wells around Kottayam. This surveillance studies helps to take precautions against water borne disease outbreaks.

#### **19. Teachers and officers newly recruited:**

Assistant Professors-NIL

Guest Lecturers

<b>Department</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Name</b>
Zoology	1.	Susan Kuruvilla
Commerce	2.	Sathyakala
	3.	Jaya Jacob
Physics	4.	Merinmol Punnen
	5.	Pinky Joy
	6.	Deepa John
	7.	Aparna K
English	8.	Maya Thomas
	9.	Deepthimol D
	10.	Biby Moitheen
	11.	Divya E J

**20. Teaching - Non-teaching staff ratio:** 3:1

#### **21. Improvements in the library services:**

The plans were made in the course of the previous academic years to bring about improvements in the services offered in the Library. In addition to the resources that have been added in terms of books and journals, the library automation is in progress, which is fully equipped to deal with the demands of the student and teaching body. The students have individual ID cards which permit entry. This system allows for easy management and supervision of resources. PCs, Laser printer and Photocopiers are added during the course of the academic year.

#### **General Library**

Total Number of Books 34098

Total Number of Journals 20

Total Number of Periodicals 25

Additions during the period 101

#### **22. New books /journals subscribed and their cost: (General library)**

<b>Year</b>	<b>New Books Added</b>	<b>Journals Subscribed</b>
2007-08	101	20

Departments also maintain a good collection of books and journals brought under various schemes, donated by alumni, and teaching staff. They are maintained under the responsibility of the HOD and teacher in charge. Annual stock verification and

maintenance of records such as issue register makes the functioning smooth, useful and transparent.

The number of books and journals according to annual stock verification is given below:

Sl. No	Department	No. of books	Name/ Number of Journals
1.	Zoology	432	1.Indian Journal of Microbiology 2.Current Science 3.Journal of Zoological Society of Kerala 4.Journal of Biosciences 5.Journal of Genetics 6.The Herald of Health
2.	Botany	800	NIL
3.	Physics	1300	2
4.	Chemistry	400	2
5	Mathematics	2250	NIL
6.	Commerce	1487	12
7.	Commerce-vocational	1000	NIL
8.	English	1520	2
9.	Economics	2014	2
10.	Malayalam	2623	7
11.	Politics	477	NIL

### **23. Courses in which student assessment of teachers is introduced and the action taken on student feedback:**

The teachers were assessed for their strengths and weaknesses, the results are available to individual teachers. Teachers obtain feedback on course content and teaching methods. Suggestions given are suitably incorporated during revision of curriculum and evaluation.

Class PTAs are conducted every semester and the suggestions for the development of academic programmes are sought. Annual PTA meeting is also conducted to chalk out new academic programmes.

The outcome of the feedback resulted in the better performance of teachers, teaching quality has improved.

#### Feedback from stakeholders

The parents were open to discussion on upgrading of services, methods of teaching and disciplinary action. The Alumni association is also strong in the evaluation process.

### **24. Unit cost of education:**

Including salary Rs. 23,108.935

### **25. Computerization of administration and the process of admissions and examination results, issue of certificates:**

Office automation and Computerisation is in advanced stage. Student rank list is prepared on computer and rank list is published. Website management is in progress.

**26. Increase in infrastructural facilities:**

The success of an educational institution and the quality of education it imparts depend largely on the supportive infrastructure facilities. This year the institution has added a few facilities:

- \* A vermicomposting unit under the management of Zoology department.
- \* A room for the Computer lab in Botany department.
- \* Parking facilities for student's vehicles.
- \* Maintenance works of Laboratories, toilets, classrooms and pipelines.
- \* Fully equipped multimedia lab.

**27. Technology upgradation:**

Operating System upgraded with Microsoft Windows and Antivirus in all the computers. Installed new desktops and printers in all the Departments. The equipments were bought to the Science Departments according to the allocation of UGC funds and management aid. The multimedia lab provides special training to students by conducting a diploma course in animation.

**28. Computer and internet access and training to teachers and students:**

Computer and internet facilities are made easily accessible to the students by availing these facilities to each department and library. The Zoology, Botany and some UG curriculum has made computer knowledge mandatory to pass the course, as they included theory and practicals in General Informatics and computer application.

**29. Financial aid to students:**

State and Central Government Scholarships:

Sl. No	Name	No. of students	Amount
1.	University Merit Scholarship	PG – 2	2,400.00
		UG – 5	10,800.00
2.	KPCR/SEBC	KPCR – 27	21,060.00
		SEBC – 20	15,922.00
3.	Fishermen Scholarship	9	44,576.00

Summary of Financial Aid:

Title	Number	Total Amount (Rs.)
Endowments	74	38,462.00
Freeships	10	21,600.00
Scholarships (Government) inclusive of Merit cum Means	63	99,858.00
Scholarship (Institution) inclusive of Merit cum Means	36	45,000.00

Fishermen Scholarship					
Sl.No.	Name	Category	Class	Amt.	Disbursed on
1	AmbilyV.R	H.Ezhava	D2 Chem	5074	3.08.2007
2	Darsana M	H.Ezhava	D2 Bot	5234	3.08.2007
3	Soumya P.N	H.Ezhava	D2 Bot	5234	15.01.2008
4	Joby P.A	C. Jacobite	D3 Pol	4719	4.08.2007
5	Aneesh Kumar K.S.	H.Ezhava	D3 Math	4769	3.08.2007
6	Sreejith R	H.Ezhava	D3 Phy	4543	10.08.2007
7	Anjanamol M.A.	H.Ezhava	D3 Phy	4989	4.08.2007
8	Savitha A	H.Ezhava	D3 Bot	5019	10.08.2007
9	Liza Vincent	C.Lat.C	M1 Eco	4995	4.08.2007
			<b>Total</b>	<b>44576</b>	

SEBC Stipend and Lumpsum Grant					
Year	Name		Amt.	Disbursed on	
2007-08	Distributed to 20 students		15922	17.03.2008	
KPCR Stipend and Lumpsum Grant					
Year	Name		Amt.	Disbursed on	
2007-08	Distributed to 27 students		21060	17.03.2008	
University Merit Scholarship for P.G. Course					
Year	Name	Class	Amt.	Disbursed on	
2006-08	Elizabeth Eapen	M.Com.	2400	27.10.2007	
		<b>Total</b>	<b>2400</b>		
2007-09	Nithya Mariam John	MA Eng	2400	16.09.2007	
		<b>Total</b>	<b>2400</b>		
University Merit Scholarship for U.G. Course					
Year	Sl.No.	Name	Class	Amt.	Disbursed on
2005-08	1.	Ravathi M Sugunan	B.Com	2700	13.05.2008
			<b>Total</b>	<b>2700</b>	
2006-09	1.	Vidhya Devi Unni	BA Poli	2700	27.01.2008
	2.	Jeethu Elsa Cherian	BA Poli	2700	18.01.2008
	3.	Sunitha P	BA Mal	2700	07.02.2008
	4.	Geethu Sreenivasan	BSc Bot	2700	18.01.2008
			<b>Total</b>	<b>10800</b>	

**ENDOWMENTS**

<b>Sl. No</b>	<b>Name of Endowment</b>	<b>Amount Rs:</b>
1.	Dr. A. P. Mani Memorial Endowment	920
2.	Prof. E. John Mathew, Koodarathil Endowment	400
3.	Prof. P.C. Alias Endowment	750
4.	Best outgoing NCC Cadets Award	500
5.	Dr. A.M. Unnikrishnan Endowment (a.)	500
6.	Social Service League Scholarship	900
7.	Jain Memorial Scholarship	363
8.	Padinjarekara Itty Kurian Trust fund	900
9.	Prof. S. Sreekumar Memorial Cash Awards	321
10.	Rev. Fr. C. Koshy Memorial Endowment	111
11.	Saly Jacob Memorial Endowment	117
12.	Mar Athanasius Scholarship	91
13.	K.P. John Memorial Fund	168
14.	Prof. M.C. Jacob and Prof. A.A. Markose Memorial Endowment	400
15.	Prof.C.K. Kuriakose Memorial Endowment	900
16.	Prof. V.V. Mathew Endowment	725
17.	Mrs. Kunjukunjamma Panicker Memorial Endowment	2000
18.	Prof. John Joseph (Vadakedathu) Endowment	141
19.	V.K. Philip Educational Endowment	7556
20.	K.U. Scaria Memorial Endowment	4000
21.	Prof. Manju Mathews Memorial Endowment	3600
22.	Prof. Rajaram Menon Memorial Endowment	1275
23.	Prof. C.J. Mannummoode Endowment	1163
24.	Dr. A.M. Unnikrishnan Endowment(b)	500
25.	K.C. Mathew Memorial Prize	35
26.	C. Paulose Memorial Endowment	248
27.	Sri. Joseph Chandy foundation	4000
28.	Mr. K.C. Chacko Kuttanchira Memorial Endowment	500
29.	Smt. & Sri. A.J. Chandapillai Memorial Endowment	500
30.	Vinod K. Punnen Memorial Prize	128
31.	C.K. Jeevan Memorial Award	2250
32.	Prof. O.M. Mathew Endowment	250
33.	Sunil George Memorial Endowment	450
34.	Prof. M J.Thomas Endowment	1800

*General:*

1. **Prof. E. John Mathew, Koodarathil Endowment:** On receiving the Dr. M.V. Pylee Award for the Best Principal in Kerala (2003), Prof. John Mathew instituted an award for the best outgoing student of the college
2. **Prof. P.C. Alias Endowment:** To be awarded to the best Class Cultural Club Association. This award was instituted by Prof. P.C. Alias, former Principal, out of the cash award he received from AIACHE for the best principal.
3. **Best outgoing NCC Cadets Award:** Instituted by Major K Mathew, NCC officer of the College to be awarded to the best outgoing cadet of every year.
4. **Dr. A.M. Unnikrishnan Endowment:** Instituted by Dr. Unnikrishnan, Reader in Malayalam, being the cash prize received by him on being selected for the best college teacher award 2009 by Prof. S Sivaprasad Foundation, Kollam. The interest of the amount (Rs.10,000) shall be paid to a deserving student of the college on merit cum means basis.
5. **Social Service League Scholarship:** Merit scholarship instituted by the Social Service League to be awarded to 1<sup>st</sup> year Degree/PG Students on the basis of merit cum means.
6. **Jain Memorial Scholarship:** In memory of the late Jain George who was a student of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Pre-Degree during 1987-88 to be given to 3 Orthodox students of the first year Degree (Physics, Chemistry, Maths) class on the basis of merit cum means.
7. **Prof S. Sreekumar Memorial Cash Awards:** To be given to the Kalaprabhitha and Kalathilakom of the College Arts Festival. These awards carrying a cash prize of Rs.300/- each have been instituted by Prof. R. Sukumaran Nair, in memory of his son late Prof. Sreekumar (who was a brilliant teacher in the Hindi Department of our college and who met with an untimely death in a car accident in December 1997).
8. **Rev. Fr. C. Koshy Memorial Endowment:** Instituted by his daughter Prof. T.K. Ammini to be given to the final Degree Student who secures the highest marks in Part II Hindi Examination.

*Dept. of Commerce:*

9. **Saly Jacob Endowment:** In memory of the late Saly Jacob who was a student of the final year B.Com Degree Class of the college during 1976-77, to be awarded to the student scoring highest marks in final year B.Com.
10. **Mar Athanasius Scholarship:** To be awarded to the student who secures the highest marks in the B.Com final University examination, instituted by the late P.C. Pilo.
11. **K.P. John Memorial Fund:** In memory of K.P. John who was a student of 2<sup>nd</sup> year B.Com Degree classes during 1982-83, to be awarded to the student securing the highest mark in the second B.Com University exams.
12. **Prof. M.C. Jacob and Prof. A.A. Markose Memorial Endowment:** Instituted by the Dept. of Commerce in memory of the two departed members of the staff, to be awarded to the two best Commerce students.

*Dept. of Physics:*

13. **Jain Memorial Scholarship:** In memory of the late Jain George who was a student of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Pre-Degree during 1988-87 to be given to 3 Orthodox students of the first year Degree (Physics, Chemistry, Maths) class on the basis of merit –cum means.
14. **Prof. V.V. Mathew Endowment:** To be awarded to the best out-going M.Sc. Physics (Final) students.

*Dept. of Zoology:*

15. **Mrs. Kunjukunjamma Panicker Memorial Endowment:** Instituted by Dr. Susan Panicker, Dept. of Zoology in memory of her mother to be awarded to the students who pass B.Sc. (Zoology) Final and 2nd Year University exam with highest marks.

*Dept. of Botany:*

16. **Prof. John Joseph (Vadakedathu) Endowment:** To honour the topper in the B.Sc. Botany Final Examination.

*Dept. of English:*

17. **V.K. Philip Educational Endowment:** To be given to the selected students from each year of the UG and PG course in English Literature on the basis of merit. (Endowment Amount Rs.1,00,000/-)
18. **K.U. Scaria Memorial Endowment:** Instituted by Smt. Daisy Zachariah of the Dept. of English in memory of her father late Sri. K.U. Scaria to be awarded to English Main students who score high marks in D1, D2 and D3 classes.
19. **Prof. Manju Mathews Memorial Endowment:** Instituted by her family in memory of Smt. Manju who died in harness in 2006 to be awarded to the best outgoing students of BA English (Final) and MA English (Final) every year.
20. **Prof. Rajaram Menon Memorial Endowment:** Instituted by his family in memory of the Founder Head of the Dept. of English for the Topper in English.

*Dept. of Malayalam:*

21. **Prof. C.J. Mannummoode Endowment:** To be awarded to the student who secures the highest marks in BA Malayalam.
22. **Dr. A.M. Unnikrishanan Endowment:** Instituted by Dr. A.M. Unnikrishnan with the cash award received by him from AIACHE on his selection for the 'Best Teacher' Award in 2008 for the topper in Malayalam.
23. **K.C. Mathew Memorial Prize:** To be awarded to the student of the III year degree class who gets the highest marks in Malayalam in the second year university examination instituted by his son Sri K.M. Cherian (Junior).

*Dept. of Chemistry:*

24. **C. Paulose Memorial Endowment:** In memory of the late Prof. C. Paulose of the Chemistry Dept. of this college, a scholarship with the annual value of Rs.500/- to be awarded to the selected student of the final year.

25. **Sri. Joseph Chandy Foundation Scholarship in Chemistry:** These scholarships are given to five students of the Chemistry Dept. D1, D2, D3, M1 and M2 classes on merit cum means basis.
26. **Mr. K.C. Chacko Kuttanchira Memorial Endowment:** Instituted by Prof. K.C. Mariamma in memory of her father to be awarded to the best outgoing P.G. Student in Chemistry.
27. **Smt. & Sri. A.J. Chandapillai Memorial Endowment:** Instituted by Prof. Sosamma Chandapillai in memory of her parents to be awarded to the best out-going all rounder in Chemistry.

*Dept of Mathematics:*

28. **Vinod K. Punnen Memorial Prize:** For the student of D3 Maths who scores the highest marks in the first & second year main and subsidiaries put together.

*Dept of Economics:*

29. **C.K. Jeevan Memorial Award:** In memory of C.K. Jeevan who was a student of BA Economics Degree class of this college (1976-79) to be awarded to 3 students of the BA Economics degree class on the basis of merit cum means.

*Dept of Politics:*

30. **Prof. O.M. Mathew Endowment:** To be awarded to the student of D3 Politics who passes the BA exam with the highest marks.
31. **Sunil George Memorial Endowment:** Instituted by his father and the Dept. of Politics to be awarded to the outstanding student in Politics.

**30. Support from the Alumni Association and its Activities:**

The General Body meeting of the 2007 was held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2007 at 2.30 pm. The meeting was presided over by the Alumni President Sri. Abraham Stephen and was inaugurated by Sri. P.H.Kurian IAS, Secretary to the Dept. of Industries. Kerala and M.D. KSIDC who is one of our illustrious Alumni. Prof. Fr. E.M.Philip the Principal of this College, Sri. Mons Joseph MLA & Sri. Narayanan Nambiar who are also the former students of this college addressed the gathering. 300 Alumni from different batches of the various years attended the meeting.

The faculty and the non-teaching staff who retired during the academic year were honored.

The chief guest Sri. P.H.Kurian donated Rs.5000/- as an endowment contribution.

Sri.Sajan Varghese who was the main sponsor of the Alumni day was honored and presented with a memento.

A resolution was passed at the meeting. ie., the Annual Meeting day of the Alumni Association of the Baselius College, Kottayam will be shifted from 2<sup>nd</sup> October to the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the month of July every year.

It was further resolved that if there are any hurdles in fixing that date the Executive Committee is empowered to decide on any convenient date to be decided by the executive committee. Prof. Jose Abraham the General coordinator of the Alumni Association. welcomed the gathering and the secretary Sri. Francis Jacob K. proposed the vote of thanks.



The meeting was followed by competitions, lucky dip, cultural extravaganza and sumptuous food.

The cultural programme included dances, Rangoli and orchestra by the Alumni and the students. Mr. T.U.John and Mrs. Jaya Susan John won the best couple contest and bagged a gold coin as a prize. The lucky winner of the lucky dip was also given a gold coin.

### **31. Support from the Parent-Teacher Association and its Activities:**

PTA Secretary	Prof. Bina Jacob
Major Project	Installation of Computer with Internet facility in the General Library
Project Cost	Rs. 66,895
Guest Lecturer Salary	Rs. 265,000
Class PTA meetings	Rs. 9600
Orientation programme for first year students in UG & PG Dates & Resource person	Rs. 15,017
Career guidance & Placement	Rs. 5000
Cash Awards for top scorers in each class	Rs. 25,500
Co-curricular activities assistance	Rs. 10,000
Seminars & Symposiums	Rs. 13,500
General Assistance to departments	Rs. 45,000
Funds Collected	Rs. 487,000
General Body meeting Resource Person	Rs. 23,457 Rev.Fr.Abraham Skaria
Number of committee meetings held	4

### **32. Health services:**

- \* NSS unit of the college organized several activities on the college level with the theme 'For the Home Town and the Country'. Conducted district level Legal Literacy Programme for the second year degree students. Hosted procession and seminar in connection with AIDS Day with the co-operation of various NGOs and District Administration department.
- \* Department of English organized Medical Emergency Awareness programme by IIEMS on 28th November 2007.
- \* Dept. of English conducted the Film fest "Reflections" on 21st & 22nd November 2007 and 'Sakshara Keralam, Sundara Keralam' -Cartoon Designing on 8<sup>th</sup> September 2007. A Documentary film on Hiroshima day was also screened.
- \* The departments organized various programmes in connection with World Environment Day, Child Labour Day, and AIDS day.
- \* Dept. of Zoology arranged a class on Chikungunya and its preventive measures for the entire college in the month of October 2007. Dr. Jose Joseph HOD of Community

Medicine, Medical College, Kottayam was the resource person. The department has also participated in a survey on the study of the root causes of vector borne diseases like Chikungunya with Tropical Institute of Ecological Sciences, Kottayam. The Department has a fullfledged Microbiology Research lab functioning under the leadership of Dr.Susan Panicker. Periodic drinking water quality –bacteriological- testing is done in the lab, collecting untreated water samples from the dug wells around Kottayam. This surveillance studies help to take precautions against water borne disease outbreaks.

- \* NCC unit gave special thrust on cleanliness and they undertook awareness programmes against Chickun Guinya.
- \* NCC cadets also donated blood for the needy.
- \* The college has a blood donor’s club whose service saved the lives of many.

### **33. Performance in sports activities**

#### Football

M.G. University South Zone Intercollegiate	- Winners
M.G. University Interzone Intercollegiate	- Runner up
Baselius Trophy South India Intercollegiate (Baselius College, Kottayam)	- Winners
Rev. Msgr Kalasserry Memorial All Kerala Intercollegiate (SB College, Changanacherry)	- Runner up
Mar Kuriakose Kunnasserry All Kerala Intercollegiate (St Stephens College, Uzhavoor)	- Runner up
District League Championship	- Runner up
George Joseph Memorial Ever rolling Trophy All Kerala Intercollegiate (TKM College of Engineering, Kollam)	- Winners
Lijo P Joy (D1 Eng), Gibin Baby (D1 Eng) Sujith M.T. (D1 Che) – Selected to the M.G. University team	

#### Boxing

Vipin Sam (D1 Pol) secured 1st position in the M.G. University

#### Best Physique

Ajil K.A. (M1 Economics) secured 1st position in the M.G. University  
He is also selected to the senior state Kerala team and secured 4<sup>th</sup> place in South India.

#### Volleyball

Baselius Trophy All Kerala Intercollegiate	- 3 <sup>rd</sup> position
Balakumar Memorial All Kerala Intercollegiate	- Runner up
Saju K Joy (D1 Pol) Sumesh M.S. (D1 Eco) selected to the Kerala State Junior Volleyball team	

#### Athletics

Jomon P P (D2 Pol) created a new meet record in 400mt Hurdles in the MG University athletic championship. He also secured 2<sup>nd</sup> position in 4X300mt relays in the All India Interschool Athletic championship

### Softball

MG University South Zone Intercollegiate - Winners  
MG University Interzone Intercollegiate - 3<sup>rd</sup> position  
Sarath, Sajith, Alen Varghese Thomas – selected to the MG University team

### Baseball

Jitendra P Chennoth (M1 English) selected to the MG University team

### Tug-of-war

All Kerala Intercollegiate tournaments  
(KG College Pampady) - Winners

### Baselius Trophy

To add to the glory of Baselius Trophy and also to expose upcoming players in the field of Volleyball and Football, we decided to hold tournaments for Football and Volleyball as well. This year we successfully conducted three tournaments in Volleyball, Football and Basket ball from 22<sup>nd</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> October 2007. This is certainly yet another golden feather added to the cap of Baselius College.

### Annual Sports Meet

College Annual sports meet was held on 14<sup>th</sup> January 2008. Prof Fr. E.M. Philip, Principal of the college inaugurated the tournament. March past competition and Cheer group competitions were well appreciated by all.

#### **34. Incentives to outstanding sportspersons:**

Sports Hostel and Coaching facilities are available.

#### **35. Student achievements and awards:**

##### Rank File

##### University Ranks

BCom Voc. 1<sup>st</sup> Rank -Anitha Mary Mathai  
BCom Voc. 2<sup>nd</sup> Rank -Anusha Raj S.  
BCom Voc. 3<sup>rd</sup> Rank -Kuruvilla Cherian

The University Result 2007-08

Department	UG / PG	Total appeared	Distinction	1st class	2nd class	% of pass	Name of the top scorer	Marks Gained
Economics	UG	33	NIL	3	16	100	Renju Baby	638/1000
	PG	13	NIL	4	NIL	30.77	Julie Mary Varghese	1533/2200
Politics	UG	39	NIL	NIL	NIL	71.79	Soumya Sukumaran	543/800
English	UG	42	NIL	9	17	88.10	Aparna R. Menon	607/800
	PG	21	NIL	8	1	35.30	Sheema K.M.	1409/2200
Commerce	UG	47	4	25	5	74.47	Sunila Jacob	1144/1400
	PG	16	1	10	1	75.00	Elizabeth Eapen	1812/2200

Physics	UG	27	3	17	7	100	Tino M. Thomas	855/1000
	PG	14	1	6	NIL	50	Anju Joseph	1823/2200
Chemistry	UG	20	3	6	3	60	Jibin Abraham Punnoose	868/1000
	PG	16	3	5	NIL	50	Silpa S.	1721/2200
Botany	UG	36	NIL	25	9	97.22	Hiranya V.	905/1000
Zoology	UG	25	1	12	5	72	Karthika O.	835/ 1000
Mathematics	UG	27	2	5	8	85.19	Irine Raju	953/1000
Malayalam	UG	23	NIL	7	12	100	Monisha K.N.	631/800
B.Com Vocational	UG	32	NIL	14	8	81.25	Anitha Mary Mathai	1342/1600

### **National Level Representation NSS**

- Baladevi V represented MG University in the South India Pre-Republic Day Parade Camp.
- NSS volunteer Sajan Puthuchira Alex represented M G University in the Cultural Exchange Programme held at Hyderabad

### **Achievements NSS**

- Rafi Rahmathulla Hassan of our unit won the MG University Best Volunteer Award for the year 2006-2007
- Rafi Rahmathulla Hassan won the state award for the Best Volunteer of the year 2006-2007
- Indira Gandhi National NSS Award for the year 2006-2007 was won by Rafi Rahmathulla Hassan

### **Dept. of English**

- Anjaly Ullas of the Dept of English -1<sup>st</sup> in intercollegiate elocution competition Meera C.Murali, Nimmy Susan, Reshma Raghavan, Shobitha Zenith - Winners of all Kerala Jiff-Journalism competition organised by Assumption College, Changanacherry.

### **36. Activities of the Guidance and Counseling Cell:**

Functioning well during the academic year.

### **37. Placement services provided to students:**

Campus recruitment agencies were invited to the college campus, and the students were given information of campus recruitment venue in neighbouring colleges.

Percentage of Placement –

	English	Economics	Commerce	Chemistry
Campus selection	10	NIL	NIL	NIL
Other than campus recruitment	25	20	2	17

### **38. Development programmes for non-teaching staff:**

- a.)The college has a cooperative society with loan availing facility.
- b.)One day orientation programme was arranged by the management.

c.)The expenses of a one day picnic for the non teaching staff was met by the college management.

### **39. Best Practices of the Institution:**

a.)Blood Donation.

b.)Project presentation.

c.)Eco friendly and plastic free environment.

d.)‘Fast a day and Feast your friend’ programme to raise money for charity meals.

e.)On the reopening day of the academic year, Holy Qurbana will be arranged in the morning in which all possible staff and students are expected to participate.

f.)Every day the functioning of the college starts with secular prayer song. On every Friday, prayer meeting is arranged under the auspices of MGOCSM unit at 1.15pm in which there is active participation of students and staff irrespective of their caste, and religion. This is a value education initiative.

g.)Functioning of the IQAC to develop a quality system to improve the academic and administrative performance

- Ethics committee has been constituted in this college, in connection with the ban imposed on the use of mobile phones, performance of obscene cinematic dance and fashion shows etc. in the college. Students shall not roam with their motor vehicles making nuisance in the campus. Vehicles should be parked in the respective places allotted for the purpose.
- Anti-ragging regulation (Kerala Ragging Prohibition Act 1998) is strictly implemented.
- Student politics and political activities are strongly banned on the campus.
- Posters, flags, memorial tombs, floral arcades, festoon etc. should not be displayed on the campus.
- Indecent behaviour towards the opposite sex will not be tolerated.
- Smoking, use of alcohol and drugs are strictly prohibited in the college premises. Students shall not enter the campus intoxicated.
- Every student shall wear his/her identity card daily.
- Conduct of seminars/workshops – State/National and International.
- Students participate in the evaluation of the staff.
- Tutorial hours under the supervision of the class teacher for the students of each class.
- Value education programmes and orientation programme for the students under the auspices of PTA.
- The students are introduced to the various Clubs/Cells/Forums etc.
- Association activities by the students, the college Annual Arts festival and sports meet to bring out their potential, creativity and originality. Best subject association is awarded cash prize and trophy.

- The annual picnic of the teaching and non teaching staff was another good practice of the college.
- The Physical Education Department conducted Aerobic class for physical fitness of the students.

**40. Linkages developed with National/International, academic /research bodies:**

- a.) Dept. of Botany - Linkages with Rubber Board of Kottayam.
- b.) Department of Zoology has Linkages with
  1. TIES Tropical Institute of Environmental Sciences, Kottayam.
  2. School of Environmental Studies, MG University.
  3. Regional Agricultural Research Station (RARS, Kumarakom) for academic and research programmes.
- c.) Dept of Chemistry - School of Chemical Sciences, MG University.
- d.) Faculty as Life members of academic bodies
 

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  1. Association of Microbiologists of India.
  2. Indian Association of Biomedical Scientists.
  3. Zoological Society of Kerala and Editor of the Scientific Journal, 'Journal of Zoological Society of Kerala'.

(All faculty of Dept. of Zoology are active members of Zoological Society of Kerala)

**41. Any other relevant information:**

*Staff Club:* The staff club of the college is vibrantly engaged in all activities of the college. It takes the lead in arranging the Onam, Christmas celebration, staff picnic and undertakes service projects for the welfare of the students and teachers.

*Patron Saints Day Celebration* – January 2<sup>nd</sup>.

*Merit Day and Prathibha Sangamam:* Arranged by PTA & Management on February 3<sup>rd</sup> week to honour our talented students who have brought laurels to the institution.

**SECTION C: OUTCOMES ACHIEVED**

**Outcomes achieved by the end of the year.**

The IQAC was successful in fulfilling the plans made at the beginning of the academic year to a very great extent.

- This year a number of seminars and workshops were organized.
- The College Library was enriched with new purchase of books by various Departments.
- In order to promote the use of Technology, Computers & Internet facilities, photocopiers, and printers were purchased.

**SECTION D: PLANS FOR THE NEXT YEAR**

**Detail the plan of the institution for the next year (2008-2009)**

1. Construction of the Ladies hostel in the 11<sup>th</sup> plan of UGC.

2. Preparation of proposals of the 11th Plan of UGC assistance aiming the holistic development of the College.
3. Improvement of the facilities of classrooms.
4. PG department of Physics, Chemistry, Economics and Commerce must be raised to the status of Research Departments/Centres.
5. More community extension and health services are to be performed.
6. Staff may be given orientation and value education classes.
7. Canopy for car parking of staff vehicles.
8. Promotion of research activities by the faculty.
9. Starting new generation courses like BCA, BBA.
10. UG departments with research are to be upgraded to PG Departments ,with Government Sanction.

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