

BASELIUS COLLEGE, KOTTAYAM

Debate & Elocution Club 2019-20

A Report

Sl. No.	Month	Activities
1	July/August	19 students from various departments joined the Club
2	September	An orientation class for them was held on 20 th September 2019, in room no: 22. 12 students participated in it. In the meeting, students were given an introduction to the club and its functions. They were asked to select topics related to current social situations.
3	October	“Vachya”- session 1-a training session for the students of the club took place on 3 rd October 2019. Students were divided into two groups and were given the topic “Uniforms in colleges: Necessary or not?”. Ten students participated in it.
4	March	“Conclave”- a session to discuss and discourse on current issues: Abhima Edvi of M2 Physics, Deepthi Mariam of D3 Chemistry and Sajna Beegum of D1 Zoology prepared video presentations on Covid-19- about how it spreads and the precautionary measures to be taken.

Students of our club secured prizes for competitions held in different colleges/ institutions. A list is given below:

- 1) Soumya P.B (D3 Politics) and Joel Joseph (D3 English) won the third prize (certificate and Rs 1001/-) in the debate competition held on 4th **September** 2019 in the ‘**All Kerala Inter- Collegiate Debating Competition**’ for the 16th Adv. V. Vinodkumar Memorial Aloysian Trophy held at St. Aloysius College, Edathua.
- Soumya P. B. secured the **Best Debater Award** & Ever Rolling Trophy, certificate and cash Prize.

- 2) Midhula Mariyam Jeevan of M1 English & Shalini Shekar of M2 Economics participated in the Elocution Competition (Block level) conducted by **Nehru Yuva Kendra**, Kottayam and Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports held at B. C. M. College on 26th **September** 2019. Shalini Shekar won the second prize & was awarded with trophy. She was qualified to participate in the district level competition.
- 3) 20 students participated in **Mathrubhumi Speak for India** held at different venues from 4th to 10th **October** 2019. Joel Joseph, Nandana, Soumya P. B and Aishwarya were selected for the District level Elocution Competition. Joel Joseph emerged as the winner of the **District Level Elocution Competition** held at Baselius College on 4th **November** 2019.
- 4) In the **Block level** Elocution Competition conducted by the **Cooperative Society**, Kottayam on 11th October 2019, Shalini Shekar (M2 Economics) and Soumya P. B. (D3 Politics) participated. Soumya got the first prize and Shalini got the second prize. In the **District level** competition, Shalini Shekhar won the first prize in Malayalam Elocution on 22nd **October** 2019.
- 5) In the Elocution competition conducted by **The Rubber Board** ‘Vigilance Awareness Week 2019’, at Mount Carmel Training College, Kanjikuzhy on 29th **October** 2019, Abhima Edvi (M2 Physics) and Sajna Beegum (D1 Zoology) participated. Abhima Secured the second prize of Rs 1500 and certificate.
- 6) Soumya P. B participated in 18th Bishop Mankuzhy Memorial All Kerala Elocution Competition conducted by BSMM Trust, Precious Blood Church, Thanneermukkam on 9th **November** 2019.
- 7) On **November** 6th 2019, Abhima Edvi participated in ‘Old Students’ Asso. Elocution Competition’ conducted by U. C. College, Aluva.
- 8) On **December** 2019, Abhima Edvi won the 3rd prize in the Golden Jubilee Memorial Elocution Competition conducted by **Assumption College**, Cherry on 11th December 2019.
- 9) Elena Elza George (D2 english) & Ashna Mariam George (D2 Eng) secured the first prize in the **Inter- Department Debate Competition** conducted by the Dept. of Commerce, **Baselius College**, Kottayam held on 19th **December** 2019.
- 10) Joel Joseph (D3 Eng) & Soumya P.b (D3 Politics) secured the first prize in the **Intercollegiate Debate Competition** conducted by the Dept of Family and Community Science, BCM College held on 26th February 2020 at **BCM College**, Kottayam. They got certificate and prize money of Rs 1000.

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