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INTERACTION WITH ELDERS - 2019-2020

St. Xavier's College of Education (Autonomous), Palayamkottai initiated organizing a programme on 'Interaction with Elders' at St. Anne's Rehabilitation Centre for Mentally Handicapped and Home for Aged from the academic year 2019-2020 through Mother Theresa Evening Study Centre (MOTSC) of our college.

Our II year B.Ed., Students visited the old age home for the face to face interaction from 5.30 p.m. to 6.30 p.m in all the working days. They interacted with old age people, listened and counseled them. The elders shared their life experiences through the interaction with our prospective teachers which enhance their lifestyles. Our students grasped rich experiences through this activity from them which help them to approach their students empathetically

Dr. Y. Daniel, Assistant Professor and Dr. R. Sathesh Franklin are the coordinators of this programme. The student's regularity to the old age home to visit the elders has been supervised every day.

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A REPORT ON CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION - 2019

18th December 2019

Christmas Celebration was held on 18th December 2019 at 2.00 p.m. at St. Anne's Rehabilitation Centre for the Mentally Handicapped Children and Home for the Aged. To thank our Almighty for this special gathering and grand celebration, our college choir praised the Lord. Then the student teacher Mr. Subramani welcomed the gathering. The prayer ceremony conducted in the first part and the performed a cultural show by those kids and our children in the second part sharing of gifts gave a sense of joy and doing something worth during the Christmas. Rev. Fr. M. Augustin, gave the Christmas message. The presidential address was given by Rev. Dr. V. Henry Jerome, SJ. The Rector of St. Xavier's Institutions. Rev. Sr. Sabina, the Headmistress gave the acceptance J. Rajam Sweety, the student teacher proposed vote of thanks. speech. Miss. The programme came to an end at 4.30 p.m. Master of Ceremony was given by Monisha and Nirmala Mary. Finally, the teachers and students were distributed high tea and snacks. The programme was organized by the Dr. Y. Daniel, Viceprincipal and Mr. U. Subramanian, Assistant Professor in Tamil.

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Report on Christmas Celebration

Introduction

"Love only grows by sharing. You can only have more for yourself by giving it away to others"

The Christmas is all about loving, sharing and caring others. Our St. Xavier's College of Education organized Christmas Celebration on 20th December 2018 at St. Anne's Rehabilitation Centre for Mentally Handicapped and Home for Aged in Palayamkottai.

Proceedings of the Programme

The student teachers Asan Meeran and Siva Lakshmi were the master of ceremony for the programme. This programme was co-ordinated by Mr. U. Subramanian, Assistant Professor of our college. The programme was started with a prayer song by our college choir.

Welcome Speech

The student teacher Sudalai Mani, welcomed the gathering. He welcomed Rev. Dr. D. Thomas Alexander, S.J., Principal of SXCE, Rev. Dr. G. Pushparaj, S.J., Secretary of SXCE, Rev. Sr. Victoria, Assistant Head of Disabled and Old age home. Rev. Dr. V. Henry Jerome, Rector of St. Xavier's Institutions, Rev. Sr. Sabina, Head of Disable and Old age home.

Felicitation

"Felicitation is the core and heart of every programme".

In this programme Rev. Dr. D. Thomas Alexander, S.J. honoured Rev. Sr. Sabina with a shawl and Rev. Dr. G. Pushparaj honoured Rev. Sr. Victoria with a shawl. Our Principal also gave the felicitation speech.

Christmas Message

Rev. Sr. Victoria, gave messages to the audience. At first, she thanked the gathering for making their presence in this programme. Then she mentioned three things that he has to be followed in one's life.

- Live as a human being
- Give and spread happiness to everyone
- Do good to everyone in the society

Rev. Dr. G. Pushparaj, S.J. motivated the gathering through his speech. He mentioned some legends namely Steve Jobs, Monohar Parikar, Mauri, St. Paul to encourage and motivate us. He also gave some points to be followed

- Be the sense for the senseless person
- Be helpful and kind to everyone

Cultural Programmes

Our college students gave two dance performances and a skit programme. After that, some of our college student teachers from the choir group sang the Christmas song. And also the students of St. Ann's Hr. Sec. School, gave their dance performance.

Joy of Giving

By getting some funds from the students, teaching and non-teaching staff of St. Xavier's College of Education, our college management gave a small gift as a token of love to that school and also we provided sweets to the children.

Vote of Thanks

Rev. Sr. Sabina, the head of disabled and old age home, proposed the vote of thanks and she thanked our Principal, Secretary, Reverent Fathers and Faculty members. Last but not the least, she also thanked the student teachers for their presence.

Conclusion

We have learnt some different experiences. These types of programmes encourage us to be socialize with the disabled and old age people. This Xavier's Institutions takes much effort to teach these kind of social values more than the studies.

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CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION

22nd December 2016

We must not see the child Jesus only in the pretty figures of our Christmas cribs and children's plays. We must seek him among the undernourished who have gone to bed tonight without eating. - Archbishop Oscar Romero.

St.Xavier's college of education celebrated the birth of Jesus Christ in a meaningful way with the mentally retarded students. The Christmas celebration began with the prayer song by college choir. Mr. Kannan welcomed the gathering with the words of love. Ms.Roshni and Jesinthabeautifully danced and attracted the crowd by their Bharatham. It was really amazing and fantastic performance by the students of mentally retarded. Sr. Fatima the superior of St. Annes convent felicitated with the message of love which brings divine as a human form. Bro. Lenin SJ who delivered Christmas message focused on three aspects that are

- > The birth Christ brings happiness to the poor
- > The birth of Christ brings hope to the hopeless
- The birth of Christredeems people from slavery.

Christmas is not only the festival of Christians but also the whole humanity. This is a festival of love of the creator to the creatures. Even though the Devine child knows that He will be crucified to death He took the form of human so God sent His own son to redeem us from sin, misunderstandings, ego, selfishness, boasting and all evil behaviours.

Fr.John Gualbert thesecretary of our college gave presidential address in his address he said we need to imbibe the qualities of Jesus who gave his life for his people. We also need to sacrifice ourselves to uplift the poor and the needy. Fr.Thomas Alex the Principal of our college was very emotional and expressed his love and care for the students of mentally retarded. He was very genuine to say that we need to learn from the exceptional children. The staff of St.Xavier's college of education distributed gifts and prizes to children.Ms.

VinothiniAruna has done MC wonderfully well.Ms.Ramya expressed her hearty thanks to the Superior of St.Annes Mentally Retarded School and extended her thanks and gratitude to fathers, staff, students and each and everyone gathered there. The co-ordinators of this programme was Dr. Y. Daniel, Assistant Professor and Mr. S. Stalin, Art & Craft Teacher. We end this celebration of love by sharing our joys to the students with tea and Tiffin.

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CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION 22nd December 2016





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