

Student Welfare Office Annual Report 2018-19

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INTRODUCTION:

The Student Welfare Office provides a platform for students to exhibit their talent. It provides a forum through a string of cultural activities for like-minded individuals to meet each other, exchange ideas and shape their personalities. SWO conducts programs like DARPAN, BLOSSOMS, IN BLOOM and DANCE DAY, to search the best talents in campus and fines and refines the sharpest minds.

SWO consist of 5 wings, namely

University Volunteer body

University Cultural team

University Choir team

University Dance Team – Natyaarpana

University Quiz Association – CUQA

Like all the previous year's student welfare office has worked hard to make all the events successful and achieved it. Being the golden jubilee year it was also a challenging year and it helped the students to take up more responsibilities. While the volunteer body, cultural team, choir and dance team bought new life to campus, CUQA helped the students to sharpen their minds.

INAUGRATION OF ACADEMIC YEAR 2018-19:

The inauguration of the academic year happened on 29th and 30th May 2018 for UG programs and 5th and 6th June 2018 for PG programs. The inaugural speech was given by Vice Chancellor, Fr. Thomas C Mathew on all the days and University choir sang the inauguration song. The volunteer body along with the dance team made the program more vibrant and colorful.

FIRST YEAR ORIENTATION:

The first-year orientation was given to the volunteers was given on 15th June 2018 by the student welfare officer Mr. Purnananda Bhaskar. Almost 500 registered volunteers attended the orientation. Students were informed about various committees like stage, Auditorium management, Record, Lit, Art, MC, Creative, Hospitality and their role in conducting the events. A brief introduction about the events like Darpan In bloom, Blossoms were also given. The heads for the academic year were selected.

OVERALL HEADS:

- 1. Jayanth Kumar
- 2. Vedika Vohra
- 3. Abhijith Sreevalsan

AUDI MANAGEMENT:

- 1. Ryan Varela
- 2. Anurag Jha
- 3. Aleeda Charley

HOSPITALITY:

- 1. Gaurang Sharma
- 2. Essakiappan K
- 3. Aleena T Joseph

4. Sandra Marthew

STAGE:

- 1. Davis Sojan
- 2. Shweta Jaju
- 3. Dias Shaji
- 4. Jasmit kaur

LIT:

- 1. Rohan Rai
- 2. Damian Roy
- 3. Jaisleen kaur

ART:

- 1. Angela Mathias
- 2. Tomson k Sunny
- 3. Irene Ann George

RECORDS:

- 1. Neeti A Varghese
- 2. Meher Kohli
- 3. Pavithra S
- 4. Y A Shoib Akther

MEDIA:

- 1. Y Godson
- 2. Naived George Eapen

CREATIVE:

1. Chandrakanth T

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2. Mahi Modi

MC COMMITTEE:

1. Paul John

2. Rochelle Jane Rodrigues

PURCHASE COMMITTEE:

1. Raunak Agarwal

2. Yashas R

KENGERI ORIENTATION 2018

On June 30 2018 the orientation for the volunteers took place in the Kengeri campus. The orientation program was to train the volunteers in leadership skills, team work and self assessment. The orientation was headed by Mr. Jai Kumar. There were many activities conducted in which all the students participated enthusiastically. The challenges became more intense on the second day. The leadership of the activities was given to the juniors to bring out the potential and leadership skills. On the second day volunteers returned to the main campus.

INAUGRATION OF DARPAN AND PEDAGOGIC LEAGUE

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Date: 11th July 2018

Venue: PU Quadrangle, Christ Junior College

Time: 3pm-4 pm

The inauguration of the Darpan and Pedagogic league happened on PU quadrangle due to rain. The event was scheduled to take place on the foot ball ground but was later changed. On the

inauguration the golden jubilee stamp was released by the Post Master General, South

Karnataka. A 50 year logo formation was done by BGR campus students. We had huge choir

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singing for the first time. BGR students performed a Srilankan dance. Golden Jubilee hot air ballon was put up on the boys hostel terrace.

DARPAN 2018

Darpan gives opportunity to the students to show case their talents individually or in groups. It is a platform in which the students from all stream from Bachelors to Masters take part in the events to get into University cultural team. The winners of the Darpan will be a part of the cultural team according to the prizes they won. The following events took place in At, Lit and Stage events.

ART EVENTS:

- 1. Painting was held on 12th July 2018 at room no. 210 in block 1 at 4:20 pm. 35 participants took part in the competition. The topic for the competition was 'My Dream world' or 'Monsoon during your School days'. Two heads along with 5 volunteers organized the event.
- 2. The Greeting card making was held on 13th July 2018 in room no. 210, block 1 at 4:30pm. 49 participants took part in the competition. The topic for the competition was 'Seasonal Greetings'. One head along with 5 volunteers organized the event.
- 3. Rangoli was held on 14th July 2018 in ground floor, block 2 at 1:45pm. 29 teams (3 students in a team) participated in the competition. The topic for the competition was 'Celebrations and Festivals in India'. 3 heads along with 6 volunteers organized the event.
- 4. Junk art was held on 16th July 2018 in room no. 209, block 1 at 4:30 pm. 30 teams (2 students in a team) participated in the competition. 1 head along with 4 volunteers organized the event.
- 5. Mask making was held on 17th July 2018 in room no. 210, block 1 at 4:20 pm. 11 teams (2 students in a team) participated in the competition. 2 heads along with 5 volunteers organized the event.

- 6. Cartooning was held on 18th July 2018 in room no. 210 at 4:20 pm. 37 participants took part in the completion. 2 heads along with 4 volunteers organized the event.
- 7. Collage was held on 19th July 2018 in room no. 210, block 1 at 4:30 pm. 30 participants took part in the competition. 2 heads and 4 volunteers organized the event.
- 8. Pot art was held on 20th July 2018 in room no. 210, block 1 at 4:30 pm. 39 participants took part in the competition. 1 head with 6 volunteers organized the event.

LIT EVENT:

- 1. Creative Writing was held on 12th July 2018 in room no. 202, block 1 at 4:20 pm. The topic for Poetry writing were 'Blue' and 'Change', 71 participants took part in the competition. The topic for Essay writing were 'Does Indian cinema shape our popular culture or merely reflect it?' or 'Corporization media killing ethical journalism', 49 participants took part in the competition. The topic for Short story writing were 'You did not think in fairy tales anymore until the impossible happened' or 'Your story begins with 2 students inside the school, a note from the principal and a fish bowl', 71 students took part in the competition. 3 heads and 15 volunteers organized the event.
- 2. Extempore was held on 13th July 2018 in Panel room, block 2 at 4:35 pm. 70 students took part in the event. 1 heads with 6 volunteers took part in the competition.
- 3. Dumb Charades was held on 14th July 2018 in room no. 202, block 1 at 2:30 pm. 52 teams (3 in each team) took part in the competition. 2 heads with 6 volunteers organized the event.
- 4. Debate (Prelims) was held on 16th July 2018 in room nos. 202 and 205, block 1 at 4:30 pm. 50 participants took part in the competition. 1 head and 8 volunteers organized the event.
- 5. Quiz (Prelims) was held on 17th July 2018 in Sky view, central block at 4:35 pm. 81 teams (3 in a team) took part in the competition. 2 heads with 11 volunteers organized the event. CUQA committee worked with volunteer body for this event.
- 6. Quiz (Finals) was held on 18th July 2018 in Sky View Central block at 4:30 pm. 8 teams who were qualified from the prelims participated. 3 heads with 8 volunteers organized the event.

- 7. Air Crash was held on 19th July 2018 in room no. 202, block 1 at 4:30 pm. 1 heads with 10 volunteers organized the event.
- 8. Debate (Finals) was held on 20th July 2018 in small basket ball court at 1:15 pm. 16 participants who qualified in the prelims took part in the competition. 1 head with 5 volunteers organized the event.
- 9. Jam was held on 21st July 2018 in room no. 202, block 1 at 1:45 pm. 20 participants took part in the event. 2 heads with 6 volunteers organized the event.

STAGE EVENT:

- 1. Indian Classical singing solo was held on 12th July 2018 mini auditorium at 4:30 pm. 71 participants took part in the event. 2 heads with 15 volunteers organized the event.
- 2. Film and folk singing solo was held on 13th July 2018 in room no. 215 and 217 at 4:30 pm. 76 participants took part in the event. 1 head and 12 volunteers organized the event.
- 3. Western singing solo was held on 13th July 2018 in Assembly hall, block 2 at 4:15 pm. 69 participants took part in the competition. 2 heads with 14 volunteers organized the event.
- 4. Proscenium (Batch 1) was held on 16th July 2018 in KE auditorium, block 4 at 8:45 am. 7 plays were performed and 3 judges were present. 3 heads with 10 volunteers organized the event.
- 5. Proscenium (Batch2) was held on 16th July 2018 in KE auditorium at 1:30 pm. 12 plays were performed and 3 judges were performed. 2 heads with 14 volunteers organized the event.
- 6. Street theatre was held on 16th July 2018 in Garden Street at 12 pm. 7 teams took part in the competition and 3 judges were present. 2 heads with12 volunteers organized the event.
- 7. Western Acapella duet was held on 17th July 2018 in room no. 911m, Central block at 4:30 pm. 11 teams took part in the event and 2 judges were present. 2 heads with 10 volunteers organized the event.
- 8. Indian Music group was held on 18th July 2018 in main auditorium at 4:30 pm. 17 teams took part in the competition and 3 judges were present. 4 heads with 6 volunteers organized the event.

- 9. Western Acapella was held on 19th July 2018 in main auditorium at 3 pm. 11 teams took part in the competition and 3 judges were present. 2 heads withn 10 volunteers organized the event.
- 10. Western electrics were held on 19th July 2018 in main auditorium at 3:25 pm. 11 took part in the competition and 3 judges were present. 2 heads with 12 volunteers organized the event.
- 11. Indian dance group non theme was held on 24th July 2018 in main auditorium at 4 pm. 52 teams took part in the competition and 2 judges were present. 15 volunteers along with 4 heads organized the event.
- 12. Indian classical group dance was held on 24th July 2018 in main auditorium at 11:45 am. 9 teams took part in the competition and 3 judges were present. 2 heads with 15 volunteers organized the event.
- 13. Indian dance group theme was held on 24th July 2018 in main auditorium at 1:30 pm. 12 teams took part in the event and 3 judges were present. 2 heads with 15 volunteers organized the event.
- 14. Mime was held on 25th July 2018 in mini auditorium, block 1 at 4:05 pm. 13 teams took part in the competition and 2 judges were present. 3 heads with 12 volunteers organized the event.
- 15. Western singing solo was held on 25th July 2018 in room no. 911, central block at 2:15 pm. 16 teams took part in the event and 2 judges were present. 1 head with 10 volunteers organized the event.
- 16. Indian folk and film singing solo was held on 25th July 2018 in room no. 911, central block at 4:15 pm. 20 participants took part in the competition and 2 judges were present. Head with 10 volunteers organized the event.
- 17. Indian dance group non theme finals was held on 26th July 2018 in main auditorium at 4 pm. 11 teams took part in the competition and 2 judges were present. 4 heads with 18 volunteers organized the event.

GOLDEN JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS

The golden jubilee celebrations happened on 14th and 21st July 2018 in main auditorium as the completion of 50 years of CHRIST. The chief guests on 14th July were Nobel laureate Kailash Satyarthy, MLA Ramalinga Reddy, Maharaja of Mysore and Bishop. The chief guests for 21st July were Prior General and MP Krishnabaire Gowda. Registrar was the MC for both days and the audiences were alumni's on 14th. Along with chief guests, Vice Chancellor and Pro vice Chancellor released the soveigner. The cultural happened on 14th and 21st respectively:

On 14th:-

- 1. Inaugural dance by Natyaarpana
- 2. Dance by USAAC students
- 3. Choir Performance
- 4. Dance by Natyaarpana

On 14th lunch was provided in room no. 801 for guest6s and for the invitees the lunch was provided in PU quadrangle and for brothers lunch was provided in IVY hall.

On 21st:

- 1. Inaugural dance by Natyaarpana
- 2. Choir performance
- 3. Damuru dance by Natyaarpana
- 4. Musical performance by professors of Music department.

On 21st all the staff and faculty members had their lunch in gourmet extension and block 4 respectively. Volunteers were given the food packets on both days.

PATRIOTIC SONG PARTICIPATION

Patriotic song participation was conducted on 16th August 2018 at 3:30 pm to 5pm in the Central block stairs. There were 16 teams participated in the program in which 1 team from BGR

campus, 1 team from Kengeri campus and 1 team from Christ Junior college. NCC also took part in the competition.

CULTURAL WEEK

As part of the Golden Jubilee year we celebrated the cultural week from 3rd September to 8th September. The following events happened in the week:

- 3rd September-Alumni band performance (Aathma and All the fat Children)
- 4th September-Natakam
- 5th September-Teachers day
- 6th September-Yakshagana
- 7th September-Alumni band performance (Galej Gurus and Thermal and A Quarter)
- 8th September-Bhasha Utsav

The band performance by the alumni students happened for the first time in the University. The publicity and the passes were done and distributed with student council support.

The invitations for the teacher's day were hand made by the students and given to the students. Natyaarpana and Choir performed and Vice Chancellor gave the speech. President Steve was the chief guest. The student council thanked the teachers and Professor Deepthi Das responded to the students.

Natakam was organized for the first time in University and will be continuing in the coming years. It was conducted by SWO with the support of all the theatre teams in the University. All the teams came together as one team and performed a grant skit in front of the central block. The show was success.

Yakshagana was organized by the Department of kannada with the support of Student Welfare Office.

Bhasha Utsav is the most awaited event of the University was Organised by the Department of languages with the support of Student Welfare Office. The Volunteers were managing the auditorium crowd.

BLOSSOMS INAUGURATION

Blossoms inauguration happened on 22nd November 2018. The information about the inauguration was send to students through mails and posters were put up across the campus. The inauguration started at 3pm. Unlike previous years this year the inauguration happened in three different venues i.e. in front of Central block by Department of Professional studies, in front of block 1 by Department of Management and in front of block 2 by Department of Commerce. After every performance the choir led the procession to the next venue with a song. Fr. Vice Chancellor gave the inaugural speech. The program got over by 3:45pm.

THE DARK LORD

The performance happened for the first time in the University as part of the Golden Jubilee year. It happened on 1st December 2018 in main auditorium. It was conducted by the renowned dancer Rukmini Vijaykumar. The show happened on two different timings i.e. the first show was at 11:30 am for students and the next was at 5:30pm for the faculties and staffs. The entry to the show was only through passes. The show was a great success as the auditorium was full on both sessions.

MAGNIFICAT

Magnificat is a music festival that was conducted and hosted by the Christ University Choir on 8th and 9th December 2018 in the main campus a. It never fails to bring the true Christmas spirit home - the entire university reverberates with the soulful music and spirit of magnanimity.

The Christ University Choir renders splendid harmonies and performs complex pieces that bring to mind images of tranquility and joy. Different choirs from across the city join and perform along with the Christ University Choir. The Christ university faculty choir, Christ University postgraduate choir, Christ Junior College choir, and the MPE choir also performed.

The program started at 5pm on both days and passes were issued to the students to student welfare office and reception in central block. This time 8 fraternity choir performed and 15 guest choirs performed and one outstation team from Shilong also performed. This year it was special as all the instruments were played by the University students. This also helped the students to show case their talents. Also a group of doctors also performed in magnificat.

NATIONAL QUIZ CHAMPIONSHIP

The National Quiz Championship for the year 2018-19 was held on 7th and 8th December. There were nine finalists. It was conducted by Christ University Quiz Association (CUQA). The invitation for other colleges started two months in advance. Eminent judges were invited as the quiz masters. 150 participants participated in the event. PESIT won first prize in SpENT quiz, General quiz and Second prize in Indian quiz. The event was conducted with the help of swo volunteers.

GRAND CHRISTMAS SHOW

Grand Christmas show happened on 19th December 2018. The show started at 6pm and lasted for one and a half hour. The show happened in front of central block. This year the DJ was cancelled and laser show was introduced. 100 plus performed on the show. Students from University choir, MPE, Natyaarpana and PEP music added more colours to the show by their performance.Fr. Vice chancellor gave the message of Christmas before winding up the show.

FOUNDERS DAY CELEBRATION

The founder's day celebration happens on the 3rd of January every year. The students of Department of performing arts, department of music and department of theatre studies put together a dance music theatre show depicting the life of St, Chavara. The program started at 12 pm and went on till 1 pm.

OUT STATION FEST

The University cultural team participated in the out station fest 'Saarang' conducted by IIT Madras which happened from 9th January to 13th January 2019. Two male faculties and one female faculties accompanied the students. The event in Chennai lasted for five days. The cultural team won in 24 events.

COLOURS OF INDIA

The colours of India is a program conducted by Christ Lavasa campus every year. This year the program took place on 26th and 27th January 2019. 95 students participated in the program. Students from music, dance and wind orchestra participated. 5 faculty members accompanied the students. The show started at 6pm on both days.

IN BLOOM

In-Bloom is a national-level cultural festival organised annually by Christ University. It features stage, art, literary, and theatre events. In-Bloom aims to provide a platform for students from institutions across the country to channelize their creativity, sharpen their minds, and exhibit their talents within an atmosphere of amity and celebration.

This year In bloom was held on 8th and 9th February 2019. Preparations for In bloom started two months in advance and PR teams were formed to invite other colleges form within Bangalore and outside Bangalore. This year we has the greatest number of participation from outside. We had 16 colleges participation for the fest with 873 participant's in total. The creative team started the preparation one month in advance with the theme 'Age of Empires'. The campus were decorated one day before the event. For In bloom inauguration, five deaneries participated for the procession i.e. BGR campus, management studies, Kengeri campus, Department of Professional studies and commerce department. The Pro show was conducted by Agam band. KLSGIT Belgaum received the overall trophy. The events happened were:

1. **Painting:**

The event was held on 8th February 2019 in room no. 505, block 2 at 12 pm. 24 participants participated in the event. I Judge judged the event and 3 students won the prize-Rohin L(1st Place), Geetha sree(2nd place), Preethika karnik(3rd place). 2 heads with 5 volunteers organised the event.

2. **Debate (Prelims):**

The event was held on 8th February 2019 in room no. 908, auditorium block at 2:15pm. 37 participants took part in the competition, One judge judged the event. 1 head with 4 volunteers organised the event.

3. **Dumb Charades:**

The event was held on 8th February 2019 in room no. 904, auditorium block at 12:15 pm. One judge was present. All three places were bagged by VIT Vellore- Tanishk, Kanishk, sidhant (1st place), Saloni, Shreya, Rajan (2nd place), Damb, Tanay, srijoni (3rd place). 1 head with 4 volunteers organised the event.

4. Extempore:

The event was held on 8th February 2019 in room no. 906, auditorium block at 12:20pm. 49 participants took part in the competition. One judge was present. The winners are: Surya, Shivaprasad (1st place), Narendran (2nd place). Vishvesh (3rd place).1 head with 5 volunteers organised the event.

5. Indian Classical Singing Solo:

The event was held on 8th February 2019 in birds park at 12pm. 22 participants took part in the competition and two judges were present. The winners are: Kushala Prasad (1st place), Varidhi V (2nd place), Shreej p Dani (3rd place).2 heads with 10 volunteers organised the event.

6. Creative writing:

The event was held on 8th February 2019 in room no.903, auditorium block at 12:15 pm. 75 students for poetry, 79 students for micro tale, 50 students for essay and 51 students for short story writing participated in the competition. 1 head with 5 volunteers organised the event.

7. Indian Music solo:

The event was held on 8th February 2019 in birds park at 2:30pm, 68 participants took part in the competition and two judges were present. 2 heads with 8 volunteers organised the event.

8. **Mime:**

The event was held on 8th February 2019 in campus view at 2:45 pm. 12 participated in the competition and 2 judges were present. The winners are: Last Minute Production (1st place), The Ragam group (2nd place), Minsters (3rd place). I head with 11 volunteers organised the event.

9. Pot Art:

The event was held on 8th February 2019 in room no. 523, block 2 at 12 pm. 42 participants took part in the event and 1 judge was present. The winners were: Nikhil B (1st place), Raj Kumar S (2nd place), Sanjana and KG Deepa (3rd place). 1 head with 5 volunteers organised the event.

10. Pot Pouri:

The event was held on 8th February 2019 in room no. 905 auditorium block at 3:20 pm. 35 participants took part in the competition and 1 judge was present. 1 head with 5 volunteers organised the event.

11. Turn coat:

The evnt was held on 8th February 2019 in room no. 906, auditorium block at 4:20pm. 28 participants took part in the competition and 1 were present. The winners were- Kriti Dugar (1st place), Vishesh Mehta (2nd place), Sairaj Gaudar (3rd place). 1 head and 4 volunteers organised the event.

12. Western Acoustic Group:

The event was held on 8th February 2019 in basket ball court at 10 am. 8 teams participated in the group and 2 judges were present. There winning teams were-Beats and Pieces (1st place), Acapellas (2nd place), KISGIT (3rd place). 2 heads with 15 volunteers organised the event.

13. Western Acapella:

The event was held on 8th February 2019 in basketball court at 12:15pm. 5 teams participated in the competition and 3 judges were present. The winning teams were- Achoir taste (1st place), Accafellas (2nd place), Accabaccas and Beats (3rd place). 2 heads with 15 volunteers organised the event.

14. Western Singing Solo:

The event was held on 8th February 2019 in Seminar hall, block 2 at 3 pm. 50 participants took part in the event and 3 judges were present. The winners were-Phebe Aleya (1st place), Alex Koshy (2nd place), Arnav (3rd place). 1 head with 12 volunteers organised the event.

15. Debate (Finals):

The event was held on 9th February 2019 in room no. 904, auditorium block at 12:15 pm. 9 teams qualified in the prelims participated and 1 judge was present. The winners were-Kriti Dugar (1st place), Surya (2nd place), Pratham (3rd place). 1 head with 5 volunteers organised the event.

16. Indian Music:

The event was held on 9th February 2019 in new basketball court at 10:45pm. 11 teams participated in the competition and 1 judge was present. The winning teams were- Mysteria (1st place), Amirtavarshini (2nd place), Parindey (3rd place). 2 heads with 15 volunteers organised the event.

17. **Painting:**

The event was held on 9th February 2019 in room no. 506, block 2 at 3 pm. 32 participants took part in the event and 1 judge was present. The winners were- Nikhil B (1st place), Rohan L (2nd place), Rajat S (3rd place). 1 head with 6 volunteers organised the event.

18. **Photography:**

The event was held on 9th February 2019. The photos were submitted in the auditorium block reception at 1:30pm. 63 participants took part in the event and 1 judge was present. The winners were-Neerav kalra (1st place), Ahmed Suhail (2nd place), Khanna Dhawal (3rd place). 1 head with 3 volunteers organised the event.

19. **Sketching:**

The event was held on 9th February 2019 in room no. 505, block 2 at 12 pm. 55 participants took part in the event and 1 judge was present. The winners were- Sumanth (1st place), Nikhil B (2nd place), Muskan S (3rd place). 2 heads with 5 volunteers organised the event.

20. Spot Step Dance:

The event was held on 9th February 2019 in birds park at 12 pm. 39 participants took aprt in the competition and 2 judges were present. The winners were- Rhea Anil (1st place), Nithin J and Ashrita (2nd place), Sanket (3rd place). 2 heads with 16 volunteers organised the event.

21. Western Electrics:

The event was held on 9th February 2019 in new basketball court at 2:15pm. 12 teams participated in the competition and 3 judges were present. 1 head with 9 volunteers organised the event.

BLOSSOMS

Blossoms is the inter deanery fest to battle out to become the best deanery in the University. Blossoms works with the tagline "Be the Best". It happens at two levels- level 1, which is intradeanery where they strive to find the best talents within the deaneries to represent them for the later stages. The first level of blossoms start in the month of November and ends in January. The second level is inter-deanery where the competition is to establish the incredibly best on campus. Blossoms is a motivation and platform for every Christite to participate in at least one or more event in the university. The idea is to bring out the best in one for the deanery which ultimately brings to surface an overall feeling of belongingness. This year the blossoms inauguration happened on 22nd November 2018 and the finals of blossoms happened on 8th and 9th February 2019 along with Inbloom. The dance extravaganza, which is the most awaited event in the blossoms had 59 teams participating from across the campus. Department of Professional won the best deanery award. The events for the blossoms were:

1. Cartooning:

The event was held on 8th February 2019 in room no. 507, block 2 at 2:30pm. 11 participants took part in the competition and 1 judge was present. 1 head with 5 volunteers organised the event.

2. **Dumb Charades:**

The event was held on 8th February 2019 in room no. 909, auditorium block at 3:25 pm. The winners were- Shreya, Santosh, Nikita (1st place), Ritvik, Sheetal, tenzin (2nd place), Bhakti, Nikhil Terry (3rd place). 1 head with 4 volunteers organised the event.

3. Extempore:

The event was held on 8th February 2019 in 910, auditorium block at 2:55 pm. 12 participants took part in the competition and 2 judges were present. The winners were- Parvathy sailesh (1st place), Narrendran V (2nd place), Ranik J (3rd place). 1 head with 5 volunteers organised the event.

4. Indian dance non-theme:

The event was held on 8th February 2019 main auditorium at 12 pm. 21 teams participated in the competition and 2 judges were present. The winning teams were- Maya (1st place), Raqs (2nd place), Zarika (3rd place). 2 heads with 26 volunteers organised the event.

5. Indian Music:

The event was held on 8th February 2019 in new basketball court at 4:15 pm. 10 teams participated in the competition and 2 judges were present. 2 heads with 18 volunteers organised the event.

6. Poster painting:

The event was held on 8th February 2019 in ground floor, block 2 at 12 pm. 16 teams participated in the competition and 2 judges were present. 1 head with 10 volunteers organised the event.

7. **Pot Art:**

The event was held on 8th February 2019 room no. 523, block 2 at 2:30 pm. 14 participants took part in the event and 1 judge was present. 1 head with 4 volunteers organised the event.

8. **Quiz:**

The event was held on 7th February 2019 in room no. 505, block 2 at 3:10pm. 19 teams participated in the competition and 2 judges were present. The winners were- Prahalad, Amit, Bhodistwa (1st place), Akarsh, Anirudh, Sourab Meda (2nd place), Mukasin, mansi, Ramit (3rd place). 2 heads with 10 volunteers organised the event.

9. Western acapella:

The event was held on 7th February 2019 in quadrangle, block 1 at 4:45 pm. 9 teams participated in the competition and 2 judges were present. The winning teams were-Algorithm and Lost and Found (1st place), Notes Confusions (2nd place), Send notes (3rd place). 2 heads with 15 volunteers organised the event.

10. Western Electric:

The event was held on 7th February 2019 in new basketball court at 4:40 pm. 14 teams participated in the competition and 2 judges were present. The winninh teams are- Another kind of green (1st place), Midnight 613 (2nd place), Math and Finance (3rd place).3 heads with 15 volunteers organised the event.

11. Classical dance Solo;

The event was held on 9th February 2019 in sky view at 4:10pm. 13 participants took part in the competition and 1 judge was present. The winners were- Shreya Balaji (1st place), Anwesha Das Gupta and Nanda Kumar (2nd place), Aditya sharma and Lakesh (3rd place). 2 heads with 10 volunteers organised the event.

12. **Debate:**

The event was held on 9th February 2019 in room no. 904, auditorium block at 2:15pm. 15 participants took part in the competition and 1 judge was present. The winners are: Deepa and Keerthi (1st place), Sai and Pooja (2nd place), Oishik Das and Keerthi dugar (3rd place). 1 head with 7 volunteers organised the event.

13. **Jam:**

The event was held on 9th February 2019 in room no. 909, auditorium block at 12:15pm. 13 participants took part in the event and 1 judge was present. The winner's are- Prinson (1st place), Shubh (2nd place), Alok (3rd place). 1 head with 5 volunteers organised the event.

14. **Painting:**

The event was held on 9th February 2019 in room no. 507, block 2 at 1 pm. 7 participants took part in the event and 1 judge was present. 1 head with 6 volunteers organised the event.

15. **Pot pouri:**

The event was held on 9th February 2019 in room no. 903, auditorium block at 12:50 pm. 11 teams participated in the competition and 1 judge was present. The winners are- Mithalee, Tanya and Harshvardhan (1st place), Monika, Harshit and Yashodan (2nd place), Rithika, Anand and Karmishtha (3rd place). 1 head with 5 volunteers organised the event.

16. Rangoli:

The event was held on 9th February 2019 Parivarthana at 2:30 pm. 10 teams participated in the competition and 1 judge was present. The winners were- Jennifer, Ananya and Sudhansu (1st place), Saranya, Divya, Janak and Anandhi (2nd place), Charu, Isha and Pious (3rd place).

NRITTA- UNIVERSITY DANCE DAY

Nritta is the University's annual dance day. It happens in the month march. Nritta is a visual delight that no Christite would want to miss. The houseful auditorium on the days of the event explains it the best. Dance has always been an integral element in the life of a Christite. No event

in Christ University is complete without a dance performance. The audition and practice of Nritta happens one month before the program. This year Nritta took place in main campus on 17th and 18th March 2019 with the theme 'Varna'. The properties of the dance day was made by the swo volunteers two weeks before the program. The team for Nritta was made one month before the program. Students from across the campus participate in the show. The auditorium was full on both the days. The stage decorations were started three days before the program.

SOUND CURRY

The event took place on 23rdFebruary 2019 in main auditorium. It is one of the most awaited event in University. Sound curry as the name itself says is a mixture of all types' songs which makes it a unique one. It is also the event through which the choir gets to show case their talents. Like for magnificat the Choir students does all the decorative work for the show. Unlike last years the auditorium was full for the event.

GRATITUDE DAY

Gratitude day on 23rd March 2019 officially closes the curtains on the cultural and extracurricular activities in the university. It is also a day to look back and be thankful for the working of the university all through the academic year. The graduating batch become reminiscent and realizes the place that Christ University, the faculty members and fellow Christites hold in their hearts. The entire student community gathers in front of the central block on this day. The choir serenades with songs that rightly capture the essence of the day. This is one day where all the student bodies of the university like the NCC, Cultural team, SWO volunteer body, CSA and so on rendezvous in their full strength and proclaim the unity in diversity that Christ University is proud of. The Student Council members of the next academic year are announced and every single entity in Christ that makes it what it is thoroughly acknowledged and appreciated.

CHRIST UNIVERSITY CHOIR 2018-19

- 1. **University Inauguration:** The Choir opened its Annual Performance by singing the Invocations songs at the University Inauguration Days on the dates 3, 4, 5, and 8 June under the Leadership of one of the Final Year Student Mr Abraham George.
- 2. This Academic Year the New Choir Director/Music Coordinator of the University Mr Donlakador S Rynjah was appointed and he joined the office on the 11-6-2019.
- 3. **Choir Audition** happened on the 14 June, 15 June and 18 June (3Days) and around 60 new members added to the Choir which then we had a strength of 160 members in the Choir proportionately divided into different parts. It is a struggle to keep the number for the Male Section of the Choir since not much turned up for Audition, so we literally had to have less option of quality selection for the male.
- 4. Section Leaders: The Choir for the first time chose two section leaders for each part and the role of these Section Leaders is to keep their Section of the Choir in Discipline, Check their Attendance and also teach them the parts after they have learnt from the Conductor or from the music Score. These Section Leaders are selected mostly based on Seniority and capability to teach and learn parts for their sections. Therefore overall, we had around 10 Section Leaders.
- 5. The Choir has two overall **Head Representatives** to hear and present all matters from all Choir members- Sneha chandy and Abraham George.
- 6. Golden Jubilee Inauguration/Darpan: It was a hectic month of July where the Choir had to perform for the Inauguration of DARPAN and GOLDEN JUBILEE CELEBRATION INAUGURATION on the 11 July 2018 at Quadrangle in P U Block. And we performed Eye of the Tiger, and The Final Countdown.
- 7. **Golden Jubilee Celebration:** The Choir performed Final Countdown and eye of the tiger on the Mega Event of the Golden Jubilee on the 14 July 2018 and Eye of the tiger and Parable of the river on the 21 July 2018 at Main auditorium.
- 8. **Orientation:** The Choir had a two 2 days orientation organized by SWO at CHRIST Kengeri Campus where all Choir members were present.
- 9. **Glorious Festival:** We were invited to perform at the Praise Evening of the Glorious Festival on the 25th August 2018 at Glorious Promised Land, Nandi Hills hosted by the Glorious

- Choir where we took only 80 members. The Repertoire for that Concert was Nearer My God to Thee, Parable of the River, and the Messiah Medley by George Frederich Handel.
- 10. **Uniform:** We decided that we should come up with a Choir Uniform and wear them in the Glorious Festival Concert on the 25th August, so a committee of 4-5 student leaders with the Choir Director and Father Lijo sat together and decided to have a Blue Shirt/Top with a golden strip on the rim of the neck and Black Pants for both Girls and Boys. Every Choir Student was willing to pay half of the cost for the Uniform while half of it was paid by the University.
- 11. **Teachers Day:** The Choir was able to render a heartfelt performance of Lean on Me on the Event of Teachers Day (5-9-18) and was conducted by Abraham George.
- 12. **Magnificat:** From September onwards we started working for one of the most important Event of the Choir, a Christmas Concert ''Magnificat'' 2018. We could host around 10 Guest Choirs including Choirs within the Fraternity and many others from around Bangalore and one Off-station Band from Shillong "Soulfire". The Concert was held for two days in the Main Campus i.e., 8-12-18 and 9-12-18 at 5pm sharp. The Fraternity Choir raised the curtain of the Concert with a Song.
- 13. The Choir also performed for the Magnificat at Kengeri Campus on the 14-12-18 and at Banerghatta Campus on the 15-2-18. For the event, all Choir students worked on setting the stage, planning for the THEME and worked tirelessly to make this event a grand one.
- 14. **VR Mall:** This year we were invited to perform Carols at some stages outside Campus. While we had to decline some offers because of certain reasons we could actually make it to VR Mall and performed Christmas Carols for over an hour and a half.
- 15. The Choir could participate in all 'In-campus' Christmas Events like The **Grand Christmas**Program in front of Central Block and **ACC Christmas Carols** held in the Main auditorium.
- 16. **Founders Day:** Few members of the Choir as required performed three Songs in this program on the 3rd January 19 at Main auditorium. One of the Songs performed was written by St Kuriakose Chavara himself.
- 17. **CMC Vellore:** The Choir of a selected 75 members left to Vellore, Tamil Nadu on the We were hosted by Dr The parent of one of our Choir student. There we had a Concert and Prasie Worship Time on the evening of 5th January 19 and on the 6th January which was a Sunday we divided our Choir into two Teams where each of us went to minister to the

- patients at CMC Vellore. This was one of the most synergizing and utterly transforming program for the Choir.
- 18. **Ecumenical Choir:** It was the first of this kind to happen at CHRIST University where CHRIST University Choir invited all Choirs within the Fraternity along with many other Choirs from the City and could come together as one under the canopy of THE GOLDEN JUBILEE ECUMENICAL CHOIR to sing the Great anthem of G F Handel from the Messiah, Worthy is the Lamb/Hallelujah Chorus on the 16th February 2019. There were around 300 choristers together and with the help of the media Team from SWO and with the kindness of the Fathers we could shoot this Video at Dharmaram Chapel of the Brothers and with this we intend to extend our Golden Jubilee Celebration to all ears around the world through YouTube, and many other social media available.
- 19. **Sound Curry:** This is one heartily awaited Event for the Choir. This Event happened on the 23-February 2019 at the Main auditorium. It is a Secular show organized by the Choir. In this event the Choir performed many contemporary pieces of music from either Secular or Christian nature. It is the Event where the Choir gets to showcase its talent and through this program, everyone witnesses the fruit of the work and sacrifice the Choir members have made throughout the Academic Year. As it was for Magnificat, the Choir members knit stitch and sketch all handiwork to set the stage for the Show.
- 20. **Golden Jubilee Album:** The Choir participated in the Golden Jubilee Album-Golden Memoirs, by composing a Song arranged and recorded one song for the Album. The name of the Song was "Single Voice" composed by Manas Ganguly and Arranged by the Choir Director.
- 21. **Announcement Ceremony of the Vice Chancellor-Designate:** On the 26th of February at the Event mentioned which also marks the day the release of the Golden Jubilee Album, the Choir was privileged to sing a Farewell and blessing song for the Vice Chancellor.
- 22. **Gratitude Day:** The choir could present a special song expressing Thanks and gratitude to the University. The Choir members were also split into small groups to go and teach the song to all classes so that the whole University could join along in the song Thank University. The Choir members were also split into small groups to go and teach the song to all classes so that the whole University could join along in the song Thank You.

- 23. **Convocations:** Last Performance of the Choir for the Yearly Calendar was always the Convocation. In all Convocations we song an Invocation Prayer Song and a Special Choir Performance.
- 24. **Invocations:** Besides all the programs the Choir had performed as mentioned above, the Choir has also been privileged to bless any Department or Programs happened in the Campus with a small Invocation and Prayer Song for each program. There was not a time that the Choir would refuse despite the fact that some programs asked for our Prayer Song at very last moment.

CHRIST UNIVERSITY QUIZ ASSOCIATION 2018-19

Christ university Quiz association, has expanded its boundaries in quizzing and winning, as of this academic year, as not only attracted new quizzers but also honed the skills of the existing ones.

Members of CUQA this year have hosted many quizzes at the national Level also, that along with the departmental and topical quizzes, these quizzes were not in the initial Association calendar but that of upon request by various departments and for the quizzers of the university, the association has hosted such quizzes.

Quizzes Conducted as Per CUQA Calendar

- 1.The Fresher's Quiz as in July, the quiz was hosted in Block 4 KE Auditorium with a participation of over 400 odd students, this quiz is introduction to first years of the campus quizzing cultures. Quiz master: Sunny Sheen of 4th Year
- 2. The Quiz Cycle, is the annual team selection of top 8 team to represent Christ university in various quizzes within the city and outside, the Cycle is a series of 4 topical quiz, from which top 16 teams make it to the semifinals and of which top 8 make it to the finals.

The top three teams are given cash prizes. Quiz Masters: - Kunal Naik of 5th Year, Nikhil Chandra 4th year, Anirudh R S 4th Year.

- 3. Monthly Quizzes, the Association makes it a point to nurture and spread the enthusiasm of quizzes, hence we host monthly quizzes for the same. Various members of the Association are given the task of doing the same.
- 4. Christ university National Quiz championship this Year as part of the Golden Jubliee celebration of the university, we had increased the cash prize and had some of the best quiz masters come in from across the country.

The SpEnt Quiz by Abid Abdullah

India Quiz by Shreyash Dastidar

BizTech by Mukunth Raghavan

The College General by Captain Chandrakanth Nair

The Open General by Captain Chandrakanth Nair.

The winners were Pes institute of technology in the overall student category.

The Open Quiz winners were team compromising Samanth Subramaniam and Tejashwi Udupa.

The turnout was with high numbers of around 102 teams taking part (306 participants), we had the participation of Samanth Subramainyam ,writer for the New York times, Gaurdian, Mitesh Agarwal ,CTO and VP of Oracle India ,Tejaswi Udupa columnist for The Hindu etc

Quizzes outside the CUQA Calendar

Blossoms Quiz

Blossoms is the annual Intra Deanery quiz, where in the winners take part in the Interuniversity final. The quiz was conducted for all the departments of the university by the assigned members of the association. a series of 10 Quizzes were conducted for Blossoms. (Period, November-January)

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Is The national level fest of Christ Banerghatta Campus, The Quiz is aptly named Conundrum, had had participation of over 30 institutions the finals were conducted in front of a 2000-member

strong Audience. The Quiz master for the Prelims -Kunal Naik, Quiz Master for the Finals – Anirudh R S

The Art Aid Quiz

This quiz was conducted in association with the department of Media Studies, all for a good cause, the Quiz aimed to raise awareness of Mental Health and had a strong participation. Quiz masters- Nikhil Chandra and Kunal Naik.

The International Relations Quiz

Two Quizzes were conducted for The MAIS department with respect raising awareness of the International Relations Quiz . Quiz Master- Kunal Naik and Anirudh R S.

Team CUQA

Compromising 30 students across departments, has been instrumental in hosting and training for quizzes. CUQA have been covered in various media Outlets for our quizzes and winnings.

CHRIST UNIVERSITY CULTURAL TEAM 2018-19

The CHRIST (Deemed to be University) Cultural team 2018-19 was formed in the month of August 2018 following the results of Darpan 2018, an intra-collegiate fest that provides an opportunity and platform for Christites to portray their talents in art, music, theatre, literature and dance The beginning of the Cultural Team's journey was from the Darpan Valedictory Ceremony 2018 where the winners of all the events were recognised for their hard work and perseverance. The winners went on to become the face of the institution and formed the Cultural Team 2018-19. This was followed by a two-day orientation program at Kengeri Campus for the team. The members were involved in several team-building activities, icebreaking sessions and cultural events which created a wholesome environment for exploring their talents and a great bonding experience. This was followed by the announcement of office-bearers and Cultural Heads. This created the perfect environment for the enthusiastic team leading to the first inter-collegiate fest of the year at St. John's Medical College called 'Autumn Muse' where CHRIST (Deemed to be University) bagged the first overalls.

150 students who were the winners of all the events of Darpan 2018 were chosen for being the part of the Cultural Team 2018-19 of the University. These students represented Christ University at different stages for different events, at all the levels. These 150 students were further divided into 4 committees in which each of them were specialized.

The Cultural secretaries and heads were:

- 1. Sreejith Unni- Cultural Secretary
- 2. Nistha Sinha- Cultural Secretary
- **3.** Abhijeet Panda- Theatre secretary
- 4. Sakshi Shrivastava- Theatre secretary
- **5.** Pavithra- Art secretary
- **6.** Revant talekar- Art secretary
- **7.** Kriti Dugar- lit secretary
- **8.** Jeevan Hari- lit secretary
- 9. Janardhan G- Stage Secretary
- 10. Abraham George- Stage Secretary

Cultural Team went for 5 fests as a whole, out of which they bagged 4 overall trophies.

The fests are as follows-

1. St. Johns College of medical science.

Fest- Autumn Muse

Date-7th to 10th of September 2018

2. IIT MADRAS fest- Saarang

Date- 9th-12th January 2019

3. St. John's College- autonomous

Fest- upstage

Date- 19th-21st of February 2019

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4. St. Johns College of Commerce.

Fest- Enact

Date- 21st and 22nd February 2019.

Along with this they also participated in the Mount Carmel College fest.

The Cultural team this year also contributed for the National level fest organised by our own University.

In Bloom 2019, happened on 8th and 9th of February 2019. For which all the team members contributed in

1. Public Relations work

2. Decorations Work

And made it a grand success by getting more than 1000 participants from all over the world.

Cultural Team valedictory ceremony happened on 23rd of March 2019, where all the members were thanked for their active participation throughout the year and were provided the certificates. This was followed by several other individual and overall victories in various fests. The details of which are listed in the report below:

ART

Utkrishti-

- 1 .St. Joseph's College- Visages '18
- 2. IIT Madras- Saarang '19

Won: 3rd pize in Hindi poetry writing.

Swarnava-

1. St. John's Medical College - Autumn Muse 2018

2nd Prize in On Spot Photography Competition

2. IIT Madras - Saarang '19

1st Prize in Day 2 of Saarang Photomarathon

Praful-

- 1. St. John's Medical College- Autumn Muse
- 2. St. Joseph's College of Commerce Visages

Collage-1st Prize

Doodling- 2nd Prize

3. IIT Madras- SAARANG'19

Pebble Painting 1st Prize

Plastic Bottle Craft 2nd Prize

4. IIM Bangalore- Unmaad'19

Painting Competition 2nd Prize

5. Dr. BR Ambedkar Medical College

Rangoli Making 2nd Prize

Sumana-

1. St. John's Medical College - Autumn Muse

Sketching - 1st place

2. Seshadripuram Academy of Business Studies - Udhbhav

Face painting - 1st place

- 3. Mount Carmel College CulAh!
- 4. St. Joseph's College of Commerce Visages
- 5. IIT Madras Saarang

Trisha-

- 1. St. John's Medical College Autumn Muse
- 2. Mount Carmel College CulAh!
- 3. St. Joseph's College of Commerce Visages

4. IIT Madras – Saarang

Charitha-

- 1. St. Joseph's college of Commerce Visages
- 2. IIT Madras Saarang

Radio jockeying - 2nd place

Telugu poetry writing- 1st place

Akhilan-

- 1. St. John's Medical College- Autumn Muse
- 2. St. Joseph's College of Commerce Visages

Collage-1st Prize

3. IIT Madras- SAARANG'19

Pavithra-

- 1. St. John's medical college Autumn Muse
- 2. IIT MADRAS Saarang

Dream Catcher making - 3rd place.

Sumanth-

1. St. John's Medical College - Autumn Muse

Sketching - 3rd place

2. Mount Carmel College - CulAh!

Fine arts marathon - 1st place

3. St. Joseph's College of Commerce - Visages

Face painting - 3rd

Cubism portrait - 1st

Collage - 1st

4. IIT Madras – Saarang
Pebble painting - 3 rd
Plastic bottle craft - 2 nd
LIT
Cul-Ah (MCC)
Winners - Literary :
Nistha Sinha
1st Shipwreck
3rd Trashin Hunt
Anirudh R S, Nikhil Chandra
1st Quriosity
2nd Business Quiz
Kunal Naik and Muhasin Wahab
2nd place Big fat media game show
Paroma Raha, Kriti Dugar
2nd Debate
Eleza Vinod and Amit
3rd in Counter Moves
Autumn Muse (St. John's Medical College)
Ritika Sowda Spelling bee 3 rd

MUSIC Darpan 2nd western band- Jazz Kidding 2nd Indian band-Amrithavarshini In blooms 1st western band- Jazz Kidding 2nd Indian band-Amrithavarshini An event in kengeri 1st Indian band- Amrithavarshini St John's B2nd western band-Jazz Kidding Sarang 2nd Indian band-Amrithavarshini Mount Carmel college 2nd Indian band-Amrithavarshini First For all events - Kelvikuri won darpan, darpan with all 3 campuses, MCC, PESUECC, IITM, PES, NMIT, BMSIT. (There event is Indian music) Glitch won first for Darpan, SAARANG decibels and powerchords **A'choired Taste**

Beats and Pieces

1st place- Inbloom and Darpan

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St John's -3rd
MCC-1st
Saarang-3rd
PES- 1 st
DANCE
St John's
Theme 2nd: Chuvadu
3rd Daksh
Non theme
1st Chuvadu
2nd Aikya
Bishop cottons women's college
1st - theme
MCC (Chuvada)
Non theme 3 rd
Saarang (Natyarpana)
1st in solo
1st in group dance