

Activities of the Academic Year 2021-2022

Covid Relief Project: As part of the Covid-relief project by the NCC Units of 11(K) Bn. NCC, the NCC unit of St. Michael's College, Cherthala has contributed the following items to Kanjikkuzhi Block Panchayath in order to distribute it to various health centers.

N-95 Masks	: 50 Nos.
Surgical Masks	: 500 Nos.
Antigen Test Kits	: 25 Nos.
Pulse-Oximetre	: 5 Nos.



World Environment Day:

As part of the World Environment Day celebrations NCC cadets of our college planted many saplings in their house premises, since colleges were working in online mode due to the pandemic situation.



International Yoga Day - 2^{1st} June 2021

As part of the International Yoga Day celebrations 2021, the cadets of our NCC unit practiced yoga in their houses, and shared the videos and photos in the social media.



Shooting Practice Camp – 23rd to 29th July 2021:

Seven day Shooting practice camp for the NCC Cadets of 11(K) Bn. NCC Alappuzha was conducted in the campus in association with the Alappuzha District Rifle Association from 23rd to 29th July 2021. Battalion Commanding Officer Col. Abhijit Bambre inaugurated the camp and cadets from various colleges in the Alappuzha District participated in the camp.



Kargil Vijay Divas

26th July 2021: An online poster-making competition based on the theme '*Tribute to the Unsung Heroes*' was conducted by the NCC Unit of this college at District level. Lamps were also lightened by the cadets at home at night to pay homage to the brave soldiers who sacrificed their lives in the Kargil War.



Fit India - Freedom Run – 14th August 2021

Fit India freedom run was conducted by the NCC unit of our college in association with the Physical Education department of the college on 14th August 2021. 75 students participated in the event.



Independence Day Celebration – 15th August 2021

The Independence Day celebrations were coordinated by the NCC unit of the college with unprecedented patriotic fervour on 15th August 2021. The programme commenced at 8.30 am. Lt. Abin Albert T., Associate NCC Officer of the unit delivered a welcome speech. Kerala Agricultural Minister Sri. P. Prasad was the chief guest and he hoisted the National Flag at 8.45 am and it was followed by the contingent parade by the NCC cadets. The Minister gave an Independence Day message which inspired the gathering. NSS volunteers sang patriotic songs. The NCC unit of the college distributed 15 provisional kits to the Member of Association of Charitable and Cultural Organisation of Kerala (ACCOK), Cherthala unit to distribute among the mentally and physically challenged people who are very poor and alone in the region. The celebration was blessed with the presence of Rev.Fr. Nelson Thaypparambil, the College Manager and Dr. Mathew V., Principal of the college. At the end of the programme sweets were distributed among the gathering.



Gandhi Jayanthi – 2nd October 2021

As part of the celebration of Gandhi Jayanthi, the NCC cadets of the College have conducted a cleaning drive programme on the College Campus. The cadets also sanitized the class rooms and college premises



Enrolment of First Year Cadets

The enrolment process was done on 28th October 2021. A team of Army officers from the 11(K) Battalion NCC Alappuzha came to the college and after the physical test they selected the suitable cadets from the group of first year students who were interested to join NCC.



Cleaning drive campaign – 31st Oct 2021

A cleaning drive campaign was conducted on the campus by the NCC unit. The cadets cleaned the college premises.



NCC Day Celebration – 27th November 2021

As part of the NCC Day celebrations 2021 cadets planted some fruit saplings on the campus.



Tribute to CDS General Bipin Rawat and the Soldiers

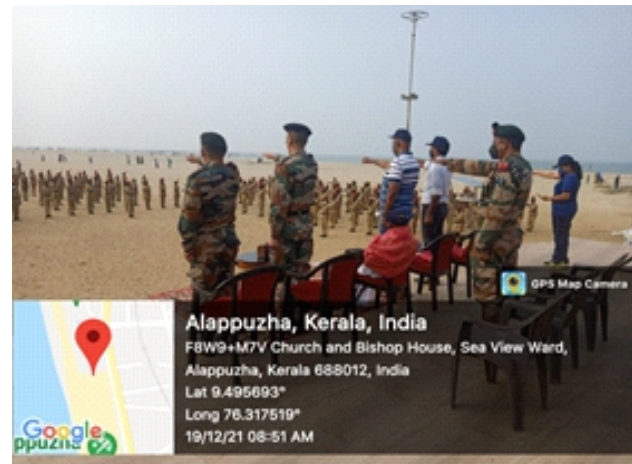
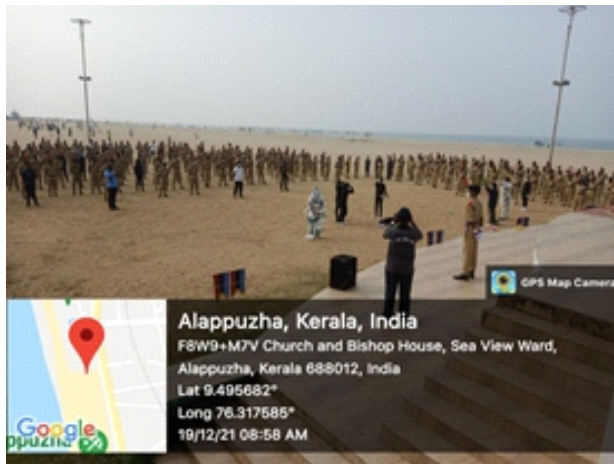
9th December 2021: As a tribute to the CDS general Bipin Rawat, his wife and the 11 brave soldiers who lost their lives in an accident the NCC Cadets of our college lightened candles at night at their own house with their family.



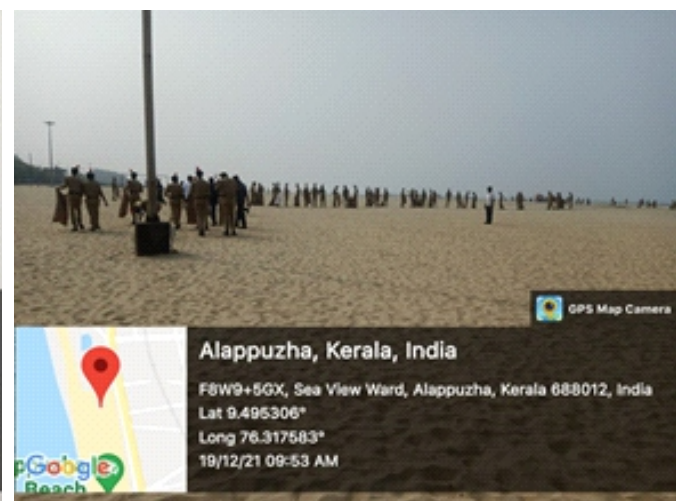
'Puneeth Sagar Abhiyan' - 19th December 2021:

As part of the “Puneeth Sagar Abhiyan” on 19 Dec 21, a Mega Cleanliness Drive was undertaken by the Eco-Warriors of 11 Kerala BN NCC, Alappuzha under NCC Group HQ Kollam Group at the Alappuzha Beach. Shri. N. S. Rajappan, who has been acclaimed by the Hon’ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi for his commitment to cleanliness despite his disability, was the Chief Guest on the occasion. And the Guests of Honour were, Shri Biju Bala Subramanian, the Environment Engineer-in-Charge of the National Green Tribunal for the State of Kerala and Colonel C. J. Antony, Social Worker and also an NCC Alumni.

The speakers urged all present to continue the fight against pollution for a better future. Various activities to include Plogging, Pledge Awareness drive, a Mime on Hazards of Plastic pollution and Beach cleaning were undertaken by the Eco-Warriors of 11 Kerala Bn. NCC, Alappuzha along with a number of NCC Alumni Cadets.



The contribution and dedication of the “Swachhta Aagrahi” (Beach Cleaning Staff), women responsible for regular cleaning of the Alappuzha Beach was acknowledged and they were also felicitated on the occasion. They, along with the hawkers, refreshment sellers and people present on the beach also participated in the Swachhta Pledge taken on the occasion. A total number of 525 Officers, Associated NCC Officers, PI Staff and NCC Alumni Cadets participated in the Mega Cleaning Drive of the “Puneeth Sagar Abhiyan” and 375 Kgs of garbage was removed from the beach.



Annual Training Camp:

7 Day cadre camp was conducted for the NCC cadets of various colleges under 11(K) Bn. NCC Alappuzha at St. Michael's College Cherthala from 24th to 30th December 2021. A total number of 279 cadets took part in the camp. The camp was run by One Commanding Officer, 4 Associate NCC Officers, 4 JCOs, 9 NCOs and 5 Civilian staff.



National Youth Festival 12th – 16th January 2021

The NCC Units St. Michael's College, Cherthala and St. Joseph's College, Alappuzha jointly organized the following events as part of the celebration of National Youth Festival 2021.



1. Seminar: “Sports and its importance in life” by P. J. Joseph, President of Alappuzha District Sports Council.
2. Seminar on the topic “Yoga for health and longevity” by Dr. Nimmy Alexander, former President of Alappuzha District Sports Council and Former HOD of Physical Education, St. Joseph’s College, Alappuzha.
3. Poster Making Competition based on the theme “Indigenous Sports”



4. Tug of War competition



Cadets of both the colleges actively participated in all the programmes and the venue of the programme was St. Joseph’s College, Alappuzha.

Republic Day Celebration 2022

The Republic Day celebrations were coordinated by the NCC unit of the college with unprecedented patriotic fervour on 26th January 2022. The programme commenced at 8.30 am. Lt. Abin Albert T, Associate NCC Officer of the unit delivered a welcome speech. Dr. Mathew V., Principal of the college hoisted the National Flag at 8.45 am and the NCC band troop played the National Anthem which echoed in the entire campus and it was followed by the contingent parade by the NCC cadets. The Principal Dr. Mathew V., gave Republic day messages to the gathering. It was followed by a wonderful band display and parade by the NCC cadets. At the end of the programme sweets were distributed among the gathering.



Republic Day Camp 2022

Our College is very proud to say that one of our cadets, **JUO, Arjun A.** was selected for the Republic Day Parade 2022, to be held at Delhi. He was also a part of the cultural team of K&L Directorate, in which he performed 'Kalaripayat' the traditional art of Kerala. It is a tremendous achievement by the NCC Unit of our college.



Annual Training Camp at Ambalapuzha

A total number of 48 cadets of our college participated in the ATC held at Government Model HSS, Ambalapuzha from 17th to 26th May 2022.



Our cadets bagged prizes for the following competitions in ATC

Squad Drill	: 1 st Prize
Guard of Honour	: 1 st Prize
Best cadet competition	: 1 st Prize
Quiz competition	: 1 st Prize
Script writing competition	: 1 st prize.
NCC song competition	: 2 nd Prize

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