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Relief Sculpture: Hands-On Training

The Department of Fine Arts and Animation at SIGA, PTC, organized a hands-on training session under the Lean, Earn, and Pay (LEAP) Scheme as an onsite exposure for students. The project was meticulous, aiming to create a 14x10-foot fiberglass relief sculpture for Don Bosco College of Agriculture (DBCA) in Sagayathottam.

The project was led by art director R. Kamal from the Salesian Institute of Graphic Arts Kilpauk, along with five fine arts students: Vasanth Lughnhu and Harish Jeevan Prasanna. The entire detailed sculpture took 35 days to complete. It was installed at DBCA on September 25, 2023, and inaugurated on September 26, 2023, by Rev. Fr. Alphonse Arulanandhan and Rev. Fr. Lourdhunadhan SDB.

We highly appreciate the indefatigable determination and dedication of our students, as well as their excellent mentoring. We congratulate the students and wish them great success in their future endeavors.



FOOTBALL TEAM WON RUNNER

September 06 2023

SIGA PTC Football Team won Runner-Up in the Inter Polytechnic Athletic Association (Tamil Nadu & Puducherry) Divisional Tournament for Men 2023 - 2024. The tournament was organized by Sri Ragavendra Polytechnic College B Komarapalayam, Namakkal District - 638 183 and held at Sri Nallalaghu Nadar Polytechnic College, Puzhal, Thiruvallur, Chennai, Tamil Nadu 600 066.

The following players were part of the SIGA Polytechnic College Football Team that won the Runner-Up title: Louis J, Stephen pandian S, Ajay arul, Vigneswaran v, Lokesh S, Allan p, Daniel Williams D, Sanjay A, Sekar Dillon D, Louis J, Lawrence J, Ajayaraj P, Jasper R, Derrick rechard D, Antony Nidhish Kumar v, Joseph Matthew B, Just Rajan pugazhenthi M, Harijayaraj M, Jayaraj A, Ajay arul Y.

The SIGA PTC Football Team's achievement is a testament to their hard work and dedication, as well as the excellent coaching they have received. The team's success is also a matter of great pride for the entire SIGA Polytechnic College community.

We congratulate the Football Team on their outstanding achievement and wish them all the best for their future success.



SCREEN PRINTING September 26, 2023

Empowering Students through screen printing: From Artistic Skill Development to Entrepreneurial Excellence

Screen printing is more than just an art; it's a skill, a technique, and for some, it's a pathway to entrepreneurial success. On September 26, 2023, a full-day workshop led by Mr. Jeetendra, print specialist, illuminated the path of empowerment for students at SIGAPTC. Held at the ITS Lab and Offset Lab, the workshop not only cultivated artistic talents but also sowed the seeds of entrepreneurship among attendees.

The workshop aimed to empower students by unlocking their creative potential and providing hands-on experience in the world of screen printing. It was designed to bridge the gap between theory and practice, guided students through the entire process, from designing their prints to the final production. Students learned about market trends, pricing strategies, and the potential for turning their passion into a sustainable business.



Photo by Mr. Lokesh GDC III

NATIONAL LEPROSY ERADICATION PROGRAM NLEP September 13, 2023

In an earnest endeavor to raise awareness about leprosy and contribute to its eradication, SIGA Polytechnic College hosted an insightful event in collaboration with the National Leprosy Eradication Programme. On Wednesday, the 13th of September 2023, our college had the privilege of welcoming esteemed resource persons from the programme who shed light on the vital work being done to combat this ancient and stigmatized disease.

The resource persons for the programme were Mr. Isaac Arunkumar Y, District Health Educator; Mr. Ramesh S, Health Inspector; Mr. Mukesh Health Inspector; and Mr. Krishna raj Non-Medical Supervisor.

The resource persons gave a presentation on the history of

leprosy, the symptoms of the disease, and the treatment options available. They also spoke about the stigma associated with leprosy and the importance of early diagnosis and treatment.

The students asked a number of questions about leprosy, and the resource persons were able to answer them in a clear and concise manner. Let us stand united in raising awareness and working towards a world free from the burden of leprosy. Together, we can make a difference.

NLEP can be mapped to each of these programme outcomes: Basic and Discipline-specific Knowledge, Problem Analysis, Engineering Practices for Society, Sustainability, and Environment and Lifelong Learning:

Learning for Life A WORKSHOP ON COMMUNICATIVE ENGLISH

September 17, 2023

In a world that is increasingly interconnected, the ability to communicate effectively in English is a vital skill. Recognizing the importance of nurturing this skill, Don Bosco College, Yelagiri Hills, took a bold step forward by organizing a transformative workshop titled "Learning for Life: A Workshop on Communicative English." Held from September 17 to 18, 2023, at the esteemed SIGA Polytechnic College, Chennai, this workshop brought together 103 enthusiastic students eager to master the art of English communication.

A Dynamic Lineup of Experts

The workshop was graced by the presence of distinguished experts from the Postgraduate Department of English at Don Bosco College, Yelagiri Hills. Mr. Sureshrajan M.A., B.Ed., Head and Assistant Professor, led the charge, and he was joined by Mr. Steve D Luker, Mr. G Sarathkumar M.A., and Mr. Srinath M.A., all Assistant Professors with a wealth of experience in the realm of English education.

Course Outcomes: Upon completion of the workshop, students were able to:

- Demonstrate a high level of proficiency in all four English language skills: listening, Speaking, Reading, and Wwriting.
- 2. Apply effective communication strategies in a variety of contexts.
- Think critically about the information they were presented with and form their own opinions.
- 4. Work together to solve problems and come up with creative solutions.

One student participant had this to say about the workshop: "I learned so much from the workshop on communicative English. The resource persons were very knowledgeable and

engaging, and the activities were fun and challenging. I now feel more confident in my ability to communicate effectively in English in a variety of contexts." The workshop on communicative English is just one example of SIGA Polytechnic College's commitment to providing students with the skills and knowledge they need to succeed in today's competitive world.

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DENGUE AWARENESS PROGRAM September 13, 2023

Dengue fever is a significant public health concern in many regions of India, including Tamil Nadu. To address this issue and raise awareness among the students, the Health Department of the Government of Tamil Nadu organized an informative and engaging program at SIGA Polytechnic College on September 21, 2023.

The event brought together an expert panel of individuals, each with their own unique insights and expertise in combating dengue. The program was attended by resource persons from the Greater Chennai Corporation (GCC), including Mr. Vijaya Kumar (Sanitary Officer), Mr. Arul (Sanitary Inspector), Mr. Balaguru (Sanitary Inspector), Mrs. Thenmozhi (Entomologist), Mrs. Sugee (Health Inspector), and Mr. Arulmani (Field Assistant).

Presentation Demo: The resource persons conducted

an informative presentation on dengue prevention, covering topics such as mosquito breeding sites, symptoms, and preventive measures. After the presentation, the participants were taken on a tour of a demo house that was set up to show them how to prevent mosquito breeding in their homes. The participants were also given a demonstration on how to use mosquito repellents and wear protective clothing.

Rally at Taylors Road: To create a visible impact and raise awareness among the public, a rally was organized along Taylors Road. Students marched with banners and placards, spreading the message of dengue prevention to a wider audience.

Nillavembu Kudineer: As a part of the event, Nillavembu Kudineer, a traditional herbal drink known for its potential to boost immunity, was distributed to students.



Mosquito Man Representation:

An intriguing element of the event was the presence of "Mosquito Man," a symbolic character who illustrated the importance of vigilance and proactive measures against mosquitoborne diseases. This creative representation added an engaging and memorable aspect to the program.

The Dengue Awareness Programme conducted by the Health Department of the Government of Tamil Nadu was a timely and important event. Dengue fever is a serious public health problem in SIGAPTC, and it is important to educate the students about the disease and its prevention.





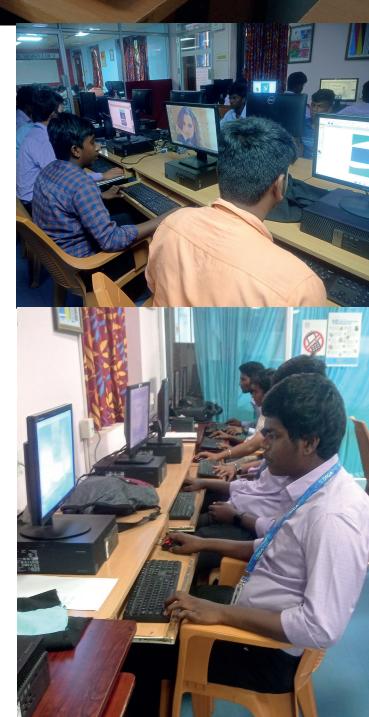
POSTER COMPETITION September 20, 2023

Peace is more than conflict-free. Positive emotions include love, kindness, and compassion. On International Peace Day, we celebrate peace's progress and pledge to work together to make the world more peaceful.

This year's International Peace Day theme is "Peace: A journey of love and kindness." This theme emphasizes that peace is earned. We must strive for it daily.

Siga Polytechnic College is holding a poster contest for all ages on International Peace Day. Posters should be innovative, motivating, and thought-provoking. Posters should be creative and copyright-free.

We invite all kids to enter this competition and express their peace views. We can establish a world where everyone lives in peace.



VISION OF THE INSTITUTION

To be at the vanguard of progress in printing, packaging, and visual communication.

MISSION OF THE INSTITUTION:

To offer formal, non-formal continuing education and skill-based programs to the needy and underprivileged students and to match the needs of the printing, packaging, and related industries by following the charismatic pedagogy of Don Bosco.

In the field of Higher Education, we are committed to: To excel in Virtue, knowledge, and Art. To become technically sound and socially responsible in all endeavours. To empower themselves with the life coping skills and become a successful entrepreneur.

Socially, we work towards To provide a home that welcomes, a school that empowers, and a playground where friendships is groomed.

Spiritually, we aim at To impart a holistic education to students as per the ethos of the campus and pedagogy of Don Bosco.

PROGRAM OUTCOMES:

PO1: Basic and Discipline specific knowledge: Apply knowledge of basic mathematics, science and engineering fundamentals and engineering specialization to solve the engineering problems.

PO2: Problem analysis: Identify and analyse well-defined engineering problems using codified standard methods. PO3:Design/ development of solutions: Design solutions for welldefined technical problems and assist with the design of systems components or processes to meet specified needs.

PO4:Engineering Tools, Experimentation and Testing: Apply modern engineering tools and appropriate technique to conduct standard tests and measurements.

PO5:Engineering practices for society, sustainability and environment: Apply appropriate technology in context of society, sustainability, environment and ethical practices.

PO6:Project Management: Use engineering management principles individually, as a team member or a leader to manage projects and effectively communicate about welldefined engineering activities.

PO7:Life-long learning: Ability to analyse individual needs and engage in updating in the context of technological changes

PROGRAM SPECIFIC OUTCOMES:

To provide knowledge and skill in the state-of-art eight-colour offset printing, quality packaging and Ink Kitchen.

To become multifaceted technicians and excel in the interdisciplinary branches such as fine arts, UX and 3D Printing.





