

## **ECA Activities Report**

Several departments in Maharaja's college have their own associations which have healthy practices of arranging and conducting conferences, guest lectures and competitions etc. Some of them are Kannada Sangha, Psychology Association, Journalism Club, Economics forum, English association etc. A unique feature of the college is that the college has student development fund reserve of Rs.15,00,000, where only interest part of the amount will be utilized for above activities. Workshops, personality development programmes, placement in various institutes are the other activities carried out by the college.

ECA committee takes care of all the literary and cultural activities in the college. The college has a distinction of consecutive champions several times at University level cultural and literary competitions. Some of the students have participated in zonal, national and international level competitions.

### **ECA 2001-2002:**

- Conveners: Prof. Sarvamangala Bai.C., and Prof. Ramaswamy. C.
- Formation of ECA Committee on 3.8.2001, headed by Prof. Sarvamangala Bai as convener.
- Inauguration by Principal. Prof. Dr. M.B. Padma.
- Celebrations of Teacher's Day on 5.9.2001 in association with the Department of Philosophy.
- Organized Padmaja Prasad intercollegiate music Competitions.
- Celebrations in memory of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar on 22.2.2002 by college staff and students. Union Minister Srinivas Prasad, B.K. Prakash, Mayor of Mysore City and others took part.
- Six students from N.C.C and N.S.S. participated in the Republic day Parade at New Delhi.
- During the academic year Departments of Psychology, Kannada, Journalism, functional English had arranged special lectures, seminars and other cultural events.
- During the academic year 2001-2002, students of Maharaja's College won more than fifteen events and have brought honour to the college.
- Valedictory of ECA took place on 5.3. 2002.

### **ECA 2002-2003:**

- Conveners: Prof. Nanjegowda and Prof. C. Naganna.
- Inauguration of ECA on 19-09-02. Inauguration by KSOU vice- chancellor Dr. Rame Gowda.
- On the occasion eighteen competitions were organized and the college representatives in their respective category were selected.

- During the academic year students participated in the competitions organized by Rotary Club, Basudev Somani College, Sharadavilas College, Vishwamanava vedike, Nataraja Pratishtana, Marimallappa College, Govt. First Grade College, Adichunchangiri First grade College and Nagamangala first Grade College.
- On October 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> students participated in the University selections and won many prizes. Students represented the University at the South Zone level at Hyderabad and also at the Nationals held at New Delhi.
- On 27-12-03, Padmaja Prasad Memorial Cultural competitions were organized.
- On 21-03-03, Dr. Babasahib Ambedkar's 112th birth anniversary was celebrated.
- On 7.4.03 the valedictory of ECA was organized.

### **ECA 2005-2006:**

- Inauguration of ECA on 10-8-2005. Convener Dr. S. Shanta Nayak.
- Selection process to represent College in all cultural events: 10-8-2005 to 12-08-2005.
- Around thirty five events with a participation of more than four hundred students.
- Ramachandra won Second and third Prize in the Bhavageete and Film hits organized by Nrupatunga organization.
- In the month of September, forty students participated in the Folk dance, Western dance, Group Song, Essay Writing competitions organized by Renukacharya College, Bangalore. Students won four prizes.
- In the month of October Mysore Lion's Club, University of Mysore and Jilla Panchayat had organized a cultural competition in which the college students won many prizes.
- In the Inter Collegiate competition organized by the University of Mysore Girish M.P and Group won the first prize and Raghavendra and group won the second in dramatics.
- On 29-9-2005 there was a talk on Namma Samskrutika Javabdari by Mr. Chidambara Rao Jambe and by Sri.S.R. Ramesh at Junior B.A., Hall, Maharaja's College.
- In the month of December Padmaja Prasad Memorial Cultural competitions were organized.
- In the month of January 2006 there was a talk by the students and the ECA convener in the All India Radio.
- K.P Manujunath, G. Venkatesh Nayak, Girish M.P, Raghavendra R, Shekhar D, Kumar and Vishwanath represented the College at the national level competitions organized by the University of Kurukshetra.
- A talk on Gandhiji Mattu Uppina Satyagraha was organized at the college. Ex-state minister Mr. Mahadevu and Principal Prof. S. Siddaraju were the Chief guestst.
- "Ambedkar Day" was celebrated on 22.03.2006.

### **ECA 2006- 2007:**

- Convener Prof. Sri Devi
- Talent search was held in the month of August where 33 events were conducted.
- Students participated and won various prizes in the State level, district level competitions organized by Geleyara balaga, Mandya (Light music), Kshirasagara Mitra kuta (Folk music); State Level Made Gowda Folk music competition, State level competitions organized by JSS Medical college; State level Debate competitions, Light music, Folk music, Mono acting, organized by Kantamma Mahila MahaVidyalaya; State anthem competition organized by Vidyavardhaka college; Light music, Folk music, Film hits, group song, organized by TTL college; Kannada Debate organized by Kannada quiz organized by Govt. First grade College, K.R. Nagar; Folk dance and Drama organized by Vasudeva Somani College; Inter collegiate State anthem competition organized by Anathalaya; Intercollegiate competitions organized by Amruta vidyalaya; Debate competitions and essay competitions organized by Chinmaya vidyala.
- R. Jitendra and team from our college were trained from Nataka Karnataka, Rangayana and staged many shows.
- The College celebrated the 125th year of the composition of Bankim Chandra Chaterjee's Vande Mataram.
- In the month of January Padmaja Prasad Cultural competitions were organized by the college.
- On 09-02-2007 the college felicitated the National poet G.S. Shivarudrappa. He was an old student and member of the teaching faculty of our college. On the occasion Prof. DE. JE. Gowda felicitated the dignitary. 'Dr. Shivarudrappa Chintana Manthana' and poet's meet was organized.
- On 17-03-2007 Ambedkar's day was organized. Deputy Commissioner of Police Rajendra Prasad was the chief guest.
- On 03.04. 2007 the Valedictory of ECA took place.
- On this event Director of Rangayana, Chidambara Rao Jambe honored Prof. Vasantamma, R.N. padmanabha, Sri Utappa and Sili Meri. Rank students were also honored on this occasion.

### **ECA 2007-2008:**

- Convener: C.E. Loksha.
- Talent search was held from 31.08.2007 to 1.9.2997. 30 events were conducted.
- Students were professionally trained by the artists of Rangayana in dramatics.
- Students who participated in the 'Yuva Dasara' and the 'Kamsale' team won lot of appreciation from the audience.
- Students participated in the 'Yuvajanotsava' organized by the University of Mysore.

- College students also participated in the South Zone competitions organized by the Shivaji University. K.S. Jayanna, Rajesh, Sanath Kumar, Vinay and won 4th place in the overall championship.
- In the month of February; Srikanth, Dhananjaya Krishna and Jaikumar won the consolation prize in the cultural events.
- Jayanna and his Kamsale team participated in the folk competition and won the overall championship.
- Jaikumar and Sunilkumar won the consolation prize in the Folk music competition organized by Government women's College, Mandya .
- In the month of January, Padmaja Prasad Memorial was organized. Maharaja's college won the championship.
- In the month of March, Dr. B.R. Ambedkar day was organized.
- In the month of April, College day and the Valedictory for the ECA was organized.

#### **ECA 2009-2010**

- Convener: Dr. S. Shivarajappa.
- Inauguration in the month of September 2009.
- Cultural Competitions were held from 5-9-2009 to 7-9-2009. Light music, Debate, Dance, Folk Music, Folk Dance, Skit, Mime and other competitions were held.
- Students participated in the Yuvajantsav organized by the University of Mysore. They took part in all the cultural events and brought laurels to the college.
- In the month of October, in association with the Department of Kannada and Culture, Govt. of Karnataka, the college had organized a work shop in Folk Music. Mr. Janardhan was the resource person for this event.
- On 29-10-2009, Dr. Krishna Janamana conducted a one day work shop for students in the field of Mime, Drama and Skit.
- In the Month of November, on the Occasion of Kannada Rajotsava, in association with the Kannada Janapada Sangha the college celebrated 'Kannada Sambrama'. Prof. Siddashrama Inaugurated the program. On the same occasion the college Journal 'Anantayatri' was released.
- In the Month of January 2009, the college celebrated the 100th year of Coronation of the legendary King Sri. Krishna Devaraya Wodeyar. Various cultural competitions were organized.
- In the Month of February 2009, Padmaja Prasad Cultural fest was organized. Students from various colleges took part in the event. Students of Maharani's College won the rolling trophy.
- In the Month of April, the College celebrated the 119th birth anniversary of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar.

- The following are the main achievements of the students during the current academic year:
- Students participated in the 'Rashtriya Yuvajanotsav' at Haryana from 02-02-2010 to 06-02-2010. They participated in the Folk Music and other music competitions. The college won the second place. College students also participated in the 'International cultural fest' held at Bangladesh.
- Students participated in the 'Folk Jatra' organized at Belgaum from 11.03.2010 to 13.03.2010. The Kamsale team won the first place.
- Students participated in the 'National level Folk' competitions and got selected to represent India at London during 22.01.2010 to 27-01-2010. Lokesh, Bhanupratap, Kumar, Nandish, Venkatesh, Mahadevaswamy and Shivakumar K.P were the students who represented our college.
- Prakash. S.M and P.V. Nagaraj won the debate competition organized by Anathalaya trust.
- H.D. Jaya Kumar and Manoj kumar won the second place in the Folk music composition organized by the Vijaya First grade College, Pandavapura. They also won the third place in the Folk event organized by the Khshira Mitra Kuta, Mandya.
- I.D. Lokesh won the third place and Prakash S.M and Nagaraju won the fourth place in the debate competitions organized by First Grade college, K.R. Nagar.
- I.D. Lokesh and Jayakumar won the Rolling Trophy in the Folk music contest organized by the Mahila Sarkari College, Mandya.
- Students won the first place in the Folk dance competition organized by D. Banumaiah's College.
- Our College won many prizes in the 'Vikasotsava 2010' organized by Vidya Vikas Engineering College. They won first place in Folk Dance, Rangoli and group Music competitions.
- I.D. Lokesh won the first place in Folk music and Prakash S.M. also won the first place in the debate organized by Vishwa Kavi Kuvempu First Grade College, Mysore.
- On 7-5-2010 the valedictory function was organized.

### **ECA 2010-2011**

- Prof S.N. Gaythri was the Chairperson; Dr B.S. Chandrasekhar was the Convener and Dr Chethana as Co-Convener. On 8-Aug-2010 college level cultural competitions were conducted.
- Cini actor Mr. Ganesh inaugurated the cultural festival. Sri B. Ramu Registrar of Evaluation, University of Mysore was the chief guest.
- Students participated in the competitions arranged by the University of Mysore and represented the University at the 'South Zone cultural festival'. Anupama Hegde won the Bhavageethe competition, Murali won in Prahasana, Mohan in solo dance, Prakash in debate and Vivekananda won prizes in Rangoli competition.

- On 4-10-2010, Mysore Medical College had organized a cultural festival. In that Harish and Mime Prakash won the first place for group music, Chennegowda and his team for Skit.
- Students participated in the Dasara Festival organized on 7-10-2010 by the Govt. of Karnataka. They did a theme by name 'Jay-Ho' and won applause from the young audience.
- On 16-10-2010, students participated in the 'Karanth Natakotsava' organized by Rangayana. They staged a play 'King Lear' under the direction of Mr Gururaj.
- The ECA celebrated the Kannada Rajyotsava. Prof CPK inaugurated and Prof. Malali Vasanth kumar was the chief guest and Prof. S.N. Gayatri Presided over the function.
- On 11-11-2010, students participated in the competitions arranged by the Department of Kannada and culture. They took part in Mimicry, Bhavageete and Drama.
- On 15-2-2011, University of Mysore had organized 'MANASA' festival. Students of Maharaja's college entertained the public with 'Beesu Kamsale' dance and won their appreciation.
- On 8-2-2011, the Department of Kannada and Culture, had organized a cultural festival. Our students participated and won lots of appreciation.
- On 28-2-2011, Prakash, student of our college won first place in the debate competition organized by Vivekananda Shikshana Samsthe.
- On 9-3-2011, our college had organized 'Padmaja Prasad memorial cultural competitions' comprising of Bhavageethe, Folk Songs, Group songs and Film songs. Film actor Mr Chethan Ram Rao inaugurated the festival. Around sixty colleges participated in the festival.
- On 12-3-2011, college students participated in the cultural programme organized by the Terresian College. Our students won the first place in the Folk dance. Chennegowda and team won the first place in Skit.
- On 14-3-2011, Prakash, Suma, Sudharani participated in the debate competition organized by JSS College, Mysore and won first prize.
- On 22-3-2011, The ECA Committee had organized multilingual lectures.
- On 8-4-2011, Karthik Kumar won the inter-collegiate Folk dance competition.
- On 10-4-2011, our college team won the first prize in the Folk dance competition organized by Global Accounts Management.
- On 18-4-2011, Prakash M and Prakash J won the Bhavageete and Folk song competitions organized by the Rashtra Kavi Kuvempu First Grade College. They won the rolling shield.
- On 21-3-2011, College celebrated Dr B.R. Ambedkar's birth anniversary. Prof. Bargur Ramchandrapappa delivered the key note address and was followed by series of lectures.
- On 29-4-2011, ECA celebrated the valedictory function. Former vice-chancellor of University of Mysore, Prof S N Hegde, and film actor Puneeth Rajkumar were the guests of honour. On this occasion Puneeth Rajkumar donated a sum of Rupees one Lakh towards the development of the college.

## **ECA 2011-2012**

- Dr K. Timmaiah was the Convener.
- Constitution of ECA fourteen member Committee for the year 2011-2012.
- On 26-8-2011, College organized different events to identify the talent among students.
- DYSP Dr Dharani Devi was the chief guest.
- On 13-11-2011, College celebrated Kannada Rajyotsava.
- Director of Rangayana, Mysore, B.V. Rajanna and Vice-Chancellor of The Gangubai Hanagal University, Dr Hanumanna Nayak Dore were the chief guests.
- On 25-10-2012, College students participated in Yuva Dasara and performed Folk dance and Music. They also produced a feature 'Nadu Nudige Namana'.
- On 19-01-2012, in association with Rangayana and Kannada and Folklore Department, Maharaja's College, Mysore, organized a one day program on the poet 'Masti Ventakesha Iyengar'.
- On 15-3-2012, College organized 'Padmaja Prasad intercollegiate cultural competitions'. Prof. Krishne Gowda was the chief guest. The rolling shield was won by Maharani's College.
- On 20-4-2012, College celebrated Dr B. R. Ambedkar Birth anniversary. Prof. G.K. Govinda Rao was the chief guest.
- Prof Ramaswamy was honored for getting Dr B.R. Ambedkar award. Dr Yashodha donated works of Dr Ambedkar to the College Library.
- Students participated in one act Play, Drama, Folk Dance, Music, Debates, Mono Acting, Quiz and won many prizes in various cultural competitions organized by the University of Mysore; Adi Chunchangiri Arts and Commerce college, JSS college, Mysore; Basudeva Somani College, Mysore; Vishwa Kavi Kuvempu College, Mysore; Vidya Vardhaka College, Mysore; Anathalaya Mysore, Mysore; Bharath Cancer Hospital, Mysore; TTL college Mysore; SDM College, Mysore
- On 26-4-2012, ECA celebrated the valedictory function. Police commissioner C. Basavaraju was the chief guest and film actor Yash was the guest of honor.

## **2012-2013 ECA**

- Prof. Dr. J. Shankarppa was the Convener.
- Fourteen members committee was constituted and Inaugurated on 27-08-2012. Prinicipal, Dr C.B. Ramachandra was the Chairperson and Mr. Mandya Ramesh was called as the chief guest.
- Around 90 students took prizes in various competitions conducted by the ECA. The Prize winners were selected to represent the college on various prestigious platforms.
- On 5th, 6th and 7th November 2012, college students won many prizes in the Rangotsava Competition.

- Our College students won first prize in Skit, Mime, Instrumental music and Drama, in competitions organized by the University of Mysore.
- From 15-12-2012 to 19-12-2012, students participated in the South Zone University competitions held at Gulbarga University, Gulbarga. Students won prizes in Mime and Drama. Students also won prizes in competitions organized by Christ College, Bangalore.
- Our college student Venkatesh won the second prize in essay writing competition organized by GFGC, Mysore, University of Mysore and Mahajana College Mysore. Our college team won prizes for Collage in the above said competitions.
- Our college student Mangallamma won first prize in Mime, Drama and Dollu Kunita.
- Our college students participated in the 'Trends in Today's Media' and brought laurels to the institution.
- Our college students Chennaraj, Kirti, Prabhu, Kumar, Harish, Venkataramanachari, Shambhavi, Mangalamma and Anand participated in the South Zone cultural festival and won third prize in Mine and Drama.
- On 06-11-2012, ECA in collaboration with the college Folklore Association celebrated Kannada Rajyotsava. Sri K Anantha Raju was the chief guest.
- On 26-02-2013, ECA celebrated the 150th Birth anniversary of Swamy Vivekananda. Swamy Satyeshananda was the chief guest and he delivered a lecture on the achievements of Swamy Vivekananda.
- On 23-3-2013, the ECA organized the 'Padmaja Prasad cultural competitions'. Smt Sunitha Chandrakumar inaugurated the event.
- On 25-04-2013, ECA celebrated Dr BR Ambedkar's 122nd birth anniversary. Dr Anand delivered a lecture on "The Message of Dr Amedkar to Youth". Later a feature film on Dr Amebedkar was screened.
- On 2-05-2013, ECA valedictory took place. Hon. Vice-chancellor Prof Rangappa inaugurated the function. Film director, Mr T.S. Nagabharana was the chief guest. Prof S.N Gayatri, principal gave the presidential address.

#### **ECA 2013-2014**

- Dr C. Mangala was the Convener.
- On 2-9-2013, college organized competitions to select talented students to represent the college for various cultural events.
- Mr Shankar Ashwath was the chief guest and Hon. Registrar, University of Mysore was the guest of honor.
- On 4th, 5th, 6th of September 2013, the University of Mysore organized various cultural competitions to select students to represent the University.
- Our College student Amarnath in Mono Acting; Chandan and troupe for Western Music; Harish and team for Skit; Ajit and team for Folk dance; Nikhil for English Debate and Harish for Mime won prizes and brought laurels to the college.



- On 7-11-2013, College celebrated Kannada Rajyotsava in association with the Department of Kannada.
- Mr. Chandrashekhar, the Chairman of Kannada Sahitya Parishad was the chief guest. Cinema artist Mukhyamantra Chandru was the guest of Honor.
- On 6-3-2014, College organized 'Padmaja Prasad Memorial cultural competitions'. Sri Lokesh, Social worker, was the chief guest.
- On 29-4-2014, College celebrated Dr B.R. Ambedkar's Birth centenary.
- Prof. Manorakhit Banteji and Prof Kale Gowda Nagavara delivered lectures on the contribution of Dr Ambedkar to society.
- Our college students Eeranayaka, Narasimhe Gowda, Gajendra, Kumar M.C., Siddeshwar, Mangalamma, Chandan and Abhishek were the outstanding artists of the year.
- On 6-5-2014, College celebrated the valedictory of the ECA. Cinema Director Yogaraj Bhat, Ms Radhika Pandit were the guests and Prof Rangappa, Hon. Vice Chancellor of University of Mysore was the Chief Guest.