

69ನೇ ಮಹಾಪರಿವಾಳಿ ದಿನಾಚರಣೆ – ಅಂಬೇಧ್ಕರ್ ಚಿಂತನೆ ಸ್ವರಣೆ

– ಡಾ. ನಾಗರಾಜು ಆರ್. ಕೆ. ಉಪನ್ಯಾಸಕರು, ಸಮಾಜಶಾಸ್ತ್ರ ಗಂಭೀರ ಬಿಕ್ಷೇಪನಲ್ಲಿ ಸಿಲುಕುವ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯಗಳ ಪುನಃಜೀವಿತನಕ್ಕೆ ರಾಜ್ಯ ಸರ್ಕಾರ ತುರ್ತು ಗಮನ ಹರಿಸಬೇಕೆಂದು ವಿಧಾನ ಪರಿಷತ್ ಸದಸ್ಯರಾದ ಶಿವಕುಮಾರ್.ಕೆ. ಮನವಿ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಡಾ. ಮನಮೋಹನ್ ಸಿಂಗ್ ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ನಗರ ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯದ ಡಾ. ಬಿ.ಆರ್. ಅಂಬೇಧ್ಕರ್ ಅಧ್ಯಯನ ಕೇಂದ್ರದ ವರ್ತಿಯಿಂದ 2025 ಡಿಸೆಂಬರ್ 6ರಂದು ಏಷಾಡಿ ಸಲಾಗಿದ್ದ 69ನೇ ಮಹಾಪರಿವಾಳಿ ದಿನಾಚರಣೆ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮವನ್ನು ಉದ್ಘಾಟಿಸಿ ಅವರು ಮಾತನಾಡಿದರು.

ಶಾಯಂ ಬೋಧಕ-ಬೋಧಕೇತರ ಸಿಬ್ಬಂದಿಯ ತೀವ್ರ ಕೊರತೆಯಿಂದಾಗಿ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯಗಳ ಭವಿಷ್ಯತ್ವ ಕ್ರಮೇಣ ಮನುಸಾಗುತ್ತಿದೆ ಎಂದು ಅವರು ಆತಂಕ ವ್ಯಕ್ತಪಡಿಸಿದರು. ಮಂಜೂರಾದ ಹದ್ದೆಗಳನ್ನು ಅಹಂತೆ ಮತ್ತು ಮೀಸಲಾಗಿ ಮಾನದಂಡಗಳಿಗೆ ಅನುಗುಣವಾಗಿ ತೀವ್ರವೇ ಭಕ್ತಿ ಮಾಡಬೇಕೆಂದು ಅವರು ಸರ್ಕಾರವನ್ನು ಒತ್ತಾಯಿಸಿದರು.



69ನೇ ಮಹಾಪರಿವಾಳಿ ದಿನಾಚರಣೆ – ಅಂಬೇಧ್ಕರ್ ಭಾವಚತ್ತ್ವ ಪ್ರಷ್ಟವನ್ನು

ಮುಖ್ಯ ಅಂತಿಧಿಗಳಾಗಿ ಬಹಿರಂಗದಲ್ಲಿ ಅಂಬೇಧ್ಕರ್ ಆಗಮಿಸಿದ್ದ ಹಿರಿಯ ಸಂವಿಧಾನದ ಗುಣಾನ ಪತ್ರಕರಾದ ರಪುನಾಥ್ ಮಾಡುವವರಿಂದ ಸಮಾನತೆಯ ಜ.ಹ. ಮಾತನಾಡಿ ಗುರಿ ಸಾಧನೆಯಾಗದೆಂದು ವಿಷವನುಳಿಸಿದ ಸಮಾಜ-ಕ್ಕೆ ಅಮೃತ ಸಿಂಚನ ನೀಡಿದ ಅಂಬೇಧ್ಕರ್ ಕೇವಲ ಒಬ್ಬ ವಹಿಸಿದ್ದ ಕುಲಪತಿಗಳಾದ ಪ್ರೇ. ವ್ಯಕ್ತಿಯಾಗಿರದೆ ಸಾರ್ವತ್ರಿಕ ರಮೇಶ್.ಬಿ. ಮಾತನಾಡಿ ಮೊಲ್ಯುವಾಗಿದ್ದಾರೆಂದು ವಿಳೇಷಿಸಿದರು. ಅಂಬೇಧ್ಕರ್ ತತ್ವ ಚಿಂತನೆ ಕೇರಳದಲ್ಲಿ ಸಾಮಾಜಿ-ಕ ನ್ಯಾಯದ ಅಂದೋಲನ ನಡೆಸಿದ ನಾರಾಯಣ ಗುರು ಸೂಜವಾಗಿ ನುಡಿದರು. ಮಾರ್ಗದಲ್ಲಿ ಮುನ್ನಡೆದ ಡಾ. ಭಾರತೀಯ ಸಮಾಜದಲ್ಲಿನ ಅಂಬೇಧ್ಕರ್ ದೇಶಾದ್ಯಂತ ಜಾತಿ, ವರ್ಣ, ವರ್ಗ, ಲಿಂಗ ಸಮಾನತೆಯ ಸಂಘರ್ಷವನ್ನು ಅಸಮಾನತೆಗಳ ನಿವಾರಣೆಗೆ ಪ್ರೇರಿಸಿದರೆಂದು ಅವರು ವಿವರಿಸಿದರು. ರಂಗಾಯಣದ ಮಾಡಿ ನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರಾದ ಪರ್ಯಾಯಗಳನ್ನು ಮಹಡಿ ಮಾಲಕ ಪರಿಹಾರ ಮಾತನಾಡಿ ಅಂತರಂಗದಲ್ಲಿ ಕಂಡುಕೊಳ್ಳಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ ಎಂದು ಅವರು ಅಭಿಪ್ರಾಯಪಟಿಸಿದರು.

ಕುಲಸಚಿವರಾದ ನವೀನ್ ಜೋಸ್‌ಎ., ಕುಲಸಚಿವ (ಪೊಲ್ಯುಮಾಪನ) ಪ್ರೇ. ರಮೇಶ್.ಬಿ. ಕುಡೇನಟ್ಟಿ, ವಿಶ್ವಾರ್ಥಕಾರಿಗಳಾದ ಎಂ.ವಿ. ವಿಜಯಲಕ್ಷ್ಮಿ, ಪ್ರೇ. ಪಿ.ಆರ್. ಚೇತನಾ ಉಪಸ್ಥಿತಿರಿದರು.

ಉಪನ್ಯಾಸಕರಾದ ಡಾ.ಕುಮಾರ್ ಪ್ರಾಸ್ತಾವಿಕ ಮಾತುಗಳನ್ನಾಡಿದರು.

ಡಾ.ಸದಾನಂದ ಮತ್ತು ಚರಣ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮ ನಿರೂಪಿಸಿದರು.

ಡಾ.ಆರ್.ಕೆ. ನಾಗರಾಜು ಮತ್ತು ಡಾ.ಸಂಗಪ್ಪ ವಗ್ಗರ್ ಅಂತಿಧಿಗಳನ್ನು ಪರಿಚಯಿಸಿದರು.

ಡಾ. ತೇಜೇಶ್ವರ ಸ್ವಾಗತಿಸಿ ಡಾ. ಕಾಂತರಾಜ್. ವಿ. ವಂದಿಸಿದರು.

ಡಾ.ಪ್ರಭು ಜ.ಎಂ. ಮತ್ತು ಡಾ. ಮಂಜು ಸಿ.ಎನ್ ತಂಡದವರು ಜಾಗ್ರಿತಿ ಗೀತಗಳನ್ನು ಹಾಡಿದರು.

ಪ್ರಬಂಧ ಸ್ವಧ್ರ್ಯ ವಿಚೇತನೆ:

ಮಹಾಪರಿವಾಳಿ ದಿನಾಚರಣೆಯ ಪ್ರಯುಕ್ತಿ ಏಷಾಡಿ ಸಲಾಗಿದ್ದ ಪ್ರಬಂಧ ಸ್ವಧ್ರ್ಯಯಲ್ಲಿ ವಿಚೇತರಾದ ಬಿಬಿಲ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿನಿ ಮಾನ್ಯ ಟಿ.ಜಿ. ಸ್ವಾತ್ಮಕೋತ್ತರ ವಿದ್ಯಾ ಧಿ.ನಿ.೦೧೦೨ ರಾ.ದ್ ಪೂಜಾ .ಪ್ರೇ. (ಇತಿಹಾಸ) ಮತ್ತು ಸ್ಪಂದನ ಎನ್.ಜಿ. (ಸಮಾಜಶಾಸ್ತ್ರ) ಅಂತಿಧಿಗಳಿಂದ ಬಹುಮಾನಗಳನ್ನು ಸ್ವೀಕರಿಸಿದರು.

ಪದ್ಮ ಜಾಗ್ರಿತಿ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮ

ಡಾ. ಮನಮೋಹನ್ (ಪೊಲ್ಯುಮಾಪನ) ಪ್ರೇ. ರಮೇಶ್.ಬಿ. ಕುಡೇನಟ್ಟಿ ಮತ್ತು ಸಮಾಜಕಾರ್ಯ ವಿಭಾಗದ ಮುಖ್ಯಸ್ಥರಾದ ಪ್ರೇ. ರಿಕಾ ಸಿನ್ಹಾ ಉಪಸ್ಥಿತಿರಿದರು.

ವೀಳೆ ಉಪನ್ಯಾಸ: ಸಮಾಜ ಕಾರ್ಯ ವಿಭಾಗದ ವರ್ತಿಯಿಂದ ಏಡ್ ಕು-ರಿತು ವೀಳೆ ಉಪನ್ಯಾಸ ಆಯೋಜಿಸಲಾಗಿತ್ತು.

ಮಾಗಡಿಯ ಸರ್ಕಾರಿ ಜನರಲ್ ಆಸ್ಟ್ರೆಲೀಯ ಐಟಿಸಿ ಕೌನ್ಸಿಲ್‌ರ್ ವರ್ಯಾಜಾರ್ ಕುಮಾರ್ ಎಚ್‌ಪಿವಿ ಮತ್ತು ಏಡ್ ನಡುವಿನ ಪ್ರಮುಖ ವ್ಯಾತ್ಯಾಸಗಳು ಮತ್ತು ಪ್ರಸರಣದ ನಾಲ್ಕು ಪ್ರಮುಖ ಮಾರ್ಗಗಳನ್ನು ವಿವರಿಸಿದರು. ಡಾ. ಸಂಗಪ್ಪ ವಗ್ಗರ್ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮ ನಿರ್ವಹಿಸಿದರು.



ವೀಳೆ ಏಡ್ ದಿನಾಚರಣೆ ಅಂಗವಾಗಿ ಸಂಟುಲ್ ಕಾಲೇಜನಲ್ಲಿ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳ ಜಾಧಾರ್

ಪ್ರಯುಕ್ತಿ ಕಾಲೇಜಿನಲ್ಲಿ ನೃತ್ಯಸಂಭಂಧ

ವಯಸ್ಕಿ ವಿದ್ಯಾಸಂಸ್ಥೆಗಳ ವೈಕೆಷ್ಟಿಕ ಬೆಳವಣಿಗೆಗೆ ಇಂತಹ ಸಮೂಹ ಅಯೋಜಿಸಿದ್ದ ಅಂತರ ಶಾಲಾ-ಕಾಲೇಜು ನೃತ್ಯಸಂಭಂಧಗಳ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮ ನೃತ್ಯಸಂಭಂಧದ ವಿಶೇಷಿಸಿದರು, ಪ್ರಾಂತುಪಾಲರಾದ ಡಾ.ಎಸ್.ನಾಗರಾಜು ಸಮಾರಂಭದ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷತೆ ವಹಿಸಿದರು. ಕುಮಾರಿ ಸಿರಿ ಅಂತಿಧಿಪ್ಪಕರ್ ಜಿಮ್ಯಾಪ್ರೀಕ್ ಡಾ. ಮನಮೋಹನ್ ಬಂಗಿಗಳಿಂದ ವೀಳೆ ಗಮನ ಸಿಂಗ್ ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ನಗರ ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯದ ಕುಲಪತಿ ಪ್ರೇ. ರಮೇಶ್.ಬಿ. ರವರು ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳ ಸರ್ವತೋಮ್ವಿ



ಪ್ರಯುಕ್ತಿ ಕಾಲೇಜಿನ ವಿದ್ಯಾರ್ಥಿಗಳಿಂದ ಜಾನಪದ ನೃತ್ಯ ಪ್ರದರ್ಶನ

History Department Symposium

–Dr Purushotham. S in Indian Sub continent with rich insightful instances. Prof.A.Ashwath Narayan described that the Social Reform efforts of yester years are more relevant in our today's vibrant Democracy. Prof. M. Jamuna in her address traced the development of structural temple architecture in South India with playing interesting slides.

Prof.S.Chandrashekhar traces the birth and growth of Nationalism

Commerce Dept. Ph.D Awardees
Research scholars of commerce department, Dr Manmohan Singh BCU have been awarded Ph.d under the guidance of Prof. K R Jalaja, Dean and Chairperson. **Nagesh N**, for the topic 'A Study on Impact of Intellectual Capital Management on Organizational Performance with reference to select Pharmaceutical Companies in Bengaluru'. **Deeksha S**, for the topic 'A Study on Revitalization of Cultural Industries to Achieve Sustainability and Geo-Cultural Identity of Local Cultural Economies in India'. **Indumathi B**, for the topic 'A Study on Issues and Challenges Relating to the Valuation of Bonds with Special Reference to Perpetual Bonds in India'.
A Special Talk on "Public Service and Its Relevance" was held at the JJ auditorium of DMSBCU on 24th December 2025.

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Special Lecture on Russia–Ukraine Conflict

in shaping the conflict. A significant segment of his talk highlighted the relevance of RIC (Russia–India–China) in today's shifting world order. He emphasized Russia's significance for India, particularly in areas such as defence cooperation, nuclear energy, space collaboration.

Another lecture was organized on "Ethics in Social Science Research and How to Write a Research Proposal". Dr.Poornima G.R emphasized how ethics and values are important for social science researchers to collect information from respondents. Another lecture was organized on "Ethics in Social Science Research and How to Write a Research Proposal". Dr.Poornima G.R emphasized how ethics and values are important for social science researchers to collect information from respondents.

Motivation to Young Aspirants by IFS Officer

institutions of higher learning must go beyond degrees and examinations to cultivate integrity, empathy, and a deep sense of national responsibility among students. The centerpiece of the event was the inspiring address by the eminent civil servant, Dr. D. Manjunatha, IFS, Chief Conservator of Forests and Chief Wildlife War-

den, Government of Sikkim. Blending scholarship with lived administrative wisdom, Dr. Manjunatha spoke with rare authenticity about the ethical dilemmas, challenges, and quiet triumphs of public service. Director of pre-exam coaching centre Prof. Medha Itagi Huilgol presided over the program.

-Dr Deeksha. S

- Dr V S Rohini

Department of Economics, has begun Lecture Series for the current academic year from 18-11-2025. Prof. Ritika Sinha, Chairperson of the department inaugurated the program. Dr. Koppa Kondal from TN Central University spoke on research title, data analysis and report writing and Dr. Mohammed Shameer from Dr. Ambedkar School of Economics, Bengaluru explained the measures and criteria for Economic Research. . Real Life Illustrations .

CGL-Faculty Development Program



Participants of "La Magie de la Langue Française en Action avec L'IA."

-Dr. Santhana Krishnan

A two-day Faculty Development Program titled "La Magie de la Langue Française en Action avec L'IA." was conducted on November 29–30, 2025, at the Centre for Global Languages, Dr. Manmohan Singh BCU, in collaboration with IFI and Langers. Day 1 introduced AI concepts and tools, covering shifts in pedagogy, generative AI platforms such as ChatGPT and Claude for content creation, and AI-powered pronunciation tools. Day 2 focused on implementation, highlighting personalized learning platforms for educational institutions, exploring ethical considerations. The program culminated in a workshop where participants designed AI-integrated French lesson plans.

AI experts Dr. Neha Bansal, Dr Shekar Kallepu and Mr Hansu provided a comprehensive introduction to emerging AI-driven educational technologies and demonstrated their practical applications in French

Sociology Academic Activity

The Department of Sociology organised a special lecture on "Pathway to the Competitive Exam: Journey towards Excellence" on 18-12-2025. Dr Nagendra M P, Associate Professor from Government Arts College has delivered special lecture emphasising various methods to crack Competitive Exams. **BAMUL Unit Visit** The students and faculty of the Department of Sociology visited BAMUL - KMF unit in Bengaluru. - Dr. Savitha B C,



Sociology Faculty and Students at BAMUL Unit

Pre-University College Principals' Conclave

Mr. Thomas John Rose, Founder, Wise force Mission, Bengaluru engaged students on 15-12-2025 in a practical session with activities, and real life examples to "Transform Your Dreams into Achievable Goals". Mrs. Anusuya Kashi, Assistant Professor, Vivekananda College of Pharmacy, Bengaluru, delivered a talk on "Impact of Cognitive Biases on Economic Decisions" 18th Dec2025. The session involved Case Studies and

Real Life Illustrations . In his inaugural address, Puttanna, Member of the Legislative Council, expressed serious concern over the alarming situation of nearly 90% teaching vacancies in Public universities.

He observed that parental pressure often compels students to pursue medical and engineering streams, overlooking alternative skill-oriented and vocational career options.

He remarked that Pre-University education functions as a critical transitional phase, and without proper guidance from parents and institutions, students

may be pushed towards unsuitable career paths.

Prof. Ramesh B, Vice-Chancellor, Dr. Manmohan Singh Bengaluru City University, elaborated on the objectives of the counselling meet and presented statistical data on student dropout rates in India. Emphasizing



MLC Puttanna Addressing the Pre University College Principals at JJ auditorium

the urgency of collaborative initiatives between Pre-University institutions and degree colleges, he outlined several job-oriented programmes introduced by the University during the current academic year.

He also noted

that diploma and certificate courses in nearly 14 foreign languages, along with programmes in Artificial Intelligence, interior design, digital marketing, and large-scale employment initiatives, sports, and cultural activities, have been launched to ensure holistic student development.

Manojkumar Kolla, Additional Director, Department of School Education (PUC), Bengaluru South District, admitted that a significant gap has historically existed between Pre-University and degree col-

leges due to limited co-ordinated engagement.

Palaksha, Additional Director, Bengaluru North District, commended the initiative and described it as the first of its kind among state universities in Karnataka. Members of the Syndicate and Academic Council were

present on the occasion. Dr. B R Supirth, Syndicate Member, welcomed the gathering, Prof. Shivashankar proposed the vote of thanks, and Ms. Vanishree compered the programme.

- Dr. Tejeshwara I S, Department of English

MCJ MEDIA CLUB ACTIVITY

The Department of Mass Communication and Journalism-Media Club hosted investigative journalist Vijayalakshmi Shibaroor for an interactive session that provided students a good exposure to contemporary investigative journalism. She outlined how the field

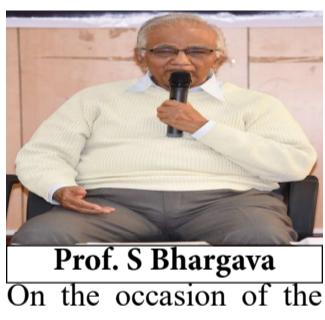
ing sensitive stories. She emphasised that ethical decision-making and personal integrity remain non-negotiable, especially when dealing with powerful institutions and vulnerable communities. Drawing from her three decade long career at various media houses, she explained



Report: Varun S has evolved with faster news cycles, digital platforms, and heightened public scrutiny, noting that reporters must strike a balance between speed and accuracy to maintain credibility. Shibaroor spoke candidly about the occupational risks associated with investigative journalism including legal challenges, intimidation, and the pressure of navigat-

how each newsroom shaped her approach to sourcing, verification, and field investigation. Media Club had organised an interactive session on 17th December featuring Manjunatha S, crime reporter from Vijay Karnataka. He delivered an insightful talk on present-day crime reporting, highlighting its challenges, ethical responsibilities.

National Mathematics Day



On the occasion of the birth anniversary of renowned Indian mathematical genius Srinivasa Ramanujan, National Mathematics Day was celebrated at the Central College campus.

Prof. S. Bhargava, retired professor from the University of Mysore, delivered a special lecture on "The Legacy and Relevance of Srinivasa Ramanujan." Prof. C. S. Aravinda, retired professor from the Centre for Applicable Mathematics, TIFR, attended the event as the chief guest. Presiding over the func-

tion, Vice-Chancellor Prof. Ramesh B. stated that the scholarly excellence of ancient mathematics forms the foundation of today's modern artificial intelligence technologies. Registrar A. Naveen Joseph, Registrar (Evaluation) Prof. Ramesh Kudenatti, and Syndicate members Dr. Krishnaram and K. P. Patil were present. Prof. Medha Itagi Huilgol, Chairperson of the dept. delivered introductory remarks. Ms Aishwarya compered the program. Sandeep Shastri proposed vote of thanks.

As part of the National Mathematics Day celebrations, an inter-collegiate-level mathematical talent competition titled "Math-O-Mania 2025" was organized.



Faculty of Mathematics with VC at Math-O-Mania

Central College Sesquicentennial : 150 Years of Glory

-Dr. Malini M, Faculty, Dept. of History.

The Central College, Bengaluru, one of the most iconic heritage educational institutions of India, has just crossed 150 years landmark and stands as a living testament of academic excellence, cultural vibrancy, and social transformation. Renowned for its distinctive Gothic-Pompeian red architecture, long arched corridors, and lush green surroundings, the campus has witnessed historic events and nurtured generations of minds that have profoundly shaped Indian society. The origins of Central College date back to 1858, when the British rulers established a modest institution called Bangalore High School. As the demand for higher education grew, the school was upgraded to a First-Grade College in 1875 and renamed

as Central College, with affiliation to the University of Madras. A major milestone came in 1916 with the establishment of the University of Mysore by His Highness Krishnaraja Wadiyar IV, the Maharaja of the erstwhile Princely State of Mysore, along with the visionary Diwan Sir M. Visvesvaraya. Under this reorganisation, science courses were concentrated at Central College in Bangalore, while arts courses were housed at the Maharaja College in Mysore. It was here in 1928, Sir C.V. Raman announced the discovery of the Raman Effect, a breakthrough that earned him the Nobel Prize in Physics. Over the decades, Central College has emerged as an alma mater to an extraordinary array of achievers. Among them are Bharata Ratna trios Sir M. Visvesvaraya,

C. Rajagopalachari, and Prof. C.N.R. Rao, S.Nijalingappa and D.Devaraj Urs former Chief Ministers of Karnataka; Diwan Sir Mirza Ismail, Educationist Dr. H. Narasimhaiah; Kannada literary icons such as Masti Venkatesha Iyengar, V.Seetharamaiah,

and with the campus is, indeed, unending. The campus has also played a significant role in the history of Indian sports. The Karnataka State Cricket Association, founded in 1933 (formerly known as Mysore Cricket Association), was born at

G.R.Vishwanath, Brijesh Patel and Syed Kirmani have graced this historic ground. Apart from cricket this ground has nurtured many sports like hockey, football, basketball, kabaddi, athletics. In the realm of culture, Central College emerged as a major centre for the development of modern Kannada literature during the 1920s. Literary stalwarts including B.M. Srikantaiah, A.R. Krishna Shastri, T.S.Venkanniah, G.P.Rajarathnam, G.S. Shivarudrappa, Kuvempu, P.Lankesh, and D.R.Nagaraj were closely associated with the campus, contributing significantly to Kannada modernist thought. The campus was also an epicentre of socio-cultural and political movements, including Dalit and Bandaya literary movements and Gokak agitation. Central Col-

lege ground holds an historical record in the unification of Karnataka, as the then President of India Dr.Rajendra Prasad formally declared the formation of new state here on 1st November 1956. His Highness Jayachamaraja Wadiyar, Maharaja of Mysore sworn in as the first Governor and Mr.S.Nijalingappa as the Chief minister of the state. To meet the growing demand for higher education in the region, Bangalore University was established in 1964 as an offshoot of the University of Mysore and functioned from the Central College Campus until the establishment of the Jnana Bharathi campus in 1973. At present, the Central College Campus houses Dr.Manmohan Singh Bengaluru City University, which was established in 2017 following the trifurcation of Bangalore University.



Old Photo of Central College **Source: The Hindu**

Golden Jubilee of ICDS

Anganawadi Workers still not rewarded

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Integrated Child Development Services (ICDS) scheme has traversed 50 years mark and the attention turns sharply towards Anganwadi workers and helpers who have sustained the programme since 1975. These women form the foundation of India's early childhood care and education (ECCE) system, ensuring that children under six receive nutrition, pre-school learning and basic health support. Despite their indispensable role, they continue to be labeled only as "voluntary workers," their

honorariums, often far below minimum-wage standards, along with the absence of job security, pensions, and social protection, highlight a persistent gap between their responsibilities and recognition. Their responsibilities have grown significantly over the decades, especially with the increasing emphasis on ECCE after the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020. Anganwadi workers today must deliver structured, activity-based early learning programmes for children aged 3–6, maintain digital records through the POSHAN Tracker, support supple-

mentary nutrition distribution, monitor growth, conduct home visits, and assist in immunisation. Yet, many Anganwadi centres continue to function in inadequate buildings with poor infrastructure and limited teaching materials. The digital transformation of ICDS has added new layers of work without providing reliable connectivity, adequate training, or the devices needed to perform these tasks efficiently. Beyond their core ICDS duties, Anganwadi workers are increasingly assigned additional responsibilities during voter list revisions and election-related activities. Their tasks often include assisting surveys, conducting census operations, participating in health campaigns. Anganwadi workers are demanding fair wages, retirement benefits, and government-employee status.



Anganawadi Centre

Source: Web

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All India Inter University Aquatics



Naisha Shetty (Top Left) with the silver medal.

Dr Manmohan Singh Bengaluru City University has bagged 4 Medals in All India Inter University Aquatics Tournament - 2025 held at SRM University, Kattankulathur, Chengalpattu, Tamil Nadu. Naisha Shetty of St. Joesph Commerce College, Bengaluru won 2 silver medals and 1 bronze medal in different swimming events. Shuthi K R of SICM, Shehasdripuram, Bengaluru won bronze medal in 100 meters backstroke event.

University College for Women - NSS Camp at Shivaganga Kshethra, Dabaspet Taluk.



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