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Report
on
COMMUNITY LIVING CAMP
20-23rd May 2014
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Dr. Sunith Kumar G N
Principal, KUCTE, Kayamkulam
Chairman, Organizing committee,
Mythri 2014
Programme Schedule  An Overview

Day 1: 20/05/2014  
Kelikottu

9.30-10.30: Awareness Rally and Road Show
11.00-12.00: Inaugural Ceremony
12.30-2.30: Community Lunch
2.30-3.30: Thematic Session on Guidance and Counselling
3.30-5.00: Cleaning Programme
5.00-5.30: Tea time
5.30-6.30: Sports and Games
6.30-8.30: Cultural Activities
8.30-9.30: Dinner
9.30-10.00: Live TV News and Reflection

Day 2: 21/05/2014  
Teaching-Life and Society

5.00 am: 'Unarthupattu'
6.00-7.00: Yoga and Meditation
7.00-7.30: Tea
7.30-8.30: Make the Land Ready for Agriculture
8.30-9.30: Breakfast
9.30-12.30: Thematic Session-Innovative Trends in Teaching Methodology
12.30-2.30: Lunch
2.30-4.30: Survey and Awareness on Public Health and Cleanliness
4.30-5.30: Tea Time
5.00-8.00: Life Skill Development Programme
8.00-8.30: Cultural Programme-“Chiriyarangu”
8.30-9.30: Dinner
9.30-10.00: Live TV News and Reflection

Day 3: 22/05/2014  
Personality Development- Social Service

5.00 am: 'Unarthupattu'
6.00-6.30: Morning Walk
6.30-7.00: Tea
7.00-8.00: Agricultural Activity
8.00-9.00: Breakfast
9.00-12.00: Free Medical Camp
    Poster Presentation as part of the Medical Camp
12.00-1pm: Lunch
1.00-4.00: Thematic Session- Simple Rules of Excellence
4.00-5.00: “Kaviyarangu”
5.30-6.30: Sports and Games
6.30-7.30: Cultural Programme- “Thalalayam”
7.30-8.30: Mock Parliament
8.30-9.30: Dinner
9.30-10.00: Live TV News and Reflection
10.00: Camp Fire- “Nakshathrakkoottam”

Day 4: 23/05/2014
Arangozhiyal

5.00 am  “Unarthupattu”
6.00-7.00  Exercise
7.00-7.30: Tea
7.30-8.30: Agricultural Activity
8.30-9.30: Breakfast
9.30-12.30: Visit to Cultural Centre- Krishnapuram Palace
12.30-2.30: Lunch
2.30-3.30: Valedictory Session
PROLOGUE...

The restructured B.Ed. Curriculum (2013 -14) directs to organize a four-day residential community living camp during an academic year. Accordingly, Kerala University College of Teacher Education (KUCTE), Kayamkulam organized a four-day community living camp ‘Mythri 2014’ during 20 to 23rd May 2014 in the college campus.

The organization of such a camp had the following curriculum goals:

- To promote social accommodation and broaden the mental abilities of the student teachers
- To promote the democratic nature and involvement of the student teacher in planning and implementing educational activities
- To develop critical thinking about the issues related to the policies/approaches in education
- To inquire into the cultural, social, scientific, educational and environmental aspects of the community
- To develop an interest to train the body and mind for a well-balanced personality

The theme for the Community Living Camp envisions the development of a Universal Cohesive vision of Global Citizenship and Improvement of Social, Cultural and Environmental Responsiveness.

The following institutional objectives were framed for the conduct of the camp:

- To broaden the social perspectives of prospective teachers on immediate social and environmental issues
- To accommodate their emotional field suit to changing situations
- To enable teacher trainees to organize and implement various activities in a democratic manner
- To nurture social, democratic, personal and cultural values through varied activities
- To encounter with different approaches in Education and facilitate critical thinking
- To provide opportunities for refining student teacher’s talents
- To create awareness about our cultural heritage
- To remind of social commitment and their constructive role in socialization
Set the Stage

In the planning session, the Principal and the Faculty decided to implement the programmes through the co-ordinated activities of different committees. Sub-committees were formed assigning various duties; with the participation of Teachers, PTA executives, student teachers and non-teaching staff. The Programme Organizing Committee was formed under the chairmanship of Principal Dr. Sunith Kumar G.N. The Teacher Conveners were Smt. Hena B, Smt. Kumari Sobha A. R. and Dr. Smitha J. M.

Major Events

To materialize the set objectives, the following programmes were selected:

*l bird’s eye view*

- Thematic sessions on academics
- Community Lunch
- Guidance and Counselling
- Agriculture
- Awareness rally and road show
- Social Survey
- Workshop
- Personality development programme
- Free Medical Camp
- Poster presentation
- Visit to Heritage Centres
- Cultural Fest
- Cleaning Programmes
- Sports and Games, Yoga
- Reflective sessions
The Dynamic Day (s) Delights

Day 1: 20/05/2014

Harbingers

Awareness Rally and Road Show

Day one’s programme began with an Awareness Rally. Four houses were assigned with four major themes on contemporary issues. Houses commenced the rally from four different points in Kayamkulam town and assembled at one spot in Park Junction. Finally the four teams flew together to reach the campus. The rally was rich with eye-opening messages on child labour, Gender, disparity, violence against women, political satires, Value deterioration, mother and child care and so on.

Emerald: “Prakruthi Manohari” dealt with environmental pollution, related hazards and feasible solutions.

Ruby: “Mannineyarinju !nnamunnam” presented our attitude towards agriculture, unwarranted tendencies, forseeing dangers, innovations and new trends.

Sapphire: “Marunnakalam Mayatha Moolyangal” dealt with value deterioration in many spheres like politics, life styles, culture, human relations, Man and society......

Diamond: “Karuthalin thanalil ammayum kunjum” focused on gender violence, insecurity of women and child, child abuse, domestic violence....

All house members actively participated in the rally with placards having thought provoking slogans. Students were accompanied by the Principal, teachers, CDC Executives and non-teaching staff.
An insight into the Awareness Rally...

Inaugural Ceremony

Inaugural session began at 11 am with a prayer

Jagannadha Jagannadha jayokkanin namasindhu............... The college choir team sought the blessings of the Almighty.

Teacher convener Smt. Hena B (Assistant Professor in Education) delivered the welcome speech. She was delighted that we could organize such a big venture amidst of several difficulties. She expressed our gratitude to all our well -wishers, each and everyone were welcomed with indebtedness.

In the presidential address, College Principal Dr. Sunith Kumar G. N. emphasized the teachers’ role, conduct and social responsiveness in our society.
Municipal chair-person, **Smt. Syra Nujumudeen** lighted the lamp. In the inaugural address, she emphasized the need for social commitment of teachers. Prospective teachers were reminded of the interplay between teaching and social activities. She promised all support from municipality and public for college development activities.

In the key note address, Municipal Ward Councilor **Shri. K Pushpadas** expressed his excitement of conducting such camps in teacher education colleges, since he was familiar with several Community Living Camp (CLC) associated with schools and colleges. He stressed the gravity of teacher’s role in conveying values and messages in society. We should react on social issues like alcoholism, violence against women and children, ill-effects of technology, in time, he added.

**Smt. Deepa V**, staff secretary gave an enchanting message of Mythri 2014. Her talk covered multidimensional perspectives of the camp. Simple but elegant presentation depicted the educational, democratic, psychological and social values of CLC. **Smt. Bhamini Sourabhan**, Educational Standing Committee Chairperson said the need of identifying the scope and variety of educational opportunities in different subjects, in her felicitation. **Smt. Jayalekshmy C. L.**, College Administrative Officer wished that the camp transforms the participants to do the best for the society wholeheartedly. CDC vice president **Shri. M Abdulla** motivated the listeners to maintain fraternity among team members and share their life experiences in the camp. **Shri. Maheen Kannu**, College Union Chairman, expressed his joy as the union members were lively in the organization of camp and guaranteed co-ordinated activities from students to make the camp a success. **Smt. Kumari Sobha A. R.**, Assistant Professor in Hindi, showered gratitude to all dignitaries present in the inaugural session. She thanked **Shri. C. K. Sadasivan MLA** (Kayamkulam) for the promise of extending financial support for college development even in his absence. **Dr. Varghese Perayil**, Member Syndicate, University of Kerala was thanked in absentia for his constant support and valuable suggestions.
Community Lunch

After the inaugural session, from 12.30 to 2.30 pm, it was time for lunch. Lunch was arranged in a different way intended to convey the message of oneness and fraternity. All students and staff brought food packets and collected separately as vegetarian and non-vegetarian. Each one could collect any packet from the bundle. It was really a new experience; felt the presence of an unknown mother in a home. All enjoyed it well.

Guidance and counselling

In the afternoon session from 2.30 – 3.30 pm, Shri. A. R Rahul, Medical Counsellor from Govt Taluk Hospital Kayamkulam, conducted a class on Educational Guidance and Counselling. He broadly covered the problems among adolescents and the role played by teachers in school counselling. He stressed teachers’ role as a friend, consistent personality and social-self of teacher. Domestic violence is a threat to prevailing concept of family. A teacher who is vigilant on learners’ problem and good interpersonal relation can identify such threats on children.
Cleaning Programme

In the first day, from 3.30 pm to 5.00 pm, the camp members spent the time for cleaning the vegetable market as a social service. The nearby Kayamkulam vegetable market is a busy business place witnessing complaints of waste management. The trainees cleaned the area and disposed the waste. Though the sprinkling rain distracted them, the trainees engaged in their duties with enthusiasm. The public were curiously watching the activity and appreciated our efforts.
Back to the college we had the tea time.

Sports and Games

The trainees were engaged in sports and games from 5.30 – 6.30 pm.

Cultural Activities

Many of the students participated in solo songs, dance performance, group song, recitation and so on. Teachers also participated and expressed their talents.
Live TV news and Reflection

After the dinner, that day’s news highlights were presented via internet. All teachers and trainees conducted a reflective session. Trainees were excited for being a part of such a camp and all were satisfied at the end of the day. Community lunch was the main attraction of the day. Most of them enjoyed the cleaning programme. The day ended with new hopes and aspirations.
Day 2: 21/05/2014

Teaching – Life and Society

At 5.00 am the camp members woke up with an *Unarthupattu* - Devotional songs from different religions were played.

**Yoga and Meditation: Be with Sound Minds**

*Shri. Gopalakrishnan*, Yoga trainer from *Art of Living* conducted Yoga and Meditation. Session comprised of breathing exercises and *Asanas*. *Yoganidra*, a relaxation technique was introduced which benefitted the students. *Sooryanamaskaram* was demonstrated and the participants were trained.

![Yoga and Meditation Images]

**Trainees as Farmers**

Kerala is a consumer state. We are heavily depending on other states for everyday requirements like rice, vegetables, wheat ... to name a few. Moreover we are anxious about the threats by pesticides and use of banned products in agriculture. But most of the people lack a positive attitude towards agriculture. In this context, we the teachers can inculcate right attitude among young generation and develop a self-reliant approach in life. So we decided to cultivate vegetables that need less care since the trainees may leave the campus around 40 days for teaching practice.

Four houses were assigned with different areas in front of the main building and library side for planting tapioca. The house members tried hard to make the land in such a way as to plant some thing. They were active and seemed to internalize the dignity of labour.
Thematic Session - *Innovative Trends in Teaching Methodology*

After the breakfast from 9.30 am to 12.30 pm, it was the thematic session led by Dr K. P. Suresh, Associate Professor, School of Pedagogical Sciences, M. G. University, Kottayam, on different trends in teaching methodology. He gave a detailed account of teaching skills and psychological approaches that can transform an ordinary teacher to an excellent level. He suggested that everyone should develop an empathetic attitude towards others. Teachers should shed down the feel of egotism. Teachers should develop a fellow being attitude towards others. The class provided some firsthand experiences on effective communication.

The major theme of the class was about collaborative learning. What, When and How – Such aspects of collaborative learning was discussed in detail. The problem set was: How can you develop KUCTE Kayamkulam to an acknowledged institution? The problem was made to solve in different groups. The opinions codified from different groups were further evaluated. Thus the participants got a direct experience of collaborative learning.
Survey and Awareness on Public Health and Cleanliness

The objective of the survey was to sensitize the participants about the problems in immediate environment and improve their social interaction. The questionnaire contained items related to environmental pollution and attitude of the public towards the remedial measures. All students and teachers were divided into 7 groups and directed to different radial areas from our college. For public awareness, students were provided with pamphlets on sanitation. Students in each group sought responses from 25 families and pamphlets were distributed. Also the students distributed the brochure of free medical camp. It was expected that the survey responses could be consolidated for drawing an inference useful for their environmental education in the second half of B. Ed. course.

Life Skill Development Programme

The young generation in recent times lack the psychosocial competence that enables them to adjust effectively to the changing need and challenges in everyday life. Teachers should be aware of the ways in which their children be made fit for life or to train them to “Learn to live”. The need persuaded us to conduct a class on life skill education. Shri. D. Pramod, Research Officer, SIEMAT, Thiruvananthapuram conducted an interactive session on life skills from 5.00 to 8.00 pm. Some of the core Life Skills like interpersonal relation, communication/ were detailed through different activities. The participants were actively involved in various activities of this session.
Cultural Programme – *Chiriyarangu*

Second day’s cultural programme covered some satirical imitation on trainee’s experiences happened during social survey. It simply conveyed the message that whenever we interact with society we have to deal with many people with different attitudes and we should learn to handle any type of responses irrespective of whether it is encouraged or not.

**Live TV news and Reflection**

After the dinner daily news were presented. Reflective session revealed that though the day was rich with classes and social-centered activities, the trainees felt suffocated with a tight programme schedule.
Day 3: 22/05/2014

**Personality Development - Social Service**

The camp became lively at early morning at 5.00 am. The day began with a morning walk. The camp members walked along the silence of the familiar busy roads.

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**Agricultural Activity**

Tapioca stems were planted in the prepared beds.

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**Medical Camp**

The main event of the day was the free medical camp. The venue (College Auditorium) was arranged wonderfully to convey the theme of the activity. The camp was conducted by Dr. Rema and Dr. Radha from Govt. Taluk Hospital, Kayamkulam. Beyond our expectation, the camp was a great success with the participation of many people.
**Poster Presentation as part of the Medical Camp**

Students from different optional subjects presented posters on *Life Style Diseases*, Tobacco Habitation, Poor Food Habits, Need for Exercise etc. and Posters on different subthemes were also presented.
Simple Rules of Excellence

Dr. Joju John, Assistant Professor, Mar Theophilus Training College, Thiruvananthapuram handled a personality Development session which explained the skills and attitudes needed to excel in life. The very dynamic presentation with multimedia support made the class appealing. The role of right attitude, timely action, forgiveness, divergent thinking, strength to face challenges and good home environment are some of the pivotal points to be kept in mind to excel in life. The rational thinking never betrays us to reach right solution in perplexities. A person who can love others unconditionally will be an excellent one. He also emphasized the importance of spirituality in life. The class was a fruitful venture.

Cultural Programmes

Kaviyarangu

The participants of CLC enjoyed “Kaviyarangu” by reciting poems of Malayalam poets. The programme was interesting and the participants and audiences had a nice time.

Thalalayam

Hindi optional student Shri. Subin is an upcoming chenda artist. The college decided to arrange his team to demonstrate a creative combination of chenda melam and other performances. The 12 member team presented an exemplary performance comprising of Shinkarimekam, Ribbon Display and Kaimani Show. The programme was a treat to the camp members delighting their eyes and ears. The show was an energy boosting one.
Mock parliament

Social science optional students, under the guidance of Asst. Professor in Social Science Smt. Shimitha Kumary S., presented mock parliament to demonstrate the proceedings in the Parliament. Shri. Manoj Shenoy, Ms. Sandhya and Ms. Praseetha played the roles of Speaker, Ruling Party leader and Opposition Leader respectively. It was quite an informative event.
CampFire - *Naskshathrakkoottam*

After the routine activities like live TV news and refection, CampFire started and was inaugurated by Smt. Mumthas, Assistant Professor, Peet Memorial Training College Mavelikkara. Simple fun games made the camp jovial. In the very informal gathering, the members shared their experiences even in the odd time.
Day 4: 23/05/2014

Exercise

Early morning aerobic session was monitored by Dr. Smitha J. M.

Agricultural Activity

The student teachers spent one hour for watering the planted tapioca stems.

Visit to Cultural Center – Krishnapuram Palace

Having had the breakfast, the camp participants left to Krishnapuram Palace. The historic remnants of Kayamkulam Dynasty under Archeology Department of Kerala are opened to public. It was an apt place for a short trip since it provided ample educational information. The ever-identified largest mural painting Gajendramoksham fascinated everyone. The team spent enough time there.
Valedictory Session

The session commenced at 2.30 pm with a prayer by the college choir team. The Principal Dr. Sunith Kumar G. N. delivered the Welcome speech. College Union chairman Shri. Maheen Kannu presided over the function. The session was inaugurated by Smt. Beena Perumpuzha, who is a senior faculty at KUCTE Kumarapuram and a writer too.

In her speech she expressed her immense pleasure to be a part of our camp. She presented her own poem narrating the futility of horoscope. Union Vice-Chairperson Ms. Aparna Ajay gave the felicitation. Dr. Smitha J. M., Assistant Professor in Education expressed gratitude to all.
Evaluation

Overall the camp was a great success, without any gross pitfalls. The organizers were successful in the implementation of their ideas. Students were provided with an opinionnaire and an evaluation schedule to identify the attainment of the set objectives.

Achievements

Most of the set objectives were achieved during the camp in the allotted time. The trainees learnt to work as a team with the active support of the faculties who gave suggestions for successful conduct of the activities. The trainees could spread awareness on cleanliness, need to preserve nature, good eating/living habits, raise voice against violence of any sort etc. The things achieved through the camp are:

- Teamwork
- Proper planning of activities and implementation
- Finance management
- Time management
- Problem solving
- Face short-comings
- Learn about community
- Overcame stage fear
- Observation and decision making skills
- Leadership skills
- Rapport building with community
- Enhancement of personal friendship
- Loving and caring for nature

Reflection

The Principal and Chairman of the Organizing Committee, Dr. Sunith Kumar G N was highly particular in the planning and organization of committees. He objectively assured the involvement of teachers, non-teaching staff, parents and students in different committees. He mentored the entire procedures with his presence and suggestions. The role of CDC Vice-President and Co-Chairman, Organizing Committee, Shri. M. Abdulla was note-worthy in the smooth conduct of the camp. The Conveners Smt. Hena B, Smt. Kumari Sobha A. R. and Dr. Smitha J. M., Assistant Professors and General Convenors were thoroughly involved in all activities, day and night. Their involvement helped to rectify any lapse in the busy schedule. College Administrative officer, Smt. Jayalekshmy C. L., Shri. Siyar Thrikkunnappuzha, Shri. Sasidharan Pillai and Smt. Rath S. Nair, PTA executives were the co-conveners; they rendered a great support for the smooth conduct of the camp. Smt. Deepa V., Assistant Professor in Natural Science was the convenor of the finance committee; Shri. Vijayan Pillai and Shri. Maheen Kannu were the co-conveners. They managed the camp expenses with accuracy and settled the statement of expenditure flawlessly in time. Registration and
The reception committee was led by Smt. Bindu S. Nair, Assistant Professor in Education with the support of Ms. Bhagyalekshmi and Ms. Mini. They were very particular about movement of inmates, visitors’ time. Public relation and Press media under the convenership of Smt. Chitra I., Assistant Professor in Physical Science supported by Shri. Siju H and Ms. Sreelatha mainly concerned with publicity and media coverage. Assistant Professor in Arabic Smt. Sabeena with Ms. Chinnu R dealt the technical support and discipline during different sessions. Medical camp was convened by Shri. Murali Das J., Assistant Professor in Education who took care of publicity, arranging doctors for Medical Camp and was supported by Shri. Subin.

Smt. Neethi S Lal Assistant Professor in Mathematics with Ms. Aparna Ajay and team elegantly arranged venue for different sessions thematically. They guided each day’s Reflective Sessions and final evaluation properly. Smt. Durga Lekshmi, Assistant Professor in English with Ms. Tessy John and Shri. Sasidharan were concerned with accommodation. It was a cumbersome procedure to arrange accommodation for such a number of female students and teachers without any fall. The committee took care of transportation also. The most strenuous job was the arrangement of food for the inmates in time. The purchase of stationery, hiring of utensils, monitoring the hygiene of food, serving food in time were perfect under the supervision of Smt. Shimitha Kumari. S., Assistant Professor in Social Science. Student coordinator Ms. Rajalekshmi, office staff Smt. Laila Beevi and Smt. Santhamma V were with her. We shouldn't forget the wholehearted involvement of student members in serving food.

Gratitude

We express our sincere gratitude to all who were actively involved in this new venture. We are grateful to G B H S S Kayamkulam and the principal Smt. Sherlikkutty T Molikkal and school PTA for permitting us to use their building. The CDC vice president Shri. M. Abdulla, the executive members Shri. C. Vijayan Pillai and Shri. Sasidharan Pillai for their presence and support. The union members and male teacher trainees are congratulated for their involvement in security concerns. Union Chairman Shri. Maheen Kannu who cleaned the camp area in advance selflessly should be thanked. The media persons, Electricity office, Kayamkulam Police and the Public are acknowledged. Above all we thank the Omnipotent and Omnipresent for the success of this venture.
## COMMITTEE THAT SHARED THE RESPONSIBILITIES TO ORGANIZE THE COMMUNITY LIVING CAMP

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About the Institution

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Our goal is to carve out good teachers and to equip them with the right combination of knowledge, skills and understanding to be an excellent teacher in any school setting.