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NATIONAL SCIENCE DAY

The Deanery of Sciences of the Bishop Heber College Celebrated the 33rd National Science Day on the 28th February 2020. The Day was full of activities related to the Theme: Women in Science given by the Dept. of Science & Technology. The college organized a commemorative lecture on the Significance and Importance of the Findings of Sir C V Raman. The Principal Dr. Paul Dhayabaran delivered the presidential address and spoke about the significant contribution by the women in science and how women can rise the standard of the society at large through their discovery. In his address he spoke about the great mathematician of India, Shakunthala Devi and her extraordinary brilliance. Mr. C. Ramalingam, Former General Secretary of the Tamil Nadu Science Forum gave a talk on the topic: Raman Effect and emergence and the scientific bent of mind necessary for every growing society. 1500 students from the III & II UG (Shift I) from the departments of Physics, Chemistry, Botany, Zoology, Biotechnology and Bioinformatics took part in the lecture. The Secretary of the Tamil Nadu Science Forum, Trichy City Mr. J. Manohar addressed the students on the importance of scientific thinking in elevating the society and invited students to join hands in creating awareness among people along with the Tamil Nadu science Forum and its activities to popularize scientific and Rational thinking among the masses. The College organized a series of events on the National Science day. A special seminar on Innovation and Intellectual Property Rights was organized to encourage students to involve in research right from their day one in Higher education. Dr. K. Ruckmani, Director, Centre for Excellence in Nano-Translational Research, Anna University addressed the students about "Being an Innovator". Dr. Arun Kumar P, Senior Scientist, CFTRI, Mysuru addressed the students about issues of Intellectual property Rights and Innovations. The Undergraduate students of all the science departments had the opportunity to witness the documentary presented in memory of the six Indian women scientists who made other countries turn their attention to India. Students also

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took a pledge to be beacons of scientific Thinking by adorning a mask of Sir. C V Raman. The meeting ended with a note of Thanks by Dr. S. Angeline Vedha, Dept. of Chemistry.



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