# Library and literary Forum Activity Report 2019-20

Mannaniya College Library and literary Forum (MCLLF) is a platform to perform the extension activities of the library. It is a forum constituted by the librarian under the patronage of Principal and with the co-operation of faculty members of Language departments. Two representatives from each UG class and one representative each from PG class together make the strength of the Forum to fulfill the following objectives.

- 1. There should be two library representatives in each class to enhance the use of the library by all students.
- 2.To communicate the library related matters in the classroom and curricular related matters in the library.
- 3.To organize and conduct library extension activities like Meet the Author, Book Introduction, Book Review, Book Talk and discussions and Literary competitions.

# **MCLLF** -Inauguration

The activities of MCLLF for the year 2019-20 was inaugurated by the Principal Dr P Nazeer on 30-10-2019 at the Library hall. As scheduled earlier Shri M Hashim ,Secreary, PTA handed over a gift to the Principal for giving it to Shri. Sudheer S, final year BA student, the winner in short story writing in the University of kerala Arts Festival.

Shri.Sudheer received the gift from the principal. Librarian welcomed and introduced the objectives and coming activities of MCLLF. The event is concluded followed y the vote of thanks by Ms Afina Salim.

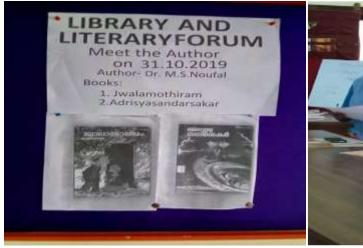


## Meet the Author-Dr M S Noufal

The program was scheduled and announced before one week. Dr M S Noufal, Associate Professor and famous Malayalam writer and columnist in dailies and weeklies was invited as the author and his works namely "JWALA MOTHIRAM" and "ADRISHYA SANDARSAKAR" are displayed in the library counter for reading and reference.



The event was carried on 31.10.2019. Librarian introduced the author and also his major works, columns and articles in dailies and news papers, his research interest and the obtained awards.





The students were asked, discussed and shared the experiences of his writings and his characters in the works. He cleared all the doubts raised by the students pleasantly and interestingly.



The session was highly inspiring and motivating. The event was concluded and Ms. Juvairiah KK, Ist BSc delivered the vote of thanks.

## **BOOK INTRODUCTION- Dr. P Nazeer**

MCLLF announced the programme one week before. It was an academic programme conducted on 07.11.2019. Books on Islamic banking and Islamic economics were selected and Dr. P Nazeer was invited as resource person as his research interest in this topic. Moreover he has some notable works and publications in this field.



Islamic banking and Islamic economics are the part of curriculum for the core course of Islamic history degree and as an open course for other degree programmes. The Librarian welcomed and introduced the recourse person and his contributions in the field of Islamic banking. He explained and discussed the subject in detail and the books in this field were introduced by him.



The student member of MCLLF, Mr. Muhammed Shan delivered the vote of thanks.



# **Tryst with the Author(s)**

The programme Tryst with the Author(s) was organized on 03-12-2019 in association with newly formed (MEFLL) Mannaniya's English Forum for Language and Literature. The programme was scheduled and announced one week before and the students are requested to present their favorite authors. Muhammed Azif III BSc and Shahna Mol AS II BSc were unanimously selected for introducing the authors Franz Kafka, the German speaking Bohemian novelist and short story writer and Ravider Singh, an Indian English writer from Odisha respectively. Dr Jaseedha K, Head, Department of English welcomed the audience with a brief description about the programme. Dr Naseehath, Librarian, explained the objectives and extension activities of MCLLF. After the power point presentations of the participants, Smt Noufia SN, Assist prof., Department of English proposed the vote of thanks.



## "Chernu Nadakkam Oppam Valaraam"

(Introduction of Books on Positive Psychology with special reference to **TCI**)

The program, which was scheduled and announced before one week, was conducted on 12/12/2019. Dr. Dilshad Bin Ashraf, Assistant professor, Department of psychology and co-ordinator of Walk With A Scholar program, was the resource person. TCI or Theme Centered Interaction is a concept of group work and it is an application platform of developmental, humanistic and positive psychology developed by a German psychologist Ruth Cohn. TCI- living learning workshops through WWS Scheme is considered as the best practice in our college and a separate collection of books on TCI is available in the library.

In the event, Dr. Naseehath S, college librarian, welcomed and introduced the resource person. Dr. Dilshad Bin Ashraf explained the concept of TCI and introduced books and journals on TCI one by one. He also introduced the book titled "Chernu Nadakkam Oppam Valaraam", published by the publication unit of Mananniya college, which is a proud product of TCI workshop of WWS unit. The program was highly inspiring and motivating. It helped the participants to identify their innate spark inside them. Jasiya M. N, I TTM proposed the vote of thanks.



#### **BOOK REVIEW (Aarachar – K. R. Meera)**

#### **Reviewer – Muhammed Shah, III BA, Islamic History**

The event was scheduled on 14-01-2020 and informed before two weeks. Dr. M. S. Noufal, Associate Professor, Department of Malayalam is invited to supervise the program.

Aarachar is a Malayalam novel written by K. R. Meera who owned Kerala Sahithya Academy award and Odakkuzhal award in 2013, Vayalar award in 2014 and Kendra Sahithya Academy award in 2015 for this work. Aarachar is a story of a hang woman. The author draws the life and culture of Calcutta city from different angles through this work.

Librarian Dr. Naseehath S. introduced the book and welcomed the participants. Muhammed Shah from final year BA reviewed the book very well with emphasis on social, cultural, political view of the author in this novel.

Dr. M. S. Noufal, the supervising faculty appreciated the way of presentation of Muhammed Shah and described the important steps and points to review a book/novel. Meanwhile a former student Mr. Sunil Kumar came there unexpectedly and was requested to express his reading experience in the Mannaniya College Library. The nostalgic experience in his own words was really inspiring. Then a number of students including Sudheer S., Jagfar Khan, Shibin from department of Islamic history discussed their favorite books. At the end of the program, Ms. Fathima Rafeeq proposed vote of thanks.

