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## ARAVINDAM

**College Newsletter for the month of September- 2024**

*Sri Aravinda Sathajayanthi Govt Degree College*

*Narayanapuram – 534406*

*University Grants Commission approved with 2f and 12B status*

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### Principal's Message

Since its inception, the college has carved out a niche for itself in imparting quality higher education in bachelor degree to the students who hail from rural and underprivileged sections of the region.

The college has many feathers in its cap in terms of possessing many student – centric academic infrastructure for augmenting pedagogy besides support wings. There are six classrooms, five scientific laboratories for teaching – learning transactions. The pedagogy is fortified by ICT infrastructure with a virtual class room and an e-class room for effective teaching-learning transactions. Jawahar Knowledge Centre (JKC), the flagship support wing of the college, is actively engaged in equipping the students with industry-needed and global skills. Library, with over 8000 text books and reference books and a reprographic facility is another hallmark wing of the college. In addition, N.S.S for organizing community outreach and extension programs, Women Empowerment Cell for empowering and redressing grievances of the women students and staff, a host of clubs such as Red Ribbon Club forms an integral part of the institution engaged in various intended activities. All these student-centric human and material resources employed in the college spearhead their way towards achieving academic excellence. Almost all students in the college are economically backward with parental income ranging from 40000 – 60000 per annum. The college has three groups; viz. B.A. (HEP), B.Com (General) and B.Sc. (MPC; CBZ). The college is teeming with 15 teaching staff members with Four Doctorates, two M.Phil holders with average teaching experience of 10 years in degree colleges.

Many of the alumni of the college are well settled in Government as well as private sector jobs. The college is widely known as a hub for games and sports. The college, with its sprawling 5.77 acres of playground, is a natural choice for hosting various sports and games at state and national levels by various state and national agencies. The state-of-the-art gymnasium is procured for the needs of those studying in the college.

The college adopts learner-centric pedagogy through co-curricular and extra-curricular activities such as conduct of science exhibitions, sports and games competitions, and educational tours besides exposing students to the lectures of eminent experts in various faculties. The 50 years of journey of the college had witnessed a lot of progress since its inception. The college still has many miles to go for achieving global standards.

## About the College

Narayanapuram is a village in Unguturu Mandal in Eluru District of Andhra Pradesh. It is located between Eluru and Tadepalligudem. Narayanapuram is surrounded by tiles factories and ice factories. The village has govt high school, junior college along with our degree college. Near to this village, an ancient holy place and a popular pilgrim center Dwaraka Tirumala is located. Nearby big railway stations are Tadepalligudem and Eluru; nearby airports are Gannavaram airport (80 km) and Rajahmundry airport (61 km).

Sri Aravinda Sathajayanthi Government Degree College (S.A.S. Government Degree College), Narayanapuram is located between serene Krishna and Godavari rivers on the Chennai- Kolkata National Highway No.16, in Eluru District of Andhra Pradesh state. The college was established during 1972-73 by Sri Chintalapati Varaprasada Murthy Raju under the aegis of the trust – namely “Sri Chintalapati Bapiraju Dharma Samstha” Chinanindrakolanu, West Godavari District, Andhra Pradesh in order to cater the educational needs of the students in the region.

At times when the masses of the region were engulfed in abject poverty with gross illiteracy rate and massive educational backwardness, the founder of the trust Sri Chintalapati Varaprasada Murthy Raju who was a Gandhian, Member of Legislative Assembly and minister, had put in relentless efforts to ameliorate the local people and make the region poverty free through education. His ingenious efforts resulted in the establishment of five Junior colleges, five degree colleges and three oriental colleges in West Godavari District; Sri Aravinda Sathajayanthi Government Degree College being one among those colleges.

## Vision and Mission of the College

### **VISION:**

To disseminate knowledge and transform the lives of the rural and marginalised sections of the society through value based, professionally competent and quality education.

### **MISSION:**

1. To develop learning practices for Academic and Professional Excellence.
2. To provide Quality learning through curricular, co-curricular and Extra-curricular activities.
3. To inculcate human values and spirit of service to the community.
4. To create awareness among students about current socio- economic, political and cultural issues and to denounce all forms of oppression relating to class, caste and gender.
5. To sensitize students on environmental issues and motivate them on ecological justice and sustainable development.
6. To establish an Academic environment rooted in moral principles and practices.
7. To impart extensive training in career and life skill sets.

## **Important Wings in the College**

### **Jawahar Knowledge Center (JKC)**

SAS Govt Degree College is equipped with the JKC platform. Although, we do not have mentors, students are trained in the area of communication skills by the English lecturer D.Reddiah who is a co-coordinator of JKC.

### **Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC)**

The college has an IQAC committee which strives for maintaining quality standards in teaching, earning and evaluation. The committee is composed with Principal of the college as the chairman, D.Reddiah, lecturer in English as a co-ordinator and other lecturers as members. Under the guidance of coordinator, faculty members are doing NAAC related work as our college is going for NAAC assessment.

**Women Empowerment Cell (WEC)** The college has constituted WEC in order to empower the female students. MSK Krishna Jyothi, lecturer in History, is acting as coordinator of WEC. It is working effectively to promote gender sensitivity in the college.

Various programmes and activities are organized on WEC platform in order to educate and sensitize students' community.

### **National Service Scheme and Red Ribbon Club(NSS & RRC)**

The college has NSS and RCC wings and G. Nirmala Jyothi, lecturer in economics is working as coordinator for both wings. Both wings conduct various programmes to bring social awareness among students. Clean and green programme is a regular activity through which college premises are maintained.

## **Activities in September 2024**

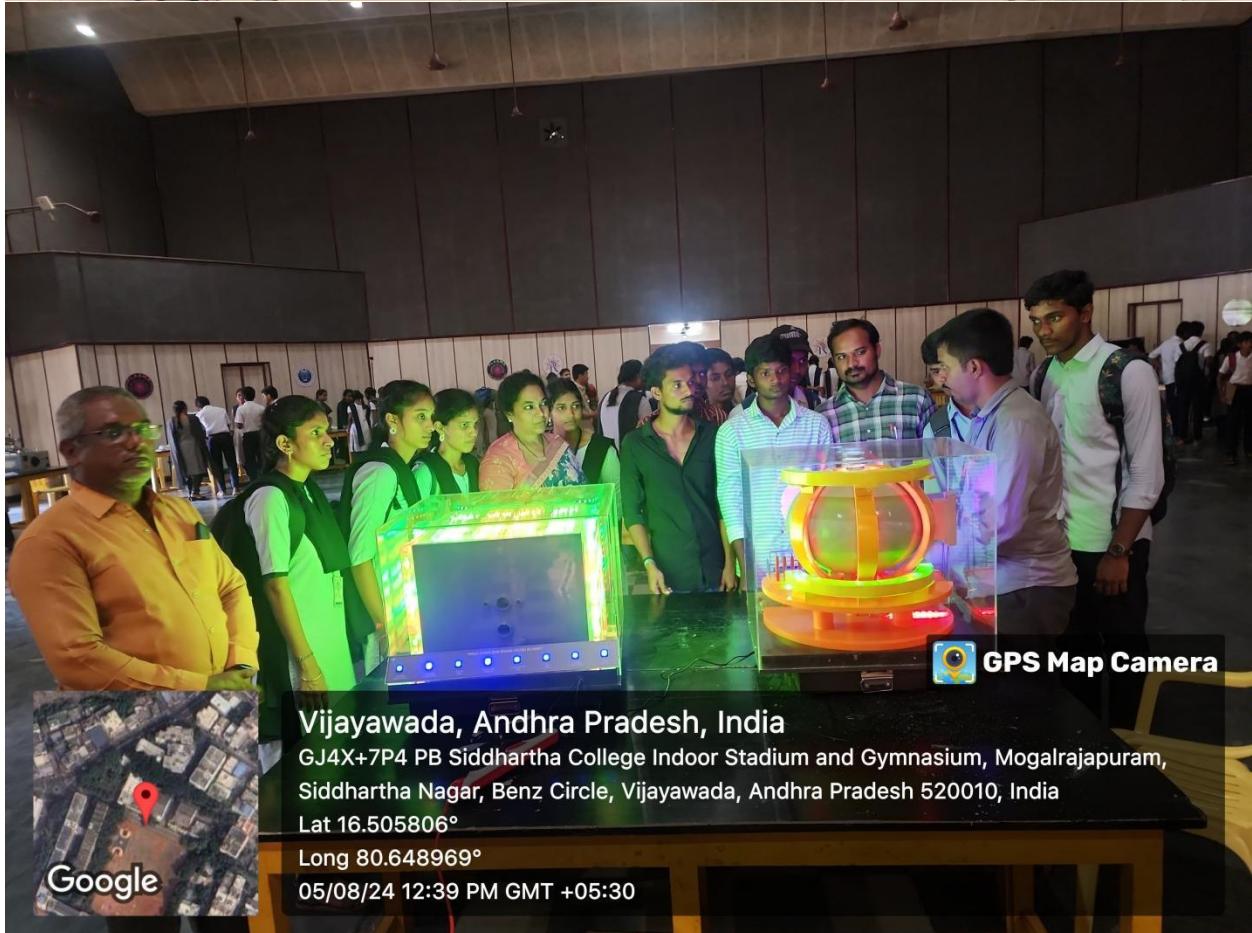
### **SAS Government Degree College Students Gain Scientific Insight at Siddhartha College Exhibition 03-08-2024**



On Tuesday, August 3rd, students from SAS Government Degree College, Narayanapuram, visited Siddhartha Arts and Science College, Vijayawada, where they actively participated in various exhibitions. The students were enthusiastic about learning and gained insightful knowledge about different scientific equipment and procedures showcased at the event.

Lecturers P. Baburao from the Mathematics department and B. Venkateswara Reddy from the Physics department accompanied the students. The Principal of SAS Government Degree College, Dr.T.K. Viswshwara Rao, emphasized that such visits are essential for increasing awareness of science among students, providing them with hands-on learning opportunities.

The visit was a valuable educational experience, leaving the students inspired and eager to explore more in the fields of science and technology.



Team in learning

## డిగ్రీ విద్యార్థులకు సైన్స్ ఎగ్జిబిషన్

ఉంగుటూరు: నారాయణపురం ప్రభుత్వ డిగ్రీ కళాశాల అభిరి సంవత్సరం విద్యార్థులకు సైన్స్ పై మక్కల పెరిగేందుకు ఫోర్ట్ స్టేట్ ఆఫ్ ఫోస్ట్ ఎగ్జిబిషన్ దోషాద పదుతుందని అధ్యాపకులు అన్నారు. ఈనెల 5 నుంచి 9వ తేదీ వరకూ విజయవాడ పిబి సిద్ధార్థ ఆర్ట్స్ అండ్ సైన్స్ కాలేజీలో జరగనున్న ఫోర్ట్ స్టేట్ ఆఫ్ ఫోస్ట్ ప్రదర్శనకు నారాయణపురం విద్యార్థులు మంగళవారం వెళ్లారు. వివిధ రకాల పరికరాలు, వాటి పనితీరును తెలుసుకోవడం వల్ల సైన్స్ పై కొత్త విషయాలు తెలిసాయని విద్యార్థులు వెల్లడించారు. కళాశాల అధ్యాపకులు పలువురు విద్యార్థులతో పాటు ప్రదర్శనకు వెళ్లారు.

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## ఆకట్టుకున్న సైన్స్ ఎగ్జిబిషన్



### ఎగ్జిబిషన్ లో పాల్గొన్న విద్యార్థులు

ఉంగుటూరు: సైన్స్ ఎగ్జిబిషన్ విద్యార్థులు ఎంతో ఆశ్చర్షిగా తిలకించారని, ఇది వారికి ఎంత గానో ఉపయోగపడుతుందని భోతిక శాస్త్ర అధ్యాపకుడు వెంకటేశ్వరరాద్ది అన్నారు. ఎన్నివేస్తే ప్రభుత్వ కళాశాలలో డిగ్రీ చదువు తున్న ప్రథమ, తృతీయ సంవత్సరం విద్యార్థులు మంగళవారం విజయవాడ సిద్ధార్థ ఆర్ట్స్ అండ్ సైన్స్ కళాశాలలో నిర్వహించిన ఫోర్ట్ స్టేట్ ఆఫ్ ప్లాస్టా ఎగ్జిబిషన్ ను తిలకించి వచ్చారు. ఆ ఎగ్జిబిషన్ లో పాల్గొన్న విద్యార్థులు వివిధ పరికరాలు, విధి విధానాలను తెలుసుకున్న విద్యార్థులు చాలా ఆనందంగా ఉండని, అనేక కొత్త విషయాలను తెలుసుకో గలిగామని వివరించారు. బ్రిన్సిపాల్ టీక్ విశ్వేశ్వరరావు మా ట్లాడుతూ ఇలాంటి ఎగ్జిబిషన్ వీళ్ళించడంవల్ల సైన్స్ పట్ల అవగాహన పెరుగుతుందన్నారు.

## Library day is celebrated in SAS Government Degree College - 12-08-2024

On August 13th, 2024, SAS Government Degree College, Narayananapuram, celebrated Library Day with great enthusiasm. The event, organized by Library In-charge T. Gabreyelu, aimed to highlight the significance of libraries in fostering knowledge and learning among students.

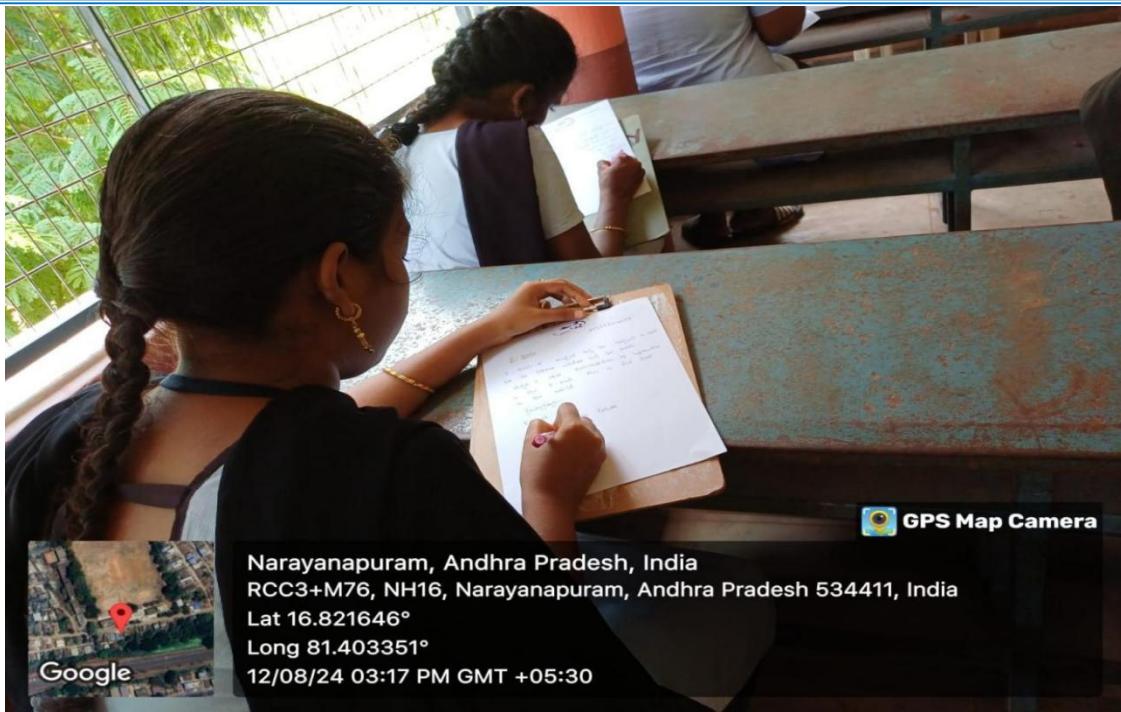
Dr. M.S.K. Krishna Jyothi, History Lecturer at the college, actively participated in the event and spoke on the crucial role libraries play in shaping students' academic growth and intellectual development. She emphasized how libraries serve as a gateway to infinite knowledge, nurturing a lifelong love for reading and learning.

The event saw students engaging in discussions on the importance of utilizing library resources effectively. It reinforced the idea that libraries remain a vital tool in the academic journey, helping students explore new ideas and broaden their horizons.

## Students Writing essay on Library



## Librarian in the Library day



**Students immersed in the essay writing**

# **SAS Government Degree College Celebrates Independence Day with Patriotic Fervor**

**13-08-2024**

*Eluru, August 13th, 2024* – SAS Government Degree College, Narayanapuram, celebrated India's 77th Independence Day with great enthusiasm and patriotic fervor. The college organized a series of events, including an elocution and essay writing competition on freedom fighters, and a grand rally featuring a 170-meter-long mega national flag.

The Department of Arts conducted the elocution and essay writing competitions, where students passionately expressed their admiration for India's freedom fighters, showcasing their understanding of the country's rich history and struggle for independence. The competitions highlighted the importance of remembering and honoring the sacrifices made by these brave individuals.

The day's celebrations continued with a vibrant rally, where students, staff members, and local leaders marched through the streets, proudly carrying a 170-meter-long national flag. The village Sarpanch, along with several political leaders, joined the rally, showing solidarity and unity in celebrating the nation's freedom.

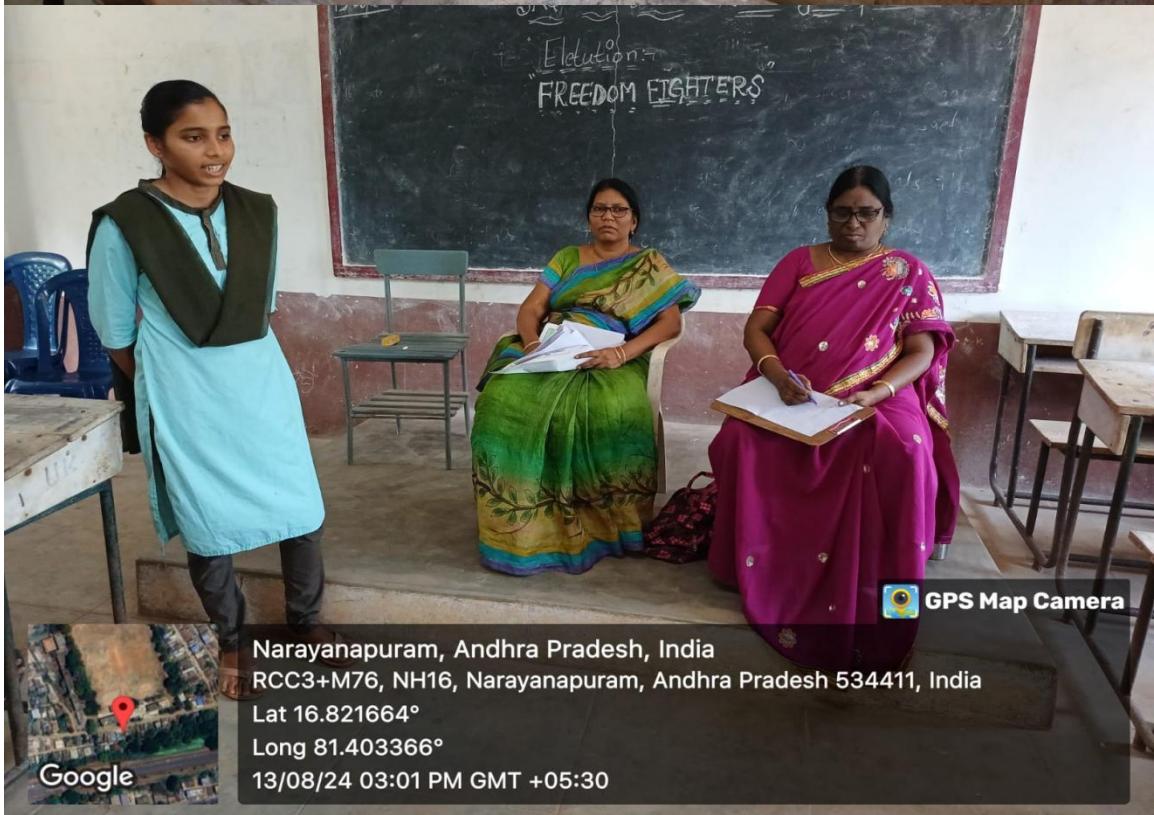
The rally served as a powerful symbol of national pride, with participants chanting slogans of patriotism and unity. The presence of local political figures, village Sarpanch, and the entire college staff added to the significance of the event, reinforcing the values of independence and democracy.

The Independence Day celebrations at SAS Government Degree College not only marked a tribute to the country's freedom fighters but also fostered a sense of national pride and responsibility among students and the local community.

Video links of the rally

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**Elocution and essay writing competitions**

# Extension Lecture on 'Freedom Fighters of West Godavari' at SAS Government Degree College

*Narayanapuram, August 29th, 2024* – The Department of History at SAS Government Degree College, Narayanapuram, organized an insightful extension lecture on the topic "Freedom Fighters of West Godavari." The event, held on August 29th, was led by P. Bhaskar Rao, Lecturer in History from Ganapavaram, who delivered an inspiring and informative talk.

The program was conducted under the guidance of Dr. M.S.K. Krishna Jyothi, Lecturer in History, who coordinated the event and ensured its success. During the lecture, P. Bhaskar Rao delved into the significant contributions of freedom fighters from the West Godavari region, highlighting their role in India's independence movement. He shed light on the bravery, dedication, and sacrifices made by these lesser-known heroes, emphasizing their importance in shaping the nation's history.

Students and staff members attended the session with great enthusiasm, gaining valuable insights into the local history of the freedom struggle. The lecture served as a reminder of the rich legacy left by the freedom fighters of West Godavari and their lasting impact on the nation's fight for independence.

