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Report of Workshops and Seminars organized during the year

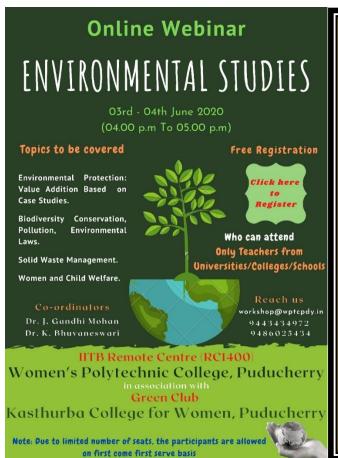
Event 1: Webinar on Environmental Studies.

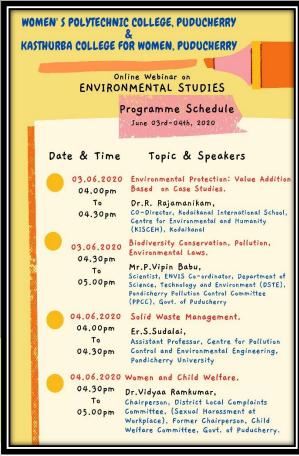
The webinar was organised by the Green Club on 3rd and 4th June 2020.

Kasthurba College for Women and Women's Polytechnic College, Pondicherry, collaborated in this venture. The Principal, Dr.Cheryl-Ann Shivan welcomed the participants and inaugurated the webinar. The various topics covered in the webinar included

- Environmental Protection: Value Addition Based on Case Studies
- Biodiversity Conversation, Pollution, and Environmental Laws
- Solid Waste Management
- Women and Child Welfare

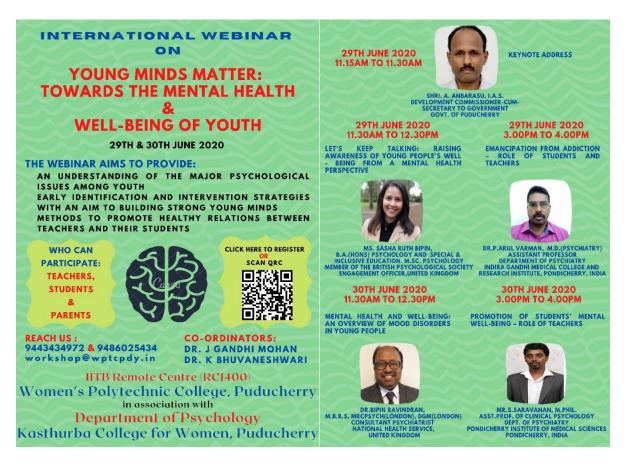
Teaching Faculty, Students, Research scholars and environmental activist (412) across India participated and interacted with the resource persons from different walks of life. Dr.K.Bhuvaneswari, Co-ordinator for the Green Club moderated the sessions for the two day webinar. Feedback forms were collected through google forms and the participants were given e-certificates.





Event 2: International Webinar on "Young Minds Matter - Towards the Mental Health and Well-being of Youth".

The International Webinar was organised by the Department of Psychology, Kasthurba College for Women



The International webinar started with a Welcome Address by the Principal, Dr.Cheryl-Ann Shivan followed by the keynote address by Shri.A.Anbarasu, Secretary to Government of Puducherry. Teachers, research scholars, students and parents from all over India, and a few participants from Pakistan, the U.A.E. and the U.S. (number of registered participants 764) registered and actively participated in the webinar and the discussions help after each session.

The session was very interactive as many of the points that were raised concerned the teacher's role in students' mental health, coping with COVID-19, challenges in using mobile phone, managing behavioral issues of adolescents, rehabilitation process of substance abuse, and internet addiction.

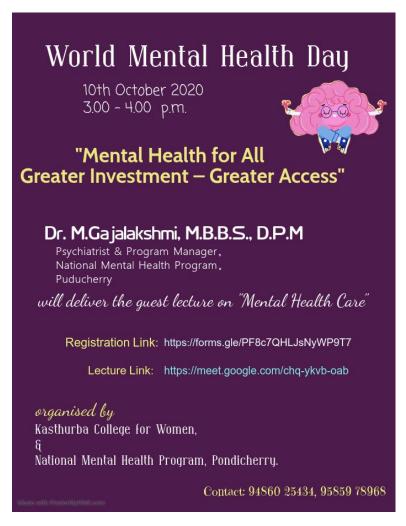
Dr.K.Bhuvaneswari, Asst. Prof of Psychology proposed the Vote of Thanks to all the resource persons from India and the United Kingdom, as well as to the participants. Feedback was collected and e-certificates provided to those who attended all the sessions.

Event 3: National Level Online Quiz on "Socio Political and Cultural History of Sangam Age" organised by the Dept. of History and Dept. of Tamil, Kasthurba College for Women.

The quiz was organized to instill self-learning among college students. Around 92 students and teachers took part in the online quiz and were given e-certificates with their scores.

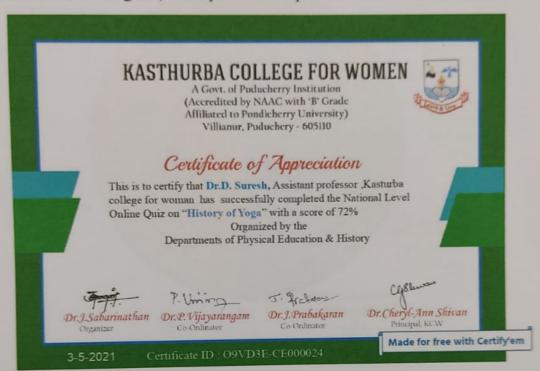
Event 4: Webinar on "Mental Health Care" as part of World Mental Health Day on 10thOctober 2020 organised by Dept. of Psychology, Kasthurba College for Women.

Dr.M.Gajalakshmi, Psychiatrist, explained in detail about the ways and means to take care of the mental health of students. She gave an overall view on the identification of major mental health disturbances and the importance of early intervention for better health outcome. The programme was organized exclusively for the students of Kasthurba College for Women.



Event 5: National Level Online Quiz on "The History of Yoga" was organised by the Dept. of Physical Education and Dept. of History, Kasthurba College for Women.

Students (276 nos.) from the U.T. of Puducherry and from three other states (Tamil Nadu, Karnataka, Telangana) took part in the quiz and benefitted from it.



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