

#### SAHODARAN ÁYYAPPAN SMARAKA SNDPYOGAM COLLEGE, KONNI, PATHANAMTHITTA, KERALA AFFILIATED TO M G UNIVERSITY, KOTTAYAM

# CRITERION 7 INSTITUTIONAL VALUES AND BEST PRACTICES

#### 7.1 Institutional Values and Social Responsibilities

7.1.11: Institution celebrates/organizes National and International Commemorative days, events, and festivals

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Year	Title of the Programme/Activity	Duration(From-to)	Number of Participants
2016 -2017	Teacher's Day	05/09/2016	200
	Independence Day	15/08/2016	167
	Onam Celebration	09/09/2016	All students and staff
	Republic Day	26/01/2017	150
	Christmas, New Year Celebrations	21/12/2016	All
	Sahodaran Ayyappan Anusmaranam	06/03/2017	All
	World Ozone Day	16/09/2016	100
	World Diabetes Day	14/11/2016	80
	Gandhi Jayanthi	02/10/2016	250
	International Yoga Day	21/06/2016	80
	Women's Day	08/03/2017	120
2017-2018	World Environment Day	05/06/2017	120
	Independence Day	15/08/2017	100
	Gandhi Jayanthi	02/10/2017	300
	Onam	30/08/2017	All
	Christmas & New year	21/12/2017	All
	World Diabetes Day	14/11/2017	78
	Teacher's Day	05/09/2017	All
	Republic Day	26/01/2018	200
	Sahodaran Ayyappan Anusmaranam	06/03/2017	AII
	World Wetland Day	02/02/2018	150



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	Women's Day	08/03/2018	200
	International Yoga Day	21/06/2017	100
2018-2019	Reading Day	19/06/2018	46
	World wetland Day	02/02/2019	100
	Sahodaran Ayyappan Anusmaranam	06/03/2018	All
	Independence Day	15/08/2018	200
	Onam	21/08/2018	All
	Gandhi Jayanthi	02/10/2018	350
	Christmas & New year celebration	21/12/2018	AII
	Teacher's Day	05/09/2018	All
	International Yoga Day	21/06/2018	100
	Women's Day	08/03/2019	125
	Republic Day	26/01/2019	130
2019-2020	World Environment Day	05/06/2019	80
	Independence Day	15/08/2019	120
	Republic Day	26/01/2020	180
	Onam	06/09/2019	All
	Gandhi Jayanthi	02/10/2019	All
	Teacher's Day	05/09/2019	All
	Christmas & New year celebration	19/12/2019	All
	International Yoga Day	21/06/2019	120
	World Diabetes Day	14/11/2019	60
	Women's Day	08/03/2020	100
	Sahodaran Ayyappan Anusmaranam	06/03/2020	All



2020-2021(Many programs were conducted in online mode due to COVID 19 pandemic)				
	Reading Day	19/06/2020	80	
	International Yoga Day	21/06/2020	80	
	Fathers Day	21/06/2020	50	
	National Parents Day	25/07/2020	50	
	Independence Day	15/08/2020	20	
	Women Equality Day	26/08/2020	60	
	Teacher's Day	05/09/2020	45	
	International Literacy Day	08/09/2020	60	
	World Ozone Day	16/09/2020	60	
	Gandhi Jayanthi	02/10/2020	40	
	World Food Day	16/10/2020	60	
	National Youth Day	12/01/2021	45	
	Republic Day	26/01/2021	30	
	Women's Day	08/03/2021	60	

#### Report on Teacher's Day Celebration 2016-2021

Teacher's Day is celebrated annually on September 5 to mark the birth anniversary of Dr Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan, the first Vice-President and the second President of India, who was also a teacher, scholar and philosopher. His contribution to shaping India's education is immense. The teacher's day celebration aims at emphasizing the importance of student - teacher relationship for creating a positive learning environment for the students. Students express their gratitude for their teachers on this day. Students visit the principal and the departments and present gifts and flowers to teachers on the day.







#### Report on Independence Day Celebration 2016-2021

Independence day celebration in college is a day where students, staff and faculties pay tribute to the Nation and freedom fighters of India. It is celebrated on 15th August every year. The Principal would hoist the flag followed by the parade of NCC student cadets. The Principal address the gathering with the significance of Independence Day







Report on Onam, Christmas Day Celebrations 2016-2021

Onam, the traditional festival of Kerala, is being celebrated by the college with much enthusiasm and togetherness. The faculty members and students turn up at the college by wearing traditional attire of Kerala. The college portico and classes are adorned with beautiful Pookkalam. Events like Onam songs, thiruvathira and tug of war are conducted and students participate with zealous and team spirit.

Students celebrate Christmas also with joy and enthusiasm. They make cribs and cakes are distributed on the day. Students sing various Christmas songs.

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#### Report on Gandhi Jayanthi Celebration 2016-2021

Gandhi Jayanthi is celebrated on October 2nd every year. As part of celebrations the students actively engage in cleaning the campus, nearby villages and towns. Various competitions are also being conducted on topics related to Mahatma Gandhi.













Report on Sahodaran Ayyappan Anusmaranam 2016 - 2021

Our college is in the name of Sahodaran Ayyappan who was a social reformer, thinker, rationalist, journalist and teacher. A vocal follower of Sree Narayana Guru, he was associated with a number of events related to the Kerala reformation movement and was the organizer of 'Misra Bhojanam' in Cherai in 1917. We celebrate his death anniversary to remind the students of his learnings and teachings. They pay their homage by attending the special prayer meeting in the college.







Report on Republic Day Celebration 2016-2021

Republic day is celebrated in the college to remember the day when the Constitution of India came into effect after India gained independence. On the Republic Day flag hoisting ceremony and parades were held on the college campus.





Report on Environment Day, World wetland day, Ozone Day Celebrations 2016-2021

Every year June 5th is celebrated as World Environment day for encouraging awareness and action for the protection of the environment. World Wetlands Day is observed every year on February 2. It is celebrated to raise global awareness about the vital role of wetlands for people and our planet. World Ozone Day is observed on September 16 every year to spread awareness among students about the depletion of Ozone Layer and find possible solutions to preserve it. In connection with these celebrations, seminars, debates, quizzes etc are conducted.







#### **Report on World Diabetes Day**

Every year diabetes day is observed on 14th November. Usually an awareness rally is organized. Some awareness programmes in this regard are also conducted.





#### **Report on Kerala Piravi Celebrations**

November 1st is celebrated as the birth date of Kerala or Kerala Piravi Dinam. College Campus looks very colourful as the staff and students of the college came decked in traditional Kerala saree and dhoti. Competitions like the Malayali Manka contest were also held.







#### Report on International Yoga Day Celebrations 2016-2021

The International Day of Yoga has been celebrated annually on 21 June since 2015. Yoga is considered not only a form of physical exercise but has been credited for being a practice that enables spiritual and mental well-being. Students performed Sun salutation and some Yoga poses.









