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PAYYANUR COLLEGE, PAYYANUR Report on the Inter Collegiate Chemistry Fest-CHEMKEMAM

The Inter Collegiate Chemistry Fest **"CHEMKEMAM"** was held on 10th February 2023. The fest was held as a part of celebrating National Science Day.Several fun and educational competitions were held such as Rangoli, Titration, Skit, Quiz, Treasure Hunt, Video Juggling and Documentary. These competitions not only tested the participant's knowledge on Chemistry, but also their memory and time management skills.

CHEMKEMAM was inaugurated by Dr Aneesh Kumar Warrier, Associate professor, Department of Geology, Center for Climatic Studies Manipal. The other honorable dignitaries present on the dais were Payyanur college principal, Dr. Santhosh V M ,Chemistry HoD Dr. Rahana Ameen, Dr. Prakash V, Union Chairman Athul Raj and Chemistry association secretary Adithya K P.







A total of 13 colleges took part in the fest. Each team consisted a maximum of 10 participants. Apart from the competitions, an exhibition was also conducted by Glassco Laboratory equipment limited and Penta C solutions as they showcased their laboratory equipment. The inauguration commenced around 10:00 am at Seminar Hall. Skit was the first event that took place right after the inauguration. Named **AcTOM**, all the participants from each college participated. The focus points for judgement were the theme and the acting skills of the competitors.

Following skit, other events like Quiz preliminary round, Rangoli, Titration and Treasure Hunt were held at different venues around 12:00 pm. _ Teams participated in the preliminary round of Smarticus Bazaar i.e. Quiz out of which _____ teams were eliminated and the rest _____ teams moved ahead to the second round. Raasa Kolam or the Rangoli making competition measured the creativity of the competitors and their ability to incorporate chemistry into art. Chameleon tested the practical ability of the participants. Each participant had to perform titration and find the required answer within an hour. Treasure hunt or the Crafty Clew Crew made the participants to work out both their brains and muscles as they had to search around the college campus to find clues and finally reach the prize. Other events took place after lunch. Master Mind Trickery tricked the participants due to the unexpected questions that were asked. The remaining rounds of Smarticus Bazaar succeeded video juggling. The final event held was Still in Action. The participants documented the host college and CHEMKEMAM innovatively.



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Smarticus Bazaar (Quiz)



Chameleon (Titration)



Exhibition conducted by Glassco Laboratory equipment limited and Penta C solutions

The valedictory function commenced at o4:30 pm. Kannur University Head of Chemistry Department, Dr Sudheesh S presented the winners of each event and overall champions with trophy and certificates. Sir Syed College Taliparamba clinched the overall championship where as Government Brennen College Thalassery came in the second place. Student coordinators Vaishnav Murali, Arjun V and Assistant Professors Sruthi K P, Dr. Sujith K V and Dr. Vijesh A M congratulated the winners. The participants were also given chances to give feedbacks on the event. The event was finally concluded with a photograph of the participants and the organizers together.



Closing ceremony