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A national level webinar was organized by Department of History on 16th June, 2021. Dr.V.Venkatraman, Head and Associate Professor of History, Rajapalayam Raju's College, Rajapalayam delivered a lecture on "Banned Controversial Literature and Swadeshi Movement in Tamil Nadu". Totally, 250 participants were benefited through this webinar.



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"BANNED CONTROVERSIAL LITERATURE AND SWADESHI MOVEMENT IN TAMIL NADU"

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On account of the 75th Independence Day Celebration history department had organized a guest lecture on “**Memorial Day Of Kasturba Gandhi and Thillaiyadi Valliammai**”. **Mr.R.Natarajan**, Education Officer, Gandhi Memorial Museum, Madurai address the students of the department of History. 22nd February is the birth and death anniversary of Thillaiyadi valliammai and the death anniversary of Kasturba Gandhi. He spoke on the role of Kasturba Gandhi and Thillaiyadi Valliammai in freedom movement and their life history. He also inculcated patriotism among the students through his speech.



The department of History has visited **Yoga Narasimha Perumal Temple and Ladan Cave Temple, Madurai** on 2nd March, 2022 to enlighten our students on the ethnicity and culture of Madurai region through this field visit.



Prof.P.Devi, M.Pharm.,Ph.D., Dip.in Temple arch., Shilpa Shastra Trainer, Madurai, delivered a special lecture on **The History of Temple Sculptures in Tamil Nadu** to the students of History department. She highlighted the origin and development of sculptures in Tamil Nadu and the salient features of the sculptures in each period like Pandyas, Cholas, Nayaks, etc., She also taught the moral values through the religious pictures and sculptures.



A team of students along with Dr.Uma and Dr.P.Sindhu, Department of History have visited the Meenakshi Amman Temple and Thirumalai Naicker Mahal on 21st March, 2022 to enrich our students' knowledge on medieval architecture and history behind it.



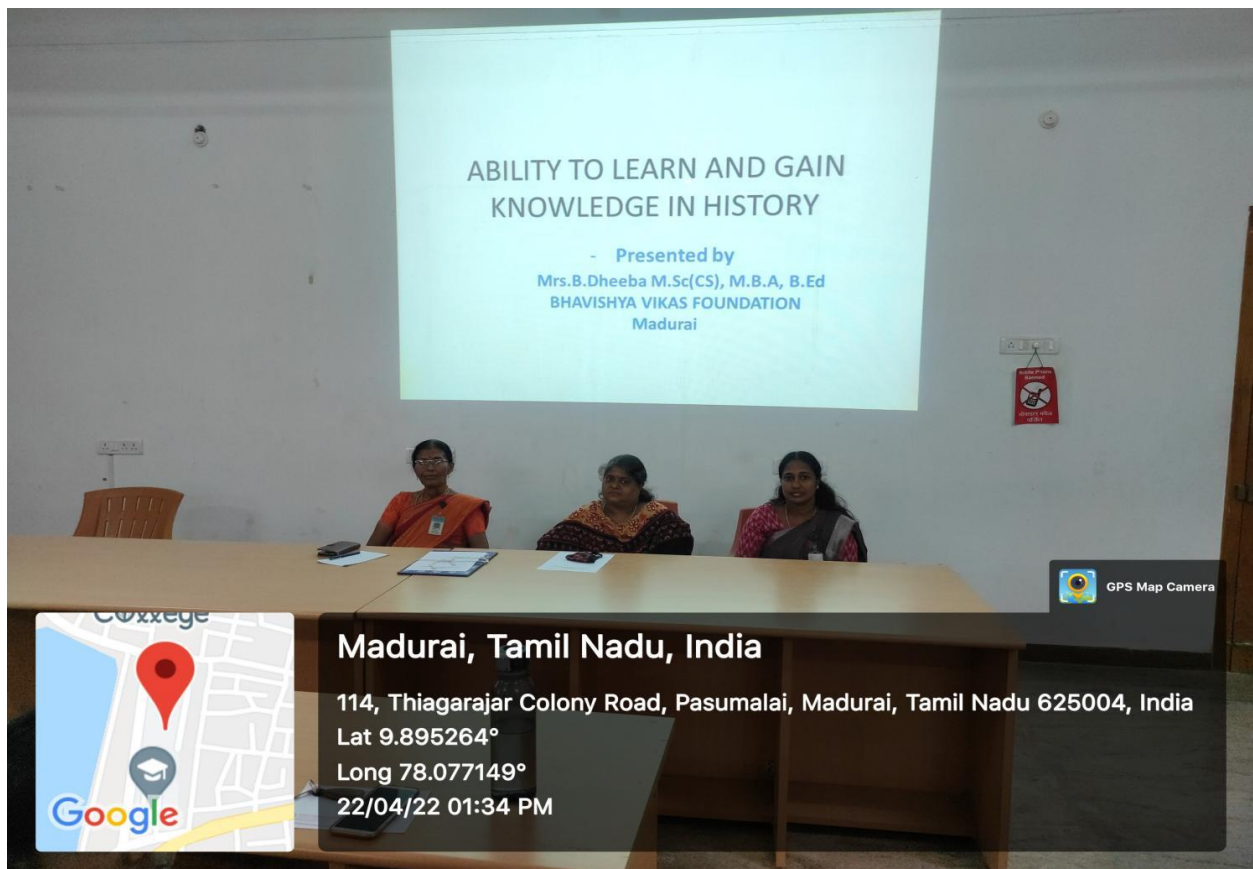
The Department of History organized the 75th Independence Day Celebration in Collaboration with Brahma Kumarigal, Thiruparankundrum on 31.03.2023. In this programme the Bhramakumari.Uma, the Chief Guest delivered a special address on “Youth Personality Development”. Totally 140 participants were benefitted through this programme.



Department of History organized one day State Level Conference on 19th April 2022 in our college premises. This state-level conference focused on “**Historical Archaeology of Tamilnadu**” an emerging heritage history. The inaugural address has been provided by the Chief Guest **Dr. C.Santhalingam, Archaeological Expert, Secretary, Pandyanadu Centre for Historical Research, Madurai.** His text was intended to motivate each researcher. He spoke about the various branches of Archaeology and the beginning of Tamili (Brahmi) and the pride of Tamil. The first technical session was conducted by **Dr.M.Maruthupandian, District Curator, Government Museum, Madurai and Thiruvavarur.** The second technical session was conducted by **Thiru B. Asaithambi, Archaeological Officer, Department of Archaeology, Government of Tamilnadu.** The Valedictory function was chaired by the Chief Guest **Dr.V.Vedachalam,** This one-day State level conference has motivated the students, research scholars and faculties to stress about archaeological materials, conservation and preservation techniques and new findings of the local surrounding of our residents. In this conference, 163 participants participated.



B.Dheeba, Managing Director, Development Professional, Bhavishya Vikas Foundation, Madurai gave a motivational speech on **Ability to gain knowledge in History and exploring employment opportunities in Tourism**. She gave inspiration about the importance of history and how it is useful to get employment opportunities in tourism department.



Mr.R.Natarajan, Education Officer, Gandhi Memorial Museum, Madurai delivered a guest lecture on “150th Birth Anniversary Celebration of Shri. Aurobindo Ghosh”. He highlighted the Bengali’s participation in Indian national movement, role of Bengalis in literature and the role of Shri.Aurobindo Ghosh in nationalism and spiritualism. He emphasized the need of both nationalism and spiritualism for the students.



A guest lecture was organized on ‘**The Development of Buddhist Art**’ on 27th April, 2022. **Dr.A.Mahalingam**, Assistant Professor & Head, Department of Medieval History, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai addresses the students of history. He told about the importance of the new religion, Buddhism, which arose in India and its principles, the Buddhist art as the impact of Buddhism to the culture of India and how it spread to other countries. Students were imparted the cultural values.



The department of History organized a guest lecture programme on 29th April, 2022. In this guest lecture programme, **Dr.P.Jeganathan**, Assistant Professor, Department of History, Government Arts College, Melur, Madurai gave an inspiring speech on the importance of History and why the students should study History. He also told about the opportunities to get into employed in various fields like archaeology, archives, museums, etc.,



The Department of History have visited a field trip to **Kondagai on 13th May, 2022** to broaden the existing knowledge on archaeological excavations and unveil hidden history behind it. Totally 89 students have benefitted through this field trip.

