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From the Chair - Message from Patron

Dear Alumni,

Greetings,

The fourth issue of the alumni News Letter is in your hands. We are happy that the continuous feed back from all the stack holders is not only useful but also positive in approach. The polytechnic never stops from growing in tandem with technology, innovative teaching, informative source building processes and facilities marked by contemporary newness. The departments are stacked with the latest software and teaching devices.

You remain the torchbearer for the current learners in defining their goals, designing their plans and executing their tasks. We are proud to state that our college has won the following prestigious awards during the year 2010-11 for the outstanding performance.

◆ Best Polytechnic College award	◆ Best ISTE Chapter Chairman
◆ Best NSS Unit award	◆ Best NSS Officer
◆ Best ISTE Faculty award	◆ Best NSS Volunteers

Hence your link is vital in shaping the future and amplifying our institution's achievements. We were glad to honour eight elite alumni in the 53rd Annual Day of our institution on 9th March 2011.

We invite all of you to take part in all the function organized by us and also visit our website often and update your profile for a better and quicker contact.

Let us meet again,
Best Wishes,



*Dr. V. Karthikeyan
Principal & Patron*



Dr. V. Karthikeyan, Principal & Patron, addressing the gathering of Annual General body meeting.

Alumni events

- Executive Council Meeting held on 12.01.2011 and 43 members Participated.



General body meeting

The Annual General body meeting of the Alumni Association was held on 10th Feb 2011.

Dr.V.Karthikeyan, Principal and Patron Presided over the meeting and proudly informed that our polytechnic has received Best polytechnic award, Best ISTE Chairman award, Best ISTE faculty award, Best NSS officer award, Best NSS Volunteers award. He also very proudly mentioned that the amount received from the Govt. for the Best polytechnic award, of Rs.1 lakh, has been donated to create endowment for the alumni association. The Principal pointed out that, around 400 students have got good placement last year with an average salary of Rs.1.5 lakhs per annum. This year the aim is 500 students. The Principal also recommended that, alumni can contribute to the growth of the Institution by way of sharing knowledge through guest lectures, fund creation and giving in-plant training to the students.

Sri.S.Loganathan, President, welcomed the gathering & Tmt.C.Jayanthi, Treasurer presented the audited report for 2010.



More than 500 alumni were present and shared their views and experiences. On this auspicious occasion, the alumni donated a sum of Rs.4.20 lakhs towards endowment fund. Senior alumni members were honoured on that day.

Charitable Contributions

The mettle of our students is not brittle. Even after they have left, they stamp their quality by assisting the current needy and deserving students by creating endowments

- Principal's contribution through Best Polytechnic Award Rs.1,00,000
- Sangamam 1982 Batch Civil Engg. Contributed by Er.S.Venkatesh, Executive Engg.,Salem Corporation Rs. 50,000
- Sangamam 1982 Batch Civil Engg. Rs. 10,000
- Kubra Ummu Wahida Endowment Fund by Dr.R.S.D.Wahida Banu, Prof.& H.o.D / E.C.E., Govt.College of Engg.,Salem. Rs. 15,000
- Mrs.Anitha H.Jaspara Endowment Fund Rs. 25,000
- Sri.S.Manivannan, EEE / 1981 Batch Rs. 50,005
- Mech.Engg. - 2010 Batch Students Rs. 50,000
- 1991 Batch Students Rs. 25,000
- Sri.M.Rajan (Retd.R.T.O.) Rs. 10,000

- Sri.G.Nandhakumar Rs. 10,000
- 2011 Batch Students Rs. 75,000

Scholarships

To encourage the economically down and academically bright students the Alumni Association constituted Alumni Scholarship to support them.

- Scholarships to 66 students Rs. 66,000
- Sri.P.Ilangovan - Endowment Scholarship to 4 Students of Prod Eng. Rs. 15,000
- Tree Foundation - Scholarship to 4 Students of Computer Engineering Rs. 19,500

Faculty News

Our faculty member's competence is ever on the rise which is clearly noticeable in their attendance in the orientation programmes, training sessions, conventions and seminars

Programme	No. of Programmes	No.of Faculty/Staff benefited
AICTE Sponsored National Level Seminar	2	72
State Level Workshop	1	36
In-house training	2	94
Workshops/Conferences	27	54
Short-term Courses	04	05
Paper presentations / Publications	04	04

Students Activities

Our students are ever brimming with enthusiasm. These blooming engineers are not just beginners and the variety and depth of their papers speak about their versatile and comprehensive approaches.

No. of Papers Presented	National Level	State Level	I Prize	II Prize	III Prize
143	58	85	25	24	20

2011 Featured Alumnus honoured during Annual Day Celebrations – 9th March 2011

Elite Alumni	Career	Elite Alumni	Career	Elite Alumni	Career
<p>Sri.S.K.Muthumanickam Civil / 1983</p> 	<p>Engineering Contractor, 7, MM Nivas, PNS Road, Kalyan Nagar Post, Bangalore 560 043.</p>	<p>Smt. M.Poonguzhali Mech / 1991</p> 	<p>MVI-Grade-I Unit Office, Thiruverumbur, Trichy – 620 013.</p>	<p>Sri. M.Chandrasekaran EEE / 1989</p> 	<p>Business Development Manager, (IBM Maintenance Services India (SA) Global Technology Services) IBM India Pvt.Ltd., Ground Floor, Subramania Arcade (SAI), No.12, Bannarghatta Road, Bangalore – 560 029.</p>
<p>Sri. K.Sundharalingam Textile / 1991</p> 	<p>Managing Partner, Sundar Textiles Suppliers, 59/20, Mallichetty Street, Ponnammapet, Salem – 636 001.</p>	<p>Sri. C.Janakiraman MMFT / 1986</p> 	<p>Managing Director, Prasanna Global Clothing Company, C-2 Mayura Apart., Anna Nagar, IInd Cross, IInd Street, Coimbatore - 641 004.</p>	<p>Sri. G.Baskar Production / 2001</p> 	<p>Manager-After sales, Bharat-Benz, Daimler India Commercial Vehicle Ltd, RMZ Millenia, Block - 3B, 3rd Floor, Unit 302 & 302, 143,Dr.M.G.R Road, Perungudi, Chennai – 600 096.</p>
<p>Smt. B.Sasirekha Computer / 1997</p> 	<p>Project Manager, Wipro Technologies, Emp.No:W2281, Location:EC4 72, Keonics Electronic City, Bangalore – 560 100.</p>	<p>Sri. K.Kanagasundaram, PDCA / 1992</p> 	<p>Technical Lead, DUIB, R&D, Ericsson India Pvt Ltd, Salapuria Supreme, Outer Ring Road, Near Marathalli Bridge, Bangalore – 560 037, Karnataka.</p>		

Profile of an Eminent Alumnus



Mr. R. Ekambaram is a distinguished Mechanical Engineer and proud alumni of Thiagarajar Polytechnic College, (1982 Batch). He has completed his Bachelor degree in Government College of Engineering (GCE), Salem in December 1989 and MBA from Anna University, Chennai in year 2004. He started his career as an Assistant Engineer in District Industries Centre, Salem and has been elevated to the rank of Joint Director / General Manager, District Industries Centre, Krishnagiri.

During his tenure, he has executed many projects like Farming house, Small Scale Industries, Industrial Co-operative societies, Women Entrepreneurship Development Programmes, Prime Minister's Rozgar Yojana Scheme, etc. Through Export Guidance Cell, he has done his outstanding performance by creating awareness in people on EXIM Policy incentives available to exporters, Export market intelligence of foreign buyers, educating export documentation and organized training programmes and seminars on export opportunities in different industry clusters.

He is always interested in encouraging our polytechnic students by extending his support and guidance to carryout academic project works and motivating them by delivering guest lecture programmes.

Send your personal and career updates to share with fellow alumni.

Name	:	
Branch & Batch	:	
Address		City :
		State :
		PIN :
		Mobile No. :
		E-mail address :
Career Development		
Information About other Alumnae		

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