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CITIZEN CONSUMER CLUB ANNUAL REPORT 2015 - 2016



Consumer club

"The consumer, so it is said, is the king each is a voter who uses his money as a vote to get the thing done that he wants done"

Paul A .Samuelson, American Economist

The college encourages various club activities and citizen consumer club is one among them. The role of Citizen Consumer Club of Patrician college of arts and science is to empower all consumer segments of the society to obtain a just deal in the purchase of goods and services of the public and to impart consumer education among the society and the college students, the objectives include spreading awareness on consumer rights amongst all consumer segments, sensitizing manufacturers, service providers on consumer rights and quality, to help consumers get justice when affected, to continuously access policy changes required in each sector for consumer empowerment, to identify and weed out unfair trade practices in delivery of goods as well as services and to provide and to promote sustainable consumption.



Bro. T. Sebastian
Director & Secretary

On this bright occasion, it is my privilege to congratulate the Citizen Consumer Club of Patrician college for all their enterprising and innovative activities. No one is above the law and this is evident is the extent of coverage of the legal system of India. In accordance with the law and in keeping with the vision of the college to develop law abiding citizens, the Citizen Consumer Club has helped greatly in bringing about awareness of consumer rights within legal frameworks and systems. Teaching and initiating students to become responsible citizens who carry out their fundamental duties as citizens without being told and question, if their rights are infringed, will be our common goals. The club takes much effort in bringing awareness among the student community with their untiring efforts such as exhibitions, rallies, attending competitions in other colleges and even hosting competitions among the college and school students. All these efforts have been highly commended by the Patrician community and in accordance with the same, I wish the Consumer Club all the best for its future extension, expansion and consumer education.



Dr. M. Ravi Chandran
PRINCIPAL

The occasion of release of the annual report to the citizen consumer club, Patrician College of Arts and Science I am immensely happy to place on record my appreciation and congratulatory wishes to the club members. I am proud and honored to announce that the citizen consumer club has effectively organized the club activities for the last Seven years and is entering the eight year of the presence at the patrician college. The club has been productively engaging itself in extending service to the community in and around the college by creating awareness among the public through consumer related programs and community based extension services. I am proud and honored to announce that our college citizen consumer club has been awarded as the Best Club at district level. The club has effectively organized an international seminar on "Rights and Duties of the consumers" and other consumer awareness programs the members have participated in various events inside and outside college and have won laurels to the college I hope and trust that citizen consumer club will continue the same tempo, but also add many more feathers to its cap in the years to come. My best wishes to faculty representatives and the members of the club.



<u>Dr.Arokia Mary Geetha Doss</u> Vice Principal

I am delighted to see the vibrant growth of the club and its active participation in providing consumer literacy to faculty, students and community at large.

I also take this opportunity to congratulate the coordinator and the members of the club for being awarded as best club as district for three consecutive years. My special appreciation for their effort for creating awareness among the students about the consumer rights and duties .

My wishes for the success of all their future endeavors.



Dr.J.Gnanapushpam Head PCEC

"Each creature is preserved to meet a particular need "Sirach (43:4)

In a democratic nation like India, there is always a need to educate the rights and duties of the consumer to enhance the welfare of the society.

The Citizen Consumer Club of Patrician College is very proud to take up their social responsibility of spreading awareness on consumer rights among all consumer segments joining with Tamil Nadu Department of Civil Supplies and Consumer rights. I wish all success to the co-ordinators and student volunteers of Patrician College.

INVESTITURE CEREMONY

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Investiture ceremony of Citizen Consumer Club office bearers - Chief Guest Dr. Alexander Jesudhasan ,Principal "Madras Christian college ,Tambaram.



Allan Jebastin CCC- President

M.Karthikraj CCC- Secretary





S.Dheepak Ram CCC - Treasurer

CONSUMER AWARENESS PROGRAM

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18TH JANUARY 2016

The Citizen Consumer Club of Patrician College organized a seminar on

" RIGHTS OF THE CONSUMER"

Chief Guest:

DR. K.VIJAYATHILAGAM

Superintendent, Dept of Civil Supplies and Consumer Protection

enumerated various rights of the consumers to the consumer club members

CONSUMER RIGHT'S

- Right to safety.
- Right to information.
- · Right to choose.
- Right to heard.
- · Right to redressed.
- Right to consumer education.
- · Right to healthy environment.
- Right to basic needs.









Rev.Bro.Dr.Arokiaraj, Director and Secretary and Principal Dr. Fatima Vasanth addressing the gathering.





Vice principal Dr. Arokiamary Geetha Doss and Citizen Consumer Club Co-ordinator Dr. Meenakshi felicitating the gathering.



Dr. K.Vijayathilagam Superintendent, Dept of Civil Supplies and Consumer Protection addressing the gathering on the topic "Rights and Duties of the consumer".



CTTE COLLEGE NATIONAL CONSUMER DAY CELEBRATION

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CTTE College for women, Chennai, observed National Consumer Day in association with the Dept of Civil Supplies and Consumer Protection, on 22nd January 2016 Various events were organised related to Consumer Issues and Consumerism. The Club members participated in various events & won 2nd prize in quiz.



Allan Jebastin III B.com (A) and M.Karthik raj III B.com (A) Participated in quiz competition conducted by CTTE College for Women and won II place.

MIME FOR ONGC

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29TH JANUARY 2016



oil and natural gas commission (ONGC) in association with petroleum conservation and research association(PCRA) observed their oil and gas conservation fortnight 2016. On this occasion, Consumer Club volunteers enacted a street play on "Fuel conservation" in the ONGC campus. The government officials from PCRA, ONGC appreciated the students' effort and were rewarded with a participation certificate and a cash price of Rs.5000/-.





The Mime Participants Receiving Cash award of Rs 5000-/-from Rev.Bro.Arokiaraj Director cum secretary of Patrician college.





BEST CLUB AWARD

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Ethiraj college for women in association with the department of civil supplies & consumer protection observed their world consumer rights day, in this occasion the department of civil supplies and consumer protection selected Citizen Consumer Club of our college as the "BEST CLUB" and awarded II PLACE (DISTRICT LEVEL) south zone for the activities (2015-2016). The club proud to announce that we are receiving this award for the 5th consecutive years. Our college vice principal Dr.Geetha Rufus along with club office bearers received the award from the chief guest Mrs.Nirmala (Rtd IAS).

MAGAZINE RELEASE (2014-2015)

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10 FEBRUARY 2016



Citizen Consumer Club of patrician college as released their official Magazine for the year (2014-2015) on 10 February 2016 in college campus.

Rev.Bro.Dr.Arokiaraj Director cum secretary Released the magazine .



Rev.Bro.Dr.Arokiaraj Director cum secretary Released the magazine along with Principal Dr.Fatima vasanth vice principal Dr.Arokia Mary Geetha Doss Mrs.Meenakshi CCC co-ordinator and Club Office Bearers.

BIS WORKSHOP

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15TH FEBRUARY 2016



The Citizen Consumer Club of Patrician College organized a workshop on

"QUALITY STANDARDS"

Resource Person

G.Bhavani

scientist D & Product Certification Officer, Bureau of Indian Standards

Explained about the various quality marks to be checked while consuming a product or service for all 1st year students representatives of the college. The students actively interacted with the Resource Person.



Citizen Consumer Club Co-ordinator Meenakshi giving an introduction speech about the Resource person and welcome address.



G.Bhavani scientist D&ProductCertificationOfficer,Bureau of Indian Standards addressing the gathering.



A Good interactive session between Resource person and students.



EXTENTION ACTIVITY

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Citizen Consumer Club of Patrician college has also extended its service activities to

The neighboring locality by performing a

"STREET THEATRE"

on "Energy conservation" in association with Petroleum Conservation Research Association (PCRA), Government of India created awareness among the residence of Gandhi Nagar, Parents & students of Patrician college about fuel, electricity, LPG gas conservation. The program was admired and appreciated by the audience.











Patrician college of Arts and Science Street play participants along with CCC Co-ordinators

SEMINAR ON LPG GAS CONSERVATION

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1ST MARCH 2016



our Citizen Consumer Club & Women cell in association with PCRA organized a seminar on "LPG gas conservation" for all UG & PG women students of our college. Resource person

Ajith Kumar K. R. Additional Director Petroleum Conservation Research Association (PCRA)





The Resource person giving a seminar on LPG gas and Fuel conservation for all Women UG and Pg students