



St. Thomas College of Teacher Education, Pala, Kerala
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Criterion V: Student Support and Progression

5.4 Alumni Engagement

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ALUMNI ASSOCIATION - 'Flambeau'

Reg. No. KTM/TC/370/2020

Report for the Academic Year 2022-2023

The 23rd Annual General Body Meeting of the Alumni Association of St. Thomas College of Teacher Education, Pala was held on 12th March 2022 at 10.00 a.m. in the College auditorium. Dr. (Sr.) P.T. Mary (Former Principal, of St. Thomas College of Teacher Education, Pala), was the Chief guest at the meeting. Dr. T.C. Thankachan welcomed the gathering. Shri. P. Krishnakumar presided over the function. Dr. Alex George, Secretary presented the annual report and statement of income and expenditure of the Alumni Association of St. Thomas College of Teacher Education, Pala.



The following members were nominated to the executive committee for 2022-23.

President	:	Fr. Jose Puzhakara
Vice President	:	Shri. George Joseph
Joint Secretary	:	Smt. Marykutty Joseph

:	Sri. P. Krishnakumar
:	Shri. Punnoose George



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Executive Members	:	Ms. Kamala Bai K
	:	Shri. Prakash M. Vettom
	:	Dr. Mathews Thelly
	:	Shri. C. Thomas Menamparambil
	:	Shri. Joseph K.K.
	:	Dr. Jose James
	:	Shri. Joffy J. Njavallil
	:	Prof.C.M. George
	:	Shri. Deeraj Augustine
	:	Shri.Roy J. Kallarangattu
	:	Shri. Reji Sebastian
	:	Smt. Pushpa George
	:	Smt. Jais Jose
	:	Shri. Ebin Baby
Treasurer of the Association is the Principal St. Thomas College of Teacher Education, Pala		
Secretary of the Association is a teaching staff of St. Thomas College of Teacher Education, Pala		
Auditor: Sreeresh D. (Assistant Professor of Commerce, BAM College Thuruthikkad)		

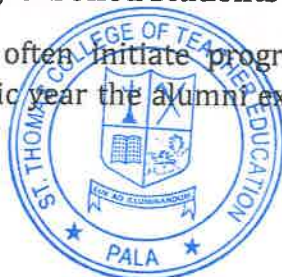
Executive meeting

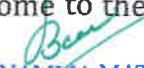
To plan and execute the activities of the association executive meetings were held on 29.08.2022 and 04.02.2023. The executive members were very active and generous for the development of the College.

Alumni have an active role in regular institutional functioning such as:

1. Motivating the freshly enrolled students

Association very often initiate programmes to motivate the students at the beginning of the academic year the alumni executive members come to the college and




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interact with the newly enrolled students. On 24th January 2019 the Alumni members interacted with the newly enrolled students. This interaction provides them with a clear picture about the college and its traditions, and activities of B.Ed. programme, and dignity of the teaching profession. Such interactions actually will give the students an inspiration and an orientation to the teaching field.

2. Involvement in the in-house curriculum development

The Alumni Association is actively involved in the in-house curriculum development of the college. To become fully qualified teachers the students are required to pass competitive examinations. The association supports conducting coaching classes for NET/SET/CTET/KTET examinations. The coaching classes were conducted between 15.3.22 and 15.5.22 and 12.9.22 to 26.9.22. The online coaching classes were also conducted for 195 aspirants from different parts of Kerala. As a result of this programme, alumni could generate an amount of ₹38500 and which was contributed for purchasing library books.

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SET, NET, K-TET COACHING
Online Classes

- Syllabus oriented sessions
- Daily Practice tests
- Weekend model tests
- Doubt clearing sessions

Admissions open now
Duration
2022 SEPTEMBER
12 - 26
* Fees exemption for STCTE Pala students

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Register on / before September 13

Dr. Sr. Beenamma Mathew (Principal, STCTE, Pala) Dr. T. C. Thankachan (Vice Principal, STCTE, Pala) Dr. Alex George (Teacher in charge, STCTE, Pala)

Student Coordinator : Tiya Tess George 9400041057

Many members of the alumni act as resource persons for providing coaching classes.

Online Coaching Resource Persons (Alumni Association Members)

Sl. No	Name of the Resource Person	Topics	Year of Study	Designation



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1.	Dr. T.C. Thankachan	Teaching Aptitude (SET& NET)	1997-98	Principal, St. Thomas College of Teacher Education, Pala
2.	Dr. T.M.Molykutty	Research Methodology (NET)	1983-84	HOD, M.Ed. Department, St. Thomas College of Teacher Education, Pala
3	Dr. Mathews M. Thelley	Environmental Science	1995-1996	HOD, Department of Botany, K.E. College, Mannanam
4	Dr. Jose James	Science & Technology (SET)	1998-99	Associate Professor of Chemistry, St. Joseph College, Moolamattom
5	Fr. Jose Puzhakara	K-TET-Malayalam	2013-14 (M.Ed.)	Vice Principal, St. Antony's Public School, Anakkallu
6	Dr. Sunu Austin	K-TET- Social Science	1999-2000	Assistant Professor of Social Science Education, St. Thomas College of Teacher Education, Pala
7	Dr. Lavina Dominic	K-TET- English	1996-97	Assistant Professor of English Education, St. Thomas College of Teacher Education, Pala
8	Dr. Pratheesh Abraham	Communication (NET)	2003-2004	Assistant Professor of English Education, St. Thomas College of Teacher Education, Pala
9	Mrs. Ani Mathew	Reading Comprehension	2011-2012	Assist Professor of English, Govt. College Nattakom
10	Dr. Alex George	Educational Psychology & Higher Education	2009-2010	Assistant Professor of General Education, St. Thomas College of Teacher Education, Pala
11	Shri. Sreeresh D	Information & Technology (NET & SET)	2009-2010	Assistant Professor of Commerce, BAM College, Thuruthikkad, Pathanamthitta
12	Mrs. Jais Jose	K-TET- English	2019-2021	UPSA, St. Josephs' School, Mundakkayam

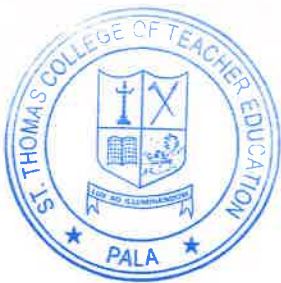


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Mementos were presented to the 43 students who passed TET/ SET/C-TET/UGC NET from B.Ed.2020-22 Batch.

3. Organisation of various activities other than classroom activities

Our alumni association in collaboration with NSS unit, Vimukthi Club and Oratory Club of St. Thomas College of Teacher Education Pala conducted an All Kerala Malayalam Elocution competition for L.P and U.P. School Students. It was held on 4th February 2023. 172 students from different parts of Kerala participated. All Kerala Short Story Competition for teacher trainees was held on 5.10.2019. a youth empowerment programme was held on 9.3.2021. besides a promo video competition was held on 17.10.21.



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**Winners in All Kerala
Elocution competition**



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4. Support to curriculum delivery

The alumni supports the institution's programmes, especially in curriculum delivery such as resource talks and teaching aids. A workshop on the preparation of teaching aids on 29.10.22.

5. Student mentoring

The alumni provides guidance and mentoring to students through various activities. For example, the alumni provided mementoes for the winners of NET/SET/KTET,/TET during the 2021-23 academic year.

6. Financial contribution

The alumni significantly contribute to the college through financial assistance. They are in the form of constructing houses for poor students and purchasing library book and coffee machine. Financial assistance were given for the construction of houses for two students of the academic year of 2020-22. (Vinesha Vijayan, Ambili Mani and Varghese).

The amount spent on various heads is as follows:

House construction: ₹ 237000

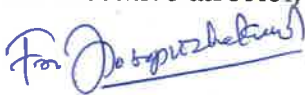
Purchase coffee machine: ₹19500

Library Books: ₹38500

Elocution competition prizes distributed: ₹4753

7. Placement advice and support

Several alumni members currently hold leadership positions in several institutions and prioritise recruiting people from this college. Brilliant Study Centre Mutholy Pala consistently offers job opportunities to its students every year, headed by the executive director, Mr. Stephen (B.Ed. 1983-84 cohort).



Fr. Jose Puzhakara

President



Dr. Alex George

Secretary




Dr. Sr. Beenamma Mathew

Principal (Treasurer)

11.03.2023

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