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HON'BLE CHIEF MINISTER OF TAMIL NADU INAUGURATED THE CT SCAN FACILITY



Hon'ble Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu, Thiru. Edappadi K. Palaniswami inaugurated the Computed Tomography (CT) scan facilities established in two places at the Department of Veterinary Surgery and Radiology, MVC, Chennai and at Veterinary Clinical Complex, VC&RI, Namakkal through Video conferencing on 19.02.2019. The CT scan facilities were established with the support of Government of Tamil Nadu under the funding assistance of TANUVAS and NABARD.

HON'BLE CHIEF MINISTER OF TAMIL NADU INAUGURATED BIO-SAFETY LEVEL-3 (BSL-3) LABORATORY WITH SMALL ANIMAL EXPERIMENTATION FACILITY



A Bio-safety level-3 (BSL-3) Laboratory with Small Animal Experimentation Facility, 'first-of-its-kind' facility in a State University in India has been established at TANUVAS through funding from Tamil Nadu Innovation Initiatives (TANII) to the tune of Rs.12.75 crores. Thiru.

Edappadi K.Palaniswami, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu inaugurated the facility on 04.03.2019.



The facility empowers the state of Tamil Nadu to undertake diagnostic services, research and regulatory quality assurance services for BSL-3 viral and bacterial pathogens.

VISIT OF FACULTY MEMBERS FROM UNIVERSITY OF JAFFNA, SRI LANKA



A faculty team comprising 14 members of animal science and agriculture from University of Jaffna, Sri Lanka visited various units viz., veterinary clinical complex, dairy plant, pet food plant, poultry farm and livestock farm complexes and AFAQAL of VC&RI, Namakkal as a part of their Academic Collaboration Programme with Annamalai University, Chidambaram on 03.04.2019 and 04.04.2019. Dr.B.Mohan, Dean and faculty of VC&RI, Namakkal interacted with the delegates.

VISIT OF CLIMATE CHANGE DELEGATES FROM UNITED ARAB EMIRATES (UAE)



A delegation comprising Dr. Ahmed Zahran and Ms. Sumaia Alrais, Ministry of Climate Change and Environment, Government of UAE and Mrs. Simi Unni Krishnan, representative of APEDA visited VC&RI, Namakkal on 13.04.2019. In the interactive session, Dr. B. Mohan, Dean, VC&RI, Namakkal welcomed the

delegates and explained about the various activities. Dr. K. Kumanan, Professor and Head cum Government of India nominee for 'Compartmentalisation of Poultry Establishments' appraised about the diagnostic facilities available at TANUVAS and explained the protocol followed during the compartmentalisation process. Dr.V.P.Ponnuvel, RJD(AH), Namakkal, officials of the Animal Husbandry Department and poultry entrepreneurs participated.

TANUVAS FIRST INTRA UNIVERSITY STUDENTS CLINICAL CASE CONFERENCE ON COMPANION, DOMESTIC AND WILD ANIMAL PRACTICE



The Directorate of Clinics, TANUVAS and VC&RI, Orathanadu jointly organized the TANUVAS First Intra University Students Clinical Case Conference on Companion, Domestic and Wild Animal Practice at VC&RI, Orathanadu on 05.04.2019. Dr.C.Balachandran, Vice-Chancellor, TANUVAS, the Chief Guest, inaugurated the programme, released the compendium and in his address said that the conference helps to interact with other students and faculty of constituent colleges. Dr. S. Balasubramanian, Director of Clinics, TANUVAS delivered the special address and Dr.T.Sivakumar, Dean, VC&RI, Orathanadu felicitated. In the valedictory function, Dr.S.Balasubramanian, Director of Clinics, TANUVAS distributed the prizes to the students who have excelled in presentations. A total of 67 final year UG students from MVC and VC&RIs at Namakkal, Orathanadu and Tirunelveli presented the clinical cases. The Director of Clinics Best College Rolling Trophy was jointly won by MVC and VC&RI, Orathanadu.



VICE-CHANCELLOR PARTICIPATION

THIRTY SECOND CONVOCAATION OF IGNOU



The 32nd Convocation of IGNOU was held on 03.04.2019 at IGNOU Headquarters, New Delhi and simultaneously at all IGNOU Regional Centres across the country. The Convocation for IGNOU Chennai Regional Centre was held at World University Service Centre, Chennai. Dr.C.Balachandran, Vice-Chancellor, TANUVAS participated as Chief Guest and while delivering the convocation address stressed that there should be a threefold increase in institutions of higher education in our country to provide opportunity for every aspiring student.

CONTINUOUS EDUCATION PROGRAMME BY LARGE ANIMAL VETERINARIANS ASSOCIATION

Dr.C.Balachandran, Vice-Chancellor, TANUVAS participated as Chief Guest and inaugurated the "Fourth Continuous Education Programme on Principles of Tropical Veterinary Health Care - Information to be incorporated in our Practice" organized by the Large Animal Veterinarians Association - Tamil Nadu at Puducherry on 06.04.2019.

BRAINSTORMING SESSION

Dr.C.Balachandran, Vice-Chancellor, TANUVAS participated in the ICAR Brainstorming session for inclusion of new programmes in Dean's Committees / BSMA reports held at NASC Complex, New Delhi on 15.04.2019.

COLLEGE DAY, HOSTEL DAY AND ANNUAL SPORTS DAY CELEBRATIONS

VC&RI, Tirunelveli: The College Day and Hostel Day was celebrated on 24.04.2019. Dr.C.Balachandran, Vice-Chancellor, TANUVAS presided over the function, delivered the presidential address and distributed

prizes to the students. Dr. R. Raghavi received Dr. V. Gnanaprakasam award, Browni Vasuji Memorial Award and the best clinical case presentation award in Veterinary Surgery and Radiology, Dr. M.P. Kaviya



received the Bow and Bann Technology Solutions Pvt. Ltd. Award, Dr.S.Thirukkumar received best clinical case presentation award in Veterinary Medicine and Dr. P. Sandhiya received best clinical case presentation award in Veterinary Gynaecology and Obstetrics. Dr.J.Johnson Rajeswar, Dean (i/c), VC&RI, Tirunelveli presented the College Annual Report and Dr.S.Paramasivan, Warden presented the Hostel Annual Report. Earlier, Dr. S.C. Edwin, Vice-President, Students Association, welcomed the gathering and Selvan V. Ravikumar, V year B.V.Sc. & AH representative proposed the vote of thanks. Various cultural programmes were performed by the students.

The Annual Sports Day was celebrated on 23.04.2019. Dr.P.Tensingh Gnanaraj, Registrar, TANUVAS declared open the Sports Meet, distributed



prizes to the winners and delivered special address. Dr. J. Johnson Rajeswar, Dean (i/c), VC&RI, Tirunelveli presided over the function and delivered the presidential address. The individual championship was



won by Selvan J. Jedidiya Gabriel and Selvi C. Srividya of IV year B.V.Sc. & A.H. The best sportsman of the outgoing year was received by Selvan. E. Pradeep of V Year B.V.Sc. & A.H. Dr. K. Shanthi, Director of Physical Education presented the annual report.

CPPM, Hosur: The College Annual Day, Hostel Day and Sports Day was celebrated on 10.04.2019.



Dr.C.Balachandran, Vice-Chancellor, TANUVAS presided over the programme as Chief Guest, released the College Annual Magazine, distributed prizes to the academic toppers of the respective years, profit share and certificate of appreciation to the students who completed the experiential learning programme, certificates and prizes to the winners of various cultural and sports events and delivered the Annual Day address. Dr.K.Mani, Dean, CPPM, Hosur presented the College Annual report. Dr.P.Shamsudeen, Professor and Hostel Warden presented the hostel report. Dr.D.Ilaya Bharathi, Assistant Professor presented the sports report. Earlier, Dr.G.Raj Manohar, Associate Professor and Student's Vice-President welcomed the gathering. Selvan A. Murugesan, Final year B. Tech (PPT) student's representative proposed the vote of thanks.

WORKSHOP ON ORAL REHYDRATION AND INTRAVENOUS FLUID THERAPY IN LARGE ANIMAL PRACTICE

VC&RI, Namakkal has organized a one day workshop on "Oral rehydration and intravenous fluid therapy in large animal practice" for the practicing veterinarians on 12.04.2019. A total of 50 practicing veterinarians participated. Dr.B.Mohan, Dean, VC&RI, Namakkal presided over the inaugural session and

delivered the presidential address, Dr.R.Ezakial Napoleon, Professor and Head, Department of Veterinary Clinical Complex felicitated.

TRAINING PROGRAMME

- ▲ VUTRC, Cuddalore conducted a training programme on "Preparation of value added milk and milk products" on 25.04.2019. Thiru. Annadurai, JD(Agri.), Cuddalore distributed certificates to participants. A total of 30 farmers participated.
- ▲ VUTRC, Karur conducted a two days training on "Diseases affecting native chicken and strategies to improve the hatchability in desi fowls" on 25.04.2019 and 26.04.2019. A total of 25 participants attended.

CAREER GUIDANCE PROGRAMME

VUTRC, Karur in collaboration with the Association of Rural Education and Development Service (AREDS), Karur organized a 'Career Guidance Programme' for the students and parents at Veerarakkiyam, Karur District on 30.04.2019. A total of 50 members participated.

HEALTH SCREENING CAMP



A Health Screening Camp was organized at the MVC Hostel as a part of Students' welfare measures under ICAR Development Grant (2018-19) at the Indoor Stadium of the MVC Hostel on 23.04.2019 and 24.04.2019. Dr.C.Balachandran, Vice-Chancellor, TANUVAS inaugurated the programme. Dr.J.John Kirubaharan, Dean, MVC was present. Blood samples from a total of 245 male and 212 female students were collected and screened.



AWARENESS PROGRAMME ON BIO-MEDICAL WASTE MANAGEMENT

An awareness programme on “Bio-medical Waste Management” was conducted at VC&RI, Namakkal on 10.04.2019. Er.N.Gunasekaran, Assistant Engineer, Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board, Namakkal delivered the lecture. The faculties, laboratory technicians, animal attendants, casual labourers, sanitary workers and IV & V B.V.Sc. & AH students participated.

PHARMACEUTICAL MEET CONDUCTED AT VC&RI, ORATHANADU



The Department of Veterinary Pharmacology and Toxicology, VC&RI, Orathanadu organized the Pharmaceutical Meet-2019 for the fourth & final year B.V.Sc. & A.H students (2014-15 and 2015-16 batch) on 03.04.2019. Dr.T.Sivakumar, Dean, VC&RI, Orathanadu delivered the inaugural address and distributed certificates to the students who won in the quiz competitions and honoured the participating pharmaceutical companies. Selvi M. Thamaraiselvi, final B.V.Sc. & A.H (2014-15 batch) student received highest grade point average award in the subject of Veterinary Pharmacology and Toxicology. Executives from 12 pharmaceutical firms participated and explained about their veterinary pharmaceutical products through audio visual aids, displayed drug samples and interacted with the students.

ALEMBIC'S AWARD PRESENTATION PROGRAMME FOR UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS

The Alembic X-ceft and M-ceft Merit awards were sponsored by Alembic's Veterinary Division, Mumbai for the 1st and 2nd topper of the outgoing B.V.Sc. & A.H. students. The Alembic X-ceft and M-ceft Merit Awards presentation programme was organised on 15.04.2019 for the academic year 2016-17 and 2017-18. Dr.B.Mohan, Dean, VC&RI, Namakkal

presided over the function. Thiru. P.Karunanithi, Vice-President, Alembic's Veterinary Division, Mumbai delivered a special address during the occasion.



The cash awards of Rs.10,000/- and Rs.7500/- for the 1st topper and 2nd topper were presented respectively. Dr.T.Kavin (1st topper) and Dr. N. Saranya (2nd topper) received the awards for the year 2016-17. Dr.T.Hemalatha (1st topper) and Dr.S.Vijaya Kumar (2nd topper) received the awards for the year 2017-18. Dr.P.Selvaraj, Professor and Head, Education Cell welcomed the gathering.

YOUNG VOTERS AWARENESS PROGRAMME

An awareness programme on “My vote My right” to the young voters was jointly organized by the NSS Unit, VC&RI, Tirunelveli, Rotary Club (Suburb), Tirunelveli and District administration on 08.04.2019. Dr.N.O.Suhoputhra, I.A.S., Assistant Collector, Tirunelveli district participated and motivated the students to use their voting rights. Dr.J.Johnson Rajeswar, Dean i/c, VC&RI, Tirunelveli, Dr.S.C. Edwin, Vice-President, Students Association, Thiru G. Vadivel, President and Thiru L. Jailani, Secretary, Rotary Club, Tirunelveli and the students attended.

OPEN DAY PROGRAMME AT VC&RI, ORATHANADU

An Open Day programme was organized at VC&RI Orathanadu to create awareness about the Veterinary and Food Technology courses offered by TANUVAS to 12th students and parents belonging to Cauvery Delta region on 30.04.2019. Dr.T.Sivakumar, Dean, VC&RI, Orathanadu inaugurated the programme and delivered inaugural address. Dr.S.Eswari, Professor and Head, Education Cell explained about the admission and online application details of the degree programmes. Dr. A. Kumaravel, Professor and Head, Department of Veterinary Anatomy narrated



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about the career prospects for veterinary, dairy, food and poultry technology degree courses. A total of 165 students and parents belonging to Thanjavur, Tiruvarur, Pudukottai, Nagapattinam, Trichy, Cuddalore and Ariyalur districts attended.

WORLD VETERINARY DAY CELEBRATIONS 2019

The World Veterinary Day was celebrated by organizing a veterinary infertility and health camp at Bandikavanoor and Nallankavanoor villages of Thiruvallur District on 27.04.2019. A total of 163 animals were treated. NSS volunteers of MVC participated.

IMPORTANT UNIVERSITY MEETINGS

AICRP Review Meeting : 13.04.2019
37th Board of Studies Meeting : 26.04.2019

SUPERANNUATION

Thiru. P. Dhamodharan, Administrative Officer, Directorate of Extension Education, TANUVAS retired on 30.04.2019. Born on 01.05.1961, he had put in a total service of 33 years and 01 month.



Thiru. S. Thangapandi, Superintendent, Office of the Dean, VC&RI, Tirunelveli retired on 30.04.2019. Born on 06.04.1961, he had put in a total service of 25 years and 01 month.



Thiru. R. Kesavan, Draughting Officer (Grade II), Estate Office, TANUVAS retired on 30.04.2019. Born on 06.04.1961, he had put in a total service of 26 years and 03 months.



Tmt. K.M. Kasthuri, Typist Grade-I, Registrar Office, TANUVAS retired on 30.04.2019. Born on 13.04.1961, she had put in a total service of 26 years and 09 months.



Thiru. M. Ranganathan, Attender (S.G.) Department of Veterinary Surgery and Radiology, MVC retired on 30.04.2019. Born on 16.04.1961, he had put in a total service of 24 years and 01 month.



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