







PRATHIBHA'18

- Intra Collegiate Cultural Fest



INTRODUCTION

The St.Francis de Sales college has a long history of supporting cultural growth both inside and outside the classroom. In order to identify the hidden talents among the students the College conducts the cultural programs for overall development of its students in dance, music and fine arts. In the beginning of every year the students are encouraged to perform on stage, to participate in various events and competitions, both intra and inter college. The institution can proudly claim to provide its support to the long standing commitment towards education and extra curricular activities

PRATHIBHA

Prathibha is an intra-collegiate cultural competition in which students showcase various talents onstage and offstage. Our college presented an astonishing play 'PRATHIBHA' in the year 2018. The event was diligently organised. There was a soul to it. A soul that was vibrant, contagious and exuberant. The leading actor and a vibrant director Mr.Rishab Shetty and Mr. Pramod Shetty inaugurated the grand event and appreciated by mass audience. College Cultural Events are the most happening events in the city. The whole College is divided into four groups namely:

ASTROS - a heavenly body, stars outside the earth's atmosphere

BIOGENS - a hypothetical ultimate living unit of which cells are built

MARINES - a thing or being related to the sea, existing in or produced by the sea

TERRESTRIANS - the latin word terra have something to do with the earth or land

PRATHIBHA COMMITTEE:

- 1. Prof. Annie Christila
- 2. Prof. Sampath Kumar
- 3. Prof. Geeta Menon
- 4. Prof. Sandhya
- 5. Prof. Arul Peter
- 6. Prof. Uma Maheshwari

The dais is set with the distinguished guests and the auditorium is decorated with various students dressed in their ethnic best, it set the mood for the celebrations. The tone of decorations was very festive as you entered. The dignitaries were welcomed by presenting blossoming bouquets of flowers to them, one to one. Started the day with the blessings of God with a Prayer Song by our College Choir followed by our College Anthem.

Chief Guest of the day was invited on stage to inaugurate the event Prathibha'18 and delivered his fulfilled speech. He encouraged the students with his warm and motivating words. He also expressed that it is his dream to see events like this take place more often, at the campus. He told the students that he would like these cultural exchanges to become a regular feature at the campus of St. Francis de Sales College. And thereby, have us come closer to them and them to us.

Prathiba - the annual cultural fest, the most awaited program by the students of St. Francis de Sales College kick started by Solo Choreography. The three days cultural fest caters to almost 21 events. Since its bricks were laid, its an integral part of our college, which carries various on stage and off stage events like Choreography, Group Song, Fashion Show, MIME, Flower Arrangement, Cooking without fire and many more. These cultural festivals always hold a special appeal to the students by inspiring the creativity, talents and team spirit among the peer group. Each round of all the events was designed by us, which witnessed the students pushing themselves to their higher potentials.

CONCLUSION

And this way, a beautiful event reached its logical conclusion. The three days of fun came to an end with a valedictory function. Fr. Dr. Jabamalai, the Chief Guest of the valedictory presided over the function, in which he mentioned "We want to take Prathibha'18 to a level where it would be a brand among all colleges in Bangalore. We have constantly strived over the years to include diverse events so that students can enthusiastically participate and make it a grand success." The show concluded on a high note on St. Francis de Sales College celebrates intra & inter collegiate fests, offering a spectrum of excitement and an opportunity to bring out the best talent in various domains. This is to keep with the tradition of nurturing young talents into an all-round personality and enriching their potentials for the finer things in life. The festivals encompass myriad domain related events, and are skilfully customised for the students to challenge the 'intellect' and "aesthetics" of the participants. Valedictory was concluded with the prize distribution ceremony in which students with excellent performance in various cultural events were felicitated followed by the Anthem and the group dispersed.



