Inspiring the Future Heros: A Mission Accomplished

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In a heartfelt pursuit, a group of dedicated seniors from Bangalore, orchestrated an impactful event aimed at guiding high school students towards successful careers, while nurturing scientific aspirations at the same time. The dream became reality with **Dr. Veeramuthvel**, the celebrated Project Director of Chandrayaan-3 and **Mr. Leo Jackson**, the Deputy Project Director, Gaganyaan Project, readily accepting the invitation to address the young minds.



KRISHNAMURTHY, VEERAMUTHUVEL, BHOJRAJ, LEO JACKSON, NAGULAN JOGHEE AND GEETHA

The Lion's Club, under the able guidance of Lion, **Mr. Krishnamurthy,** Project Chairman, demonstrating remarkable commitment, shouldered the responsibility of organizing and managing logistics, executing the plan with

exceptional enthusiasm. The meet unfolded seamlessly, leaving no room for exaggeration in declaring it exceptionally well-organized.

The Event aptly started with lighting the Devine Lamp by all the dignitaries in the Dias followed by Invocation song by the students.





THE ORGANIZING TEAM IN JSS COLLEGE OF PHARMACY

Mr. Terrence Rajesh, Project Co-chairman welcomed all the invitees and requested the Lion's District Governor **Mr. Jayasekaran** and **Ms R Geetha**, the CEO, Niligiris to address the gathering.

The Chief Education Officer, Nilgiris, in her address expressed immense satisfaction for arranging the Students from 31 High Schools to attend and gain the advantage of the presence of Experts in the field of Science and Technology, Healthcare and Mentorship.

Dr. Bhojrajaj, kick-started the days event, by pin-pointing the purpose of the program. He also made clear the team's plan to monitor the interested students, for the next 5 years for their performance. It is to ensure that they get proper guidance to become significant contributors in the future. He presented the profile of Mr. Veeramuthuvel in such a way that the students felt the significance of the day's program and presentations

Mr. Veeramuthuvel unfolded the mysteries of Chandrayaan-3's launch, emphasizing the significance of Vikram's landing on the moon the Rover's exploration near Southport. Excitement peaked as he outlined Chandravaan-4. unveiling promising future. He also plaved comprehensive video on the making and launching of Chamdrayan-3 at the best of its optimum cost when compared to similar projects around the world.

Taking the dream even higher, Mr. Leo Jockson, Deputy Project Director for the Gaganyaan program, crisply explained plans to send astronauts into the sky, an electrifying moment that resonated with the students. Dr. Bhojraj presented a brief of Mr. Leo's profile along with the fact that he is a proud son of

Nilgiris.

Shifting gears towards holistic development, Dr. Bhojraj, a retired ISRO Scientist and seasoned Acupressure practitioner, shared preventive healthcare techniques. He not only demonstrated but also distributed a book authored by him to all schools, fostering a commitment to future well-being, improved eye sight and hearing.



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The journey of the students, from institute to industry, came alive through an elucidating presentation by me, as a Management consultant and Mentor. The Real-time examples presented as example, motivated the students to conduct personal SWOT analyses formed a solid foundation for students to transform weaknesses into strengths and threats into opportunities.

The package offered to the students was truly wholesome, evident in the confidence and hope brimming on their faces. In the end, all participants expressed great satisfaction, recognizing the accomplishment of a mission that goes beyond the event, an investment in the promising future of these students.

The Event, eventually ended with a sumptuous lunch, arranged by the Lion's Club, to all the invitees and students.



The exercise to fine tuning the students for a better future ended with a happy note. All the students were asked to give the feedback sheet to the Organizers. Based on their interest and talents the Education Team in Bangalore will interact with their teachers and guide the students for next few years till they reach graduation in any field. The Committee's main aim is to make these 300 students make them do Post Graduation and put at least 10 percent of them in Space Research.

It was a nice trip all through and the relaxed travel back to Bangalore, after an exciting day was brimming on the faces of all.



COFFEE WITH MUTHUVEL IN PUGMARK RESTURANT WHILE RETURNING TO BANGALORE ON THE SAME DAY

" All is well that ends well".