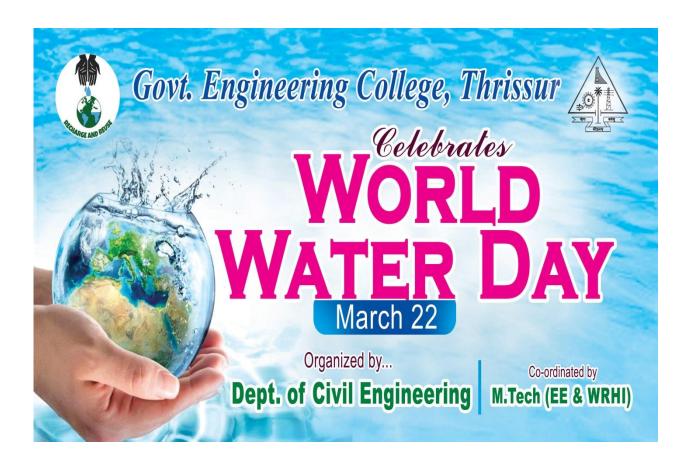
WORLD WATER DAY

March 22nd 2019

Department of Civil Engineering

GEC Thrissur



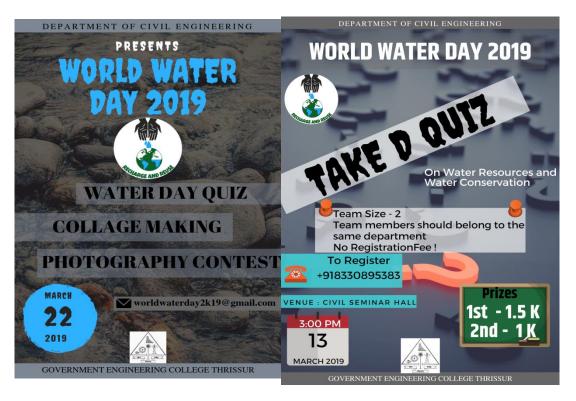
REPORT

The Department of Civil Engineering arranged a programme on March 22nd 2019, in accordance with the World Water Day Programme, for UG and PG students. As part of this programmequiz, collage making and photography contests with theme as water were conducted before the water day. The prize distribution of all competitions wasarranged on 22nd March 2019. The first and second prizes for quiz competition were Rs. 1500 and Rs. 1000 respectively. The first prize Rs. 2000 for photography contest was shared by two contestants and first prize for collage making was Rs. 1500.





One week before the function, notice was given to all the departments of GEC and also posters regarding the safety of water and various competitions were hanged on every corner in GEC.







On the water day, the programme was started with an experted talk on "water, water, every where....." at the seminar hall of mechanical department, GECT. The talk was conducted for PG students under Visiting Faculty Program at 11 a.m. All the faculties of Civil Engineering Department were present during this session. The chief guest was one of the eminent personality Smt. C. S. Meenakshi, Executive Engineer (retd.), Kerala Irrigation Department. The welcome speech was delivered by Dr. Noushaja P. T., Professor of Civil Engineering.

Smt. Meenakshidelivered an informative and enlightening talk about the recent flood which occurred in August 2018. She pointed out the major hazards and losses which occurred during the flood in each district of Kerala. She also stressed about the landslides occurred in Idukki, Wayanad, and Kozhikode districts during flood. She explained the two possible root causes of flood such dams and excessive rainfall. Finally she concluded that there is still controversies regarding the actual cause of flood. After the talk, there was an interactive session during which PG students Jobin Jose, and Athira and Prof. Reeba Thomas were raised some questions and the chief gust cleared all the doubts during that session. The programme extended till 12.30 pm and concluded with vote of thanks by the first year PG student Athira.







After the valuable talk, the entire college was gathered at Central Courtyard for the Awareness Programme around 4 PM.









As a part of gathering students, cultural programme was conducted by the PG students. The cultural event composed of dance performances, poem and a group song. It was a graceful performance, which was ended by a theme dance which give a message about the importance of water for the entire living being.















After that, Dr. C. V. Lal, Head of Civil Department, invited all the students and faculties to the awareness programme.



The Programme was inaugurated by the Principal Dr. Sheeba. Then a talk was delivered by Prof. Reeba Thomas about the importance of water.



After the talk, the prizes for various competitions were distributed by Dr. C. V. Lal, Head of Civil Department.



Finally, an oath was taken by the entire students and the faculties presented in the ceremony. The oath was delivered by Dr. C. V. Lal.



