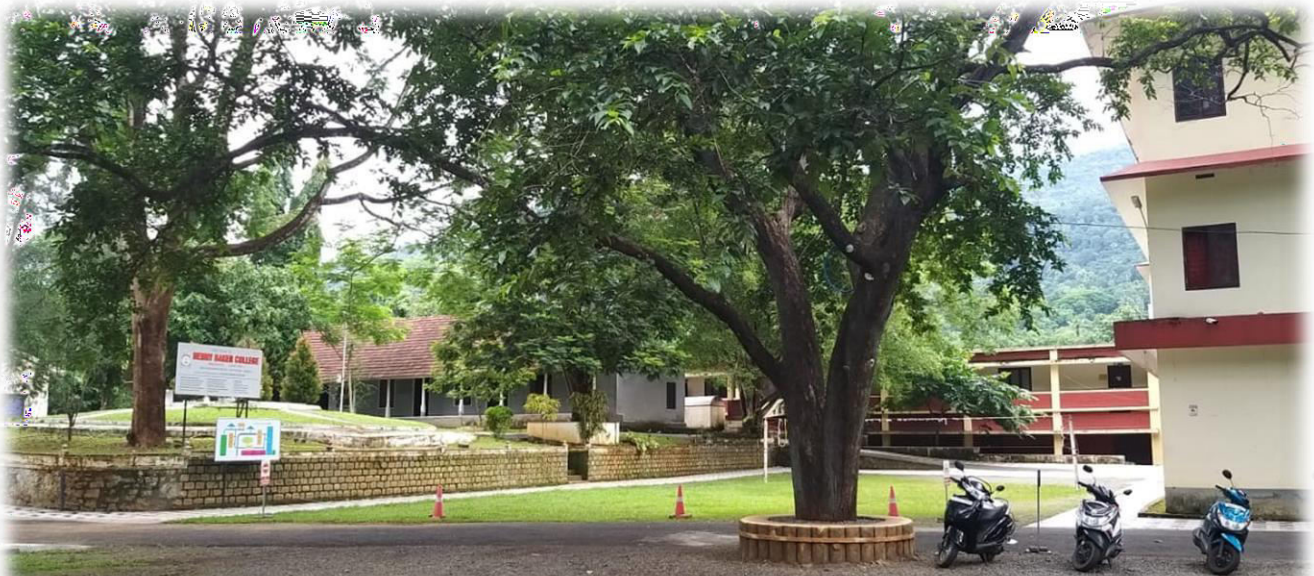


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Criterion VII: Institutional Values and Best Practices

7.1.6 Quality Audits on environment and energy are regularly undertaken by the institution



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Beyond the Campus Environmental Promotional Activities

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Ini Njan Ozhukatte [Let Me Flow Again]: Cleansing Tributary Rivulet of the Meenachil River

As part of the NSS Camp 2019, the NSS Unit of the college in association with Haritha Keralam Mission and Melukavu Grama Panchayat organized the Meenachil River Cleaning Programme. The activity was inaugurated by Smt. Nisha Joseph (President, Melukavu Grama Panchayath). The NSS volunteers, panchayat members, panchayath staff, and Kudumbasree unit members joined the group. About 6kilometers of the tributary rivulet of the Meenachil River were cleaned by the group.





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26-7-2015 NSS

Pathumaram Padhathi [Ten Plants per Household]

Number of trees planted- 3000

In collaboration with MelukavuGramapanchayath, the NSS Unit of the college planted 3000 saplings in Ward 10 on 26/07/2015. Ten saplings each were planed around 300 households. The programme helped to create awareness among the people about the need to protect the environment and the role of trees in creating a healthy atmosphere.





Cleanliness drive at adopted village on 2/10/2015

As part of the Gandhi Jayanthi celebrations, the NSS volunteers of the college cleaned roads of the Ward No 10 of Melukavu Grama Panchayat. This programme was also part of the Swachh Bharat Abhiyan. Pala- Melukavu road and other byroads of the ward were cleaned by the NSS volunteers. 60 NSS Volunteers participated in the programme and 250 people benefited.



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Mass Tree plantation programme at Edamaruku 17-10-2015

As an outreach programme, the NSS Unit of the college carried over the slogan “Trees for Healthy Environment” to the nearby village of Edamaruku. On 17 October the NSS volunteers planted around 300 saplings in Edamaruku. The Panchayat Member and the people offered wholehearted support to this noble gesture of preserving a healthy environment.



Organic Farming -JaivaNannaInauguration 23-8-2016

The positive result of the organic farming done during the previous year inspired the NSS volunteers to continue this practice on a larger scale. For this 'Jaivananna', a programme that included practical organic farming along with the spreading of the message of positive aspects of organic farming was devised. The programme was formally inaugurated along with the active participation of the people of the locality on 23 August



25-1-2018 Nature Club

Into the Wild: Intercollegiate Nature Photography Contest

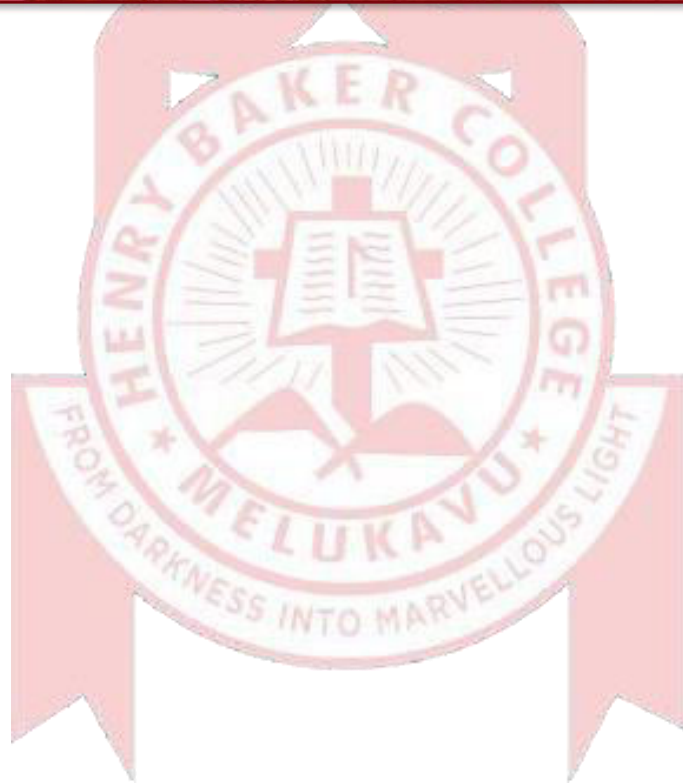
The club organised an intercollegiate nature photography contest on January 25, 2018. Twenty participants from various colleges participated in the contest. The theme of the contest was 'seasonal change as seen in leaves. Abhijith Biju, St. George's College, Aruvithura won the first prize (Rs. 5000); Abhishek S. T., St. Joseph's College,

Changancherry won the second prize (Rs. 3000); and Geo Thomas, St. Joseph's College, Moolamattom won the third prize (Rs. 2000). Mr. Aby Abraham, research scholar in the department of English and Comparative Literature, CUK, Prof. Akhlnath K. S., Assistant Professor of Media Studies, SIAS, Malappuram, and Prof. Korah Jacob, Associate Professor of Economics, HBC Melukavu were the judging panel.



Mazhakkalapoorna Cleaning Programme 11 May 2019

Melukavu Gramapanchayath and Henry Baker College, NSS unit jointly organized a pre-monsoon cleaning programme on 11th May 2018. NSS programme officers participated in the venture.



REPORT ON INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE CONDUCTED AND “HBC CLOUD”

HBC CLOUD

Henry Baker College launched a widespread Tree Plantation Programme on the occasion of the One-day international conference on “*Celebration on Education and Cultural Diversity*”. This aims to the students and teachers selected the empty places and the roadsides to plant saplings in a well-organised way. The plantlets were collected by the students from various sources at free of cost. In order to restore the eco-balance of the afforestation drive was taken with all seriousness. Here the participants were highly enthusiastic to make it a big success in the community. The students planted saplings, and fenced them and watered the plants. The theme of HBC CLOUD is to generate eco-friendly living habit among new generation. The programme formed an excessive stir among the school students, college students, parents and general public too. At the end of the international conference all the delegates from 7 countries planted a tree in the campus. The second HBC CLOUD event happened at CMS HSS Melukavu. The college Principal Dr. G.S Girishkumar were served the saplings to the Smt. Shimi Sisi Paul, principal of CMS.HSS Melukavu.

TITLE: One day international conference on “*Celebration on Education and Cultural Diversity*” and launching of “*HBC CLOUD*”

DATE: 16 October 2019, Wednesday

PREAMBLE: One day international conference titled “*Celebration on Education and Cultural Diversity*” conducted on 16th October 2019, at Henry Baker College, Melukavu, in association with University Centre for International Co-operation (UCIC), M G University, Kottayam. It was a platform for students across the globe to interact with HBCians, for

sharing their cultural insights and educational advances as well as competing to prove their might.

PARTICIPANT'S PROFILE: A total of 75 students were participated. 7 international students from (UCIC), M G University, Kottayam also participated as chief guests in this international conference.

International students from UCIC

1. NeedupDorji Bhutan
2. Mr. Opoku Pierre Ivory Coast
3. HadsonSitembo Zambia
4. Stanley Murugu Kenya
5. DortgulyMeredov Turkmenistan
6. Akah Lawrence Nigeria
7. Maliha Hiswan Afghanistan

Prof Ansa Andrews, Department of English, welcomed all to the conference. On the inaugural function, seven global students from UCIC participated as chief guests. In their chief guests address, they emphasized the role of UCIC to explore the ways and means that shall facilitate collaborative teaching with reputed institutions from abroad. They also presented individual power point presentation about their native land. Dr. G S Gireesh Kumar, principal, Henry Baker College, Melukavu, presided over the function. In his presidential address he spoke about the programmes conducted by HBC in collaboration with UCIC such as it helps in giving the students a global outlook, making them aware of their culture in lieu with others and imbedding in them a spirit of righteous competition.

In the beginning of the interactive session, HBC students from Department of commerce and computer application presented a documentary on verdant green landscapes of Kerala.

Mr. NeedupDorji from Bhutan has participated and spoke on the topic "*Education and Cultural Diversity*". In his speech, he emphasized the cultural diversity of Bhutan.

Mr. Opoku Pierre from Ivory Coast spoke on the topic “My Experience in Cote D’Ivoire”.

Mr. Hadson Sitembo from Zambia spoke on the topic “*Culture and Customs of Zambia*”.

Mr. Stanley Murugu, from Kenya spoke on the topic “*Culture and Education in the Republic of Kenya*”.

Mr. Dortguly Meredov from Turkmenistan spoke on the topic “*Turkmenistan: Society and Culture*”.

Mr. Akah Lawrence from Nigeria spoke on the topic “*Power, culture and Modernity in Nigeria: Beyond the Colony*”.

Mis. Maliha from Afghanistan spoke on the topic “*Education in Afghanistan: Developments, Influences and Legacies*”.

After this interactive session, there were cultural programmes conducted by HBC students. It was an awesome experience for the participants to attract the inner aesthetics of traditional arts.

After this session, for the noble mission of making our nature green and serene, and to save our future generation, HBC inaugurated the upcoming project on tree plantation drive named HBC CLOUD by planting trees in the college compound. This drive aims to raise awareness to the society in the importance of planting and saving trees, express our concern to the environment, and to diminish the unfavourable effects of climate change.

OUTCOME: Henry Baker College is situated in a rural setting, with a lot of geographical disadvantages. Hence this programme enabled our students to interact with a team of research scholars/students, hailing from different countries and gave more exposure by understanding different cultural conditions and educational systems prevailing in their countries. Through this HBC students got a precious opportunity to understand and appreciate values/ethos, quality of higher education and research, educational practices and system, and encouraging opportunities in learning, research and employment.



<p>PROGRAMME Wednesday, 16 October, 2019 Venue: BISHOP MICHAEL MEMORIAL HALL, HENRY BAKER COLLEGE, MELUKAVU</p>			<p>HBC CLOUD: IT WILL HELP US TO FOCUS ON URBAN GREENARY. The Tree Planting Activity aims to raise awareness to the society in the importance of planting and saving trees, express our concern to the environment, and diminish the unfavorable effects of climate change</p> 
<p>INAGUARAL CEREMONY 1.30 PM</p>	<p>INTERCULTURAL LEARNING PRESENTATION ON FOREIGN LEARNING SYSTEMS 2.00 PM</p>	<p>MAKE IT SOCIAL INTERACTIVE SECTION 3.00 PM</p>	
<p>CELEBRATING DIVERSITY CULTURAL PROGRAMMES 3.30 PM</p>			
<p>CAMPUS WALK & LAUNCHING HBC CLOUD TREE PLANTATION DRIVE 4.00 PM</p>			
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