

HENRY BAKER COLLEGE, MELUKAVU

GIRLS HOSTEL

Annual Report 2017-18

Our residence Hall has always been playing a significant role in the education of women students from distant places. The hall provides them an opportunity to stay near to the college and avail themselves quality education.

Hostel Governance

A committee assures the proper management of the Hostel facilities. The committee for the year 2017-18 included of the college principal Dr. G. S. GireeshKumar, Staff Warden Ms. Ashly Mereena Mathew, Warden Ms. Susamma M. S., Secretary Ms. Vasundhara, and teachers representing various departments: Dr. Jincy Devasya, Dr. Nisha Joseph, and Prof. Dona Mathew.

Admission

Usually, girl students from faraway places are admitted in the hostel on request. Application form is available in the college office. After examining all forms received, admission is granted to deserving students. A sum of 17 new students were given admission in 2017-18.

Student Scholarships

We ensure that all deserving students receive scholarships. ABLC is the major scholarship available for inmates. Students belonging to SC/ST/OEC received an amount of 3500 in addition to the pocket money of 190 rupees. Total 24 students received this scholarship.

Parents' Meeting

Parents' meetings are arranged at least twice in every academic year. We had the meeting on 20/7/2017 and 11/12/2017. Parents shared their views and remarks on the functioning of the college hostel. We value each and every suggestion.

Food Committee

The Warden, main chef, student Secretary and representatives from various Department constitute the food committee. The committee takes care of the duties like to prepare menu and makes changes when the situation demands.

Warden: Ms. Susamma M. S.

Secretary: Ms.Vasundhara, II M. A. History

Members: Elizabeth Mathew (commerce), Mark Ebeena (physics), Princy Mathew (English)

Celebrations and Cultural Activities

The Hostel committee organised Onam and Christmas celebrations. Inmates staged various cultural events and had traditional *Onasadya* on 30/8/2017 as part of Onam celebrations. They celebrated Christmas with carols, dances, crib, tree and cakes on



17/12/2017 in the hostel.

Gardening and vegetable farming

The Hostel has a well-maintained garden and vegetable farm. During leisure time, the inmates get engaged in gardening and vegetable farming.

I would like to express my gratitude for the management, principal, teachers, non-teaching staff, hostel warden, hostel staff, parents and students for the smooth functioning of the hostel.
