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Reading Club

ACADEMIC YEAR

FROM DARKNESS INTO MARVELLOUS LIGHT

Henry Baker College, Melukavu Is a Christian, Minority, Co-Educational, Governmentaided Arts and Science College Established In 1981, affiliated to Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala.

REPORT 2019-20

Co-ordinator - Sabitha Krishna Secretary - Josna Sebastian IIBA

Readathon & Reading Club Inauguration

Inauguration of the Reading club was conducted on 19th June 2019 for the academic year 2019-20. The Day of Reading - **Readathon** - was observed by spending a full day for reading. The books for reading were selected from the Department library. They were given the opportunity to select books of their choice. Entire staff and students spent the day for reading.70 students attended the programme.

The first meeting of the Reading Club in the current academic year was conducted on 5 July, 2019. The meeting commenced with a silent prayer and Ms. Sabitha Krishnan, Teacher in charge of Reading club welcomed the gathering. She explained the vision and mission of the club and discussed future programmes of the club. One of the major events of this meeting was to present memento for the winner of Readathon competition that was held on 19th July, organized by the Department of History. The winner of the competition was Aravind Shaji from 3rd B A history and the prizes were sponsored by Dr. Nisha Jose, Assistant Professor, Dept. of History. Office bearers of the meeting were also elected on this occasion. 43 students were reported for the meeting.

The second meeting of the Reading Club in the current academic year was conducted on 18th July, 2019. The winner of Readathon competition, Aravind Shaji III BA History made a book review of *Thottiyude Makan* by *Thakazhi Sivasankara Pillai*. An analysis of an editorial published in Mathrubhumi newspaper in relation to land reform was presented by Christy Elankannan of II BA History. The session was concluded by Vidya Babu of I BA History by introducing new book launches of that week. Thirty nine students participated in this meeting.

Third meeting of Reading Club in the current academic year was conducted on 2nd August, 2019. Neenumol Thomas, III BA History student reviewed the book *Ormmayude Njaramb* by K.R.Meera. Anu Sugunan, II BA student presented the editorial of the day. The session was concluded by Annmariya Joseph of 1 BA History by introducing new book launches of that week. 27 students were present in the meeting.

Fourth meeting of the reading club in the current academic year was conducted on 17th February 2020. The meeting commenced with a welcome speech of Shemeema Thasni of I BA History. The book review was presented by Vipina N.P, I MA History. The book discussed was *Randamoozham* by M.T.Vasudevan Nair.The session was concluded by Deena Mol Johnson of I BA History by introducing new book launches of that week. Forty students participated in this meeting.



Meeting held on 5th July 2019



Meeting held on 18th July 2019











Meeting held on 2nd August 2019



Meeting held on 17th February 2020







