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Vice-Chancellor....



Dear Readers,

Staying positive and being flexible shall be the key in dealing with the current unprecedented situations. The pandemic has impacted our professional and personal life to an extent that has never been thought of in our lifetime. Being flexible also improves our ability to adapt to change and situational demands as you have been seeing several of our decisions being revised in recent times for improved productivity. Observing the guidelines in dealing with Covid situation without compromise is the only way out especially at our workplaces to tide over the current crisis. I am sure the staff and students of our University are well trained and sensitive not only in guarding themselves but also in creating awareness in the community by being good examples; the same has been discussed at our 40th University Officers meeting held on virtual mode this month.

The University is committed to progressive measures despite limitations. The Research Council and Extension Education Council meetings were held to review our functioning and set priorities for the year ahead. The outputs from these meetings are quite satisfactory and our faculty staff are making steady progress despite Covid restrictions in the last year. The Scientific Workers Conference was also held at the University involving key officials of the State Fisheries Department after a gap of five years, which focussed more on research needs of the fisheries sector in the State. The support rendered by the Commissioner of Fisheries Th. J. Jayakanthan, IAS is the major reason for the success of the conference.

At a time when we celebrated International Women's day at all our campuses, feel happy to reiterate that our University is gender-sensitive and has an efficient women force constituting a little over 33% of our faculty strength and gradually improving to reach equality like that of our girl students' strength which is almost equal to that of boys. Special programmes were conducted on the occasion of World Water Day at our campuses. The College of Fisheries Engineering on its part organized an online training on Scientific Writing, a very useful programme to benefit young researchers. Two-day training on Effective Teaching Skills was successfully organized for the young Assistant Professors of our University with the initiative of DEE utilizing ICAR Development Grants. Fisheries College and Research Institute, Thoothukudi celebrated the World Taxonomist Appreciation Day through special lectures by our former deans and fishery biologists, Dr. V.K. Venkataramani and Dr. K. Venkataramanujam. The Voters' awareness campaign organized by our students was well received and widely covered by the print media. I do urge all constituent units to plan for more online programmes to keep us well connected.

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VC Events

Training Programme on Fishing Techniques



The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor inaugurated the training programme on "Enhancing the income of the Fishermen of Pulicat through advanced long line and gill netting techniques", organized by Dr.MGR Fisheries College and Research Institute, Ponneri on 01.03.2021 at Dr.MGR FCRI, Ponneri.

University Officers Meeting

The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, TNJFU conducted the 40th University Officers meeting through virtual mode on 11.03.2021.



Visit to DIVF, Ramanathapuram

The Vice-Chancellor visited the Directorate of Incubation and Vocational Training in Fisheries, Ramanathapuram campus on 12.03.2021 and reviewed the B.Voc. programme at the Institute of Industrial Fishing Technology.



6th Meeting of Research Council

The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor chaired the 6th Meeting of the Research Council of TNJFU held at the Board Room, Tamil Nadu Dr. J. Jayalalaithaa Fisheries University, Nagapattinam on the forenoon of 17.03.2021.





6th Meeting of Extension Education Council

The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor chaired the 6th Meeting of the Extension Education Council of TNJFU held at the

Board Room, Tamil Nadu Dr. J. Jayalalaithaa Fisheries University, Nagapattinam on the afternoon of 17.03.2021. Dr.H.Phlip, former Director of Extension Education, TNAU was special invitee on this occasion.





Third Scientific Workers Conference

The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor chaired the 3rd Scientific Workers Conference held at the Board Room, Tamil Nadu

Dr. J. Jayalalaithaa Fisheries University, Nagapattinam on 18.03.2021. The Vice-Chancellor and Chairman of Scientific Workers Conference, TNJFU in his opening remarks, emphasized "Need



Analysis for Research in Fisheries Sector"also highlighted various important fisheries aspects in our State that were yet to be tapped *viz.*, Ornamental fish culture and seaweed farming. The Commissioner of Fisheries Thiru. J. Jayakanthan, IAS joined the conference through video conferencing and addressed the members. During his address he assured that the Directorate of State Fisheries Department and Tamil Nadu Dr.J.Jayalalithaa Fisheries University shall work together to solve the problems in the field.

The Officials from the State Fisheries Department Dr.S.NoorjahanBeevi, Additional Director of Fisheries/ Managing Director (TAFCOFED), Chennai Dr.R.Reenaselvi, Joint Director of Fisheries (Research), Chennai, I. Joyce Olive Rachel, Joint Director of Fisheries (Regional), Nagapattinam, Thiru. A.Elango, General Manager/Joint Director of Fisheries (TNFDC), Chennai, Thiru. E. Kathavarayan, Deputy Director of Fisheries (Regional), Cuddalore, Thiru. R.Ravichandran, Deputy Director of Fisheries (Regional), Bhavanisagar, Ms.R.Sharmila, Deputy Director of Fisheries (Regional), Trichy, Thiru.T. Elamvazhuthi, Deputy Director of Fisheries



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(Regional), Ramanathapuram, Ms.M. Prabhavathy, Deputy Director of Fisheries (Regional), Madurai participated and presented their research needs in the different aspects of fisheries in the State.

Visit to JAMS Marine College, Thisayanvilai

The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor visited the JAMS Marine College, Thisayanvilai along with the Dean, Fisheries College and Research Institute, Thoothukudi and the Dean, College of Fisheries Nautical Technology, Thoothukudi on 22.03.2021 to discuss the signing of an agreement of co-operation between the College of Fisheries Nautical Technology and JAMS Marine College in educating the students of B.Tech (Fisheries Nautical Technology).



Visit to FC&RI, Mylaudy & Parakkai CeSA

The Vice-Chancellor, Tamil Nadu Dr. J. Jayalalithaa Fisheries University visited Fisheries College and Research Institute, Mylaudy and Parakkai Centre for Sustainable Aquaculture on 23.03.2021 to decide on the course of action of the Institute.





Vice-Chancellors' Conference



T h e
Hon'ble ViceC h a n c e l l o r
attended the
Vice-Chancellors
C o n f e r e n c e
organized by the



Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR), New Delhi on 24.03.2021 through virtual mode.

Training on Scientific Writing

The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor inaugurated the online training programme on "Scientific Writing", organized bythe College of Fisheries Engineering, Nagapattinam on 24.03.2021.





Training on Effective Teaching Skills

The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor inaugurated a two daytraining programme on "Effective Teaching Skills" funded under the ICAR Development Grant for the Assistant Professors belonging to SC/ST community of all faculties of TNJFU on 26.03.2021. In the valedictory function on 27.03.2021, the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor distributed the certificates to the participants.

College News

Fisheries College and Research Institute, Thothukudi NATIONAL SCIENCE DAY:

The National Science Day was observed on 01.03.2021. On this occasion, various competitions such as Seminar Presentation on Reaching the Unreached through Science & Technology, Poster Making on



Sustainable Aquaculture, Slogan Making on Sir C V Raman, Essay Writing on Aquaculture in 2050 and Quiz Competitions were conducted for the students.

Investiture Ceremony

The Students' Association of Fisheries College and Research Institute, Thoothukudi for the year 2020 - 21 was inaugurated on 03.03.202. Dr.A.Palanisammi, Dean, Veterinary College & Research Institute, Tirunelveli was the Chief Guest.



Mr.M.Robert took over as General Secretary, K.Gowtham as Games M.Vishal Secretary, as Literary Association Secretary, K.Gopi NSS Secretary, Miss

S.Krishnaveni as Editor of Sea gull Magazine, Miss G.Harini as Science Club Secretary and Mr. V.Jefflin Steve as Joint Secretary.

Hostel day celebrated

The Hostel Day was celebrated in a grand manner on 05.03.2021.Mr. R. Amal Xavier, Joint Director of Fisheries (Regional) Thoothukudi, was the event's Chief Guest. Dr. B. Sundaramoorthi, Dean, Fisheries College and Research Institute presided over the function. Dr. R. Santhakumar,



Warden, Fisheries College and Research Institute Hostels presented the Annual Report of hostels for the year 2019-2020. The Chief Guest gave away prizes to the winners of all the events

INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY

The International Women's day was celebrated 08.03.2021. D.Kamil Ahamed, IV B.F.Sc. offered Women's Day special note. Poems highlighting the glory of women composed by



Mr.S.Nandagopal, IV B.F.Sc. also recited. M.Tamilmaran, IV B.F.Sc. welcomed the gatherings. Dr.S.Athithan, Vice-President of Students' Association spoke on the occasion.

Celebrated World Taxonomist Appreciation Day 2021:



The World Taxonomist Appreciation Day was organized at the Department of Fisheries Biology and Resource Management of the Institute on 19.03.2021. Former Dean

of Fisheries College and Research Institute, Thoothukudi, Dr. K. Venkataramanujam, gave a special lecture on "Taxonomy, Origin, Growth and Advancement in Fisheries Science". Dr.V.K.Venkataramani delivered a lecture on "Modern Taxonomical tools in Finfish Taxonomy". He advised the young scientists to research fishes like Sciaenids and Mullets. About 136 participants including scientists, college faculties, research scholars and students attended.

Training on "Aquaculture Technology":



The Department of Aquaculture offered an On-Campus training programme on Aquaculture Technology between 15.03.2021 and 19.03.2021. A total of 24 women M.Sc Zoology students from VOC

College, Thoothukudi participated. Dr.B.Sundaramoorthi, Dean distributed the certificates to the students and spoke on the importance of this training programme to motivate the student community to take up these technologies and to provide skill-based training which will pave way for self-employment of the students. Dr.S.Athithan, Professor and Head of this Department conducted the above training programme.

WORLD WATER DAY CELEBRATED



World Water Day was celebrated at this Institute, Thoothukudi on 22.03.2021, in coordination with the Department of Aquatic Environment Management. Dr.P.Padmavathy, Professor and Head, welcomed the

gathering. Dr.B. Sundaramoorthi, Dean, emphasized the importance of celebrating world water day Two students delivered a talk on "Valuing of Water".

VOTERS AWARENESS CAMPAIGN ORGANISED

The NSS unit of Fisheries College and Research Institute, Thoothukudi organized the "Voters Awareness Campaign" on 23.03.2021 to ensure 100% voting during the forthcoming General



Assembly Legislative Election to be held on 06.04.2021.

The Zonal Electoral Officers of Thoothukudi district Mr.Sam Daniel Raj, Mr.Jose Silvester and Mr.Jeyaprakash demonstrated by using EVM to the participants. Mr.M.Muruganantham, Assistant Professor and NSS Programme Officer coordinated the event.

Dr. M.G.R Fisheries College & Research Institute, Ponneri

Campus Cleaning conducted

The NSS unit under the guidance of Dr. B. Ahilan, Dean of the institute conducted a campus cleaning programme on 03.03.2021.



Students' Freshers party – 2021 organized

The students of II year B.F.Sc [2019 – 2020 batch], represented the Students' Association of Dr.M.G.R. FC&RI, Ponneri and organized the freshers' party –" Ben Venuto Amigos – 2021" for the newly joined I year B.F.Sc students (2020

-2021 batch) of the institute on 05.03.2021. Dr. B. Ahilan, Dean of the institute and President of the Students' Association welcomed the newly joined students. Freshers' made the day memorable by introducing



themselves and exhibiting their hidden talents.

International Women's Day Celebration

The International Women's day celebration was held on 08.03.2021. The chief guest of this event was Smt. S. Swarna

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Bai, Headmistress of Minjur Panchayat Union Middle School who is a proud winner of the National Award for "The Best Teacher". She delivered the chief guest addressand briefed about the importance

of women's role in daily life. The event was well organized by the Students' Association.

Special lecture on "Communication Skills and Personality Development" organized

Dr. S. Murugavel, Director (Academics) & Professor (English), Chendhuran Engineering College, Pudukkottai delivered a special lecture on "Communication Skills and Personality Development" on 09.03.2021. Faculties, students and



supporting staff of the institute attended.

Special lectures by M/s. CP Aquaculture arranged



Mr. Selvin Jayakumar, Department Manager (Human Resources) of M/s. CP Aquaculture delivered special lectures on "Facing an interview: Tips and tricks to boost confidence" and "CP

Aquaculture- an overview" on 19.03.21. The delegate also organized "Group Discussion" for the final year UG students.

A Special lecture on "Significance and Strategies in Scuba Diving"

Mr. S. B. Aravind, PADI Master Instructor, Temple Adventures, Pondicherry delivered a special lecture on "Significance and Strategies in Scuba Diving" on 19.03.2021.



Dr. D. Manikandavelu, Professor and Head-DAEM organized the lecture.

Students' Association Inauguration and World Water Day celebration

I n a u g u r a l Ceremony of the Students' Association for the academic year 2020 -2021 was held on 22.03.2021. Dr. D. Manikandavelu, Vice President of the



Students' Association welcomed the gathering. Dr. B. Ahilan, Dean of the Institute and President of Students' Association

briefed the importance of leadership qualities among the students and the need to explore fresh talents from newly admitted students. S. Dhinakaran, a final year student took charge as General Secretary of the Association along with the other 11 new secretaries. "The World Water Day" celebration was organized by the new office bearers of the Association which included drawing, elocution competitions and a drama.

"SVEEP" at Pulicat

The NSS unit of Dr. M.G.R Fisheries College Research Institute, Ponneri and Department of Fisheries, Thiruvallur organized District jointly "Systematic Voters' the Education and Electoral



Participation Program [SVEEP]" on 26.03.2021 at Pulicat. The SVEEP was organized as a students' rally themed '100 % voting by the public in upcoming State Legislative Assembly election'. The rally was inaugurated and lead by the Dean, Dr. B. Ahilan and Mr. Ajay Anand, Assistant Director Fisheries, Ponneri along with the fishermen representatives of Pulicat Dr. M.G.R Fisheries College & Research Institute, Thalainayeru

Voter Awareness campaign Rally

The students of Dr.M.G.R Fisheries College and Research Institute, Thalainayeru actively participated in the Voter Awareness Campaign rally organized by the Department



of Fisheries and district Collectorate, Nagapattinam at Akkaraipettai fishing village on 04.03.2021 and insisted the fishers for 100% voting in the assembly election 2021 through various banners. On this occasion, Praveen P Nair, District Collector inaugurated the rally and appreciated students' involvement.

Sports Day Celebration, 2021

The first sports meet of the college was held on 02.03.2021. The Dean of the institute, Dr. S. Balasundari inaugurated the event. Various track and field events were conducted. The sports secretary, G. Elavarasan, IV Year B.F.Sc., organized the events successfully. Dr. K. Sakthivel, Physical Director and Dr.A. Subburaj, Sports Officer coordinated the events.

College Day Celebration, 2021

The college day was celebrated on 08.03.2021. During the occasion, various on-stage and off-stage events were conducted to showcase their talents. Dr. S. Balasundari, Dean of this Institute presided over the function. Dr. B. Sundaramoorthy, Dean, Fisheries College and Research

Institute, Thoothukudi delivered the chief guest address and recollected his memories about the initial stages of this college. Dr.N.Jayakumar, Vice



President of the students association encouraged the students to participate in cultural events

International Women's Day Celebration, 2021

International Women's day was celebrated on 09.03.2021. Dr. V. Alamelu, Assistant Professor welcomed the gathering. The programmebegan with auspicious lamp lighting



by Dr. S. Balasundari, Dean followed by the Chief guests, Dr. Sumathy Das, Regional Joint Director, Department of Animal Husbandry, Nagapattinam and Dr. M. Vinoothini, Advocate and Deputy Area Commander, Nagapattinam. Tmt. Elatchi, Best Dry fish, was honored on this occasion for her excellence as a woman entrepreneur in Nagapattinam District.

World Water Day Celebration, 2021

World Water Day was celebrated on 22.03.2021. Mr. J. Prakash, Executive Officer from Thalainayeru Panchayat was invited as a Chief Guest. Dr. S. Balasundari, Dean delivered the Presidential address. Dr. M. Menaga, Assistant Professor coordinated the activities. To ensure the thoughts of water conservation among students,



various competitions such as Water Drop College, Mehendi Competition - "Human & Water, Waste Not till the Last Drop and Water Conservation Innovation Challenge competition were conducted



Besides the abovesaid activities, students of Dr.M.G.R. FC&RI. Thalainayeru also participated in a National level competition such Photography, Poster Design, Facial **Painting** Rangoli the

theme "Valuing the Water" jointly organized by Karpagam Academy of Higher Education & Kovai Kulangal Padhukappu Amaippu on 20.03.2021. Mr. M. Balavaseekaran, I B.F.Sc., has won the first prize

and Mr. G. Kapilan, I B.F.Sc., has secured 3rd price for facial painting.

College of Fisheries Engineering, Nagapattinam Students' Association Inaugration, 2021

The Students' Association for the academic year (2020-21) was inaugurated on 15th March 2021. Dr. R. Rajendran, Dean

and President of Students' Association gave the presidential address. Dr. N. Manimehalai, Vice president of the students' association addressed the gatherings. All the secretaries were administered oath by the



Vice-President, Students Association. The General Secretary, CoFE Students' Association Mr.P.SanthoshKumarbriefed the annual workplan of the Student's Association.

Institute of Fisheries Post Graduate Studies, Vaniyanchavadi

Fresher's Day Celebration (2020-21 batch) in IFPGS, Chennai

The event started with the welcome address by Dr. E. Suresh and the presidential address by the Dean (Basic Sciences) S. A. Shanmugam. All freshly joined students introduced themselves. Faculties of the



IFPGS and Fisheries Business School also welcomed the new students with mementos.

International Women's day

International Women's day was celebrated on 8th March 2021. Ms. Jemila Thangarani, Dr. Ambika Binesh and Dr. Meena Kumari, Assistant Professors, delivered a talk on the multiple roles that women



play in society, Dr. S.A. Shanmugam, Dean (Basic Sciences), Dr. R. Jayaraman (Program Director, TNJFU Business School), and Dr. A. Kathirvelpandian (IFBT officer (i/c) participated in the closing ceremony.

INAUGURATION OF WET LABORATORY

A Wet Laboratory was established at the Institute of Fisheries Post Graduate Studies (IFPGS), TNJFU – OMR Campus, Vaniyanchavadi, Chennai



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with a total budget of Rs. 28.38 lakhs under National Agriculture Development Programme (NADP) project. It was inaugurated on 29.03.2021 by Dr. G. Sugumar, Vice-chancellor of TNJFU.

National Service Scheme: Campus cleaning program

The students of IFBT and Business School (2019-2020 batch) and NSS volunteers organized the campus cleaning activity on 12.03.2021 and 19.03.2021.



Consultation Meeting on "Potential of Marine Pharmaceuticals" at IFPGS, Chennai

A preliminary consultation meeting was held between the Institutes of Fisheries Postgraduate Studies, Chennai and School of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Chettinad Academy of Research & Education, Chennai



at TNJFU OMR Campus, Chennai on 30.03.2021. The meeting was presided by Dr. G. Sugumar, Vice-Chancellor of Tamil Nadu Dr. J. Jayalalithaa Fisheries University, Nagapattinam. Dr. S. Ramesh, Professor, School of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Chettinad Academy of Research & Education, Chennai, Dr. R. Santhanam, Professor & Dean (Retd.) of Fisheries College and Research Institute, Thoothukudi and the Dean (Basic Sciences), Teaching staff participated.

College of Fisheries Nautical Technology, Thoothukudi Orientation programme - National Level competition for SESRECs



Mahatma Gandhi National Council of Rural Education (MGNCRE), Department of Higher Education, Ministry of Education, Government of India conducted an online orientation program to the cadets of College of Fisheries Nautical Technology, Thoothukudi on 03/03/2021.Mr. Narendra Babu Darla from MGNCRE gave a briefing on the competition and with examples of various field entrepreneurs in the society.

International Woman's day

International Woman's Day was celebrated on 08.03.2021. Dean Capt. S. Viswanathan delivered a



speech on the importance of the women's participation in all activities.

Directorates

ICAR- Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Sikkal 8th Scientific Advisory Committee meeting

ICAR- Krishi Vigyan Kendra, a constituent unit of Tamil Nadu Dr. J. Jayalalithaa Fisheries University organized the 8th scientific advisory committee meeting at the campus on 03.03.21.



Dr. G. Sugumar, Vice-Chancellor, TNJFU inaugurated the programme by delivering a presidential address through virtual mode. Dr. J.V. Prasad, Director, ATARI, Hyderabad delivered a special address through virtual mode and emphasized the mandated activities of KVK. Dr. V. Ambethgar, Director, TRRI delivered a technical speech. Dr. A. Gopalakannan, Programme Coordinator, KVK Sikkal presented the action taken report of previous SAC meeting and other activities rendered to the farmers of the district by KVK during 2019-20 & 2020-21. Dr. M. Rajakumar, DEE, TNJFU presided over the meeting. Dr. A. Velayutham, Dean, AC & RI, Thanjavur inaugurated the sales counter established at KVK. Dr. M. Ramasubramanian,



Programme Coordinator, KVK, Thiruvarur, P. Kalyanasundaram, Joint Director, Dept of Agriculture, Nagapattinam, Mrs. N. Kala, Deputy Director, Dept of Horticulture, P. Chokalingam, Deputy Director, Animal Husbandry department, Mr.

B. Prabhakaran, DDM, NABARD, Mr. V.G. Sankaran, Lead Bank Manager and other district officials from various line departments participated in the meeting. Agricultural rice varieties, bioproducts, ornamental fishes and value-added fishery products were exhibited during the meeting.

Directorate of Sustainable Aquaculture



A training, "Value Addition in Inland Fishes", for the tribal women of SujalKuttai Hamlet, near Bhavanisagarwas conducted by CeSA Bavanisagaron 03.03.2021. The off-campus programme, was organized by

M/s Earth Care Trust, Sathyamangalam.

Mandapam Centre for Sustainable Aquaculture distributed an HDPE Cage of 6 m diameter along with net bags, anchors and ropes for lashing to 50 numbers of beneficiaries. Fingerlings of Seabass, Cobia and Pompano were stocked in these cages during December 2020. The stocking densities of the cages were maintained at 700 – 800 nos /cage.

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Dr. J. Stephen Sampath Kumar, Director, DSA and Mr. P. Velmurugan, Assistant Professor, KKPCeSA, had visited Moothiramalai village and met Thiru. Soundarajan, Panchayat official and discussed under NADP scheme various types

of training such as capture and culture of riverine fishes, ornamental fishes, and value-added fishery products etc. near Pechiparai on 23.03.2021.

Directorate of incubation and vocational training in aquaculture

"International Women's Day"



International Women's Day at Paraprofessional Institute of Aquaculture technology (PPIAT), was celebrated at the DIVA-Muttukadu campus on 08.03.2021 with the theme "Choose to Challenge". Dr. N. Felix, Director, DIVA,

inaugurated the competition, delivered the presidential address to the students highlighting the gender equality and contributions of women in society.

"Students' visit to VGP Marine Kingdom"

Second batch students of B.Voc (Industrial Aquaculture) visited VGP Marine Kingdom, a first of its kind in India on 11.03.2021. Dr. E. Prabu, Assistant Professor, DIVA, organized the visit in coordination with Mr. Kannan, Lead instructor, VGP Marine Kingdom.

"Shrimp seed stocking"

Dr. N. Felix, Director, stocked 36,400 shrimp seeds (*Penaeus vannamei*) in 4 lined ponds in outdoor aquaculture complex at Centre for Incubation and Vocational training in Aquaculture (CIVA), DIVA-Muttukadu campus on 31.03.2021.

"Shrimp farm and Shrimp hatchery visit"

Dr. N. Felix, Director, DIVA, along with Mr. C. Manavalan, Farm Technician, visited a shrimp farm in

Poonjolai on 29.03.2021 and Raj shrimp hatchery in Kovalam on 31.03.2021 and discussed with the owners on imparting skills through hands-on training to the B.Voc (Industrial Aquaculture) students.



Directorate for Incubation and Vocational Training in Fisheries (DIVF)



A One-day awareness program on "Engine maintenance and safety of fishermen at sea" was conducted inThoothoor Centre for Incubation and Vocational Training in Fisheries (CIVF),

Thengapattinam fishing harbor on 29.03.2021. A total of 24 Deep sea-goingfishermen of Thoothoor region attended the programme.

"Celebration of India's 75 years of Independence"

To mark the anniversary of the launch of Dandi March as part of the celebration of India's 75 years of Independence, an essay writing and elocution competition on the topic "India's Freedom Struggle" was



organized on 12.03.2021 at all constituent colleges of TNJFU. **Superannuation**

Dr.P. Velayutham, Professor retired

Dr. P. Velayutham, Professor retired from service on superannuation on March 31st, 2021. Joined as an Assistant Professor at Fisheries College and Research Institute, Thoothukudi, on 28.04.1986 and served for 12 years and then as a Professor & Head of the Department of Fish Processing Technology, FCRI, Thoothukudi for another



21 years. He served as Dean in charge of FCRI, Thoothukudi for 11 months and FCRI, Parakkai for 12 months, respectively.