# THIRUTHANGAL NADAR COLLEGE CHENNAI-600 051

#### ANNUAL REPORT - 2023-2024

The Graduation Day ceremony is a special occasion that stands as a cornerstone in the life of any educational institution, symbolizing the culmination of years of dedication, hard work, and perseverance. It serves as a momentous occasion where the academic community comes together to celebrate the achievements of its graduating students and to bid them farewell as they embark on the next phase of their journey.

In this auspicious moment I place before you the Annual Report for the Academic year 2023 till date. The annual report of ThiruthangalNadar College for the year 2023-2024 provides an overview of the college's achievements, activities, and developments throughout the academic year. This report reflects our commitment to transparency, accountability, and excellence in education.

TNC remains steadfast in its mission to provide quality education, foster intellectual growth, and cultivate responsible global citizens. Our vision is to be a leading institution of higher learning, known for academic excellence and innovation.

### **Key Achievements:**

# **Faculty Accomplishments:**

- Our dedicated faculty members have made significant contributions to teaching, research, and community engagement, earning recognition at national and international levels.
- Dr.J.Sampath Kumar received 'Education Excellence Award' in the Field of Teaching.
- Over 5 Books and 32 Research Articles were published by our Faculty, apart from organizing 9
  Workshops, 7 Seminars, 2 Conferences (2 Conferences 1 International by School of
  Commerce and another National by the School of Science were organized) and 2 Faculty
  Development Programs.
- Further 14 Knowledge Enhancement Programs, 9 Skill Development Programs, 13 Value Added Courses and 7 Life Skill Programs were conducted in Campus for the benefit of students.

 Nearly 9 of our Faculty have successfully completed the NPTEL Courses and have received Certificates. Adding to the credit, 75 Papers have been published in various International & National Conferences.

#### **Research & Academic Excellence:**

- Our students continue to excel in their academic pursuits, simultaneously achieving honors and receiving prestigious scholarships and awards.
- TNC is the Learning Center for IDE Education (for MBA & MCA)
- M.Phil Research in Commerce functions in a full-fledged manner.
- TNC is chosen as NPTEL Local Chapter
- Over 84 students completed NPTEL Courses and received Certificates

**Academic Programs:** This year, we are in the process of Introducing 2 new courses namely, 1 UG Course (B.Sc Computer Science with Artificial Intelligence and another PG Course (M.S.W)

**MOUs:**Over 20 MOUs were signed with Firms and companies. Theyhave facilitated internships, research opportunities, and career placement support for our students, bridging the gap between academia and industry.

# **Community Engagement:**

- Through service-learning initiatives and outreach programs, TNC continues to make a positive impact on the local community and beyond.
- TNC has received "Excellent Volunteer Award-2023" from Friends City Welfare Association.
- Adding to this, TNC is also a recipient of the "Best NSS Award" awarded by the America Muthamizh University.
- "Certificate of Social Responsibility" was conferred to TNC by Bhumi for the Upcycling initiative.
- NSS organized 7 Awareness Programmes on Socially relevant themes.
- The NCC Girl Cadet K.Pavithra from Criminology Dept. secured 2<sup>nd</sup> place for performance in Obstacles from Dr.Ambedkar Law University.

- The NCC Cadet Karthick from Criminology Dept. received the Gold Medal for Group performance in 'Ek Bharat Shresta Bharat' Camp at Madurai.
- Vikash .V from B.com General participated in the Armed Tamilnadu CDT Srinagar Camp held at Jammu Kashmir in June 2023 and received the Runner-up Award in Tug of War competition.
- International Yoga Day 2023 was conducted in TNC Campus on the 21st of June 2023.
- 'Say No to Drugs' Campaign was conducted in Rajaratnam Stadium on the 24<sup>th</sup> of June 2023 as a Drug Awareness Initiative. Following the event a Drug Abuse Awareness Campaign was also conducted in TNC Campus on the International Day Against Drug Abuse on the 26<sup>th</sup> of June 2023.
- A Fire Safety Demo Session was conducted in TNC Campus on the 7th of December 2023.
- Aadhar PAN Card Updation Rally was conducted in TNC Campus on the 8<sup>th</sup> of October 2023.
- State Youth Festival was conducted in KalaivanarArangam, Chennai on the 24<sup>th</sup> of August 2023.
- Journey for Sight Rally 2023 was hosted at the Marina Beach, Chennai on the 9<sup>th</sup> of September 2023.
- 'Swachhta Hi Sewa' Campaign Cleaning Event was initiated in TNC Campus on the 15<sup>th</sup> of September 2023.
- World Clean Up Day was initiated in Marina Beach, Chennai on the 16<sup>th</sup> of September 2023.
- In Campus Cleaning Campaign was also conducted in TNC Campus on 22<sup>nd</sup> of September 2023.
- A Free Eye Checkup Camp was conducted in TNC Campus on the 9<sup>th</sup> of October 2023.
- A De-Addiction Event was conducted in TNC Campus on the 5<sup>th</sup> of October 2023.
- 1 Crore Palm Seeds Plantation Event was initiated at the Besant Nagar Beach on the 1<sup>st</sup> of October 2023.
- The NCC has bagged the Gold Medal as well as 2<sup>nd</sup> Place under a Group Performance in EkBharathShreshtaBharath Camp in Madurai and a Performance in Obstacles conducted at Dr.Ambedkar Law University. Adding to this a Runner Up Award in Tug of War Competition held at Armed Tamilnadu CDT Srinagar Camp held at Jammu Kashmir in the month of June 2023.

#### **Student Accomplishments:**

Our students excel not only in Academics, but also in Sports. Listing out the accomplishment in Sports Sector for this year,

- We have bagged 4<sup>th</sup> Place in NPC WORLDWIDE INDIA (Bodybilding& Physique Championship)- State Level, 5<sup>th</sup> Place in Angel Classic-23 State level Contest State Level, 2<sup>nd</sup> Place in Tamilnadu State level Body Building Championship 2023 State Level, 2<sup>nd</sup> Place in National Level Cultural & Sports Festival-23 National Level and 3<sup>rd</sup> Place in National Level Cultural & Sports Festival-23 National Level.
- We also placed 2<sup>nd</sup> in Angel Classic 23 State Level Contest, 3<sup>rd</sup> in Challenger Classic 2023
   State Level Contest, secured 2 First Places in Chennai District Powerlifting Association 2023, again 1st Place in University Of Madras Fencing Tournament and a 1<sup>st</sup> Place in Chengalpattu District Level Silambam Competition 2023.
- We have participated in the 41<sup>st</sup> National Shooting Ball Championship 2023, secured 3<sup>rd</sup> Place in Mr.Fitness Icon Classic Bodybuilding & Fitness Championship 2023, Thiruvallur District Carrom Tournament and Mr.Clean Man 2023 State Level Competition, a 2<sup>nd</sup> Place in Chennai District Powerlifting Association's Classic Jr.Benchpress Championship 2023 and South India 2023 Benchpress Championship including one in the Junior Category
- To add on to this list, we have secured 1<sup>st</sup> Place in the Sub-Junior Category of South India 2023
  Benchpress Championship, 2 Second Places and 2 Third Places in Chennai District Powerlifting
  Association's Championship and 4<sup>th</sup> Place in University of Madras B-Zone Tournament (Table
  Tennis) Men under the Team and Individual Categories respectively and also the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>
  Places in University of Madras B-Zone Tournament (Kho Kho) Men Team Category
- Secured 3<sup>rd</sup> Place in Fencers for the 37<sup>th</sup> National Games Fencing Association Of India and 2<sup>nd</sup> Place in Future Star Sports Academy Open Doubles & Open Singles Categories under District Levels respectively. Secured 4<sup>th</sup> Place in University of Madras Combines Zone Tournament (Basket Ball) Men's Category along with Best Physique and Powerlifting Categories respectively.
- Bagged the 1<sup>st</sup> Place in DBUM Classic 2023 Tamilnadu State Open Body Building Physique Championship, also Secured 2<sup>nd</sup> Place in Tamilnadu State (Saiba& Sai Fitness) Open Body Building & Physique Championship, 3<sup>rd</sup> Place in All India Inter University for Fencing, and a

- $3^{rd}$ &  $4^{th}$  Place in SSS Jain College Intercollegiate ( Table Tennis & Badminton ) categories respectively.
- TNCians brought laurels to the college by winning 8 University level prizes, 11 District level
  prizes, 9 State level prizes and 5 National Awards for their outstanding performance in various
  competitions like Fencing, Body Building, Shooting, Power lifting, Silambam, Carrom,
  Benchpress, Table Tennis, Kho-Kho, Basket Ball, Best Physique, Drawing, Music & Dance at
  different venues.
- Also, B Zone Women Ball Badminton Tournament was held in Campus this year.

#### **ClubsActivities:**

- Women's Safety & Welfare Club conducted a Personality Development Program on the context of 'Menstrual Hygiene' on 27<sup>th</sup> July 2023, an Awareness Program on the 'Kavalan SOS Application' on 13<sup>th</sup> September 2023, 'Personal Hygiene' on 11<sup>th</sup> August 2023, 'Suicide Prevention' on 21<sup>st</sup>September 2023 and 'Feminine Hygiene and Personal Excellence' on 6<sup>th</sup> February 2024. In addition to these, Skill development programs like 'Installation of Vending Machine' on 11<sup>th</sup> August 2023, 'TNC Sewing Wing' program for Girls & Staff on the 11<sup>th</sup> January 2024 were also conducted. The club has also conducted 'Treasure Hunt 2K23' Event on the 20<sup>th</sup> of September 2023.
- **Eco Club** of TNC has conducted a Guest Lecture on 'Waste Management and Ocean Conservation Awareness' on 28<sup>th</sup> June 2023.
- Equal Opportunity Cell has conducted a Career Guidance Program on 'Developing Soft Skills and Current Trends in Corporate' on 21th July 2023 and a Professional Development Program on the Topic 'Entrepreneurship Awareness' on 11<sup>th</sup> January 2024.
- The Incubation Cell has conducted a Demo Class on 'Demonstration On Research Prototypes' on 9th October 2023, an Exhibition on the Topic 'Home Made Herbal Products' on 18<sup>th</sup> July 2023 and an IPR Awareness Program on the Topic 'Overview of Copyrights and Patents' on the 4th of September 2023.
- **The Fitness Club** has conducted Foundation Yoga Classes under the Title 'Simplified Kundalini Yoga' on the 10<sup>th</sup> of July 2023 and 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2023 respectively.

- **The SDC Club** has organized the Inaugural 'Investiture Ceremony' pm 26<sup>th</sup> of July 2023 and the Teachers Day Celebration under the Title 'Empowering Minds Elevating Lives' on the 9<sup>th</sup> of July 2023.
- The Red Ribbon Club has conducted a Basic Life Supporting Training Program on the 11<sup>th</sup> of July 2023 and a 2 Day Eye Camp through Dr.Agarwals Eye Hospital on the 11<sup>th</sup> of October 2023.
- The Cultural Club has organized and conducted Talent Expo Competition on 1<sup>st</sup> of August 2023 with its Teaser which was earlier released on the 24<sup>th</sup> of July 2023.

**Training & Placement Cell:**TNC has an active Training & Placement Cell that has enabled the recruitment of 502 students who are placed in various Firms and Companies. Sutherland Global was in Campus for a Recruitment Drive and selected many students from various disciplines. Also, aMega Campus Drive was organized in TNC on 16<sup>th</sup> February 2024 where in Reputed Companies like Paytm, V4U Solutions, SBI Life, Skill Plan, Channelplay, Spectrum Talent Management, BankZone, Muthoot Finance and so on, where present in Campus and many of our students were selected.

**Infrastructure Development:** The collegehas invested in modernizing facilities, including state-of-theart laboratories, libraries, and recreational spaces, to enhance the learning & teaching environment for students and faculty respectively.

**Conclusion:** The annual report of ThiruthangalNadar College for this year underscores our unwavering commitment to academic excellence, student success, and societal impact. As we reflect on our achievements and challenges, we look forward to advancing our mission and vision in the years to come, guided by our core values and the collective efforts of the college community.

# **Acknowledgments:**

We express our gratitude to all stakeholders, including students, faculty, staff, alumni and supporters, for their dedication and contributions to the success of TNC. With the pleasure of delivering the Annual report let me once again take the opportunity to express my heartiest congratulations to the stars of this Graduation Day, the new graduands who are receiving their degrees today. I congratulate the proud

parents of the graduating students who have selflessly contributed to the development of their children. I also congratulate the faculty members who were behind the success of the students.