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SPECIAL WARD EXPOSURE CAMP

INAUGURATION CEREMONY

On February 28, 2024, our Loyola NSS organized the inauguration of the Special Ward Exposure Camp and **Loyola Anti-Drug Club (LADC)** at YD Hall. The Chief Guests were welcomed by the Cultural Performances by our Cultural team. The event commenced with "Tamizh Thai Vazhthu" setting a culturally rich atmosphere.



Distinguished Chief Guests including **Thiru. Mahesh Kumar Aggarwal**, IPS, Additional Director General of Police, Crime and Enforcement, and **Dr. Vaneeta Aggarwal**, NSS Coordinator, University of Madras, were warmly welcomed by NSS clap of our volunteers. The ceremonial lighting of the lamp by the esteemed Chief Guests, Father Principal and Our Programme Officers symbolized the enlightenment and auspiciousness of the occasion. **Dr. R. Xavier** delivered the welcome address, expressing gratitude, setting the tone for the event.





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Our Principal **Rev. Dr. A. Louis Arockiaraj SJ**, felicitated our Chief Guest, **Thiru. Mahesh Kumar Aggarwal** and our Deputy Principal, **Dr. J. A. Charles** felicitated our Special Guest **Dr. Vaneeta Aggarwal** acknowledging their significant contributions.



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A short video presented by the Chief Guest provided insights into his vision.

Our Programme Officers, **Dr. T. Adinaveen** and **Ms. I. Masilla Esther** introduced our Chief Guests. Our Chief Guest, **Thiru. Mahesh Kumar Aggarwal** delivered his address about the **“Drive Against Drugs”**. Our Special Guest **Dr. Vaneeta Aggarwal** delivered her address with the **“Core of the NSS is Service”**.



Our Chief Guest unveiled the **Logo** of the **Loyola Anti-Drug Club (LADC)** marking a significant moment. NSS volunteers captivated the audience with Mime performances and Dance performances advocating against drug abuse.



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Thiru. Mahesh Kumar Aggarwal, IPS, led the participants in a pledge against drug abuse emphasizing collective responsibility for this noble cause.



A heartfelt vote of thanks by our Programme Officer **Mr. I. Mathew Thomas Cruz** concluded the event, followed by the National Anthem, fostering a sense of unity and purpose among the participants.



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