

Inauguration of Eco Club and Anti-Narcotic Club on 18th of August 2017

EXTENSION ACTIVITY

NO. OF VOLUNTEERS: 40

The conference hall of Madras School of Social work bustled with activity, on the 18th of August with enthusiastic student volunteers from the college who had set things up, harmoniously working with the faculty members to make sure the event began on time. The inauguration of Eco club held along with Anti-Narcotic Club, the Chief Guests of the day- Mr. Arivazhagan Sambantham, and the Editor of the fortnightly magazine- Pasumai Vikatan and Mr. Jayamaran, Intelligence Officer from the Narcotics Control Bureau.

Mr. Arivazhagan spoke about his active efforts in restoring the environment, the restoration of the several dams all over Tamil Nadu like the Noyyal dam from the harmful dyes of Tirupur, the Padappai dam, the Siruvachur lake which all felt the wrath if the 2015 floods. The Pasumai Vikatan crew helped introduce Geo Budget Farming in Erode and elucidate Natural Farming Techniques in Thindukkal district. He propelled the crowd to turn their words into actions, and was highly enthusiastic about the future ventures with the Eco Club of MSSW.



Mr. Jayamaran, Intelligence Official- Narcotic Control Bureau spoke about his concern for youth and his morbid fears for the youth of the nation who fall prey to drug abuse. He exclaimed that reputed universities of the city also housed drug distributors and drug abusers who were well off and came from distinctively educated backgrounds

Mr. Jayamaran urged the crowd to stand against drugs and help one another cleanse the society of any and all kinds of narcotics by just making one phone call. He further acknowledged and appreciated the previous efforts of MSSW, in organising an event to promote awareness of drug abuse which was a huge success, and was praised by the Delhi Directorate. He adjured the crowd to remain goal oriented and made the gathering repeat the slogan: SAY NO TO DRUGS.



The office bearers of the Eco Club and the Anti-Narcotic Club 2017-18 were officially inducted and a solemn swearing-in ceremony was conducted by the Principal and the Dean respectively.

