



# **KOTTAM COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING**

**CHINNATEKUR (V), KALLUR (M), KURNOOL - 518 218**

## **SOME GOOD PRACTICES IN THE COLLEGE**

### **KEEPING TABS ON RAGGING MENACE:**

We can proudly say that our campus is ragging free campus. Our college took stringent steps to control ragging through counselling the students and keeping constant vigil on the campus. Posters indicating the penal punishments for the students involved in ragging have been fixed at prominent places on the college campus. The information regarding “What Constitutes Ragging,” and the Supreme Court and High Court resolutions on ragging have been fixed to keep at bay any stray occurrences of ragging. To step up the seriousness, the Principal has constituted an Anti-Ragging Committee. Anti-Ragging squads were also formed and the students are informed to express their complaint or grievance without inhibitions. The information regarding “What Constitutes Ragging,” and the Supreme Court and High Court resolutions on ragging have been presented to the students.

### **ORIENTATION PROGRAM:**

Orientation program was organized on 10-10-2010 to the I B Tech, MBA & MCA students along with their parents. Prof H.Sudarshan Rao, Director of Evaluation Anantapur was the Chief Guest .The objective of the programme was to provide guidelines about the college. The principal gave an overview of the infrastructure, faculty and future plans of the institution. The Chief Guest highlighted the significance of B-Tech course. He enlightened the students on the challenges they have to face from the industry and suggested measures to equip themselves to face such situation. He also suggested the parents to cooperate with

members of faculty and the institution for the growth and development of their wards. Some of the parents interacted and shared their expectations about the college. Lunch was arranged to the gathering. The programme ended successfully. More than 1000 people from various districts attended the programme.



**Orientation program for first year students along with parents**





**Prof. M.L. Sai Kumar, Information Technology Division, Institute of Public Enterprise, Hyderabad addressing staff and students.**

### **NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME (NSS):**

An active NSS team has been initiated in the college to safeguard and provide the



services to the rural people. The team comprises of an NSS program officer Mr. A. Ganesh, Asst Prof of Chemistry and his team includes faculty members from various departments and student volunteers. Many events were conducted as a part of the service scheme

At the inauguration of Red Ribbon Club on 1-12-2010 Prof Abraham Lincoln, State Resource person, enlightened the students about HIV/AIDS

In connection to National Youth Day, an Elocution, Essay writing & Painting competitions were conducted by the NSS unit to all the students on the title

Swami Vivekananda-Inspiration to youth. Many students participated actively and bagged several prizes.

### **Life skills training by Sri Akella Raghavendra**



Sri. Akella Raghavendra, writer, freelance Journalist and personality development trainer addressed our students. He highlighted the significance of positive thinking and time management. He is being felicitated by the Principal.

**Tree Plantation Program** was organized in the college on the eve of the Second Anniversary of the University. Our students planted saplings with great enthusiasm. Prior to the plantation the students were briefed about the significance of trees. It is hoped that in coming years more and more trees are going to be planted.



### **Quality improvement Program:**

Quality improvement cell was established in the college. Experts from various domains addressed the students on the importance of time management, positive thinking and personality development to the students of B-Tech, MBA and members of Faculty.

## **FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMMES:**

With an objective to enhance the academic and intellectual environment in the campus and to equip the members of faculty with skills and knowledge that are essential for inculcating values in the students a series of faculty development programs were organised by the management to all the members of the faculty of Kottam Group of Institutions during the academic year.

- i. A session on The **Changing Trends in Teaching** was organised in Sri Kottam Tulasi Reddy Memorial College of Engineering at Kondair on 24 .10. 2010. Prof. Sambanthan, from in NITTR Chennai enlightened the members of the Faculty with the changing the trends in teaching.
- ii. A program on **The Social Responsibility of a Teacher** was organised on 13-11-2010. Prof. M.L. Sai Kumar, Head, Information Technology Division, Institute of Public Enterprise, Hyderabad addressed the members of Faculty on the social responsibility of a teacher. He exhorted the members of faculty to see the invisible and make things possible. He suggested that the teachers should have exceptional clarity of thought and speech, zeal and creativity to inspire the students and also motivated the members of faculty to update their pedagogical skills.
- i. An exclusive programme on **Guiding and Mentoring the Students** was organised in Sri Kottam Tulasi Reddy Memorial College of Engineering at Kondair to all the members of faculty of Kottam Group of Institutions The resource persons were Prof. M.L. Sai Kumar, Head, Information Technology Division and Prof Vishnu Priya Institute of Public Enterprise, Hyderabad, Mr. Suri Pommada and Mr.Phaneendra from Skill craft, Hyderabad. They suggested that a mentor should contribute for the

growth of the student by guiding, educating and protecting him and teaching him valuable leadership skills to face the challenges and responsibilities .The session was quite informative.