

Department of Social Work
Community Engagement Program
“അരികിൽ”
“Caring Hands, Sharing Hearts”

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Subject: Community Program – "അരികിൽ"

The Department of Social Work is organizing a community program titled ""അരികിൽ"" on 30th November 2024 at Nalukettu, Koratty – Hope of Life. This program is specially designed for the elderly community. The main objective of this initiative is to strengthen the capacity and empower the elderly, enabling them to lead more active and engaged lives within the community.

All faculty members and students are kindly requested to attend and actively participate in this program. Your presence and involvement will greatly contribute to the success and meaningful impact of the event.



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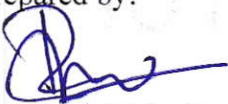
The Department of Social Work at NIMIT organized a meaningful community engagement program titled “അരികിൽ”, with the theme “Caring Hands, Sharing Hearts” on 30th November 2024 at Hope of Life Old Age Home, Nalukettu, Koratty. The objective of the program was to foster compassion, emotional support, and social connection between the student community and the elderly residents of the home.

The session commenced at 2:30 p.m. with a warm welcome address, followed by a series of interactive and cultural activities. Ms. Jaisha Chacko, the invited resource person, led the session with remarkable sensitivity and creativity. Through her experience as an artistic director and academician, she engaged the elderly in emotionally enriching interactions, simple art-based activities, and reflective conversations that uplifted their spirits and promoted a sense of inclusion.

The program witnessed enthusiastic participation from the residents, who shared their life stories, sang songs, and expressed their joy and gratitude. The students facilitated games, distributed refreshments, and offered companionship throughout the visit. The program concluded at 4:00 p.m., leaving a lasting impact on both the residents and the participants.

This initiative served as a significant experiential learning opportunity for the social work students, allowing them to develop empathy, communication skills, and a deeper understanding of the needs of the elderly. Overall, “അരികിൽ” was a heartfelt and successful effort in building bridges of care and emotional solidarity within the community.

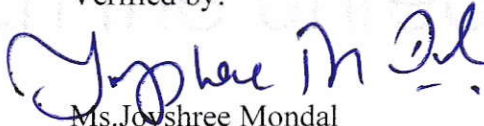
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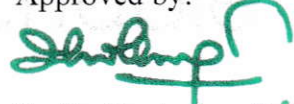
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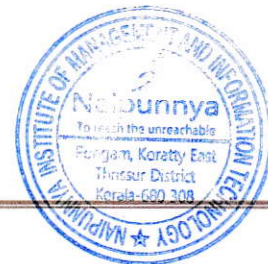
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Hope of life(Nalukettu) old age home
In Association With
Department of Social Work
NIMIT, Pongam

അരികിൽ
"Caring Hands, Sharing Hearts"
Community Engagement programme

Resource Person



Jaisha Chacko
(Artistic Director & Academician
Jwala creations)

Venue: Hope of life (old age home) Nalukettu
Date: 30/11/2024
Time: 2:30pm to 4:00 pm



PROGRAM SCHEDULE

- Prayer Song : Mr. Christy, Albin, and Ms. Aswathy (SSW)
- Welcome Speech : Mr. Christy Antony (SSW)
- Inauguration : Ms Jessy Paul (Ward Member)
- Session : Ms Jasisha Chacko (Artistic director and Academician Jwala Creations)
- Vote of Thanks : Ms Aswathy V P (SSW)
- Tea and Snacks

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PHOTOGRAPHS /SCREENSHOTS



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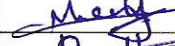
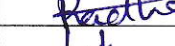
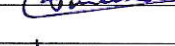
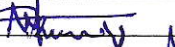
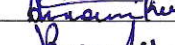
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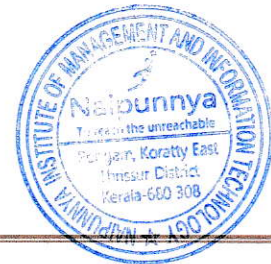
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Date: 30-11-2024

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4.	Lilly	
5.	Omana	
6.	Sumathi	
7.	Marykutty	
8.	Ambika	
9.	Annamkutty	
10.	Rosily	


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FEEDBACK

The community engagement program “അരികിൽ” held at Hope of Life Old Age Home was received with immense appreciation and heartfelt joy by the residents and staff alike. The elderly participants expressed deep gratitude for the care, attention, and companionship extended to them by the students and organizers.

Many residents shared that the presence of young people brought warmth and happiness into their otherwise quiet routine. The cultural and interactive sessions, led by Ms. Jaisha Chacko, were particularly appreciated for their creativity, emotional touch, and inclusiveness. Her approach helped the residents feel valued and heard.

The staff of the old age home also commended the Department of Social Work for their thoughtful planning and execution of the event. They noted that such initiatives not only brighten the lives of the residents but also build a bridge between generations.

The feedback was overwhelmingly positive, with residents requesting more such visits in the future. The program was described as “refreshing,” “emotionally touching,” and “a day to remember.”

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