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# Newsletter

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## International Plastic Bag Free Day: YRC

Youth Red Cross and Centre for Climate Change and Disaster Risk Management (CCCDRM) organized an awareness rally on the eve of International Plastic Bag Free Day on July 03, 2024.

Dr. P. Viswanathamurthi, Registrar (i/c) presided over the function. He delivered an awareness address on Climate Change and Disaster Risk Management. He called for promoting a zero-tolerance approach to plastic pollution and the importance of recycling and composting plastic waste. He added, further, that plastic pollution affects marine and land biodiversity resources which are most important for ecosystem services in our environment. He enlightened the participants how nearly 1,500 organizations celebrated this International Plastic Bag Free Day as part of the Break Free from Plastic Movement. The movement is committed to finding solutions to the plastic pollution crisis and making the planet safer for humans, the environment, and wildlife.



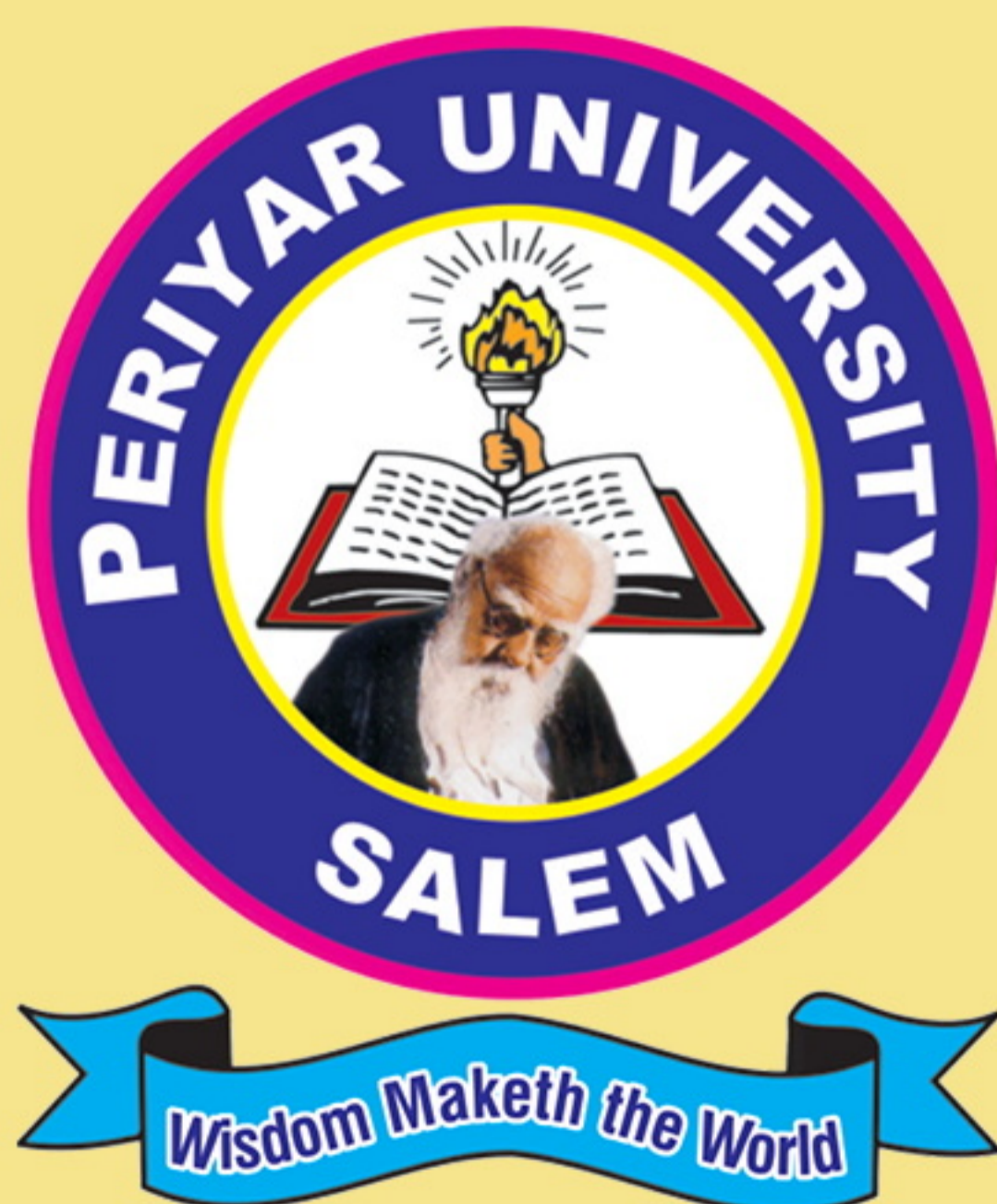
Earlier, Dr. S. Padmasekaran, Coordinator, Youth Red Cross had welcomed the gathering. Dr. K. Alagirisamy, YRC Programme Officer had highlighted the salient features of the event. Dr. P. Thangavel, Director, Centre for Climate Change and Disaster Risk management, proposed Vote of Thanks in this event. More than 400 participants at various levels such as teachers, research scholars, and students participated in this event.

## Parent Teachers Association Meeting: Microbiology



The department of Microbiology organized a Parent Teachers Association Meeting to discuss about 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> M.Sc. Students' progress and Anti-Ragging awareness on 10.07.2024. Around 40 people including parents and their wards participated. Parents actively participated in the discussion and gave positive feedback. Teachers shared their advices to the parents about the holistic development of their wards.

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## Orientation Programme to the Fresher: Statistics



The Department of Statistics conducted an Orientation Programme for first-year Statistics students, on 12.07.2024. There were 70 students participated in this programme. They were oriented about the curriculum, code of conduct, academic values, and the higher education in the field of statistics.

## Ten-Day Hands on Training on Tally with GST: Economics



The Department of Economics conducted a Ten-Day Hands on Training on Tally with GST in association with Next Technologies, Salem (Authorized partner of Tally Education) from 27.05.2024.

## Current Challenges in Health and Well-being – 2024: YRC & RRC

The Youth Red Cross (YRC) and Red Ribbon Club (RRC) organized a One day Awareness Programme for RRC Programme officers and volunteers entitled Current Challenges in Health and Well-being 2024 on 30.07.2024.

A team of Physicians from various departments of Dharan Multispecialty Hospital, Salem consisting of Dr. K. Sivakumar, M.D (Gen. Med.), D.M (Med. Onco.) Medical Oncology Consultant Medical Oncologist, Dr. V. Selvaraja ( chief guest ), M.S.(Gen.), FICS., General Surgery Chief Mentor & General Surgeon, Dr. Karthikeyan M.A., MBBS., MD., DrNB(EVIR), EBIR Interventional Radiology Conslt. Neuro Vascular Interventional Radiologist, and .Dr.Anitha created awareness about promoting health and wellbeing.



## Training program on Saree Draping & Box folding: Textiles & Apparel Design

The Department of Textiles and Apparel Design conducted a Two-day Free Training program on Saree Draping and Box folding for women from Moongilpadi village from 30.07.2024 to 31.07.2024.

The training sessions covered essential techniques and skills related to Saree draping and box folding. Various styles of pleating a Saree were demonstrated, and participants were taught different methods to create perfect pleats for different Saree draping styles. Techniques for ironing Sarees to achieve a crisp and professional finish were explained, with hands-on practice in ironing different types of Saree fabrics. Detailed instructions on how to fold a Saree neatly into a box shape for storage and presentation were provided, with participants practicing box folding with different Sarees to gain confidence in the technique.

Ms. Anu, Guest Lecturer, Department of Textile and Apparel Design, Periyar University, Salem trained the participants.



## Kargil Vijay Diwas celebration & Photo Exhibition



Kargil Vijay Diwas celebration and Photo Exhibition organised by National Service Scheme, Periyar University on 26.07.2024

## International Yoga day Celebration



International Yoga day celebration at Periyar University. Honorable Vice Chancellor Prof. R. Jagannathan Preside over the function and Dr. Babu Psychiatrist Sri Gokulam Hospital, Salem delivered the Keynote address. Mr. Motilal Nehru train the students with Yoga exercises