**THE ANNUAL QUALITY ASSURANCE REPORT (AQAR) OF**

**THE IQAC (2007-08)**

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**PROFILE OF THE COLLEGE :**

 Sri Ramakrishna Degree College, Nandyal, Andhra Pradesh, sponsored by Sri Ramakrishna Education Society, was established in the year 1984 with a vision to:

 **“Create environment that enables the students to transform into productive Citizens with Creativity and Competence”.**

 With the noble objective of providing top class higher learning facilities at **Nandyal**, which has been, till then, was starving for a well-knit educational institution that could offer quality education in different faculties, led to the establishment of Sri Ramakrishna Degree College in 1984. The College was then affiliated to Sri Venkateshwara University, Tirupathi and subsequently transferred to Sri Krishnadevaraya University, Anantapur due to reorganization of boundaries of these Universities by the Government of Andhra Pradesh. Since its inception, the institution has been striving to set and surpass acclaimed educational standards.

 Sri Ramakrishna Degree College has grown by leaps and bounds not only in introducing innovative courses, creating state of the art facilities, recruiting competent faculty but also in its status as an educational institution. It has won many academic laurels to the by securing many University ranks, distinctions and a very high ratio of first class students.

 Sri Ramakrishna Degree College is offering not only traditional courses in Commerce, Arts and Science faculties but also restructured and vocational courses like B.Com (computers), B.B.M, B.Com (Professional), B.Sc (Computer Science) etc which has time and again proved to be the instant destination of many students. All the conscious endeavors of the institution are aimed at imparting quality education with exemplary facilities – class rooms, spacious library, volumes of text books, reference books, periodicals, journals, general books of reading, newspapers, etc and state of the art computer lab and other laboratories.

 Having gained a decade’s rich experience in imparting quality education programs at the undergraduate level, a concerted effort was made to extend the same area of services at the Postgraduate level. And thus, Sri Ramakrishna Post Graduate College was established in 1994 under the aegis of Sri Ramakrishna Education Society offering MBA, MCA and M.Com (Professional) Courses. Subsequently, the college added additional Post-Graduate courses, viz., M.Sc. (Computer Science), M.A. (English), M.Sc. (Electronics) and M.Sc. (Applied Mathematics and Mathematics), M.Sc. (Physics), M.Sc. (Electronics) and M.Sc. (Botany).

During the year 1996, the College was admitted to grant-in-aid for some courses by the Government of Andhra Pradesh. The college got a shot in its arm when the UGC conferred autonomous status on it during the academic year 2005-06. Sri Ramakrishna Degree (Autonomous) College has been certified as an ISO: 5000 institution for its exceptional academic standards in the year 2005. Another feather was added to its cap, when the college was identified as a college with potential for excellence (CPE) by the UGC. Since 2005-06 the college has been functioning under autonomous status.

 The Autonomous status conferred on the college gave academic flexibility and intellectual freedom to design its own curricula, of course with certain limitations. A challenging and comprehensive curriculum is to be framed for these advanced learners and it should pave the way for them to seek admission into the Premier Institutions of Higher Learning and equip them well to pursue further education with ease. It should supplement and complement their endeavor for occupying important public positions such as honest civil servants, competent professionals, committed experts, talented scientists and so on. In view of this, each department has modified the common core syllabus with functional orientation to the extent of not less than 20% in each subject to cater to the needs of higher education and employment.

 The employability of the students demands not only academic skills but also physical stamina, aesthetic sensibility and soft & social skills. For the purpose our students are encouraged to participate in NCC, NSS, Sports & Games, intellectual activities such as debates & seminars and cultural activities such as poetry, music, dance and painting.

**INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL (I Q AC)**

                   Sri Ramakrishna Degree (Autonomous) College, Nandyal, was accredited at **‘A’ Grade by NAAC in 2007**. The staff and students of Sri Ramakrishna Degree (Autonomous) College along with all other stake holders are inspired to work with new vigour and enthusiasm for the all round development of this premier institution. The college established the IQAC in 2007 on successful accreditation by the NAAC. The IQAC is constituted as per the norms of the NAAC to foster qualitative improvement of the curricular, co-curricular and extra-curricular activities of the college.

                   The IQAC of Sri Ramakrishna Degree (Autonomous) College has been conceived and developed as a centre to facilitate & support activities of the teaching community. It designs & develops strategies and implements these to improve the overall quality of a class room transaction. It is very important to inform people and create awareness about the underlying need for moving into the post accreditation era. IQAC is making all round efforts towards the Quality control of the institution. The Principal, Dr. G. Ramakrishna Reddy& the coordinator are initiating every possible measure towards getting all stake holders involved with the optimum use of available resources. This is a small document that could provide complete and clear information about the activities of the college. The IQAC report of 2007-08 spells out the progress of the college in the post accreditation set up.

                   The IQAC is headed by Dr. G. Ramakrishna Reddy, Principal as Chairperson, and Sri E.V. Bhaskara Reddy, Selection Grade Lecturer in English as Coordinator. Six senior readers of the institution are included for the smooth and successful functioning of the IQAC. The vision and mission of the cell are stated below.

**Vision**
                   IQAC of Sri Ramakrishna Degree (Autonomous) College is to develop realistic and attractive quality benchmarks for each of the academic and administrative activities. It has to ensure continuous improvement in all operational aspects of this institution and also assure its stakeholders of the accountability of the institution for its own quality.

**Mission**

                  Sri Ramakrishna Degree (Autonomous) College has taken strategic strides to become a leading institution in the state of Andhra Pradesh by imparting quality education. In this direction, the primary mission of IQAC is to work out strategies and ensure the implementation of these to build this institution as a Centre of Excellence under UGC guidelines.

**MEMBERS OF IQAC** :

1. Dr. G. Ramakrishna Reddy Chairman

 Principal

 2. Prof. G. Chandrasekar Rao Outside Expert

 Professor in Economics, S.V. University, Tirupati

 3. Mr. Malepati Rajasekhar

 Industrialist, Nandyal. Outside Expert

1. Dr. M. Ramasubba Reddy Member

Selection Grade Lecturer in Commerce

1. Dr. S. Hanumantha Rao Member

Selection Grade Lecturer in Economics

1. Sri. K.B.V. Subbaiah Member

Selection Grade Lecturer in Political Science

1. Dr. S. Siva Reddy Member

Selection Grade Lecturer in Commerce

1. Sri. T. Ramakrishnudu Member

Senior Lecturer in Commerce

1. Sri. U.V.S. Kumar Member

Senior Lecturer in Computer Science

1. Sri. E.V. Bhaskara Reddy Co-Ordinator

Selection Grade Lecturer in English

**THE REPORT - 2007-2008**

**PART – A**

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| **The plan of action chalked out by the IQAC in the beginning towards of the year quality enhancement.** | **The outcome achieved by the end of the year** |
| 1. | Computerization of admissions | Computerization of admission process has been done |
| 2. | Technology up-gradation          | Our website is quite ready for visit as www. srkdc.ac.in |
| 3. | Open access to library  | Library has been made open access to all UG and PG students. |
| 4. | Internet Resource Centre | New internet resource centre in the library has been activated for students. |
| 5. | Remedial coaching classes forSC/ST/OBC and Minorities | Remedial coaching classes have been arranged for all UG & PG students belonging to SC/ST/OBC/ Minorities under UGC assistance. |
| 6. | Coaching for service entry for   SC/ST/OBC and minorities tomake the students employable. | Coaching facility for service entry has been introduced for SC/ST/OBC & minorities students. |
| 7. | New Computer lab for ComputerScience students | A new computer lab (AC) with 40 computer sets has been installed under UGC assistance. |
| 8. | Campus Placements   | Campus Recruitment Drives have been organized by inviting different companies and placements have been offered to more than fifty students. |

**PART – B**

 **Activities reflecting the goals & objectives of the institution:-**

**1)** Sri Ramakrishna Degree (Autonomous) College, being one of the premier colleges in Andhra Pradesh has mission of becoming the college as Centre of Excellence. The college has made all -out effort for quality sustenance and quality enhancement in both curricular and extracurricular activities. All the departments regularly carry out Seminars, Group Discussions, Career Counseling, remedial classes, research oriented activities, developing organizational skill etc.

**2)** **New academic programmes initiated (UG):**

This year 40 seats in B.Com (comp.) course have been added to our existing strength. Proposals have been sent to the U.G.C. for starting a number of Certificate Courses to give a cutting edge to the outgoing students of the college in the job market.

**3)** **Innovations in Curricular Design & Transactions** :

As part of curriculum updating, many of our faculty members took part in various seminars and workshops. The College promotes and encourages such activities by sanctioning the permissible leave to them. In order that the classes are not disrupted, the remaining members will ensure that the periods are not left free, as far as possible.

Sri Ramakrishna Degree (Autonomous) College is affiliated to Sri Krishnadevaraya University, Anantapur. The college has its own Board of Studies & Academic Council to formulate curriculum for each department taking the needs of the current job market & employability opportunities so that the students can be market fit. The Boards of Study of different subjects keep space for introducing innovative and new ideas in our curriculum. Moreover Professors of different departments of Sri Krishnadevaraya University act as the members of our Board of Studies and Academic Council. Therefore the syllabi prepared and presented for UG and PG classes are meaningful, updated and innovative in nature.

The meetings of the **Boards of Studies** of various Departments for the academic year 2007-08 were held on 4th March 2007. The meetings were held in a very thoughtful and meaningful manner and they were further enriched by the valuable contribution from the eminent professors who were drawn from the parent university and also from various reputed educational institutions spread across the state.

**4)** **Interdisciplinary Programmes started**:

The college has introduced Environmental Science & History of freedom Movement & Indian culture in Under Graduate curriculum for all students of Science, Arts and Commerce as compulsory subjects which are interdisciplinary in nature.

**5) Examination reforms Implemented**:

Sri Ramakrishna Degree (Autonomous) College has its examination cell headed by the Controller of Examinations. The college has formulated its Academic Regulations taking the guidelines of Sri Krishnadevaraya University, to conduct the examinations of UG and PG courses. The college has introduced internal assessment, seminar, group discussion, field study and project studies to keep the students engaged in their study and monitor their progress throughout the academic year.

**6)       Initiative towards Faculty Development programmes**

           Workshops & Seminars are organized by various universities & colleges of Andhra Pradesh under UGC assistance to bring about attitudinal changes in teachers and to impress on them the effectiveness of methodologies as teaching tools. Most of the teachers participate in the state level & National level seminars & workshops. Young teachers also attend the refresher courses of different universities on a regular basis. Teachers of this prestigious institution are invited to different colleges & organizations of nearby locality as guests/ speakers & resource persons in different occasions.

**7) Total no of Seminars / workshop conducted**:

        A total number of twenty one seminars/workshops have been conducted during the year.

* A Workshop on **“Nuclear Treaty- Its Impact on India”** was conducted on 20th September 2007.
* A **“National Level Paper Presentation Competition”** was organized by the Department of Computer Science of the college on 15th September 2007.
* A seminar on **“Ancient Scientific Heritage”** wasorganizedby the Department of Physics of the college on 16th September 2007.
* A Guest Lecturer on **“Drug Discovery”** was organized by the Department of Biochemistry on 29th September 2007.
* It is proposed organize a guest lecturer on **“Quantum Mechanics”** by the Department of Physics on 3rd October 2007.
* A guest lecturer on **“Relationship Banking”** was conducted by the Department of Commerce on 5th October 2007.
* A Workshop on **“Cancer Care”** was organized jointly by the departments of Biochemistry and Biotechnology on 6th October 2007.
* A seminar on **“Team Building** **and Organizational Excellence”** was organized by the Department of Commerce and Management of the college on 19th November 2007.
* A **“Workshop on Careers in Commerce Education”** was conducted by the Department of Commerce and Management of the college on 2nd December 2007
* It is proposed to organize a seminar on the **“Role of Electronics in Every Day Life”** by the Department of Electronics of the college on 29th December 2007.
* A seminar on **“The** **Physics of Lasers”** was organizedby the Department of Physics of the college on 29th December 2007.
* A seminar on **“The Role and Regulation of** **UPA Receptor on Brain Cancer Growth”** was conducted by the Departments of Biotechnology and Biochemistry of the college on 20th December 2007.
* A seminar on the importance of **“Computer Programming Languages in the Industrial Sector”** was organized by the Department of Computer Science on 2nd January 2008.
* A guest lecture on “**Boudha Dharma** “was conducted on 3rd February 2008.
* A workshop on **“Preventing Suicidal Tendencies** **among the students”** was conducted on 10th February 2008.
* A **“Workshop on Anthrax and Bird Flue”** was organized by the NSS Units of the college on 11th February 2008.
* A one day **“Workshop on Laws and Women Empowerment”** was organized on 15th February 2008.
* A one day **“Workshop on Entrepreneurship Development Programme”** was organized by the Department of Commerce on 19th February 2008.
* A seminar on **“Recent Trends in Space Technology”** was conducted by the Department of Physics on 27th February 2008.
* 20. **“Ripples 2008 - National Level Management Meet”** was held by the
	+ Department of Management on March 2008.
* 21. A seminar on **“Recent Advances in Plant Science”** was organized by the Department of Botany of the college on 4th January 2008.

**8)      Research Projects:**

           The teaching faculty as well as the student community has been advised to take up Research work in right earnest. The teaching faculty has been promised all possible help from the management side in this regard. The teachers have also been asked to apply for Minor Research Projects as well as the Major Research Projects sponsored by the University Grants Commission, New Delhi.

Dr. G. Ramakrishna Reddy, Principal has brought out the following Research Papers:

* Investment Behaviour of Rural Investors – with special reference to Rayalaseema Region of Andhra Pradesh, INDIAN ECONOMIC PANORAMA, Vol.17 No.4, January 2008, New-Delhi.
* Risk Assessment of Investment Avenues, TREASURY MANAGEMENT, July 2007, The Icfai University, Hyderabad.

**9)     New collaborative research programmes**

            Steps are being taken for the purpose.

**10)     Research Grant received during 11th Plan period from UGC and completed MRP.**

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**11)     Details of Research Scholars**

**RESEARCH DEGREES AWARDED UNDER THE GUIDENCE OF**

**Dr. G.RAMA KRISHNA REDDY**

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| **S.No** | **Name of the Research Scholar** | **Title of the Dissertation** | **Degree Awarded** |
| 1 | Sri M. Rama Subba Reddy | Sources of Finance with special reference to Venture Capital | M.Phil. |
| 2 | Smt. G. Renuka | Development of women Entrepreneurship – a case study of Kurnool District in A.P | Ph.D. |
| 3 | Sri. U.V.S. Kumar | Performance Evaluation System | M.Phil. |
| 4 | Kum. V.J. Vani | Motivational Environment in Andhra Pradesh Power Generation Corporation – A case study of Rayalaseema Thermal Power | Ph.D. |
| 5 | SriM. Ramasubba Reddy | Quality of Work Life in Nandi Group of Firms | Ph.D. |
| 6 | M.Rama Rajasekhar | Labour Welfare Practices | M.Phil. |
| 7 | B.Venkata Ramudu | Human Resource Accounting Practices in India | M.Phil. |
| 8 | Sri Siva Ramaprasad | Working of ATMs of SBI | Ph.D. |

 **12)      Honours**

* Dr. G. Ramakrishna Reddy, Principal, Participated in Sixth AIMS INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON MANAGEMENT organized by AIMS International at IBA, Greater Noida on December 28-31,2008 and presented a paper on Significance on Human Resources in service sector.
* Dr. G. Ramakrishna Reddy, Principal,Participated in 4th International Conference-2008 on ‘’ENTREPRENUERSHIP IN NEW ECONOMY”, Organised by Rajiv Academy for Technology & Management, MATHURA (UP) on February 14-16, and presented paper on ‘’Women Entreprenuers-Prospects and challenges”.
* Dr. G. Ramakrishna Reddy, Principal,Participated in the International Conference on RETAILING IN THE GLOBALISED ERA-PERSPECTIVES & CHALLENGES, Organised by School Management Studies, University of Hyderabad on January 10-12, 2008 and presented a paper on Retailing the Globalised Era.
* Dr. G. Ramakrishna Reddy, Principal Participated and Presented a paper on “Perceptions Of Rural Insurance Policy Holders in Kurnool District of AP” at a National Level Seminar Organized by SKIM, SKUniversity Anantapur . (March 29 -30,2008)
* Dr. G. Ramakrishna Reddy, Principal Participated in National Seminar on “EDUCATION-INDUSTRY LINKAGES (FOCUS ON BUSINES EDUCATION) Organised by the Brihan Maharashtra College of Commerce, Poone on February 17-19, 2008.

**13)      Internal Resource generated**

College collected an amount of Rs.82,09,205 towards special fees and tuition fees during admission time from each student which is main internal source.

**14)     Library, admission and examination system have been computerized.**

**15)     Community Services.**

Sri Ramakrishna Degree (Autonomous) College has social responsibility towards the public of this locality. It has launched various community services and awareness programmes in the nearby locality. NSS & NCC units of the college have carried out many service activities.

* Anti - dowry, anti-drug, and anti- aids awareness programmes have been launched by the students.
* Department of Political Science in active association with the NSS units of the college conducted a Seminar on women empowerment.
* Department of Economics has conducted a one day workshop on The Impact of Nuclear Treaty with the U.S. on India.
* A **“Tree Plantation Programme”** was carried out by the NCC Units of the college on 2nd August 2007.
* A **“Mega Blood Donation Camp”** was conducted by the NSS Units of the college on 24th of September 2007

 **16)     Teaching-Non teaching staff ratio**

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**17)      Improvement in the Library Services**

Open access to library for UG and PG students has been done. Computerization of library has been accomplished. New Equipments, Books, CDs and Journals have been purchased for their better display & placement. Internet facilities have been provided with browsing facilities. The library has subscribed for number of New Magazines / Journals.

**18)      New Books / Journals subscribed and their cost**

            An amount of Rs.7,68,500/-has been spent for purchasing new books, CDs and subscribing to journals during the year.

 The list of Books, CDs and journals is enclosed.

**19)     Assessment of teachers by students has been introduced and this will act as**

 **student feedback.**

The Principal of the college makes arrangement in the month of March to collect information from students on the teachers and activities of the department through supplying feedbacks forms. It helps in improving the academic activities of the department and efficiency of the teachers.

**20)     Unit Cost of Education**

            Rs. 4,570/-

**21)     Computerization of administrative section, the process of admission conduct**

 **of exam, publication of result, issue of certificates.**

Computerization of general office, Accounts Section, Academic Section, Examination Section and Controller of Examination Section has been done.  As an autonomous college, admission work & issue of certificates to students are done through computer.

**22)     Increase in the Infrastructure facilities**

A new computer laboratory has been established with 40 systems for the benefit of non-computer science students of the college.

**23)     Technology up gradation**

Office, Accounts, Academic Section, Examination Section, Admission Section, Library have been computerized. A new computer lab has been created to facilitate computer literacy to non-computer students of the college. Our new website is already ready for visit as  [www. srkdc.ac.in](http://www.------------)

**24)      Computer & Internet access and training to teachers & Students**

Desktop, Laptop & Projectors have been provided to all Science, Arts & Commerce Departments. Computer & Internet access training has been given to the staff and some students.

**25)      Financial aid to students**

Govt. of Andhra Pradesh has provided an amount of Rs.46,13,648/- in the form of Scholarships to students belonging to scheduled castes, scheduled tribes, backward classes, Economically backward sections, Minorities and physically challenged students. Besides, the college management provides financial aid to the poor and meritorious students through Fee waivers & Fee concessions.

**26)     Support from alumni Association and its Activities.**

Alumni Association is there to support the students and Administration in improving the academic activities of the college.

An **“Alumni Meet”** was conducted on 24th May 2007.The president of the association announced a gold medals to the first rankers in each programme in the final year degree examinations. He also presented the principal of the college with a cheque of Rs. 20,000/- for establishing a Book Bank in the college for the benefit of the poor students.

**27)     Support from Parent - Teachers Association and its activities**

The parent - teachers meeting is held on 15th June 2007. Parents’ contribution has been sought in improving the attendance patterns of the students, maintaining discipline and beautification of the campus.

**28)      Health Services**

The college has a sophisticated well equipped gymnasium and Yoga Centre. Every day Yoga classes are held in the morning. NSS & NCC units conduct Blood donation camp. Anti -Drug, Anti -Aids and Anti -Ragging awareness programme have been launched. NSS units have also launched an awareness programme on health management, environment protection, saving water & power.

A “**Meditation, Medication and** **Yoga Camp”** for improving the Physical, Mental and Spiritual Qualities of the students was held on 04th May 2007.

**29)**    **Games and Sports**

The Department of Physical Education has conducted inter class cricket, football, volleyball, carom, badminton and kabaddi tournaments with great success. Incentives in the form of Fee waivers, Fee concessions, sports uniform and sports shoes are provided to deserving students who have excelled in sports and games.

Students Union & Athletic Association of the college organized various literary, cultural, sports and Athletic competition among the students.

**30)     Activities of Guidance & Career Counseling Cell**

There is a career counseling Cell for the students which guide them in choosing the right subject during admission. It also offers tips in the matter like admission, examination, project study, seminars & Group discussions activities, field study etc. The cell also organizes meeting at a regular interval by inviting consultants, professionals, eminent professors, industrialists, and bankers etc to provide right counseling for building their career. The cell organized the following programmes during the academic year 2007-2008.

* A seminar on **“Personality Development”** was organized on 21st August 2007.
* A seminar on **“Youth-Moral Values”** was conducted on 10th September 2007.
* The Valedictory Function for the college students who have successfully completed the **“Personality Development Course”** was held on 10th October 2007.
* A training programme has been conducted for the eligible final year students for the **“Campus Placement Drive”** to be held by Infosys Technologies Limited in the month of October 2007. The Training Programme was conducted by the teaching faculty who had been trained at the Infosys Campus in Hyderabad.
* It is proposed to conduct a seminar on **“The Effect of the Cinema on the Student Community”** on 2nd November 2007.
* A **“Passport Mela”** was held on the college premises on 20th November 2007.
* A guest lecture on **“Presentation Skills”** was conducted for the final year students on 22nd February 2008.
* The Jawahar Knowledge Centre was setup on 4th February 2008 in the college to Guide and Train the college students to secure placements in the IT and ITES sector. The centre was inaugurated by Sri. Amarnath Reddy, CEO, JKC.

**31)     Placement services provided to students**

Sri Ramakrishna Degree (Autonomous) College provides general education as well as some Diploma courses in Insurance Business & Marketing Management and P.G. Diploma in Banking & Insurance Management. The college has a placement cell under the supervision of placement officer Sri. U.V.S. Kumar, Senior Lecturer in Computer Science. The placement cell organizes campus placement drives for providing placements to deserving students. The following are the Campus Placement Drives organized by the cell during the academic year 2007-2008.

A **“Campus Recruitment Drive”** was conducted on the college campus by the Infosys Technologies Ltd. on 23rd May 2007 and four students of the college were selected by the HR Team of the company.

* A **“Campus Recruitment Drive”** was held on the college premises in association with the Cease Fire Industries Ltd. on 15th December 2007.
* The college students have participated in the **“Campus Recruitment Drive”** held by the Infosys Technologies Limited on 21st January 2008.
* A **“Campus Recruitment Drive”** was organized on the college premises in association with Carvey Consultancies and ICICI Limited on 7th **March 2008.**

**32)     Development programmes for non teaching staff**

The non teaching staff are being provided loans at a cheaper rate of interest during their need.

**33)    Best Practices of the Institution**

           Best practices of the institute includes

1. Excellent Academic Atmosphere with sincere, committed and honest teachers.
2. Very disciplined and ragging free institution.
3. Quality work culture institution.
4. Cordial human relation between staff and students.
5. Transparent & honest administration as per the directions of Govt. of Andhra Pradesh.
6. Various competitions were held for the students on the occasion of the **“150th Annual Celebrations of the First War of Independence”** in the month of September 2007.

**34) Linkages developed with National/ International, cademic/research bodies:**

1. College is linked with Sri Krishna Devaraya University, Anantapur and Sri Venkateswara University, Tirupathi for offering meaningful courses to the students of this district and neighboring districts.

**35) Any other relevant information:**

Sri Ramakrishna Degree (Autonomous) College has four NSS wings, two each for boys and girls. The NSS units work under the guidance of University and State Level authorities. N.S.S units have conducted regular camps and special camps in the nearby localities. NSS units have rendered yeomen’s service in the campus cleaning, plantation work and beautification programmes. NSS has also observed National Youth Day and Gandhi Jayanti. NSS has also initiated various popular welfare and awareness programmes in the adopted villages. Awareness programmes like Anti - aids, Anti - Drug, Environmental Pollution, Conservation of Ecology and saving of power have been properly conducted. The NSS units have organized special orientation programmes for NSS volunteers. This motivation and leadership infuses inspiration among the volunteers which helps in a big way to serve the society most effectively.

**N.C.C. :**

The NCC units of the college are doing a fine job under the active guidance of Lt. E.V. Bhaskara Reddy and Lt. V.C.L. Saraswathi. The extension activities of the NCC units are praise worthy during 2007-08. The units have conducted Blood donation Camp in collaboration with Local Medical Officials. The units are also serving the poor and needy people at the time of their distress. The units have conducted awareness programmes on road safety, health and sanitation and disaster management.

* NCC **“Enrolment Programme”** of the Boys and Girls NCC Units of the college was held on 08th of August 2007.
* **“Gandhiji’s Birth Anniversary”** was celebrated in a grand manner on 2nd October in Grand Manner by the NSS Units of the college.
* A workshop on **“Traffic Rules”** was organized in collaboration with the local police department on 17th of November 2007.
* The **“NCC Day”** was celebrated in a grand manner on the third Sunday of November 2007.
* A **“Mega Blood Donation Camp”** was held on the occasion of the NCC Day celebrations on 27th of November 2007.

**CAMPUS BEAUTIFICATION:**

A committee was constituted under the Chairmanship of Principal to look after the campus beautification. The college NSS and NCC units took initiative to beautify the campus in view of the visit of Expert Team of UGC to grant further autonomy. Various seasonal flower plants, medicinal plants were planted during the winter and in last summer. Apart from this small show plants and flower plants were planted inside the college campus to enhance the greenery and the scenic beauty of the campus.

**STUDENTS ASSOCIATION**:

The students Association of the college has organized inaugural function & Farewell functions in the college premises by inviting eminent professors & scholars. It has organized various literary competitions, Quizzes and cultural activities. The advisory board of the Students Association motivates the members of the association to work for the interest of the students and institution.

**CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES:**

 Curricular and extracurricular activities of all departments are smoothly managed by the teachers. Most of the teaching staff / faculty members/ teachers have covered their course in time even by engaging extra classes. Seminars and group discussions, quiz tests were arranged for the benefit of students. Most of the teachers had attended state level and national level seminars and conferences and organized by other colleges and universities. Career counseling, examination orientation and keeping better human relation were done by teachers in addition to their teaching work.

**EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES :**

 In addition to teaching and learning process, most of the departments took interest in organizing study tours and industrial visit during last winter. Dept. of Commerce, History, Political Science, Zoology, Botany, Chemistry and Economics have conducted study tours to various sites of historical and geographical importance. There is a tradition that all the departments conduct welcome and farewell ceremonies and other cultural programmes to foster team spirit and leadership skill of the students. Students of all departments took interest in making the campus green.

 **CULTURAL ACTIVITIES:**

              The Cultural Committee of Sri Ramakrishna Degree (Autonomous) College has organized a good number of cultural programmes like music competitions, song competitions, dance, one act play, mono action etc., on the occasion of Saraswati Puja, Teachers Day, National Youth Day and Republic Day.

 **MORAL SUPPORT FROM THE PRINCIPAL :**

             Our principal Dr. G. Ramakrishna Reddy is an erudite scholar. He is a dynamic man with great vision. He is simple, humble and a good leader. He always inspires and motivates staff and students for the all-round development of the institution.

It was his sincere effort and able guidance which helped the college in scaling new heights. He took all initiative to make the college campus green and open access of library for students.

 He takes a keen interest in the infrastructural development of the college. Besides the developmental work, he takes personal initiatives in the development of college garden and campus beautification. He also encourages staff and student both in curricular and extracurricular activities. Dr. G. Ramakrishna Reddy is a very busy social worker. Out of his busy schedule he manages to give time in all developmental activities of the institution for which the institution remains always thankful to him.

**SUPPORT OF THE GOVERNING BODY:**

            The **Governing Body** of the College is very dynamic and enthusiastic. Dr.C.Venkat Reddy, President of the **Governing Body** and other members take keen interest in the infrastructural development of the college. Dr.G. Ramakrishna Reddy, Principal & Correspondent has personal interest in gardening and plantation. Beside the developmental works he takes personal initiatives in the development of college garden and campus beautification. He also encourages staff and student both in curricular and extracurricular activities. Dr. Dr.G. Ramakrishna Reddy is a very busy social worker. Out of his busy schedule he manages to give time in all developmental activities of the institution for which the institution remains always thankful to him.

**PLAN OF ACTION FOR THE NEW SESSION 2008-09**

          The following programmes which proclaim the commitment of the institution to the society and for the enhancement of quality of the teaching learning process and the infrastructure of the institution have been planned for the academic year 2008-09.

* All the Departments should organize at least one national seminar as part of the quality enhancement measures.
* In order to enhance the research capabilities of the College and to encourage those teachers who are involved in research, the construction of a research block was planned. The financial support of the alumni, working in and outside India, may be mobilized for this purpose.
* Maximum help to be extended all the teachers willing to apply for the UGC projects.
* The Career oriented add-on courses to be effectively organized to enhance the employability quotient of our students.
* A media seminar, to be organized to orient the students to the field of Journalism.
* A Career awareness programme is to be organized for the teaching faculty members and the non teaching staff separately.

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