

LOYOLA COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES THIRUVANANTHAPURAM



CRITERION 5- STUDENT SUPPORT AND PROGRESSION

5.3 STUDENT PARTICIPATION AND ACTIVITIES

5.3.2 Institution facilitates students' representation and engagement in various administrative, co-curricular and extracurricular activities following duly established processes and norms (student council, students representation on various bodies)

Student Associations - Loyola Association of Disaster Studies (LADS)

REPORT OF ACTIVITIES CONDUCTED BY LOYOLA ASSOCIATION OF DISASTER STUDIES STUDENTS - 2021

Loyola Association of Disaster Studies (LADS)



Loyola Association of Disaster Studies (LADS) is the association of the department of disaster management, that came into position on 23/06/2021. LADS aims at the advancement of its individuals as committed social workers in the field of disaster management through meaningful involvements in diverse projects and programmes. It aims to mould the youth into socially responsive citizens capable of engaging with contemporary issues. The vision of LADS is also to work for the capacity building of communities in disaster resilience by promoting disaster studies and training programmes and eventually build up as an established organization working for the welfare of communities.

OBJECTIVES

1. To develop dedicated professionals in the field of Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR)
2. To promote disaster studies with active engagement in different dimensions.
3. To liaise with various organizations for collaborative actions in DRR

The executive of LADS comprises of nine members namely the president, vice-president, secretary, joint-secretary, treasurer, and four executive committee members. There is a staff advisor to guide the association activities.

LADS (LOYOLA ASSOCIATION OF DISASTER STUDIES) INAUGURATION

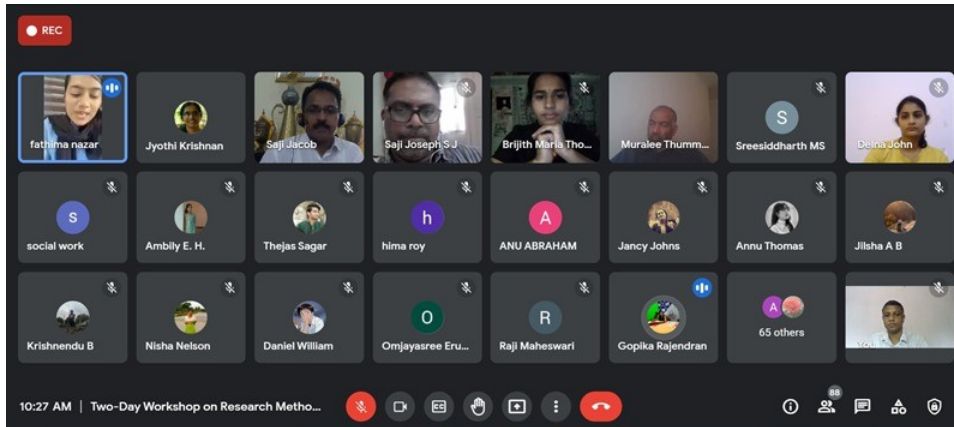
Inauguration ceremony of the student association department of disaster management- LADS (Loyola Association of Disaster Studies) is conducted on 23th June 2021 on online platform. Chief guest of the program was Dr. Muralee Thummarkudy (Chief of Disaster and Conflict branch, United Nations Environment Programme). The program was started at 10.30 am and anchored by Fathima Nazar, Department of Disaster Management. The welcome speech was

delivered by Dr. Saji P Jacob, Principal of Loyola College of Social Sciences. Dr Saji thanked and welcomed the chief guest and all other members. He recalled the contributions made by Dr. Thummarakudy during the inception workshop that was held to finalise the curriculum of the disaster management course. Dr. Muralee Thummarkudy delivered his inaugural speech. He spoke about issues related to employment in the post COVID World. Dr. Joice K Joseph- faculty coordinator of LADS introduced the association members. The logo of the Association was also released at the meeting. Dr. Sonny Jose, HOD of Department of Social Work delivered the felicitation message. The program was augmented with 118 participants. Finally, Dr. Jyothi Krishnan, HOD of Department of Disaster Management proposed vote of thanks.

Fig: 1- Dr. Muralee Thummarkudy releasing LADS logo



Fig:2- A screen shot from LADS inauguration





Loyola College of Social sciences

Loyola Association of Disaster Studies

Student Coordinators



Sneha Mathew
(President)



Staff Coordinator



Dr. Joice K Joseph



Akshara Sobhanan
(Vice President)



Prijin S Kumar
(Secretary)



Abhirami S
(Joint Secretary)



Ashin P J
(Treasurer)

Executive Members



Brijith Maria Thomas



Bilbilal P Saji



Arun Anil

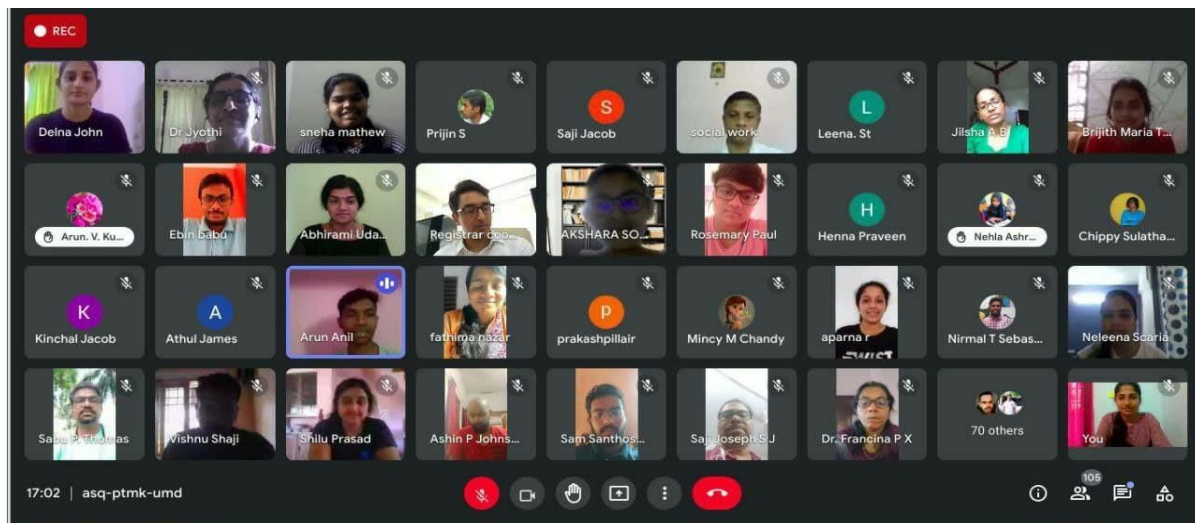


Sam Santhosh Mathew

LADS LECTURE SERIES INAUGURATION

LADS lecture series inauguration was the first program of Loyola Association of Disaster Studies. The program conducted on 19th July 2021 in online platform due to the covid restrictions. The chief guest for the day was P B Nooh IAS (Former District Collector, Pathanamthitta. Registrar, Co-operative Societies & CEO, Life Mission, Govt. of Kerala). The program was started at 03:30 PM. The welcome speech was addressed by Dr. Saji P Jacob, principal of Loyola College of social sciences. Introduction to the lecture series was given by Dr. Jyothi Krishnan, HOD, Department of Disaster Management. Inaugural address for the same are given by Fr. Sunny Kunnappallil. Speaker P B Nooh IAS took a lecture on the topic 'A District Collector in times of Floods and Pandemics'. Participants were able to realize how an administrator should be at the time of disasters. The program was enriched with 185 participants from different fields.

Fig: 1- A screen shot from LADS Lecture Series Inauguration



INVITED LECTURE: PROF VINOD CHANDRA MENON

Report for Activity Log SI. No.:			
Programme Name	Invited Lecture	Organizer	Loyola Association of Disaster Studies (LADS)
Date	12-07-2021	Time	10 AM-1 PM
Venue	Google platform	Faculty in-charge	Dr. Jyothi Krishnan
		Student in-charge	Dr. Joice K Joseph
			Ms. Sneha Mathew
			Mr. Sam Santhosh Mathew

Programme Objectives/ Agenda	<u>Conduct a lecture on the topics:</u> 1. History of disasters in India, from colonial times to the covid crisis in the 21 st century. 2. Disaster typologies and policy framework for DM in India
Resource Person (s)	Prof. N. Vinod Chandra Menon Founder Member of National Disaster Management Authority
Participants (Details & Number)	A total of participants 91 - the details attached as annexure – I
Programme Activities	The program began at 10 am and was anchored by Nitya Nibu, Department of Disaster Management. The welcome speech was delivered by Dr. Jyothi Krishna, the HOD of Department of Disaster Management. Followed by that Principal Dr. Saji P Jacob gave an introduction to the programme and he talked about Prof. N. Vinod Chandra Menon. Prof. N. Vinod Chandra Menon spoke about information related to various aspects of disasters with two

	sessions. Many students asked several questions during an interactive time, followed by every session.
Programme Outcomes/Action taken	From the speech of Prof. N. Vinod Chandra Menon, the participants learned more about disasters, their history, disaster management etc. Students also gained ideas about how a disaster can affect the whole community and the importance of proper disaster management in India. Through slides and presentation, it was very informative to acquire various aspects related to Disasters.
Supporting Documents	Photo (s) Supporting documents are attached as an annexure

Annexures:

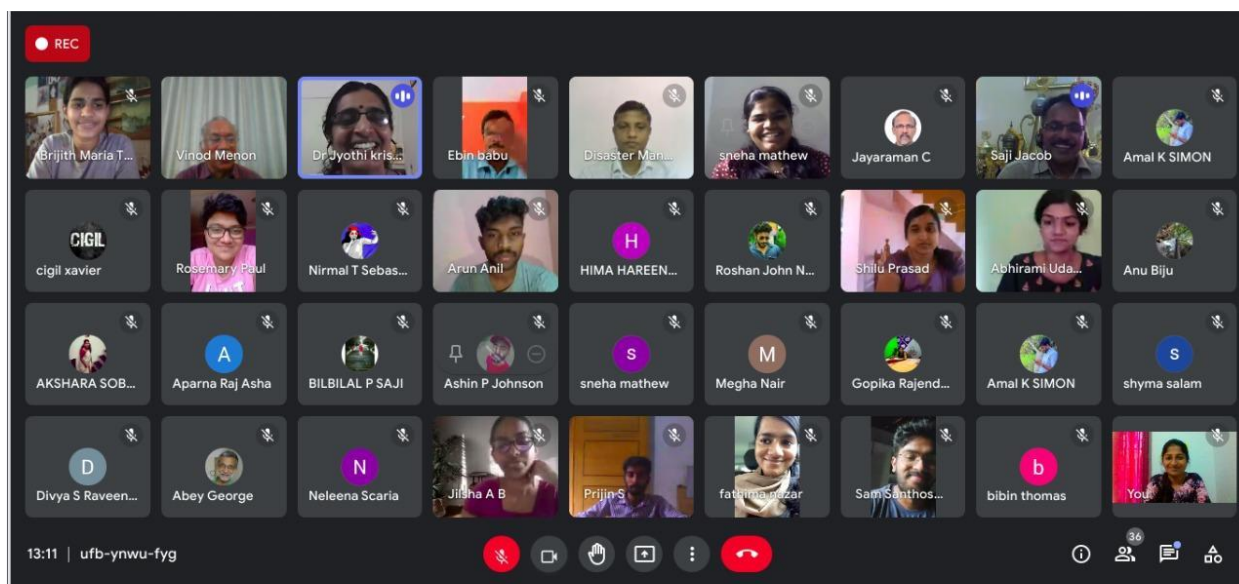




Fig: 1 A screenshot from the Meet



Fig:2- A screenshot from the Meet




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Loyola Association of Disaster
Studies



Invited Lecture

On 12th July 2021



Prof. N. Vinod Chandra Menon
Founder Member of National Disaster
Management Authority (NDMA)

SESSION 1
10 AM to 11:30 AM Historiography of Disasters in India :
From Colonial Times to the Covid Crisis in the 21st Century.

SESSION 2
11:45 AM to 1 PM : Disaster Typologies and Policy
Framework for DM in India

ALL ARE WELCOME !

Principal
Dr. Sajj P Jacob

Head of the Department
Dr. Jyothi Krishnan

Sam Santhosh Mathew
Student Coordinator
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Fig: 3- Programme poster

Table 1: Participant list

	Name	Time Joined	Duration
1	Aarya Mathew	7/12/21 10:05	1:26:15
2	Abey George	7/12/21 9:45	2:34:06
3	Abhi Jith	7/12/21 10:01	0:03:51
4	Abhirami Udayan	7/12/21 9:41	2:46:43
5	Adithya Kumar	7/12/21 10:14	0:38:38
6	Adithya Udayan	7/12/21 10:23	1:08:07
7	Akshara Sobhanan	7/12/21 9:43	2:26:20
8	Aliyath Sumayya	7/12/21 10:06	1:30:06
9	Amal K Simon	7/12/21 10:09	0:25:59
10	Amaldev O B	7/12/21 10:15	0:01:45
11	Anamika UP	7/12/21 9:58	0:30:55
12	Anandhu Bhavanan	7/12/21 10:02	1:07:46
13	Anjali Anjali G.P	7/12/21 11:16	0:44:48
14	Ann rose Mathew	7/12/21 10:07	1:23:23
15	Anu Biju	7/12/21 10:16	2:00:19
16	aparna r	7/12/21 9:46	2:31:07
17	Aparna Raj Asha	7/12/21 10:09	1:55:31
18	Arun Anil	7/12/21 10:06	2:09:21
19	ARUN Sb	7/12/21 9:58	0:13:54
20	Ashin P Johnson	7/12/21 9:49	2:22:15
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22	Athira Varma	7/12/21 9:59	0:14:15
23	bibin thomas	7/12/21 10:17	0:41:26
24	Bilbilal P Saji	7/12/21 9:45	2:23:36
25	Binu MP	7/12/21 12:23	0:03:27
26	botanical girl	7/12/21 9:55	0:00:18
27	Brijith Maria Thomas	7/12/21 9:41	2:45:03
28	cigil xavier	7/12/21 11:40	0:41:44
29	Delna John	7/12/21 9:48	2:25:54
30	Devika Prasad	7/12/21 9:41	1:30:55
31	Disaster Management	7/12/21 9:41	2:47:25
32	Divya S Raveendran	7/12/21 10:01	2:13:31
33	Divya Unni	7/12/21 10:05	0:30:12
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OBSERVING INTERNATIONAL DAY FOR DISASTER RISK REDUCTION

Report for Activity Log SI.No.: 3			
Programme Name	International Disaster Risk Reduction Day Celebration	Organizer	Department of Disaster Management
Date	13-10-2021	Time	11 AM
Venue	Sutter hall	Faculty in-charge	Dr. Jyothi Krishnan
		Student in-charge	Dr. Joice K Joseph
			Ms. Sneha Mathew
			Mr. Prijin S Kumar

Programme Objectives/ Agenda	To celebrate International Disaster Reduction day by organising a lecture talk and conduct poster and model exhibitions
Resource Person (s)	Dr. Thara K.G, Former Member, State Disaster Management Authority

Participants (Details & No.)	A total of 110 Participants from departments of-Sociology, Psychology,MSW,Human Resource Management(HR),And Disaster Management Department
Programme Activities	<p>The program started at 11 am and was anchored by Roshan John Netto, Department of Disaster Management. The welcome speech was delivered by Dr.Saji P Jacob, Principal of Loyola College of Social Sciences. Dr Saji introduced his speech by congratulating the Disaster Management department for organising a well planned programme, and gave a brief account on the importance of disaster management in the current world scenario. Later, Dr.Jyothi Krishnan,HOD of DM Department gave a short account on Dr.Thara KG and welcomed her to the session. Dr.Thara mainly focussed on the governance dimension which is one of the root causes for massive disasters in the world. Corruption in the government sector allows corporates and others to carry out construction activities in hill slopes, and wetlands which make the land more vulnerable to disasters. She mentioned that development is a necessary feature for economic growth, but growth should be based on environmental friendly development activity. Dr.Thara then engaged students by calling out four students from the participants and practically demonstrated how to respond immediately when a person fainted, the students understood how to drag them easily in such situations and she explained that a disaster management professional should know all such basic responding techniques. She strongly critiqued the cutting down of trees in the name of development and she made a strong voice for youth to give concern to such issues in our surroundings. After the lecture session, Vote of thanks was given by Ms. Akshara Shobanan.</p>

	<p>Followed by the model and poster exhibitions. Different kinds of disaster resilient models were created- the Japanese model evacuation camp, Multi purpose cyclone shelter, River Basin. Posters were shown which highlighted the major disasters in India. Group game activities were also arranged for students in the college.</p>
<p>Programme</p> <p>Outcomes/Action taken</p>	<p>International Disaster Risk reduction day awareness was provided at the college level as an initiation from Disaster management department. Resource Person Dr. Thara KG, gave insightful talk that made students to confidently raise their voice against unjust government practises which leads to disasters in future. She also practically helped students to respond during an emergency condition, particularly during a fainted condition. Model exhibitions helped students to improve their skills in creating the models and helped to create more awareness to students, particularly in departments like- MSW, Sociology, Human Resource Management, and Psychology, regarding the importance of such structures. Quizzes were also arranged connecting the Disaster management field and helped to spread more awareness among students.</p>
<p>Supporting Documents</p>	<p>Photo (s)</p> <p>Video Supporting documents attached as annexure</p> <p>Others:</p>

Annexures:

Loyola College of Social Sciences, Trivandrum
Department of Disaster Management

Loyola Association of Disaster Studies (LADS)

Observing International Disaster Risk Reduction Day

Program Chart

Welcome :	Dr Joice K Joseph
Presidential Address :	Dr Saji P Jacob Principal
Keynote Address :	Dr K G Thara Former Member, State Disaster Management Authority, Government of Kerala.
Vote of Thanks :	Ms. Akshara Shobhanan
MOC :	Mr. Roshan John Netto

Date: 13/10/2021
Time: 11.00 AM

Venue: Sutter Hall

Fig. 1 Poster of the programme

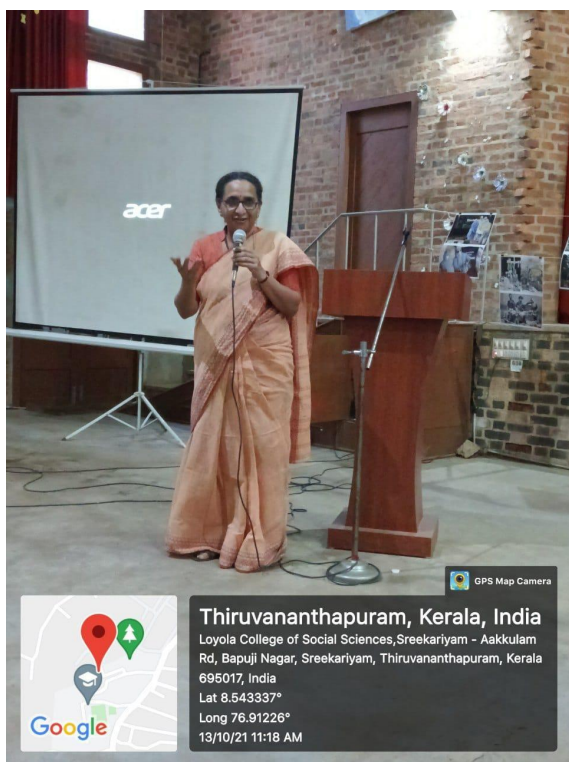


Fig.2 Session by Dr. Thara



DAY OBSERVATIONS



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July 3

International Plastic Bag Free Day



Plastics give a helpful hand, but they are polluting our land.



Make The World A Beautiful Place, Start Reducing Our
Plastic Waste

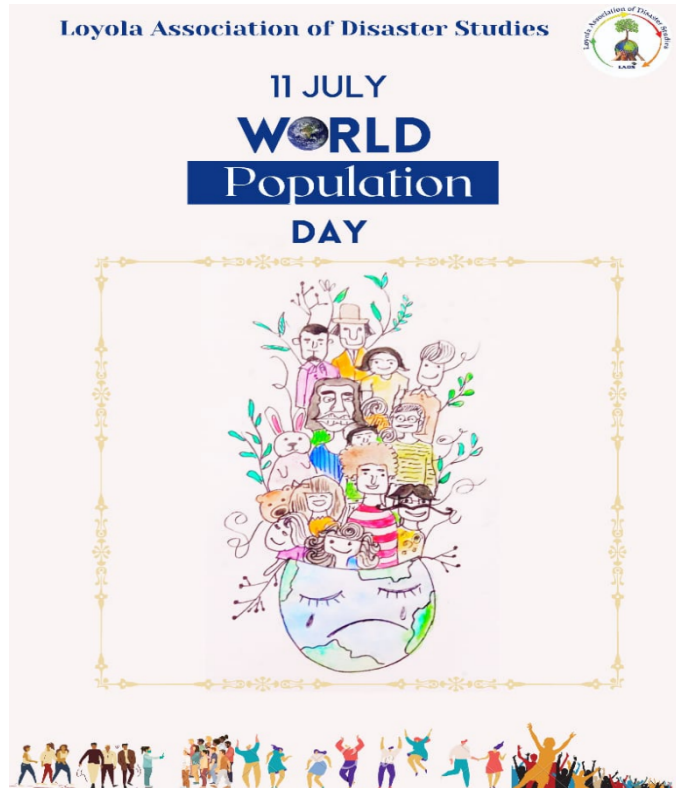
Let's make our Mother Earth Green & Blue once again



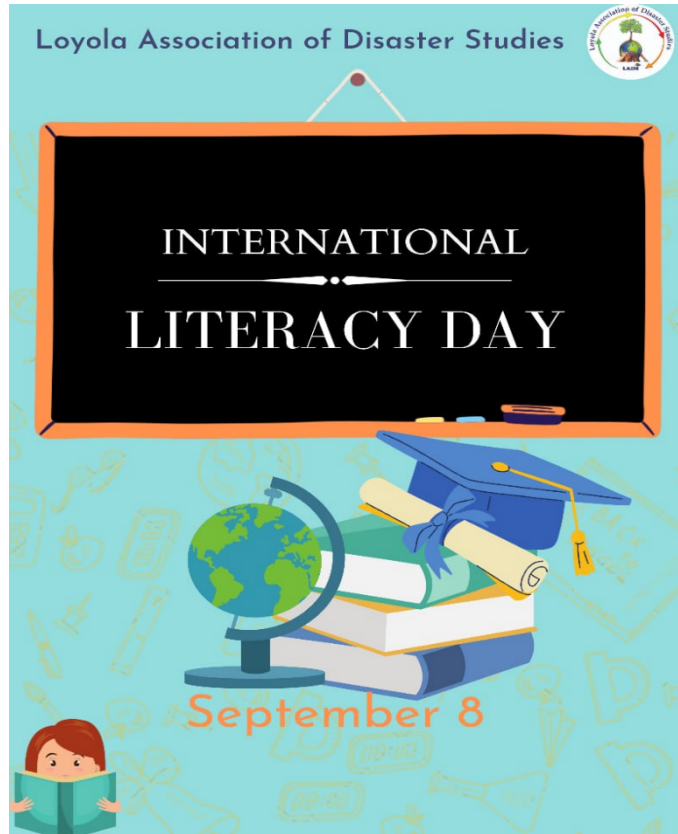
July 3 marks International Plastic Bag Free Day when the world reminds itself of the importance to reduce the usage of plastic in everyday life. Every year, this day is observed to create awareness about the threat caused by plastic pollution to the natural environment, be it land or marine life. As part of the day observation LADS released a poster as part of awareness creation.



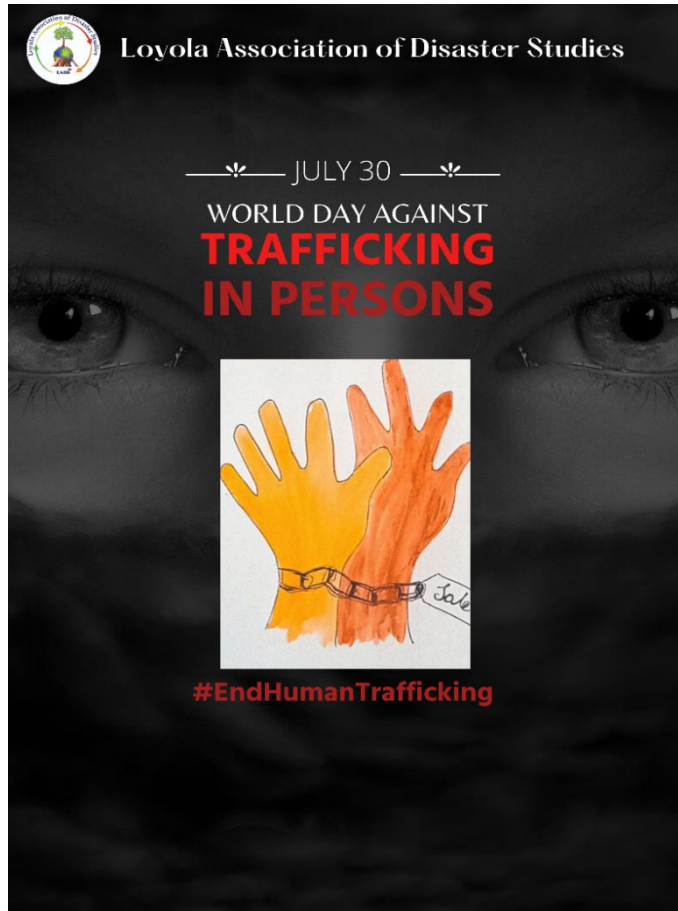
July 12 is dedicated to celebrating Malala Yousafzai, the young activist from Pakistan. Malala was shot at by Taliban insurgents while she was on her way to school in 2012. Later, the United Nations declared July 12, Malala's birthday, as World Malala Day in honour of the young education activist.



World Population Day, which seeks to focus attention on the urgency and importance of population issues, was established by the then-Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme in 1989, an outgrowth of the interest generated by the Day of Five Billion, which was observed on 11 July 1987.



International Literacy Day is celebrated each year on September 8, since 1967, across the globe. This day is celebrated to promote the need for education and a literate society in today's day and age. It is also celebrated to raise awareness about the section of society which still lacks basic education and skills.



July 30 is designated as the World Day against Trafficking in Persons. The day is observed to “raise awareness of the situation of victims of human trafficking and for the promotion and protection of their rights.



SEPTEMBER -28 WORLD RABIES DAY

Dont be scared of Rabies,be aware of it
and Act accordingly...



World Rabies Day is observed every year to raise awareness about the impact of rabies on humans and animals, provide information and advice on how to prevent the disease in at-risk communities and support advocacy for increased efforts in rabies control.



Every year World Humanitarian Day is observed on August 19 across the globe to promote human welfare. The day is dedicated to the people who have sacrificed their lives for the welfare of others.



After the 2004 deadliest Tsunami in the Indian Ocean; The United Nations General Assembly designated 5 November as World Tsunami Awareness Day from December 2015. The basic motive of this day is to increase the awareness about Tsunami among over 700 million people who live in low-lying coastal areas and Small Islands.

VIDEOS RELEASED

Hiroshima Day



Hiroshima Day 2021 marks the 76th anniversary of the killings. On August 6th 1985 US dropped, Little Boy first atomic bomb over Hiroshima. It takes around 10 seconds for the fireball from a nuclear explosion to reach its maximum size, but the effect last for decades and span across generations. 1400,00 killed in this incident. Nagasaki and Hiroshima remained us to put peace first every day; to work on conflict prevention and resolution, reconciliation, and dialogue and to tackle the roots of conflict and violence.

World Drowning Prevention Day There are an estimated 236000 annual drowning deaths worldwide. 25 July is observed as World Drowning Prevention Day.

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There are an estimated 236000 annual drowning deaths worldwide. World Drowning Prevention Day, declared through the April 2021 Un General Assembly Resolution ‘’ Global drowning prevention’’, is held annually on 25 July.

International day for Conservation of Mangroves Ecosystem



Every year on 26 July, we celebrate the International Day for the Conservation of the Mangrove Ecosystem. The day was designated by UNESCO in 2015 to raise awareness on the integral role of mangrove ecosystems as unique, special and vulnerable ecosystems, and to promote solutions for their conservation, sustainable management and utility.

Remembrance of Pettimudi Landslide



On 6 August 2020 a fatal landslide struck the village of Pettimudi in Kerala's. The relentless rainfall triggered the landslide which wrecked lanes of houses in Pettimudi and killed over 70 people.

World Ozone Day



United Nations General Assembly proclaimed 16 September the International Day for the Preservation of the Ozone Layer. This year theme was 'Montreal Protocol -'Keeping us, our food and vaccines cool.

World Tsunami Awareness Day



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