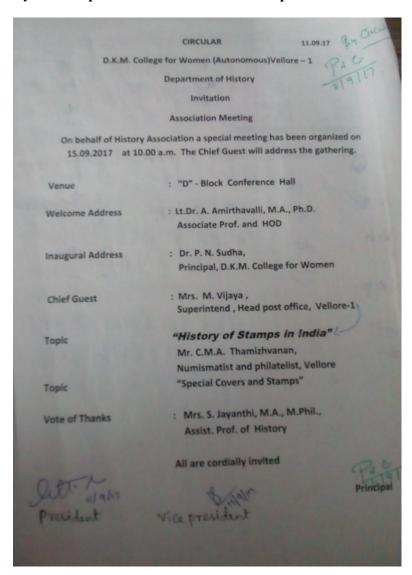
D.K.M. College for Women (Autonomous) Vellore Department of History

Association Meeting 14.09.2017

"History of Stamps in India" & Historical important sites in Vellore.



Report

Department of History in Collaboration with Vellore Head Post Office Conducted and awareness programme to promote saving scheme, Philately among student at "D" Block Conference hall on 12.09.2017 at 10.00 am

Chief Guest Mrs. K. Vijaya, the Superintend of post office Vellore Division, Vellore spoke about the saving schemes available at the post office and different types of stamps. He motivated the students to have saving habit and requested them to open saving accounts in post office. She even created awareness on pradhan Mantri Suraksha Bima Yojana (PMSBY) insurance Schemes that has an annual premium of Rs. 12. That can be covered for four years if they invest Rs. 50.

Mr. Mural, Assistant Superindent of Vellore Division, Mr. S. selva Kumar marketing Executive other postal department members were also present. They assist and guided the students to open saving accounts. Nearly 1000 Students were benefitted by this Programme.

Another speaker Mr. M.Tamilvanan Philatelist conducted a philatelic workshop on the Topic "
The History of Stamps" He explained about History of Stamps, Various types of Stamps and the importance of the hobby of Philately. He said Philately is the king of hobbies. According to the Research conducted by the California University for the oppressed, proved that the habit of collecting stamps by the depressed people highly helped them to reduce their stress. He even stressed that thus Philately hobby have made man wealthy as well as happy. So he advised the students to follow this hobby. He also exhibited his rare collection of stamps and has collected nearly 60,000 stamps. He even going to do Guinness record this year. Through this we can get particular variety of stamps e.g. monuments, personalities, flora, fauna et. Students were very much motivated and they said, would follow this hobby. Nearly 250 students got benefitted.

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