

D.K.M. COLLEGE FOR WOMEN (AUTONOMOUS) VELLORE

DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY

World Tourism Day – 27.09.2024

REPORT

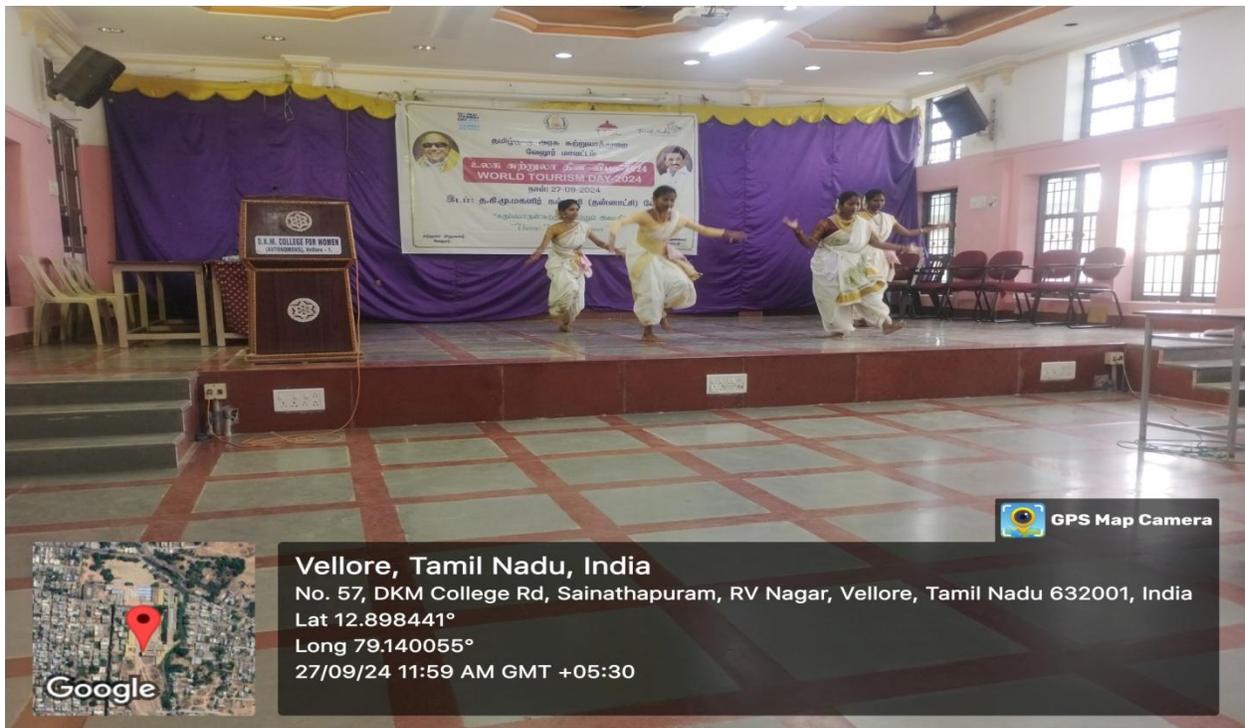
The Department of History in collaboration with Tourism Department Vellore celebrated World Tourism Day on 27.09.24 at 'D' Block Conference Hall. Thiru **D. Maninathan, Secretary and Dr. R.Banumathi**, Principal felicitated the gathering. **Dr. A. Amirthavalli**, Associate Professor & HOD, Department of History welcomed the chief Guest.

Followed this Chief Guest Thiru. Ia Murugan Tourist officer, Vellore District spoke the definition , importance of Tourism, how to preserve tourist places, he also said that tourism helps to develop our country's economy, supporting local business, protect and revive cultural heritage, keep cultural sites, cultural exchange, helps people from different places learn about each others, he also said that tourism lead to improve happiness, well-being.

Iya Swami, Assistant officer of Vellore Tourist department spoke about the importance of tourism and kinds of Tourism like religious tourism, cultural tourism, religious tourism, adventure tourism, eco tourism, medical tourism, wildlife tourism, Business Tourism etc. History is written based on the accounts given by the foreign travelers like Hieun- Tsang and Fa-Hien. In ancient time Travelers exposed the wealth and culture of our India. It led to the foreign invasion of India. Tourism played and Vitol role for the economic development of a country. He further added about the employment opportunities available in the tourist department, expressed his view that tourism creates jobs, strengthens the local economy, it allows people to experience new cultures and lifestyles, which expand their views and understanding of the world.

Followed that our cultural activities performed by the students of various department. Tamilnadu traditional dances like Oyilattam, Karakattam and Bharathanatiyam dances were performed by our students. Many competitions were conducted such as speech, Essay writing, Painting and Drawing. More than 50 students had participated. Certificates were distributed to all the participants by our principal Dr. R. Banumathi, and Thiru. Il Murugan Tourist officer of Vellore Tourism Department. Finally vote of Thanks was delivered by Mrs. S. Jayanthi, Assistant professor of History. Mrs. Vanitha Assistant Professor of history anchored the program.

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Students performing cultural dance (oyilattam) during World Tourism Day celebration

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Dr. R. Banumathi, Principal giving certificate for the winner B. Naveena, II B.Sc. Chemistry, along with our HOD. Dr. A. Amirthavalli, Thiru. K. Saravanan, Curator, Vellore Museum, Thiru. Ila Murugan, Thiru. Iyya Sami Tourism department officers.



Winners of various competitions received certificates

