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SRI SANKARA DENTAL COLLEGE HOSTS “PATHFINDER” CAREER ORIENTATION FOR INTERNS

Sri Sankara Dental College

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“Pathfinder”

A free career orientation session for interns

 Date
January 22

Venue
Lecture Hall 4

Time
12:30pm - 1:30pm

[Join Now](#)

Organised by ;
Celesta students Union &
Pathfinder (Career guidance unit of SSDC)



Dr. J P Anoop (MDS)
(Renowned Orthodontist who provides career orientation for MDS aspirants)

Varkala, Jan 22:

Sri Sankara Dental College, in collaboration with the Celesta Students Union and Pathfinder (the Career Guidance Unit of SSDC), successfully organized “Pathfinder”, a free career orientation session designed exclusively for dental interns.

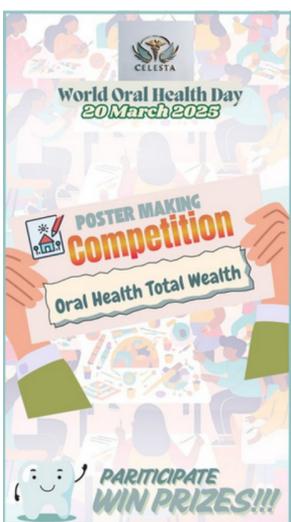
The interactive program, held on January 22 in Lecture Hall 4 from 12:30 pm to 1:30 pm, aimed to provide valuable insights for young dental professionals aspiring to pursue higher studies and advance their careers in dentistry. The session was led by Dr. J P Anoop (MDS), a renowned orthodontist recognized for his expertise in mentoring MDS aspirants. With his vast experience, Dr. Anoop guided students on navigating the challenges of postgraduate education and making informed career choices in the competitive field of dentistry. Organizers said the initiative was part of an ongoing effort to support students in aligning their academic interests with future opportunities. The event received an enthusiastic response from interns, who actively engaged in discussions and sought advice on career pathways. Such programs, faculty members noted, play a crucial role in shaping the professional journey of young dentists by equipping them with clarity, confidence, and direction for the future.

**WORLD ORAL HEALTH DAY -
POSTER MAKING COMPETITION**

On the occasion of World Oral Health Day (20th March 2025), Celesta proudly presents an exciting Poster Making Competition on the theme: **“Oral Health, Total Wealth”** ✨ This is your chance to showcase your creativity while spreading awareness about the importance of oral health in leading a healthy life.

🏆 Attractive Prizes Await the Winners!
✍️ Let your imagination flow, pick up your colors, and create impactful posters that inspire smiles and healthy habits.

📅 Date: 20th March 2025
📍 Venue: [To be filled if needed]



IFTARI '25 - CELESTA COLLEGE UNION ✨🌙

As the holy month of Ramadan brings with it peace, reflection, and togetherness, Celesta College Union invites you to join us for a special evening of Iftari.

🍴 Let's come together to break our fast with good food, great vibes, and cherished company. This gathering is not just about sharing meals, but also about celebrating unity, friendship, and blessings.

📅 Date: 26th March 2025
🕒 Time: 6:15 PM – 7:15 PM
📍 Venue: Sri Sankara Dental College

Bring your smiles, your warmth, and your spirit of togetherness – let's make this Iftari a memorable one!



DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATIVE DENTISTRY AND ENDODONTICS TO HOST ACADEMIC AND CREATIVE COMPETITIONS

The Department of Conservative Dentistry and Endodontics is set to organize an exciting day of learning, creativity, and competition on March 5th at Lecture Hall 1. The event will feature a variety of engaging activities designed to showcase knowledge, innovation, and teamwork among dental students: 1. Table Clinic – An interactive platform where participants can demonstrate clinical knowledge and practical skills. 2. Logo Competition – A creative challenge encouraging students to design and present innovative dental-themed logos. 3. Quiz Competition: Drill As Challenge – A fast-paced test of knowledge, speed, and presence of mind, conducted in a competitive and fun setting. Through these activities, the department aims to foster academic excellence, innovation, and collaboration among budding dental professionals, while also providing them with opportunities to express creativity and sharpen their clinical and intellectual abilities.



- 1. Table Clinic
 - 2. Logo competition
 - 3. Quiz competition :Drill As Challenge
- 📍Lecture Hall 1

THE DEPARTMENT OF PEDIATRIC & PREVENTIVE DENTISTRY, SRI SANKARA DENTAL COLLEGE, VARKALA IS DELIGHTED TO PRESENT A FREE CDE PROGRAM ON DENTAL PHOTOGRAPHY – AN ESSENTIAL SKILL FOR EVERY DENTAL PROFESSIONAL.

Speaker:
 Dr. Rahul R S, MDS
 Reader, Dept. of Orthodontics,
 Sri Sankara Dental College,
 Trivandrum

Date: 19th February 2025
Time: 9:00 AM
Venue: Seminar Hall, Dept. of
 Pediatric & Preventive Dentistry

Highlights of the session:

Importance of dental photography

Choosing the right camera &
 lenses

Camera settings for intraoral &
 extraoral imaging

ABO standards in dental photography

Photo editing software for clinical images

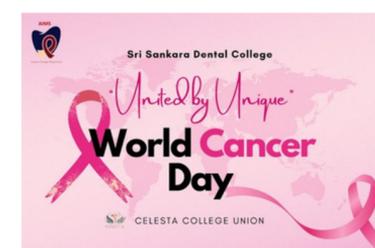
Pros & cons of mobile photography in dentistry

This interactive session will provide practical insights and hands-on guidance to help participants capture precise, professional-quality dental images.



**WORLD
 CANCER DAY –
 “UNITED BY
 UNIQUE”** 🌍❤️

Sri Sankara Dental College, in association with Celesta College Union, proudly observes World Cancer Day, a global initiative dedicated to raising awareness, inspiring change, and uniting people in the fight against cancer. This year’s theme, “United by Unique”, reminds us that while every individual’s journey with cancer is different, together we stand stronger. Each voice, each story, and each effort contributes to breaking the silence, spreading awareness, and fostering hope. On this day, let us honor the warriors, remember the lost, celebrate the survivors, and continue to work towards a future where cancer is no longer a life-defining battle.



SRI SANKARA DENTAL COLLEGE HOSTS PROGRAM ON “SLEEP SMARTER WITH DIGITAL PROSTHODONTICS”

Thiruvananthapuram, Feb. 25 – The Department of Prosthodontics and Implantology at Sri Sankara Dental College (SSDC), in association with the Indian Prosthodontic Society Kerala State Branch, is set to organize an enlightening program titled “Sleep Smarter with Digital Prosthodontics” on February 25, 2025.

