



# SSDC CHRONICLE

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## Doctor's Day celebration

On 1st July 2025, our medical college celebrated National Doctors' Day to honor the dedication, compassion, and invaluable service of doctors to society. The program included felicitations, awareness talks, and interactive sessions highlighting the selfless contributions of the medical fraternity..



Doctors' Day Celebration with Holy Angels Students

On the occasion of National Doctors' Day, July 1, 2025, Sri Sankara Dental College had the privilege of hosting the enthusiastic students of Holy Angels Public School. The celebration was organized to honor the invaluable service of doctors and to inspire young minds about the noble medical profession.

The students of Holy Angels presented beautiful cultural performances and actively participated in interactive sessions with our faculty and students. They expressed their gratitude towards doctors through songs, skits, and speeches, highlighting the importance of healthcare and compassion in society.

The program created a lively atmosphere, strengthening the bond between the medical fraternity and the younger generation. The event concluded with words of encouragement from our Principal, motivating the students to imbibe values of service and dedication in their future paths.



## Blood Donation Camp at Our Medical College

On 27th July 2025, our medical college organized a Mega Blood Donation Camp in association with the State Bank of India – Kerala Circle and Celesta College Union.

The camp was part of SBI's CSR initiative to mark its 70th Foundation Year, aiming to collect 70,000 blood units across Kerala. Students, staff, and volunteers came forward

enthusiastically to donate blood, spreading the message "Share the Gift of Life – Donate Blood, Save Lives."



MEGA BLOOD DONATION CAMP ALL OVER KERALA

SHARE THE GIFT OF LIFE  
DONATE BLOOD, SAVE LIVES



70th Foundation 70,000 Blood units

Venue : Sri Sankara Dental College  
STATE BANK OF INDIA  
KERALA CIRCLE

## PROUD MOMENTS OF SSDC

MAN KI BAT SEASON V TALENT HUNT



Avantika J

We are delighted to congratulate our first-year student Avantika J for her remarkable achievement. She has been selected among the 30 youth from Kerala to visit New Delhi, interact with the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India, and participate in the Independence Day celebrations as part of the Mann Ki Baat Season V Talent Hunt.

## ACHIEVEMENTS IN NATIONAL LEVEL COMPETITION



POOJA S NAIR

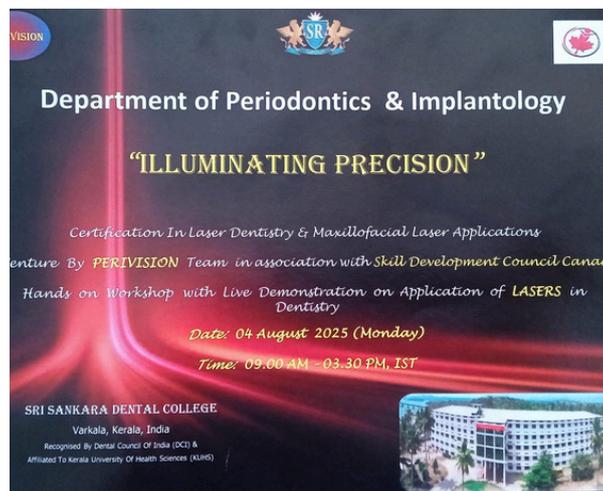
We proudly congratulate our House Surgeon, Ms. Pooja S Nair, for securing the Second Place in the National Level Health Talk Competition hosted by the Department of Public Health Dentistry, Yenepoya Dental College, Yenepoya.

# Workshops and Orientations

## Workshop on Laser Dentistry – Illuminating Precision

The Department of Periodontics & Implantology, Sri Sankara Dental College, organized a hands-on certification workshop titled “Illuminating Precision” on 4th August 2025. The event was conducted by the PERIVISION Team in association with the Skill Development Council, Canada.

The workshop focused on Laser Dentistry and Maxillofacial Laser Applications, featuring live demonstrations and practical training on the use of lasers in dentistry. Participants gained valuable exposure to cutting-edge techniques that enhance precision and efficiency in dental practice.



Workshop on laser dentistry

## Anti-Ragging Orientation Program

An Anti-Ragging Orientation Program was organized at Sri Sankara Dental College on 12th August 2025 at Lecture Hall 3. The session aimed to create awareness among students about the importance of maintaining a safe, respectful, and inclusive campus environment.

The program began with an inaugural address by our Principal, who emphasized the need to uphold discipline, unity, and mutual respect within the college. Faculty members highlighted the legal aspects of ragging, the role of anti-ragging committees, and the strict measures enforced by the institution to ensure a ragging-free campus.



Anti Ragging orientation programme

## Preconvo

Sri Sankara Dental College proudly hosted its Pre-Convocation Ceremony on August 19, 2025, marking a significant milestone for the graduating batch.

A special highlight of the day was the unveiling of the new college logo, “Aurelia.” The logo, symbolizing excellence, growth, and brilliance, represents the vision and commitment of the institution towards shaping future leaders in dentistry. The moment of the reveal was met with excitement and applause, signifying the start of a new era for the college.

The ceremony also featured inspirational addresses by the Principal and faculty, who encouraged the graduating students to uphold values of compassion, dedication, and professionalism in their careers. Cultural programs and performances by students added a festive spirit to the occasion, making it a memorable event for everyone present.

The Pre-Convocation with the Aurelia logo reveal not only honored the accomplishments of the outgoing batch but also reinforced the pride and identity of Sri Sankara Dental College as a center of learning and excellence.

The ceremony concluded with a vote of thanks, followed by group photographs that captured the joy and unity of the day. The Pre-Convocation served not only as a farewell for the graduating batch but also as a symbol of legacy, inspiration, and new beginnings.



# Arts – Padakkalam 2025

The cultural spirit of Sri Sankara Dental College came alive on August 19, 2025, as the campus celebrated its much-awaited Arts Day. The event brought together students from all departments, showcasing creativity, talent, and teamwork in a day filled with color, music, and joy.

The celebration began with a formal inauguration by the Principal, who encouraged students to embrace the arts alongside academics as part of holistic growth. The stage then came alive with a variety of performances,

Including classical and contemporary dances, soulful music, skits, mimicry, poetry recitals, and more.

One of the highlights was the inter-departmental competitions, where each department presented their unique artistic strengths, sparking friendly competition and camaraderie. The audience applauded enthusiastically, filling the auditorium with energy and excitement.



CHOREO VIDEO WINNERS TEAM BRAHMASTRA

The Arts Day also provided a platform for hidden talents to shine – from fine arts and painting exhibitions to creative writing and solo performances. The diversity of events reflected the students' passion and artistic brilliance.

The auditorium echoed with cheers, applause, and laughter as students wholeheartedly supported their peers, creating a spirit of unity and camaraderie. Faculty members too actively encouraged the participants, appreciating their dedication and artistic expression.

The program concluded with the prize distribution ceremony, honoring winners and recognizing the efforts of all participants.



FASHION SHOW :TEAM BRAHMASTHRA



GROUP DANCE:TEAM CHAKRAVYUHA AND BRAHMASTHRA



## Onam @25

The festival of Onam, Kerala's grand harvest celebration, was observed with great joy and cultural pride at Sri Sankara Dental College on 29th August 2025. The event brought together students, faculty, and staff in a vibrant showcase of tradition, unity, and festivity.



SSDCian WEARING ONAM ATTIRE

Traditional events such as Onappattu (Onam songs), Thiruvathira (classical dance), and fun games brought liveliness to the occasion.

This year, four teams participated in the competitions, each putting forward their best performances

After days of vibrant performances and tough competition, the Brahmastra Team emerged as the overall

champions, proudly lifting the Arts Title 2025.

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