

## **ALUMNI ASSOCIATION ACTIVITIES – 2019**

The Newly Elected Alumni Association met on **22<sup>nd</sup> February 2019**, **Dr.Antonious Maria Selvam, President** of the Alumni Association introduced the new members to the Ex-Officio Chairman, **Dr.D.Rajagovindan**.

The new members approved and confirmed the logo for the association with a majority votes. Then the EC approved to open a joint account to be opened on the association name at Indian Bank, Madagadipet which will be operated by **Dr.Antonious Maria Selvam, President**, and **Dr.R.Praveen, Treasurer** of the Sri Manakula Vinayagar Medical College Alumni Association. The President, **Dr.Antonious Maria Selvam** gave a talk on “Alumni Association- Need of the hour” emphasizing the importance of the Alumni Association. The talk went on with strong message to increase the alumni members and also to actively participate in the Alumni related activities.

**Dr.K.Prem Kumar**, a PG Alumni of 2014-2017 Batch currently associated with Tagore Medical College, Chennai as Assistant Professor of Psychiatry delivered a guest lecture on the theme of this year’s World Autism Awareness Day “**Assistive Technologies, Active Participation**” on 02<sup>nd</sup> April 2018 and also highlighted on the aim to promote equality, equity and inclusion of autistic people with the help of technology and enable them to live a meaningful life through full-fledged social participation.



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The **UG Batch of 2006** came out with a wonderful book named “**DEJAVU**” which was a collection of their memories and bonding with their Alma matter. The event was celebrated on the 12<sup>th</sup> October 2019 at our college Auditorium and around 78 students of the batch were present and the book was released by our chairman and the first copy was received by our beloved Director. Then the management hosted a grand lunch for their first batch of UG students, Batch of 2006 and faculties.



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**Dr.R.Praveen**, PG Alumni currently associated with Sri Manakula Vinayagar Medical College and Hospital, delivered a Guest Lecture on **“COVID-19 - Is it a Pandemic or limited to China alone - Precautions to be Considered”** and also highlighted on the current scenario in Wuhan and added a note on the symptoms on the disease . This program was organized by the Association for the faculties, Postgraduates and interns.



The contribution from the alumni's in the form of Financial aid, Books , journals and equipments list were handed over to the Director.