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EDITORIAL

What is the purpose of education? Is it only to pass examinations, acquire a degree and be settled in life? Is education only about training the human mind to fit into the regular norms of society? I believe the purpose of education stretches far beyond that. And I believe the purpose of education is to prepare young people for life and work and most of all to make them useful citizens. Education is an enlightening experience which no doubt involves development of intellectual capacities through acquisition of skills and knowledge. But what completes education is the acquisition of values-cultural, social, moral and so on. Character building is an essential ingredient in the whole process of education. The quality of any society depends on the quality of its citizens. As such young people should be receptive and open to have themselves trained to acquire a critical mind and be inculcated with a sense of social responsibility because these influence the quality of life. In the absence of these, degrees will simply be degrees and nothing more. As you travel on the path of education, may you be rewarded with the best of its resources, may you befriend diligence, perseverance and hard work. May you never forget the purpose of your travel and may you make the right choices, may you strive to be good citizens and be constructive and valuable to society.

Tsenbeni Kennao



Mrs. Sebu Meru.

An able teacher and administrator, efficient, sincere and dedicated. Your contribution to B.C.K will never be forgotten. Baptist College will miss you! Our best wishes are with you as you enjoy a life of retirement.



B. Com students at COMMVANZA Unity College,

My Journey in Baptist College - Sandesh Rai, B.A 6th Sem (Eng)

"A bird sitting on a tree is never afraid of the branch breaking, because her trust is not on the branch but on its wings. Always believe in yourself".

Words are powerful tools. They can either inspire or hurt someone. Believing in oneself does not denote arrogance or over-confidence, rather it gives strong determination, to the much needed person who does not give in to failures. Along with the guidance of the hard working lecturers of Baptist College, the above quote has also deeply inspired me throughout my stay in the college.

Two years back, when I first joined this college, I was excited as well as a sense of hesitation accompanied me. It felt as if someone, somewhere out there was watching every move I made. It's funny how extremely cautious I was with people around me that I felt myself almost a fake, self conscious and reacting to every little thing with eyes wide open while inside my mind I would think "That's nothing". Internally, I always contradicted my outward behavior and yeah, I couldn't wait to get back home so that I could be 'me' again.

Such was the struggle in my early semesters and I am sure, some of you guys must be going through this but don't worry because it's just another phase towards maturity. As hours become days, days become weeks and weeks become years you'll learn to accept yourself and be "you" in the crowd.

Let me also tell you guys that I was the happy-go-lucky type of person when I first joined the college. Finally freed from the tight clutches of high school rules and routines, I gambled with my marks and attendance during those early semesters. I have spent nights writing impositions and surely we are all familiar with the infamous one-night preparation technique which converts us into 'the philosopher' of the exam hall. However, if the lecturers would not have come to my rescue, I would have been surely dropped. However still, in spite of my repeated promises and commitments, I still sometimes fell for those seductive habits. So, if you guys (my dear juniors) are in the same track (last hour preparation) then there is an immediate need to change your

lane because it is only going to harm you in the long run. You cannot rely on such habits because I tell you, the coming semesters will take you up for a roller-coaster ride which most would not enjoy. I have gone through the ride and I would not have survived it if it weren't for the kind lecturers' extra support as well as my self determination. I don't mean to say I am all washed and cleansed. In fact I am still in the process of refining myself and I believe that it will continue throughout the coming years and this I believe is where believing in oneself becomes essential.

'No one is you and that is your power'.

Apart from the academic curriculum, throughout the semesters, I have met some of the most awesome people and they are my classmates. It's quite ironic how the people I thought were rude and wolfish turned out to be some of the most caring and delicate humans. I have seen how the semesters have changed almost everyone in different ways and it is wonderful to witness and as well as experience such transformation. With every passing day we got closer to one another. Most of us would wish to turn back the hands of time only if it was possible. Conscious of the limited days left for us to be together, we are making the best use of every moment available by spending time with each other discussing about what our future would be like and how each would be visiting beautiful places, sharing past experiences and tiffins. Sometimes we liked to get a little bit mischievous by making jokes about each other which sometimes went on for days making the victim wanting to leave earth. Even though, each day we spent together is filled with joy and laughter there is a fear in each heart that it will soon end as life goes on. At the end of the day, we will diverge to different directions with each of us hoping for a better tomorrow.

Time has made us realize how every moment becomes precious when it is spent with the right people in the right way. Nevertheless, it becomes an experience and learning. There's a whole lot of challenges coming up in life and I am thankful to my lecturers for guiding me and providing me with the courage to face challenges with determination and hard work. Out of many, one important thing I have learned is that, one must be humble and kind to every human. Give your heart in whatever you do, but never lose your humanity in that quest for success.

SOMETHING ABOUT BCK WHICH I WILL NEVER FORGET:

- ★ Appearing two subjects in a day -*Ruokubeituonuo*
- ★ Wonderful and awesome lecturers of English department -*Rite-ii*
- ★ Cultural day -*Kitoholi*
- ★ Rushing for the bus during sports week -*Menmei*
- ★ Devotional service and camps -*Carol*
- ★ Strictness in attendance -*Nzanmongi*
- ★ The classrooms, lecturers, principal (though I have talked to him only once And said only few good morning wishes) -*Chopika*
- ★ The lecturers of commerce dept. -*Akash*
- ★ The queue during admission -*Satish*
- ★ The activities of the Red Ribbon Club -*Liito*
- ★ The experience of being a student council member and the wonderful field trips -*Mintu*
- ★ Dr. S. K Pandey- his heart touching quotes and pronunciation -*Haitbonlo*
- ★ The co-curricular activities, the wait is always worth it -*Kiriabungle*
- ★ The devotional services -*Y. Lithei*
- ★ The quality of education which the college has provided to us -*Thejaseno*
- ★ The economics classes where we never get to show our smiling faces because Sir. Sasi is very strict -*Zacitalii*
- ★ That I never got a chance to talk to the principal which is heartbreaking -*Nekentiba*
- ★ Literary day -*Ngenjei*
- ★ The library. I really had a wonderful time reading books and learning -*Denja*
- ★ A conversation between madame Renthunglo and Amos -*Rukuwe, Kuojiabongu*
Madame Ren: Amos, what is the name of your favourite flower?
Amos: My favourite flower is chrysanthemums
Madame Ren: Can you spell Chrysanthemum for the class?
Amos: I am just kidding Ma'am. My favourite flower is Rose, R-O-S-E Rose.

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➔ **CONGRATULATIONS** to Dr. Sasi on being conferred Ph.D in Economics from Nagaland University.

➔ **Congratulations** to Dr. Sentinaro on taking over as the HoD of English department.

➔ **Thank You** Dr. Vizovono Elizabeth for efficiently rendering your service as HoD.

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Workshop on

“Challenges and Issues of Teaching Writing at the Undergraduate Level in Nagaland”

A workshop on the theme “*Challenges and Issues of Teaching Writing at the Undergraduate Level in Nagaland*” was held on 10th February at Rivenburg's Memorial Chapel hall. The programme was organized by CUE Academy of Writing Skills, Kohima, supported by SCERT Nagaland, and hosted by Baptist College, Kohima. The workshop began with the keynote speech by Dr. Jano Sekhose, Associate Professor, Dept. of English, Nagaland University, followed by a panel discussion, and launch of the workbook *Introduction to Academic and Creative Writing* written by Dr. Rukulu K. Puro.

The keynote speaker Dr. Jano Sekhose highlighted that the topic of the workshop is for the welfare of the academia. English is the official language and medium of instruction for education in Nagaland. However, in our case it is not a colonial compulsion but a language we have adopted by choice due to the lack of a common Naga language. English language has become the link language across the whole world today and it is here to stay. She however, pointed to the fact that something is amiss in our education system and it is observed that our students lack the general inability to express ideas in writing. They usually resort to rote learning without comprehending what they are learning. She emphasized on the need to be creative and learning to express one's own thoughts in writing.

The panel discussion brought together college teachers who shared their views on the challenges faced in the undergraduate classroom and ways to improve the situation. The panelists were Dr. Seyie Whiso, Asst. Prof. of English, Kohima Science College, Dr. Avinuo Kire, Asst. Prof. of English, Kohima College and Dr. Rukulu K. Puro, Chief Instructor, CUE Academy of Writing Skills. The discussion was moderated by Dr. Vizovono Elizabeth, Asst. Prof. of English, Baptist College.

The panel discussion revealed that the present English syllabi for the undergraduates are literature-oriented and leave less room for teaching language skills. Teaching writing skills requires a lot of tasks and exercises, and time factor is a huge challenge in the present system as teachers have to race against time to do the needful effectively. This lacuna results in leaving the students unprepared with the writing skills required at higher education level or even in the job sector. It was suggested that vocational language skills and procedural syllabus are the need of the hour. Based on the discussion, a resolution was taken by the members present to collect inputs and suggestions from different colleges and forward it to BUGS English, Nagaland University for modification/revision of the course contents in the present syllabus.

The discussion was followed by the launching of Dr. Rukulu K. Puro's new workbook by the keynote speaker. This workbook is based on the language units of the Nagaland University BA English syllabus. Earlier, the programme was chaired by Mr. Lhütü Keyho, Asst. Prof. Baptist College. It was attended by members of CUE Academy of Writing Skills, research scholars, teachers from Sazolie College, Don Bosco College, Capital College, Kohima College, Kohima Science College, and student representatives from Don Bosco College and Functional English dept, Kohima College. Six members of the teaching faculty from Baptist College, namely Dr. Vizovono Elizabeth, Mr. Lhütü Keyho, Dr. Tsenbeni Kennao, Dr. S.K. Pandey, Ms. Süvilü Venuh and Ms. Machileule Hau attended the workshop. Nine students from 6th Semester, Department of English helped as volunteers at the event.

Literary Day Held

Baptist College literary day 2018 was held on the 19th of March at Ura Academy Hall. The events conducted were *poetry writing, sketching, photography, debate, extempore speech* and *solo singing*. In Photography, Mr. Khrieko Mario of 6th sem, Mr. Amos Kent of 6th Sem and Mr. Kezevikho Albert of 3rd sem won the first, second and third places respectively. The first prize in sketching was bagged by Ms. Mewepe-ü of 4th sem commerce department, second by Mr. Wulo Akami of 4th sem and third prize by Ms. Chiam of 2nd sem Sechü campus. Rukewe Kenye of 6th sem won the first prize in extempore speech followed by Mr. Limatemsu of 4th sem in the second place and Ms. Akina of 6th sem in the third place. In solo singing competition the Mr. Haithonlo of B. com 6th sem won the first prize, Ms. Shoshei of 6th sem won the second prize and Mr. Thusutu Thurr of 4th sem won the third prize. The first prize in debate went to Mr. M. D Suyal Ahmed of 2nd sem Sechu Campus, second prize was won by Ms. Pfükruneinuo of 4th sem sechu campus and third prize was won by Ms. Werite-ü Kromi of B.A 6th sem. The comperes for the day were Mr. Rukewe and Ms. Rite-ü Mero.

Tree -Akuojisie Kaziri, B A 2nd Sem (His) (written as classwork)

When you were young;
Your days were long.
Free from worries
As there were fairies.
To protect you
To comfort you.
As you grew older
You've become a shelter
Birds sheltering in you;
Fairies glittering with you
Now you've grown into quite a sight
And everyone adores you with their sight.
A Gift by God;
Which you've got.

Beauty -Heurailong, B.A 4th sem (Socio)

She is the only beauty I have ever seen.
She attracts everyone.
In the month of June I met her
I was astonished when I saw her first
I started to love her the best
Today is the 4th anniversary of my love
Every year she puts me to a test, to prove myself.
Luckily I can see, she too likes me
As I reciprocate her feelings
One day I hope, she will just give me an Envelope.
Inside there will be a certificate
On it, it will be written.
"Heurailong has completed his course in B.A
successfully!
Yes, that beauty is my college.
Beauty Baptist College.

Be with me - Alice venuh, B.A 4th sem (Socio)

When I open my eyes to the sound of rain
Held the hands of my mother.
Caught the dreams of my father
And got drenched by the tears of happiness,
Were you there with me?
When I buried my face in books
And tried being a part of the fantasies,
Still holding on to the chapter of my life
Yet believed in something impossible,
Were you there with me?
When I closed my eyes to the sound of rain
Held the hands of those friends in need,
Caught the dreams of my families
And got drenched by the tears of those in pain
Were you there with me?
When those helping hands faded away
And only my hands become my help,
Holding on to my beliefs,
Expecting a miracle from someone above
Were you there with me?
When lie down in beautiful white sheets
And feel no pain though it's painful,
Feel no emptiness though it's empty
And still wonder if you were there with me,
Will you be there with me?

Membership in FSLE - India

Two faculty members of the English department, Dr. Sentinaro Tsuren and Dr. Vizovono Elizabeth have become members of the **Foundation for the Study of Literature and Environment** (FSLE- India). They have also been appointed as Coordinators for Nagaland state. FSLE is an all- India organization that is dedicated to bring together the studies of Literature and Environment. It has members from all the different states of the country and has recently been granted international affiliation under ASLE, its American counterpart.

Papers Presented

Dr. Sentinaro Tsuren's paper "The Subaltern Voice in Writings from Nagaland: Folklore and Ecocriticism" and Dr. Vizovono Elizabeth's paper entitled "*Indigenous Traditions and Ecology: An Ecocritical Reading of Select Poets from Nagaland*" were presented at the International Conference on "Why Ecocriticism?" organized by Sikkim Government College, Tadong in collaboration with FSLE-India on November 21-23, 2017.

Meeting Cum Get Together With College Students from Kohima at Durbar Hall, Raj Bhavan. -Mr. Lhütü Keyho

On invitation from Shri P B Acharya, the governor of Nagaland, Tokali V Assumi, Pisangla, KhriekouMiario, RenbeniTsanglao and Haithonlo Kath, all from the 6th Semester, accompanied by Mr Lhütü keyho, Asst professor, Department of English, attended *a meeting cum get together with college students* from Kohima at Durbar Hall, Raj Bhavan, Kohima. Stating that youth had the choice to do and undo what they wanted for their future and Nagaland, Governor Acharya advised the students not to be self-centred but share their knowledge for the welfare and development of the society.

'Be an asset to the society' he stated. He opined that the Government sector has reached a saturation point and it was impossible to recruit every educated youth of the State and therefore encouraged the students to take up entrepreneurship. Various welfare schemes have been made available by the Central Government to help entrepreneurs establish, the Governor added.

Governor Acharya said that educational institutions should also open up the minds of the students and skill development programmes should be implemented in all colleges. He said that the Nagaland University (NU) and the 66 colleges affiliated under the University should focus and identify necessary skills requirements in the State and should introduce the programmes accordingly.

The Governor also said that the goal of the educational institutions should not only be to impart knowledge but to also make the students stand on their feet. He instructed the NU to implement the skill development programmes at the earliest in all colleges in Nagaland.

Principal Secretary to Governor, Piyush Goyal said the main purpose of the interaction session was to have information about constraints faced with regard to infrastructure facilities, mode of teaching and other welfare activities for both faculty and student community.

Vice Chancellor of Nagaland University, Prof. Pardeshi Lal said NU was offering various courses in different disciplines in the University and college levels and expressed eagerness to introduce skill development programmes in all colleges. He stated that it was mandatory to introduce the courses in all colleges. The VC however opined that the colleges should also implement practical classes along with theory with regard to the skill development programmes.

Various colleges highlighted on activities with regard to skill development courses introduced in their colleges and how it has benefitted students. Kohima Science College said that under Swayam, the institution has identified 30 courses and will be starting from the new academic session. Japfu Christian College also stated that the college has introduced piggery and bee keeping amongst other programmes which have been beneficial to the students. Oriental College informed that the institution was implementing skill development training to the students and will be introducing skill development programmes in the coming academic session. A total number of 17 colleges from Kohima attended the meeting.

A talk on Library science

Mrs. Angel Meru, Asst. librarian gave a talk on library Science as a promising and interesting field of study, to the 6th semester students of the English Department. She stressed on the fact that there were only countable professional librarians in Nagaland as such it provided promising job opportunities for those who take up the subject. The scope of library Science she mentioned were working in college, school or university libraries, central libraries, information centres, publishing houses, hospitals, legislative assemblies and even a teaching the subject.

She stated that there were hardly any Nagas studying Library Science since Nagaland University did not offer this course and as such many Nagas were still ignorant about the subject. Her talk sparked interest in many of the students to study Library Science. The talk changed the notion of the job of a librarian as a boring one to an interesting one and the class remained enlivened and interested throughout the talk.

A Talk on Career Opportunities in the Aviation Industry

A talk on career opportunities in the aviation industry was organized for the students of English department on the 2nd of February 2018. The talk was delivered by Ms. Thechano Ngullie, from Qatar Airways. She highlighted on the ways and steps required to apply for a job in the airline industry. Breaking the general notion that the job requires a perfect physical appearance, she informed that physical beauty is only a small part of what the airline industry requires. She also stated that interpersonal skills, confidence and hard work are the most essential elements required in the industry.

A Talk on career opportunities (Eduwork Japan, a project of Youth Net)

Mr. Razousituo Luho and Ms. Linet from Youth net gave a talk on career relating to a project called "Eduwork Japan" on the 7th of March 2018. The programme was attended by the 6th semester students of English department. Ms. Linet announced the current project of youth net called Eduwork Japan. She informed that Youth net has tied up with Japan for the project. The project consists of two year diploma courses in about 24 different courses such as animation, airlines, hospitality and engineering, giving an opportunity to study and work in Japan. She informed that a two month course on learning Japanese language is scheduled in the month of April for those who will be going to Japan for the various courses.

Highlighting on the activities of Youth net and the areas it focuses on, Mr. Razousituo informed about retail training provided by Youth net which lasts for two weeks. After the training the trainees are sent for internship where they get an opportunity to form a team and establish their own stalls. The training educates them on the management of money. He informed that youth net has tied up with Baptist College and is planning to organize a programme on skill development and private sector orientation. He also informed that inter college job fair will be organized specially for final year students after the coming semester exams.

COMMVANZA 2018 -Mr. Mintu B. Com 6th Sem

On 10th of February 2018, an inter-college commerce festival dubbed the "COMMVANZA 2018" was held and organised by the dept. of commerce of Unity College at Unity College, Dimapur. Eight students (2 each from B. Com 2nd and 6th semester and 4 from 4th semester) of Commerce dept, Baptist college participated in the event. Commvanza 2018 had interesting competitions such as, the entrepreneur, quiz-o-mania, ad-mad, turncoat (debate), group discussion and lastly, the most interesting the laughter challenge. Jyoti Gupta from B.com 2nd semester Baptist College bagged the second position in a competition called 'The entrepreneur'.

Article Published

Dr. Vizovono Elizabeth's article entitled "Idealism and Disillusionment: A Social Psychological Reading of Toni Morrison's *The Bluest Eye*" was published in the e-journal *The Criterion: An International Journal in English*, Vol. 8, Issue- V (October 2017), pages 244-255; ISSN: 0976-8165.

E.V.S. Fieldtrip To Dzüleke -Rukewe Kenye, B.A 6th sem (Socio)

Field trips serve a vital function as far as education is concerned. It links the classroom experience with the outside world where they not only improve learning but also give both the learner and the educator valued experience. On the 3rd of February 2018, the sixth semester students of both Kohima and Sechu campuses along with three lectures viz. Sir Thsidelong Rudy, Sir Vineikho Sechü and Madam Naro Chuba, embarked on a field trip to the famously tagged 'Switzerland of Nagaland'; Dzüleke.

The students were assigned into three groups and were given a topic each to base their report on. The purpose of the field trip was for the students to learn about the unique ecosystem of Dzüleke and the importance it has on our environment. Students affirmed that the trip to Dzüleke was tremendously an optimistic experience for them as they learned about the importance of Mother Nature and livelihood that surrounds one's comforting home. The brief encounter with the few sites imprinted a lasting impression on our hearts. With the earnest prayer and support from the Baptist College Family, the field trip to Dzüleke was a success.

Parting Social Held

A farewell programme for the outgoing 6th semester batch was organized on the 27th of March 2018 at Ura Academy Hall with the theme "Sparkle wherever you go" The programme began with a prayer by Mr. Asilie Rürhia, Asst. Professor, Department of History. Various songs were presented by the 4th semester as well as 6th semester students. Mr. Rukewe 6th semester spoke on behalf of the outgoing students and Ms. Alice Venuh 4th semester spoke on behalf of the remaining students. The Chief guest Professor R. C Gupta, Pro-Vice Chancellor, Nagaland University, Kohima Campus, Meriema in his speech mentioned that the greatest beauty of education is that it gives two gifts- intelligentsia and character and that excellence can be achieved with hard work, devotion and work plan. He stated "If you cannot run, then walk, if not, then crawl but get your target." He talked about the importance of values of honesty and patience. He reminded the students that every successful man has a painful story and every painful story has a successful end and that one should keep working to achieve one's goal. A prayer of blessing for the outgoing students was said by Mr. Victor Pucho, Student Counsellor.

Farewell -Tshepetso Thopi, B.A 6th sem (His)

It is so difficult to say goodbye to my friends and my teachers, it scares me a lot, so I will think to myself that this is not goodbye. Leaving this college is scary because I won't be able to see you in this very place throughout four seasons in a year, so at this moment I even wish that there is someone who can stop this end or reverse my college days so that I can spend my days with you guys again. But I realize that I need to move on.

Today, I am sincerely thanking my teachers, it is not because I'm leaving this college but because I will be able to face new challenges. So here I am to appreciate you all, for your wonderful service. I will never ever forget you years from now on. You are differently awesome dear teachers, if you weren't I would not have been able to realize who I am today.

My dearest friends, I have grown to love and appreciate more and more the time and memories we have made. I'm counting the days until I leave this college. I couldn't be more excited for a fresh start and new beginning that I am going to face, but I'm less excited as I will be leaving the people I've spent my life with behind. It makes me sad that those little things are going to be so out of reach as we all move away, so many miles apart from each other. I have a lot to thank my friends for, for always being there for me.

There is no easy way to say goodbye; I know that much already. The time soon comes for parting, take care and once again thank you for your wonderful friendship, you will be always remembered.

Parting Social at Sechü Campus -Ms Süvilü Venuh

Baptist College, Sechü Campus formally bid farewell to its six outgoing B.A students on the 28th of March 2018, themed "Go Beyond". The programme, held at the Sechü Campus college auditorium was chaired by Ms. Kethoneino with Mr. N Delhu Khate, Principal of the college as the speaker. Speaking on the occasion, Mr. Khate called upon the students to live beyond their degrees and encouraged them to take up honesty and sincerity in whichever field they choose to pursue as educated people.

The programme started with an invocation prayer by Dr. Kewepfuzu, Vice Principal. Mr. Kezhanglie gave a short speech on behalf of the remaining students while all of the six outgoing students were each given a short time to share their thoughts. Students of both B.A 2nd and 4th semesters delivered different performances like group songs, solos, poetry recitation and dance. There was also a time of presentation and the formal programme closed with the prayer of Ms. Machileule, Asst. Prof. Dept of English which was followed by lunch.

Baptist College Sechü Campus

Pre-Christmas celebration -Ms. Pfükruneino B.A 4th Sem

The Baptist college Sechü campus held its pre-Christmas celebration on 11th December 2017 at the college chapel Hall. The programme was diligently organised. One could feel the vibrancy the minute the principal set foot inside the Chapel Hall; one could see the students and teachers in red and green dresses. The principal was welcomed merrily by the Santa Clause, and also the spirit of Christmas was felt when he distributed candies throughout the day. With the festive decorations one could feel the warmth of Christmas. Mr. Vizovolie and Mrs. Seyiekhrienuo were the comperes for the day.

The Programme started with Sir Neiphrezotuo Zenyü invoking God's presence and blessing. Varieties of special numbers were presented by Boys Hostellers, Day Scholars and the Girls hostellers. Mr. Kezhangulie Medoze and Miss Neikhonuo Zhünyü shared "What Christmas means to me" A time to celebrate the time of our saviour, to reunite with friends and build a closer relations with family and dear ones. The audience was mesmerized by a melodious song from Miss Echi followed by a special number from the lecturers. A message was given by Principal N. Delhu Khate who stressed on the importance of obedience and reverence to God.

Finally, results for the best Christmas tree decoration was announced by the principal in which the best decoration was bagged by Group A, Group C, Group B and Group D respectively.

Visit To Sechü Zubza Baptist Church

-Ms. Pfükruneino B. A 4th Sem

Taking the college into another new and higher level of spiritual education. The students and staffs of Sechü campus visited and had fellowship with the Sechü Zubza Baptist Church (SZBC) on 18th February, 2018. The service was chaired by Mr. Neikuokie lienyü. Pastor Neivilhou Kuotsu led the congregation in invoking God's presence in the service. Mr. Toki Chishi (2nd Sem) shared a bible passage. A word of thanks was given by Dr. Kewe Lohe, Vice Principal, Baptist College, he also introduced the staff to the church. Dr. Kewe speaking in fluent Tenyidie, thanked the church for its help and prayers and at the same time he also requested the church to continue their support to the college in prayers.

Special numbers were presented by the Sechü Zubza Baptist Church Mother's Group followed by a choir from Baptist College students and staff. Ms. Medosienuo Dahou shared her testimony on the love of God, which was then followed by a solo from Ms. Echi. Sir Kedo shared the message of God on two main points; we have a great God, but we also have great dangers.

After the service, we were delighted by refreshment provided by SZBC. We are all blessed through this service and hoping to have more fellowship even in the days to come.

Gents Sunday and Ladies Sunday -Ms. Medovisieno B. A 4th Sem

A day dedicated to the gents was held as a celebration on the 11th of December, 2017 at the college Chapel Hall. The programme was organized by Baptist College girl's hostel Sechü Campus. The Gent's Sunday was graced by Miss Kethosenuo (Lecturer History Dept.) as the speaker. She spoke on the qualities of a gentleman. She exhorted on the importance of gesture and manners which are necessary to be a true gentleman and also said that men should be faithful to God and everyone else.

"Sorry and Thank you are must. Be tidy, your hair proper, shoes and suits shiny. Always remember first impression is the last impression".

A day for the ladies was also celebrated on the 4th of February 2018 at the Sechü Campus Boys Hostel. The speaker for the day was Dr. Kewe Lohe, Vice Principal Sechü Campus. The speaker delivered his speech on a Godly woman, saying that women are so special because God created her from the human flesh while other living beings were created out of ground. Since the inception of human history, Eve has influenced Adam. Woman has influential power to transform society. Women need to know God and take right decision to influence others to build a peaceful world.

From Sechu campus

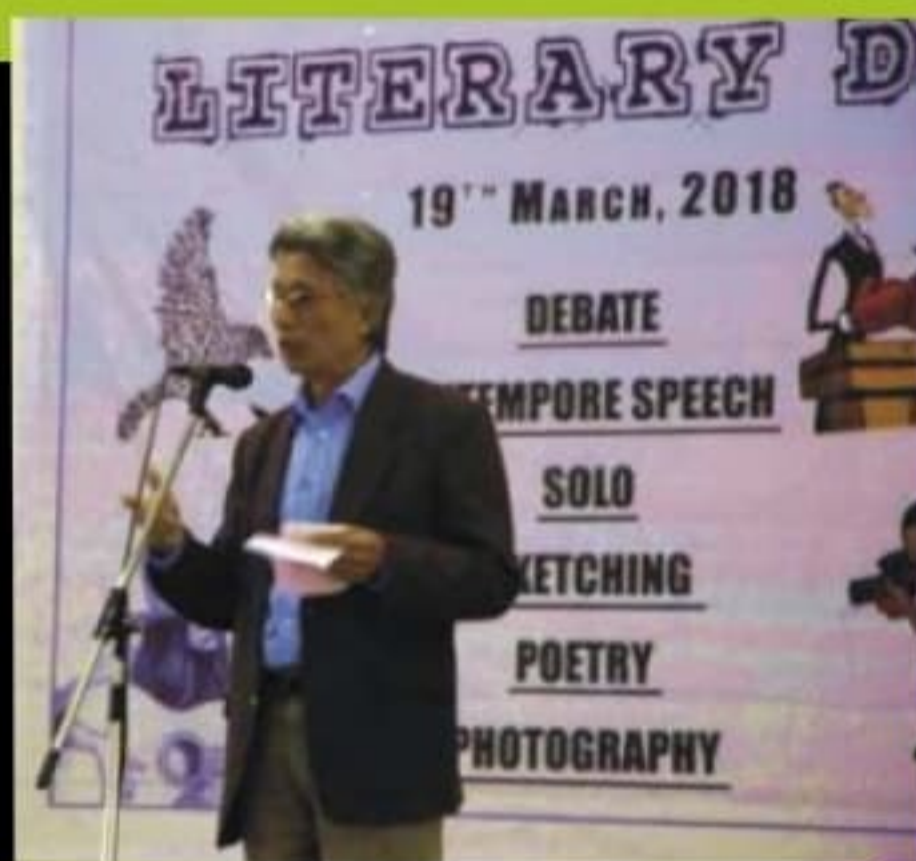
Adieu Madam Sebu Meru A mother, a friend and a teacher, we will deeply miss you.

Welcome to Sechü Campus, Dr. Kewepfüzu Lohe,
We are delighted to have you as our new Vice Principal.

Welcome to Bapco Family Miss Kethosenuo Medoze, History Department.



BCK, Literary Day held at Ura Academy Hall, Kohima.



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