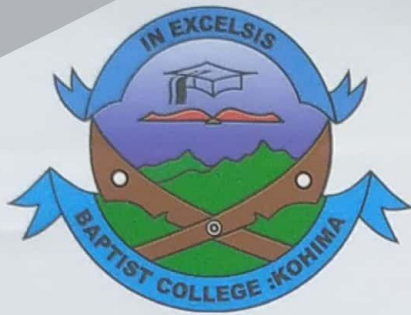


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## EDITOR'S NOTE

Poetry embellished with words, rhyme and rhythm, art incorporating colours and shades, stories involving imaginations and emotions, all is but art! And all art tells you a story, and stories proves existence. The editorial team is proud to present to you with yet another issue of BAPCO Focus, April, 2022.

Education is a whole round development, says Gandhi. And here is a prove through this small bulletin that the college has been moulding individuals accordingly. This bulletin shows the creative minds, though art, poetry, quotes and stories, reminding ourselves to imagine, create and feel exquisitely. This platform ensures to endure it's cause, and that the support and contributions of all is widely welcome. With utmost regard, we wish you a happy reading!

## WELCOME NOTE

The family of Baptist College extends cordial welcome to :

- **Mr. Chitatu**  
(Caretaker, Kohima Campus)
- **Mr. Neingutuo**  
(Peon, Kohima Campus)
- **Mr. Kekhriesilie**  
(Driver, Kohima Campus)
- **Miss N Reena Goipai**  
(Cook, Girls Hostel, Sechü Campus)
- **Mr. Nourheletuo**  
(Driver, Sechü Campus)

## Congratulations!

The newly elected Student Council members for the **tenure 2022-2023**

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**Winners of ZOOMMAX 2022, held on 3<sup>rd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> of May**

1. **Voice of Zoommax** : Chimshe Lam  
(1<sup>st</sup> Position) BA 4<sup>th</sup> Sem. Dept. of English
2. **Mock Interview** : E. Hanlom Mokho  
(2<sup>nd</sup> position) BA 4<sup>th</sup> Sem. Dept. of Political Science
3. **Photography, DSLR**: Samson Jangry  
(1<sup>st</sup> position) BA 6<sup>th</sup> Sem. Dept. of Sociology
4. **Mr. Zoommax, 2022**: Chubanungba Imsong  
BA 2<sup>nd</sup> Sem. Dept. of English
5. **Mr. Creativity**: Chubanungba Imsong  
BA 2<sup>nd</sup> Sem. Dept. of English
6. **Miss Zoommax, 2022**: Diezenuo Chuzho  
(1<sup>st</sup> Runner's Up) BA 2<sup>nd</sup> Sem. Dept. of English
7. **Miss Ramp Walk**: Diezenuo Chuzho  
BA 2<sup>nd</sup> Sem. Dept. of English
8. **Champion of Zoommax 2022**: Baptist College



## Field Trip To Khonoma Village

The BA 5<sup>th</sup> Semester, Department of History, Baptist College, Kohima Campus visited Khonoma Village on 13<sup>th</sup> November, 2021. The trip was supervised by Dr. Mhabeni Ezung, Mr. Chubutse Naro and Mr. Asilie Rurhia. Visiting a prominent site, Semoma Fort in Khonoma, the historical place which marked the change of the political history of the Nagas was the prime focus of the field trip. The field trip ended with a knowledgeable experience.

~ **Khruvelu Vese**, BA 6<sup>th</sup> Semester, Department of History.

## Extempore Speech Competition

An extempore speech competition was organised as a part of the "Audit Diwas Day" on November 16, 2021, by the Comptroller and Auditor General of India. Twenty-four students representing twelve colleges in and around Kohima participated in the competition organised to give a platform to the youths to express their views on the present scenario on the topic, "Accountability, Transparency and Good Governance". Mr. Takanungba Pongen of Modern College, Kohima was declared the winner of the competition. The judges for the competition were Dr. Rosemary Dzüvichü, Professor, Department of English, Nagaland University; Rupin Sharma, IPS, DG (Home Guards, Prisons & SDRF) and Rajesh Soundararajan, IAS, DC of Dimapur. Mr. Chubanungba Imsong and Miss Diezenuo Chüzho from 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester, Department of English participated in the competition.

~ **Mr. Chubanungba Imsong**, 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester, Department of English

## Authors Talk

The Department of English in collaboration with the Internal Quality Assessment Cell, Baptist College, Kohima, organised a virtual discourse namely, "Author's Talk" on 29<sup>th</sup> November, 2021 at 4:00 p.m. in the online platform, Zoom. The event was chaired by Dr. Sentinaro, Head of Department, English. Mr. Sentilong Ozukum, civil servant, motivational speaker and writer, was the speaker. He spoke on the topic, "Silent Scream: Gender Issues in Naga Society". Addressing on the topic, Mr. Ozukum spoke on five main issues relating to gender issues, particularly among the Naga community. The first issue was "The Question of Identity". He emphasised that Identity should be by blood and birth and not through marriage, that a woman should not lose her tribe's identity even though she marries someone other than her tribe's men. Secondly, he discussed on "The Inheritance of Property". The speaker reminded the audience that the Naga Customary Law should evolve and that woman should also have the privilege to inherit the acquired property of her parents. He stressed on the viewpoint that "acquired property should be left under the disposition of the parents". Thirdly, "Domestic Violence", which he expressed is very much prevalent in Nagaland and related his first hand experience in many such cases. The speaker also added that the mothers themselves were contributing in suppressing their daughter's voice so as to save the family's image from being tarnished. Fourthly, "Gender Inequality" where he stated that women representation is lacking in Nagaland. The speaker indicated the huge difference of ratio of women representatives

in the religious sector as well as in politics. The women leaders in the church amounted up to 23% in comparison to men's 73%, which was questionable, when looking further into the number of theological graduates, where 53% were female and 47% were male. In the fifth issue, "Customary Law"; the speaker reiterated that culture is dynamic and not fixed and it should "change with emerging time". He shared a custom in Nagaland, how in many Naga villages the victims or rape were made to marry their rapists, where the penalty of these rapists is death penalty in laws of other states. He stated that Naga customary law is not inclusive of women. He also highlighted other important gender issues such as, gender pay gap, stereotyping of women, sexual exploitation, discrimination in employment opportunities and lack of economic empowerment.

Mr. L. Thsidelong Rüdy, Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science gave a remark on the talk. He appreciated the speaker for delivering an inclusive talk. The time was then, allotted for queries which was made open to the participants. A total of seven questions were put forward to the speaker. Mr. Ozukum, passionately answered the inquisition brought forward, some of which were relating to gender identity and identity of a transgender. The meet came to an end with a vote of thanks by Miss Süvilü Venuh, Assistant Professor, Department of English.

~ **Miss Loly Chophi**, Assistant Professor, Department of English



## Trip to Imphal

From 11<sup>th</sup> -13<sup>th</sup> February, 2022, the students of B.A 6<sup>th</sup> Semester, Department of History, Baptist College, Sechü Campus visited Imphal, Manipur . Six students under the guidance of Mr. K Peter Maram, Assistant Professor, Department of History and Mr. Neisengulie, Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science undertook the trip. The journey lasted for about five to six hours. On 12<sup>th</sup> February, visiting the Loktak Lake and exploring new avenues like boating, shopping, exploring the town and enjoying the varieties of cuisines was the highlight of the trip. The trip turned out to be a memorable and knowledgeable experience.

~ Miss Kevingunuo, B.A. 6<sup>th</sup> Semester, Department of History

## Sanitation Drive

To inculcate a sense of cleanliness in the students and to keep the surroundings clean, the Sanitation Committee, Baptist College, Sechü Campus conducted a cleanliness drive on 17<sup>th</sup> February, 2022 at 3:30 pm under the supervision of Miss Megosieno Mor. The students were divided into three groups with specific work allocations. The students took part in activities such as picking wrappers, collecting non-biodegradable waste, and disposing the wastes. Twelve students actively participated in the drive.

~ Miss Megosieno Mor, Member, Sanitation Committee



## Literary Day 2022

The Literary Day of Baptist College was held on 22<sup>nd</sup> February, 2022 under the theme, "The World in Words". The programme was organized by the Literary Committee in the college Basketball Court, Kohima Campus. The programme was chaired by Mr. Chubanungba Imsong and Miss Synthia Chemtok, of BA 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester. Dr. Sentinaro, Convener, Literary Committee remarked on the event and stated that "reading, writing and communication" were the three tools that prepares students for living and learning outside the text. She further encouraged the students to inculcate alternative forms of learning, to grasp hold of opportunities such as provided by like events and to use it to their advantage.

The programme was divided into two sessions witnessing four intense events. The first session witnessed the first onstage activity of the day, i.e., the solo competition and two other offstage activities viz. creative letter writing and pencil sketching, which were conducted simultaneously. The open mic event was the second onstage activity that was conducted in the second session where participants performed stand-up comedies and spoken word/ slam poetry. The event was further enthralled with a special appearance by Mr. Yemkong Somba and a band performance from Mr. Sangbolong Jamir and friends. Earlier Dr. Kewepfuzu Lohe, Vice Principal, Sechü Campus pronounced the opening blessing. Dr. Kekuchol Pusa, Principal, Baptist College, said few words of acknowledgement and encouragement then, gave away the certificates and prizes to the participants. The programme came to an end with a vote of thanks proposed by Mr. Seyiesilie Vüprü, Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science.

### THE LIST OF WINNERS FOR THE VARIOUS ACTIVITIES WERE:

- SOLO COMPETITION** : 1<sup>st</sup> position ~ Miss Chimshe Lam (Department of English, 4<sup>th</sup> Semester)  
2<sup>nd</sup> position ~ Miss Throngsula Y. (Department of Sociology, 4<sup>th</sup> Semester)
- CREATIVE LETTER WRITING** : 1<sup>st</sup> position ~ Miss Nukshimenla (Department of Sociology, 4<sup>th</sup> Semester)  
2<sup>nd</sup> position ~ Miss Lochumbeni Humtsoe (Department of English, 6<sup>th</sup> Semester)
- PENCIL SKETCH** : 1<sup>st</sup> position ~ Mr. Lhikhrote (B.com, 4<sup>th</sup> Semester)  
2<sup>nd</sup> position ~ Mr. Shingmei T Phom (Department of Sociology, 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester)
- OPEN MIC** : 1<sup>st</sup> position ~ Miss Wekehete-u Thopi (Department of English, 6<sup>th</sup> Semester, Sechü Campus)  
2<sup>nd</sup> position ~ Miss Synthia Chemtok (Department of History, 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester)

~ Miss Süvilü Venuh, Member, Literary Committee





## 40<sup>th</sup> College Sports Meet, 2022

The Student Council, Baptist College organised the 40<sup>th</sup> College Sports Meet on 23<sup>rd</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> February, 2022. The first two days were held at Indira Gandhi Stadium, Kohima and the last day at the College campus. The Sports Meet was inaugurated by Dr. Kekuchol Pusa, Principal, Baptist College. Oath taking was led by Mr. Khriesavituo Chüsi, Games and Sports Secretary, followed by the lighting of the torch by Mr. Vetsoto Swuro, Assistant Games and Sports Secretary. Both the Kohima and the Sechü campus jointly participated in the events.

The students were divided into four houses namely- Shilloi, Dzükou, Japfü and Saramati. The main events of the College Sports Meet for both men and women were football, volleyball, basketball, tug of war, table tennis and other individual events. Shilloi house emerged as the overall champion followed by Saramati, Dzükou and Japfü house respectively. The individual champions were Mr. Vetsoto Swuro and Miss Kelhoudenuo Vimero. The last day of the College Sports Meet concluded with the closing ceremony, followed by prize distribution to the respective event winners.

~ Mr. Khriesavituo Chüsi, Games & Sports Secretary, Student Council

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## Faculty Exchange Programme Conducted

Faculty Exchange Programme, Baptist College was conducted on 3<sup>rd</sup> March, 2022 where four representative lecturers from Kohima Campus, one each from the four Departments (Arts Stream) joined the Sechü Campus. The visiting lecturers gave lectures on selective topics and interacted with their respective department students from Sechü campus for a period of one hour. The name of the four representative lecturers who took part in the Faculty Exchange Programme were:

**Dr. Sentinaro**, Head of Department, English | **Mr. Seyiesilie Vüprü**, Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science

**Mr. Dominic Thaprü**, Head of Department, Sociology | **Mr. Chubutse Naro**, Assistant Professor, Department of History

~Dr. Sentinaro, Head of Department, English

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## Department of Commerce, Quiz Competition

The Department of Commerce, Baptist College organized a quiz competition on 5<sup>th</sup> March, 2022 in the College premises, Kohima campus at 10:00 a.m. The competition began with an opening remark given by Dr. S.K. Pandey, HOD, Department of Commerce. Three separate quizzes divided into four different groups were held for all the three semesters simultaneously. Miss Kethosenuo Kesiezie, was the Quiz Master. The competition came to a close with declaration of winners and prize distribution. Vote of thanks was given by Mr. Kezhalehou Zatsu, followed by refreshment.

~Dr. S.K Pandey, Head of Department, Commerce





## Inter Semester Quiz Competition Held

The 6<sup>th</sup> edition of Quiztoria, an Inter Semester Quiz Competition was held on 5<sup>th</sup> March, 2022 at Rivenburgs Memorial Chapel, Kohima. The programme was organised by the Department of History, Baptist College, Kohima and Sechi Campus. The programme was led by Miss Khravelu Vese, followed by invocation said by Mr. Tamreimung Chusi, Chaplain, Baptist College Fellowship. A special number was presented by Miss Thangpila Sangtam. The quiz competition consisted of five rounds along with a visual round. The questions were based on Current Affairs, Nagaland History, Ancient, Medieval and Modern History of India. Selected students from the 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> Semesters participated in the quiz competition. The

6<sup>th</sup> Semester secured the first position followed by the 4<sup>th</sup> Semester. Individual winners of the competition were Mr. Larito H Yimchunger from 6<sup>th</sup> Semester, Mr. Kianpeng from 4<sup>th</sup> Semester, and Miss Syntia Chemtok from 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester. Mr. Asilie Rürhia was the quiz master for the day.

A special appearance was presented by Mr. Pangerkumzuk Sor followed by a dance from Mr. Larito H Yimchunger. The results were declared by Mr. Chubutse Naro and Miss Kethosenuo Medoze gave away the prizes and certificates to the winners. Mr. Asilie Rürhia said the benediction. After the programme, both the students and lecturers took group photos which was followed by lunch.

~ Khravelu Vese, BA 6<sup>th</sup> Semester, Department of History

## Seminar in Observance of International Women's Day Conducted



Baptist College conducted a seminar in commemoration of International Women's Day on 8<sup>th</sup> March, 2022. The event was organised by the Women's Forum and the Anti-Sexual Harassment Cell of Baptist College in association with the Family Planning Association of India (FPAI) Nagaland Branch at Rivenburgs Memorial Chapel at 1:30 pm.

The resource person, Miss Samlam Michui, Program Officer FPAI -Kohima branch spoke on the topic, "Sensitising Gender and Sex Stereotypes." The programme was chaired by Miss Keneingunuo Phucho, Women Coordinator, Student Council, while Miss Sivilü Venuh, Convenor, Women's Forum delivered the welcome address. Altogether 127 people attended the seminar, including students, faculty of the College and FPAI team.

~ Miss Sivilü Venuh, Convenor, Women's Forum

## NSS SOCIAL WORK

The NSS members of Baptist College, Kohima Campus organised a social work in the college premises on 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2022. The students were divided into four groups and were allotted different spots of cleaning. The members swept the

main College building, cleaned the weeds and picked up the wastes from the college compound. Altogether, forty-four students along with NSS Programme Officers, Mr. Kezholesa Thapru, Mr. Vincent Kent, Miss Naro and Miss Menuhole Savi participated in the social work.

~ Miss Naro, Member, NSS



## English Department, SECHÜ CAMPUS OUTING

On 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2022, the staff of the Department of English along with their students from B.A. 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> Semesters orchestrated an outing to Kwhikha, Jotsoma, under the theme, "Together is a good place to be". The outing was a special departmental outing especially on behalf of the 6<sup>th</sup> semester students of English Department.

There were two sessions organised for the day. The formal session was led by Mr. Kikrusetuo. The program commenced with a prayer by Miss Lijula, and the thought of the day was conveyed by Miss Wekehete-u. Special songs were presented by Miss Süvilü, Assistant Professor and Mr. Rokovituo. Special appearance in the form of dance was presented by Miss Rokovi-u, Miss Petevino, and Miss Sedevikhonuo Sophia. Mr. Akhrieu,

Miss Loly, Assistant Professor, and Miss Süvilü furthermore blessed the ears with their authentic poems. Miss Loly shared her experience with the English students. The formal session ended with a closing prayer by Mr. Viphrekolie.

The informal session opened with an unplanned surprise by the lecturers for the students where each person was given time to share their thoughts. The lecturers and the students from the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Semester blessed the outgoing 6<sup>th</sup> Semester students with their kind messages. Recreation time was led by Miss Sedevikhonuo Sophia followed by belly filling feast - "potluck". The day ended memorably with so much fun followed by a photo session.

~ Miss Wekehete-u Thopi, Department of English, Sechü Campus

## English Department OUTING

On 12<sup>th</sup> March, 2022, the 6<sup>th</sup> Semester students along with the teachers of English Department, Kohima Campus went on an outing at Tuophema Village. The outing began by visiting the Resort then, proceeded towards the Tourist Village by visiting the Watch Tower and the Museum. Later, at the ground of Touphema Village a short programme was held. The programme began by invoking God's blessing by Miss Sotsula, followed by a special appearance from The Hajmolos featuring Mr. Alumdi and Mr. Theja. A special performance was presented by Mr. Alumdi. A time of sharing was taken up by the lecturers and the students. Dr. Tsenbeni and Mr. Kenivi enthralled the congregation with their melodious songs. The programme ended successfully which was followed by lunch. After the lunch, the lecturers along with the students had a recreational time together through various games. Overall, the program was an overwhelming experience.

~ Miss Heurangwamlie Diswang, 6<sup>th</sup> Semester, Department of English



## Gospel Outing BAPTIST COLLEGE CAMPUS MINISTRY (BCCM)

On 13<sup>th</sup> March, 2022, BCCM went for gospel outing to Sechüma Village and attended the Sunday service at Sechüma Baptist Church. Mr. Uzhovilie Pienyü, Warden, Men's Hostel was the speaker. Greeting on behalf of the college and the BCCM to the congregation was given by Dr. Kewepfuzu Lohe, Vice Principal, Sechü Campus. A group song was presented by the BCCM team while a duet was presented by Miss Wekehete-u and Miss Eneirheu. Mr. Akhrieu Rino shared his testimony. The team was warmly welcomed and hosted by the Church with refreshment especially prepared for the occasion. Altogether thirty-eight BCCM members including students and staff- both teaching and non teaching- attended the service. The gospel outing was a fruitful one.

~ Miss Lijula A. Sangtam, B.A. 4<sup>th</sup> Semester, General Secretary, BCCM





## *Felicitation Programme* for Governor's Award, 2022

A ceremony to felicitate the winners of the Governor's Award, 2022 in the fields of Creating Social Awareness on Conservation of Environment and Protection, Creating Social Impact and Awareness on Prevailing Social Ills and its Amelioration & State Level Essay Competition winners was held at Dr. Imkongliba Ao Hall, Raj Bhavan, Kohima on March 17<sup>th</sup>, 2022.

The programme began with a keynote address delivered by the Chief Secretary of Nagaland, J. Alam. A brief note on the Governor's State Level Essay Competition was highlighted by Commission & Secretary to Governor, T. Mhabemo Yanthan. Cash Prizes of Rs. 1 Lakh along with Citation certificates were awarded to the winners. The programme came to a close with felicitation speeches delivered by the Chief Minister, Neiphiu Rio and the Governor of Nagaland and Assam, Prof. Jagdish Mukhi.

The programme was attended by four lecturers - Dr. Sentinaro, Mr. Seyiesilie, Mr. Kenivi Yhoshü and Miss Asola C. Jamir, along with the Student Council and Class Representatives of 6<sup>th</sup> Semester.

~ Dr. Sentinaro, *Convenor, Literary Committee*

## *Valedictory Programme* for Outgoing Hostellers

A combined Valedictory Service for the outgoing hostellers of the Men's and Women's Hostels, Baptist College, Sechü Campus was organized on 10<sup>th</sup> April, 2022 at the Dining Hall, Women's Hostel. The programme was led by Mr. Akhrieu Secü Rino. Dr. Kewepfuzu Lohe, Vice Principal, Sechü Campus, read out a scripture passage and said the opening prayer. Short speeches were delivered by all the outgoing hostellers. A special number was favoured by the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Semesters women hostellers. Mr. Uzhovilie, Warden, Men's Hostel, gave a short sharing while Miss Megosieno Mor, Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, pronounced the benediction. The Valedictory Service was followed by combined dinner.

~ Miss Sedeneinuo Pienyü, *4<sup>th</sup> Semester, Department of Sociology*

## *Student Council Election, 2022*

The Student Council Election for the tenure 2022-2023 was organized by the Student Council, Baptist College, Kohima on 11<sup>th</sup> April, 2022 at Rivenburgs Memorial Chapel, Kohima. The programme began with a briefing of the election said by Mr. Seyiesilie Vüprü, Chief Election Commissioner, Student Council, followed by the Election Hour where all the intending candidates gave their strong manifestos for the welfare and upliftment of the college. The voting and counting of votes were followed respectively.

Miss Chimshe Lam, winner of solo competition, Literary Day, 2022 graced the program with a special appearance. Mr. Chubutse Naro, Convenor, Student Council addressed a

short speech and awarded Certificates of Appreciation to the Student Council. The result of the election was declared by the Chief Election Commissioner and awarded Certificates of Election to the newly elected Student Council, followed by an oath taking. Speech from the newly elected President and a congratulatory note from Mr. Chutatu Thurr, President, Student Council was followed respectively. The Student Council Election came to a close with an exhortation from Dr. Kekuchol Pusa, Principal, Baptist College, followed by a vote of thanks from Mr. Keneinguzo Rio, General Secretary, Student Council. The programme was compered by Miss Vizohunuo Sanchu.

~ Mr. Keneinguzo Rio, *General Secretary, Student Council*



## 10<sup>th</sup> Cultural Day 2022

The 10<sup>th</sup> Cultural Day, 2022 was celebrated on 20<sup>th</sup> April, 2022 at Baptist College, Kohima in the College premises. The programme started at 10 am under the theme, "Cultural Diversity: Finding One's Identity and Unity in Language, Attire and Food." The cultural program was organised by the Culture Study Centre, Baptist College to encourage the students to participate in cultural activities and gain knowledge about one's culture.

The day witnessed the celebration of various cultural activities to honour and celebrate the diverse culture of the Nagas and to foster respect for other cultures. The invitees were Rovi Chasie, former Assistant Manager of the Ashok Group of Hotels and a former member of the Indian Prime Minister's Catering Team, Dr. Mimi Kevichüsa Ezung, Associate Professor and Head of Department, Tenyidie, Nagaland University, along with media fraternity and students from different colleges attended the program.

Miss Süvilü Venuh, Assistant Professor, Department of English was the chairperson. The programme began with a prayer invoked by Mr. Tamreimung Chüsi, Chaplain, Baptist College. Mr. Kezhalielhou Zatsu, Convener, Culture Study Centre, said the opening remark. In the Principal's address, Dr. Kekuchol Pusa spoke on the negative and positive impact of globalisation and the risk it puts on indigenous culture. In tune with the

celebration of the rich culture, the Yimkhiung Students Troupe, Baptist College presented a folk dance, followed by the key note address by Rovi Chasie who spoke on the topic, "Food and Culture." She expressed that though food is a dominant factor in our culture, much importance is not given like other aspects of culture per se dress, attires, and language. She further emphasised on how food plays a dominant role in understanding one's culture. Miss Menuolhounuo Lese, BA 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester, Department of History presented a traditional song, followed by Dr. Mimi Kevichüsa Ezung who spoke on the topic, "Reclaiming the Indigenous Languages of Nagaland". She spoke on Language as part of our culture and identity and the importance of preserving one's language. She also highlighted on the need of reclaiming and preserving our indigenous languages and to pride in it. A folk dance was performed by the Konyak students and the vote of thanks was proposed by Dr. Kewepfuzu Lohe, Vice Principal, Baptist College, Sechü Campus.

The second session saw the inauguration and visitation of food stalls by Rovi Chasie of the different tribes. Several Narrative Mother Tongue, Folk songs and dances were witnessed from different tribes presented by the students. A traditional game was presented by the Ao tribe. The day long program ended with a grand feast.

~ Dr. Sentinaro, Member, Culture Study Centre

## FIELD TRIP *Cum* DEPARTMENTAL Farewell Programme

On 21<sup>st</sup> April, 2022, BA 6<sup>th</sup> semester, Department of History visited Rajbari Dimasa ruins (Kachari) in Dimapur, Khatkhathi, the Tea Garden at Lahorijan in Assam and New Chiimudi. The field trip ended by visiting the Dimasa Kachari ruins, followed by a short Departmental Farewell programme held by the riverside at New Chiimudi. Miss Rupfuvolu Rhakho led the programme and speeches on behalf of the lectures and class representative was given by Mr. Asilie Rurhia and Miss Khruvelu Vese. The programme came to close with a word of prayer said by Mr. Reuben.

~ Khruvelu Vese, BA 6<sup>th</sup> semester, Department of History

## BAPTIST COLLEGE Fellowship Camp

The Baptist College Fellowship (BCF) conducted a camp for the 6<sup>th</sup> Semester students from 22<sup>nd</sup>-24<sup>th</sup> April, 2022, under the theme, "Experiencing the Father's Heart" at Gwizantsu Resource Centre at Khonoma Village. The various sessions were conducted by Mr. Tamreimung Chüsi, Chaplain, Baptist College Fellowship. His message was centered on reconciliation and redemption on how as a Christian one should forgive and come back to the Lord who is actively alive in our lives. The message was conveyed mainly to those who were suffering emotionally and those from broken families. Mr. Kethozekho Chase, Mrs. Aviphrü Chüsi, and Mrs. Saku Sapu were the counselors. The camp was officiated by the Chaplain of BCF and its members. One hundred and twenty two campers from both Kohima and Sechü Campus attended the camp, including the BCF and cooking team. Students from 4<sup>th</sup> Semester, Kohima and Sechü Campus volunteered for the mess.

~ Keneivinuo Hozoyeh, General Secretary (BCF)



## Industrial Tour

The Department of Commerce, Baptist College, Kohima organised a three-day Industrial tour on 25th- 27th April, 2022. Eighteen students from B.com 6th Semester along with two lecturers - Dr. S.K.Pandey, Head of Department, Commerce and Miss Kethosenuo Kesiezie, Assistant Professor.

During the tour, the students visited the wire netting factory - a small scale factory based on making steel nets for commercial purposes and also visited the transformer manufacturing unit, which produces transformers by importing raw materials from Kolkata and assembles the finished product for distribution. They visited "RM Food Products", an industry that manufactures different spices of masalas where the raw materials are mainly imported from northeast region of India.

After the Industrial visitation, as a recreational activity the class visited the Assam State Zoo cum Botanical Garden. The tour was successfully organised and initiated by the Commerce Department.

~ Mr. Asenlo Kath & Miss Nuzhienuo Kire, 6<sup>th</sup> Semester, Department of Commerce

## One Day Workshop

A day workshop on Writing Short Stories was held under the title, "Reimagining Little Stories." The workshop was organised by the Department of English in collaboration with Internal Quality Assurance Cell, Baptist College. The workshop was held at Rivenburgs Chapel Hall on 26th April, 2022 from 10:00 A.M.

The workshop was divided into two sessions. In the first session, Dr. Tsenbeni led the programme. The speaker, Mr. Lhütü Keyho in his speech emphasised on the use of folktales and short stories of various Naga tribes and expanding them to recreate a lengthier version of stories or novels. The speaker also brought in examples of how writers use short stories to recreate novels.

The second session resumed with a delightful poetry performance by Mr. Limatoshi Longkumer of B.A 6th Semester, Department of English. Later, Mr. Lhütü involved the students to practice the art of writing short stories by letting the students create a beginning, middle and end to a story. The session ended with Mr. Kezhalehou Zatsu pronouncing the vote of thanks.

~ Mr. Kenivi Yhoshü, Assistant Professor, Department of English

## Parting Social

Baptist College, Sechü Campus organised a Parting Social for the B.A. 6<sup>th</sup> Semester students, Batch of (2019 -22) on 29<sup>th</sup> April, 2022 at the Campus' Indoor Stadium, themed "Go Forth." The programme was chaired by Miss Sedeneinuo Pienyü and graced by Mr. N. Delhu Khate, former Principal, Baptist College as guest speaker. Before his congratulatory remarks, Mr. Khate expressed that it was homecoming for him to be back on campus. He briefly shared the history of the college's inception and the core vision and aims upon which the College was founded, i.e., to provide quality education rooted in spiritual and moral values of life. He then, urged the students to cherish the College and to take pride and give back in whatever possible ways -through service and prayers. He further advised the students to make careful choices in life and encouraged them to "pursue excellence in keeping with the motto of the college -In Excelsis." Reiterating on the pursuit

of excellence, he noted that "excellence has no limit" so one must always work towards it. He concluded his speech with pronouncement upon students to excel in God's guidance and blessing.

Earlier, Dr. Kewepfuzu Lohe, Vice Principal, Sechü Campus said the opening prayer while Dr. Kekuchol Pusa, Principal, in his address congratulated and encouraged the students to fare better in life. Mr. Tamreimung Chüsi, Chaplain, pronounced the benediction. Speech on behalf of the outgoing students was delivered by Mr. Neivisato Zhünyü. Mr. Akrie-u Secü Rino shared a short message on behalf of the juniors. The programme also witnessed special numbers from Mr. Atolu Swu and Mr. Thejakolie Rhatsu and a musical piece presentation by Mr. Weti Lasuh. The formal programme was followed by entertainment and lunch.

~ Miss Süvilü Venuh, Assistant Professor, Sechü Campus



## 38<sup>th</sup> PARTING SOCIAL

The 38<sup>th</sup> Parting Social for the batch of (2019-2022) was held on 30<sup>th</sup> April, 2022, under the theme, "Going Ahead, Where Forever Begins". Dr. Kekuchol Pusa, Principal, Baptist College, graced the occasion as the Speaker. He encouraged the outgoing students to choose the right path and uplift the image of the college by excelling in their future endeavours.

The programmed was graced by Mr. Tamreimung Chüsi, Chaplain, Baptist College Fellowship. Mr. E. Hanlom Mokho, President, Student Council gave the welcome address and

special numbers were presented by Mr. Mütsa Kajiri and BA & B.Com. 6<sup>th</sup> Semester. Speeches on behalf of the outgoing students and juniors were presented by Mr. Keneinguzo Rio & Mr. Ghokivi Kiho respectively. Vote of thanks was said by Mr. Ayeto Zhimomi, General Secretary, Student Council and Miss Chimshe Lam closed the programme with the benediction.

For the entertainment session, Miss Sentipenla Tzüdír was the host. The presentation of the Candy Award was the highlight of the session, followed by vibrant performances from the 6<sup>th</sup> Semester students. The programme ended with exuberant joy and photo sessions.

~ **Ayeto Zhimomi**, General Secretary, Student Council

## Mock Drill

The Disaster Management Committee, Baptist College in collaboration with National State Disaster Management Authority (NSDMA) organised a Mock Drill Exercise, on 10<sup>th</sup> February, 2022 at Baptist College, Kohima Campus. The event included two sessions - the Briefing Session and the Debriefing Session, along with the mock drill exercise carried out between the sessions.

The sessions were chaired by Miss Kethosenuo Kesiezie, Member, Disaster Management Committee. Rev. Kedo Peseyie, Chaplain, Baptist College, pronounced the invocation. A welcome address was delivered by Dr. Kekuchol Pusa, Principal, Baptist College. During the Briefing Session, the resource person, Mrs. Khrolou Koza Lohe, State Training and Capacity Building Officer, gave a Power Point Presentation on the conduct of the Mock Drill exercises. The 'Search and Rescue' demonstration was conducted by the National Disaster Response Force (NDRF) under Inspector, R. Aben, and the 'First Aid' demonstration was presented by State Disaster Response Force (SDRF), In-charge, AK Prem Kumar, HG Civil Defence and SDRF.

The Mock Drill exercise was conducted in the main building of the college, which was followed by a Debriefing Session by Mrs. Lohe. She commented on the overview of the conduct of the Mock Drill exercise. Mr Asilie Rürhia, Assistant Professor, gave a review on the Mock Drill. The workshop ended with a vote of thanks by Mr. K. Peter, Assistant Professor and Convenor, Disaster Management Committee.

~ **Miss Loly Chophi**, Member, Disaster Management Committee

## Cleanliness Drive

The Sanitation and Waste Management Committee, Baptist College, held a cleanliness drive with 30 selected students from the Department of Commerce, on 22<sup>nd</sup> April, 2022, at 1:30 p.m. The drive was carried out in and around the college premises at Mission Compound, Kohima. The student volunteers collected and disposed the litter in the vicinity of the college area. The drive ended at 3:00 p.m.



~ **Miss Kethosenuo Kesiezie**, Member, Sanitation and Waste Management Committee

## Mentoring and Remedial Sessions Conducted

Mentoring sessions for students in the even semester were initiated by respective mentors in the month of March 2022. Each mentor was assigned 41-54 mentees depending on the number of students in each department. Mentors interacted with students and focussed on guidance relating to personal, academic and career goals and other important relevant areas while also allowing the mentees to share their thoughts.

Further, remedial classes for academically weak students in general papers were scheduled from the 13<sup>th</sup> - 18<sup>th</sup> April 2022. For Honours papers, respective subject teachers scheduled remedial classes as per convenience during the same period of time.

~ **Dr. Tsenbeni**, Convenor, Mentoring & Remedial Committee



# Orientation Programme on NEP with CBCS

Dr. Kekuchol Pusa, Principal, Baptist College and Assistant Professors, Mr. Kezholesa Dominic Thaprü, Dr. Avele and Dr. Tsenbeni attended an orientation programme on the implementation of NEP 2020 with Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) at Undergraduate level for affiliated colleges under Nagaland University on the 21<sup>st</sup> April, 2022. The programme was

held at Kohima College. Principals and teacher representatives from Kohima, Phek, Wokha and Kiphire districts attended the programme. The resource person was Prof. Dipak Sinha, Department of Chemistry & Nodal officer (CBCS) Nagaland University.

~ Dr. Tsenbeni, Assistant Professor, Department of English

## Political Science Departmental Outing

The Department of Political Science, Baptist College, Kohima had a departmental outing with the outgoing students of BA 6<sup>th</sup> Semester to Sheep Farm, Poilwa Village, Peren, on 3<sup>rd</sup> May, 2022. A short informal programme was held with Mr. Akhanmong T. Sangtam as the leader. Mr. L. Thsidelong Rüdy, gave a short speech and exhorted the students with words of motivation. The programme was graced with special numbers from the students. A time of sharing was taken up by both the lecturers and the students. Earlier, the invocation was said by Mr. Seyiesilie Vüprü and Miss Loreno C. Mozhui gave the vote of thanks. Miss Naro Jamir said the benediction. The programme came to a close with presentation followed by lunch, sightseeing and recreational activities.

~ Keneinguzo Rio, BA 6<sup>th</sup> Semester, Department of Political Science

## CHAOTIC WORLD

A wind of dark is blowing  
And the people of different kind are falling.  
Our map was of different colors  
But now everything is in red of horrors.  
Prayers are of humble  
But the hearts were not loyal.  
Humanity talks about Kindle  
But looks forward to their own royal.  
Money is not for Minors  
But some spend it on liquors.  
A newly married couples were cozy  
But later the couples were crazy.  
Our heart is a turbulent prison.  
So shall it be, the prisoners will come out.  
Because the days are in crimson,  
And when the dark wind gets over  
The days will be filled with joy.

**Pongsu Yimchunger**  
B.A 4<sup>th</sup> Semester,  
Department of Political Science.

“ First fish around the definition of hard work then unleash your dictionary of success. ”

“ Seek for today because today exist not resist” . ”

~Sajjal Pandey, 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester English Department

### Quotes

“Today doesn't matter, if it is not towards who you want to be tomorrow.”

### Fun Facts

I've got the probable result of the student council election when I was waiting to contest.

~ Khruvelu Vese  
BA 6<sup>th</sup> Semester  
Department of History



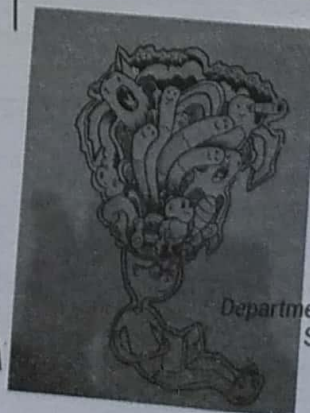
### With Dignity

All around you see is frailty!  
Kindly walk this path with dignity.  
Fall once, let it be to edify,  
Fall twice, let it be to rectify,  
Fall again, remember, 'Dignity'!  
What they opine; be their transgress.  
They will smirch, but what's your search?

Crawl, if must! whatever betide,  
Still! Go the path with dignity...

Why, do we judge like phony fools?  
Aren't our paths walked with dirty shoes?

**Kenivi Yhoshu**  
Assistant Professor  
Department of English



**Atolu Swu**  
Department of Political Science,  
Sechü Campus



## O! Only If She Be Mine

The stars for shined her dazzling eyes  
Made all the dices roll to sixes  
Such beauty laid there still and cozy  
And grew with such glamour like a daisy  
O! Only if she be mine

Moon the stars spent by so soon  
For every moment for her I repent  
Praying still that God be sided by me  
O! Only if she be mine  
Came the spring with it's soothing flowers,  
To pass by with it's season so high on towers,  
And there she stood; such beauty with a gown,  
River of tears befalled me; for her beauty was a crown,  
And she wore like a queen.

Gems she carried, wiped all the worries and aches,  
And happily they grew together in ages,  
And joyfully he ceased,  
Leaving the beauty amidst.  
Now he breathed his last...O! Now she is mine.....

~ **Lenpenthe Thyorr**, General Department, B.A 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester

## Wind

The wind, she tells me no  
No you cannot follow where I go  
She whispers her secrets in the breeze  
Her soft touch puts me at ease  
Whistling notes trickle down my spine  
The way she moves across my skin is divine  
She follows a path not set in stone  
I feel her presence down to my very bone  
Do not say goodbye let me come  
I feel her absence and I succumb  
To the dreary nothingness and stale air  
In a blissful moment she is there  
Where do you go and can you take me?  
You move about so freely  
You roam about the desert sands  
Across the globe to distant lands  
But a bird in a gilded cage trying to be free  
You can blow but you can't free me.

**Larito H Yimchunger**  
BA 6<sup>th</sup> Semester  
Department of History

Creative Letter Writing Competition on the topic "Your Future Self" held during the Literary Day, 2022.  
(1<sup>st</sup> position, Nukshimenla, BA 4<sup>th</sup> semester, Department of Sociology)

**Date: 22/02/2022**

**Lower PWD, Kohima, Nagaland-797001**

**Dear Future Self,**

How is life treating you? Have you been doing well? Are you still the same old girl who was all bubbly and outgoing? The girl who literally broke all the stuffs she touches.

Growing up must have been challenging and fun at the same time. I am writing this letter to let you know that the present you is having a kind of hard time but I know that things will get better in life as you are all grown up now, I want you to know that things will get harder sometimes but it is okay to take a break and take deep breaths in between and until both sides of your heart hurts. That it is okay that the only thing you did was just breathe to enjoy the mundane and little things that life has to offer.

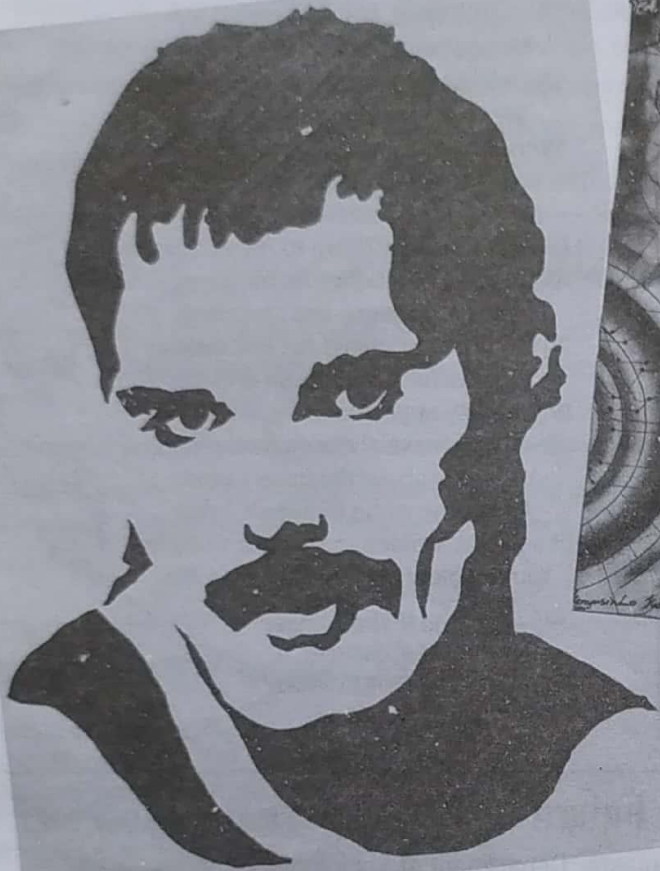
When nothing seems to work out for you, don't lose hope but instead work harder. You have always wanted to travel around the world and I hope that you have achieved your goal. The present you is enjoying her life at college and living the moment even though things get hard at times. Anxiety tends to kick in at times but thinking about what will go down in the future five to six years from now I am trying my best to not let anxiety get the best of me.

As you look back to all the old times that you lived, I hope that you feel nothing but proud of what you did being in the early 20's of your life right now, you have so many unanswered questions regarding life but I hope that you have gradually found the answers to all of it. I want to remind you of that particular time where everything went haywire, you were someone who would literally take parts in all social activities but started avoiding everything when you felt sick. I hope that you are at your best right now and when you look back I hope that it will remind you of what God and His grace did upon your life.

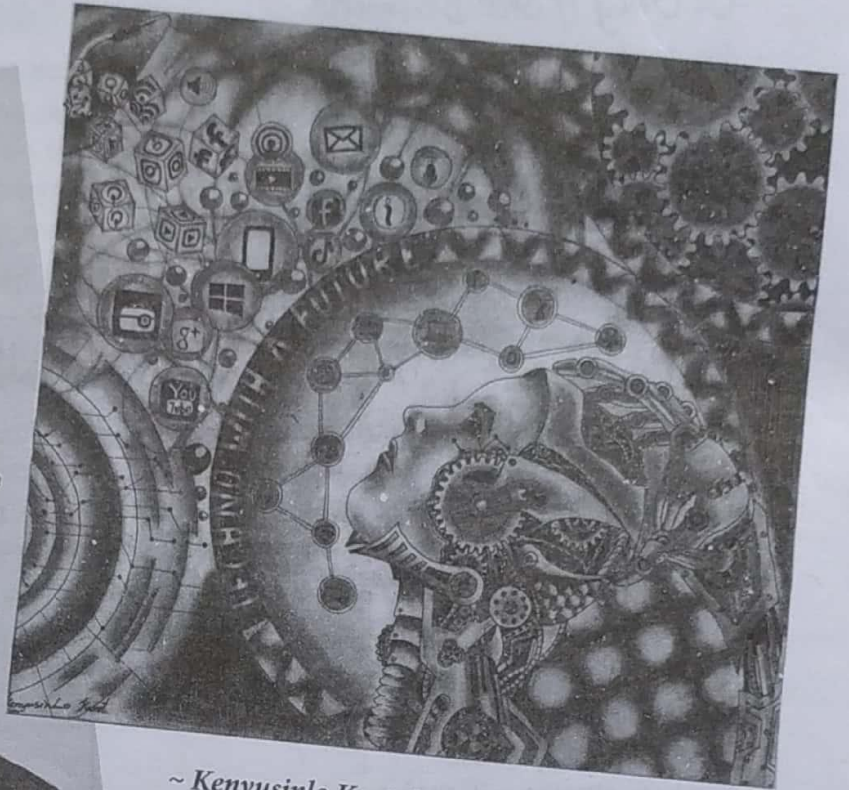
As I come to the end of my letter I hope that you will do your best in everything you do. Things might not always go perfectly and it is okay, take a break and start from where you left. Continue to keep God in the centre of your life and things will continue to work in the right direction.

**With love! From your past self**

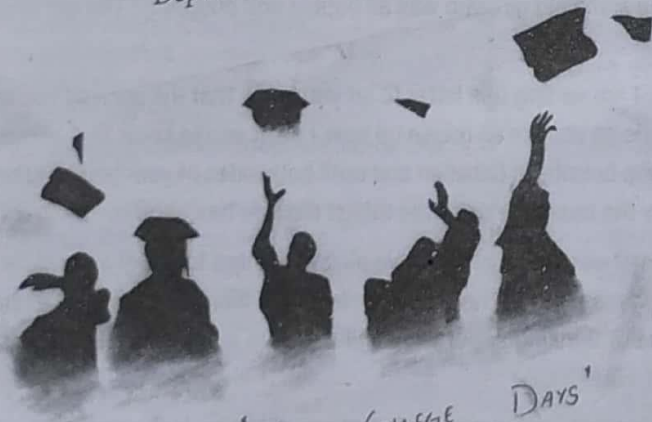




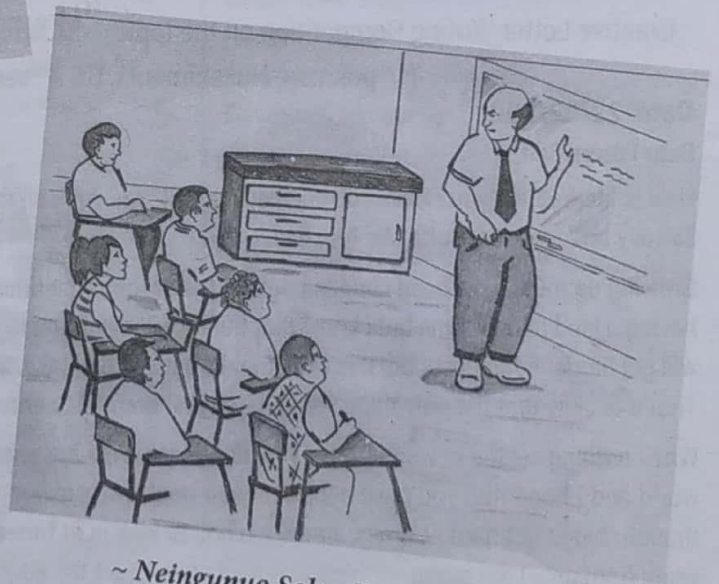
~ E. Isaac Konyak, BA 4<sup>th</sup> Semester  
Department of Political Science



~ Kenyusinlo Kent, BA 4<sup>th</sup> Semester  
Department of Sociology



'YOUR COLLEGE DAYS'



~ Neingunuo Solo, BA 4<sup>th</sup> Semester  
Department of Sociology

Winner of Pencil Sketching Competition held during the Literary Day, 2022

~ Lhikhrote Tsido, B. Com. 4<sup>th</sup> Semester  
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