

## **ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OF LADY KEANE COLLEGE**

### **REPORT (2021 - 2022)**

Alumni association has been a part of the college for a long time. Along with bringing the college mates together, they serve multiple other benefits for students. Staying connected to the place that enabled you to fly high and achieve your dreams gives you worldly pleasure. It brings the memories back and cherishes them. Apart from emotional gains, alumni association has other career benefits too. It helps students keep in touch with their mates that may have reached certain heights in their careers and their different perspective fields. Due to pandemic situation of Covid-19, the Alumni Association had not been able to do many activities for the students during the academic year 2021 -2022. It was only during early 2022, when the condition was improved, the association could organise two programmes for the students of Lady Keane College.

### **During the academic year 2021 – 2022**

1. **Executive Body Meeting**: The executive body of the alumni association of Lady Keane College could meet for a few times in offline mode to discuss about different activities to be organised for the students
  2. **AGM**: the association was able to hold the Annual General Meet on the 29<sup>th</sup> June 2022 where new office bearers were elected. Before the programme, the association also felicitated Mrs R V Suchiang, IAS, on her achievement as Chief Secretary, Govt of Meghalaya.
2. **Activities**:

The first activity was **“Workshop on Accessory Making – Bag”** held on the **11<sup>th</sup> of March 2022**. The second programme was **“A talk on Mental Health Issues”** for the students of the college on the **9<sup>th</sup> April, 2022**. Short reports of the two programmes are as given below:

### **Workshop on Accessory making – Bag**

The accessory making workshop on communication with resource person Ms. Inkerlin Marwein which took place in Lady Keane College Shillong on the 11<sup>TH</sup> March 2022 and brought together over 21 participants from Fashion Designer Career Oriented Course.

The materials used are-

1. Eva foam
2. Fabric(main &linning)
3. Zip/Magnetic buttons
4. D-Ring (2pcs)
5. Dog Hook (2pcs)
6. Chain (handle)
7. Dendrites
8. Thread.

The first session of the workshop opened with a welcome by the Principal of Lady Keane College Dr. D. K. B. Mukhim and two of the members of Alumini Association then followed by accessory making (bag) from 12:00am – 4:00pm with the instruction of the resource person Ms. Inkerlin Marwein and the constructed work couldn't be completed and continued for few more days.

*From this workshop we have learned a lot and get ideas on how to make a bag and how to use the materials in a proper way for different designs and sizes which is very beneficial for us all. This was the conclusion from Student participants.*





Student participants





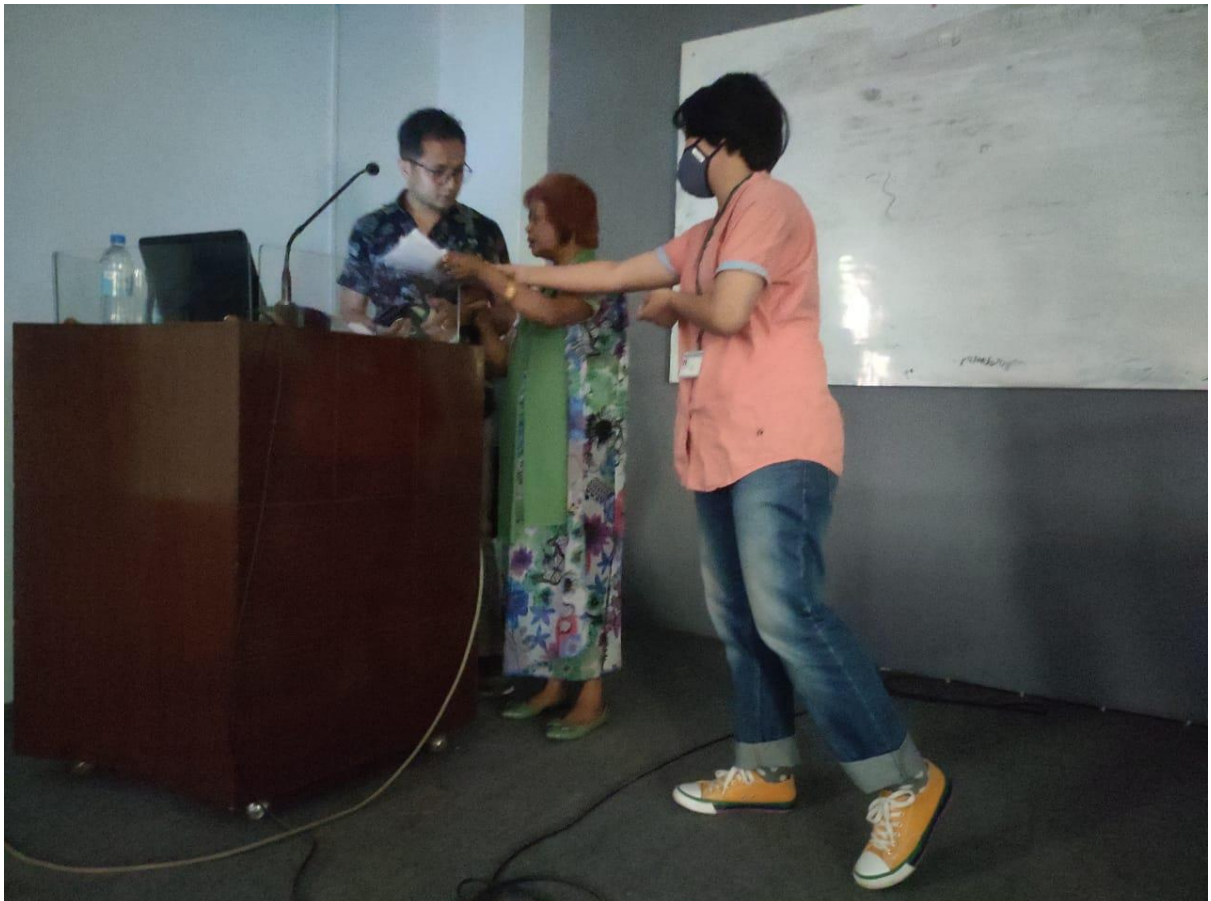
### **A TALK ON MENTAL HEALTH ISSUES**

The programme was sponsored by Alumni members belonging to the teaching fraternity of Lady Keane College. It was held on the 9<sup>th</sup> of April 2022 in the College Seminar Hall at 10:00am. Shri Truman E. Basaiawmoit, Psychologist, District Mental Health Programme, East Khasi Hills, Meghalaya was the Resource person. The host, Dr. Stepahnie Basaiawmoit, invited Ms Minimon Laloo, secretary of the alumni association for a short speech about the programme, followed by the welcome address by the Principal of the College, Dr. D K. B. Mukhim. The programme went on smoothly with lots of interaction from students. Students in fact had requested the resource person for extra time for their personal help. Students had verbally reported that the programme was very good and helpful to them. Such programmes should be conducted at regular interval – they said. All members of the Association would like to express our gratitude to Ms Iooahun Dhar, College counsellor for rendering a wonderful help towards making the programme a success.









Lots of questions and requests from student participants to extend the programme and to have more interactions with the resource person