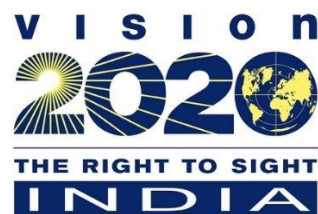




**13 October 2022**

# **WORLD SIGHT DAY 2022 A REPORT**



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## *A Report*

VISION 2020 INDIA in collaboration with member hospital Little Flower Hospital & Research Centre held the World Sight Day 2022 in Angamaly, Kerala in collaboration with Kerala State Ophthalmological Society (KSOS) with a slew of activities to generate awareness on eye health.

*A series of activities organized – quiz competition for the optometrists, short film competition for the college students on the theme **Love your eyes**, Walkathon, Awareness programme, staging of Mime and Public Meeting.*

## SHORT FILM

The Short film competition was held for the college students of the state of Kerala and the topic given was “Love your Eyes”. The notification regarding the competition was released one month in advance. Only one entry was permitted from each college. 15 entries were received. The jury for the short film competition consisted of a few film Directors. First prize was secured by Newman College, Thodupuzha and the second prize was won by Sree Sankaracharya University, Kalady.

## QUIZ PROGRAMME

The quiz programme was for the optometry students and staff optometrists. We had given the communication to all schools of optometry in Kerala. There were 18 teams to participate. After the preliminary rounds, only 6 teams were given entry to final round.

The first prize for the quiz programme was secured by Ms. Anju Johnson and Alona Titty of Medical Trust Institute of Medical Sciences, Ernakulam; and the second prize was secured by Vishnu S Nair and Aleena Tiju of Sushrutha school of Optometry and Visual Sciences, Kochi and the third Prize was secured by Ms. Siji M and Ms. Anjana Ashokan of Ahalia School of optometry, Palakkad. The quiz programme was managed by the faculty of School of Optometry of Little Flower Institute of Allied Health Sciences and Research (LIMSAR), Angamaly.

## WALKATHON

The program was flagged off by the local Member of Parliament - Shri Benny Bahnan and Mr. Phanindra Nukella, CEO, VISION 2020 INDIA at 9 am and moved towards a walkathon of around 3 kms through the street of Angamaly. Volunteers and students have held messages, raised slogans on eye care and managing to attract the attention of the public. Awareness through announcements and flash mob was also created during walkathon for World Sight Day.



After the walkathon, there was a public meeting at Little Flower Hospital, Angamaly. Dr Thomas Cherian addressed the students and the flash mob who have performed there. Padma Shree Awardee Dr S Tony Fernandez was the Chief Guest and Dr Arup Chakraborty from KSOS (Kerala State Ophthalmological Society) also attended the program. Dr Arup



**Public meeting at Little Flower Hospital, Angamaly, Kerala**

Chakraborty shared his vision towards the eye care based on the theme of World Sight Day.

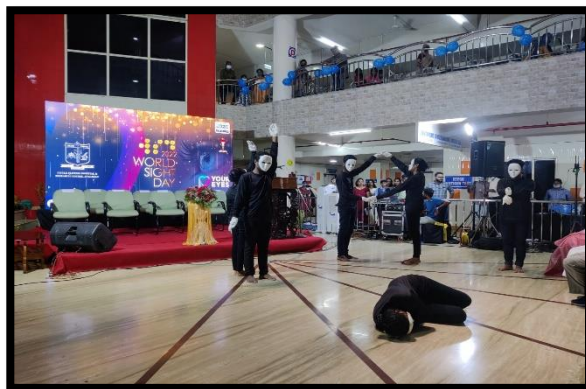


**Dignitaries wearing Love Your Eyes Glasses**



**Optometry Student Volunteer performing Eye Health Awareness Message**

A mime act was presented by the volunteers of Little Flower Hospital on the theme "Love Your Eyes". The volunteers showed the message on the effects of digital usage and how it impacts our eyes.



**Volunteers performing MIME Act at Public Meeting**

Fr. Varghese Palatty addressed the crowd on and the inauguration along with perspective speech was done by Padma Shree Awardee Dr S Tony Fernandez who spoke about his experience in the field of eye care and how the theme of WSD – World Sight Day is for everyone to adapt.

The Board members of VISION 2020 INDIA and the team from the Secretariat participated in the walk and the public meeting where Mr. R N Mohanty and Mrs. Elizabeth Kurian addressed the crowd with their perspective on WSD. We thank Little Flower Hospital & Research Centre's entire management for hosting the event and ensuring a grand success.



## AWARD CEREMONY

From 7 to 13 October, a series of activities were organised by Little Flower Hospital & Research Centre to spread the message of World Sight Day on the theme '**Love Your Eyes**'. The winners were felicitated during the public meeting.



## SOCIAL MEDIA PRESENCE



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World Sight Day 2022 Activity Launch



WSD 2022 – Eye Health Awareness Message



WSD 2022 Activity – Flag Off, Walkathon





WSD 2022 Activity – Flag Off, Walkathon, MIME, Public Meeting