

# **TKM College of Engineering, Kollam-691005**

## **PARENT TEACHER ASSOCIATION**

### **Activity Report for the year 2021-2022**

The Parent-Teacher association of TKMCE is a statutory body of the College working under and according to the provisions of Travancore Cochin Literary Scientific and Charitable Societies Act-1955. The association works for the benefit of the students, teachers and the institution as a whole.

#### **Financial assistance to students**

Financial grant was given to a student of Mechanical engineering department for the development of his final year project. Project assistance was given to a team comprising of students from Electronics and Communication Engineering department. PTA could successfully conduct Merit evening in association with Alumni association and 54 cash prizes were awarded to the students of various branches who secured highest marks in KTU examinations. PTA provided reimbursement of travelling expenses for 25 students for their visit to NIT Calicut as part of the mentor-mentee program of IIC. TA was given for students and an escorting faculty for participating in the Viswakarma Award 2022 at IIT, Gandhinagar. Faculties and staff to accompany student tours of various departments were provided with financial support.

#### **Support to various facilities of the College**

PTA is providing regular and special grants to Facilities Management Committee of the College, which enables the infrastructure maintenance. Salary of a part-time sweeper was being paid this year also with an enhancement of Rs.2000 from the month of October. Financial aid was given to the College for the payment of electricity bill and internet leased line rent to BSNL. PTA could render its assistance to the college in providing with the guest lecturer remuneration so as to support the teaching-learning process.

## **Financial assistance to various Departments of the College**

As part of the social commitment of the college, the rehabilitation work was conducted by Electrical Engineering Department at Kootikkal flood hit areas for reconnecting houses back to KSEB grid. PTA could also be a part of this social responsibility by providing a financial assistance.

Sufficient fund is released to all the departments as part of accreditation requirements. Chemical engineering department is supported with a financial grant for the purchase of a pin of disc tribometer and purchase of UV visible spectrometer. Financial grant was given to enhance the stipend to Library Trainee from September 2021 to December 2021. Financial Support was given to the Mechanical Engineering department for conducting International Conference. Purchase of 5 desktop computers for ECE department was also financially supported by PTA. Financial aid was given for the Staff of TKMCE for attending AICTE IDEA lab training.

## **Conclusion**

As in all the preceeding years, the year 2021-22 also could witness the immense co-operation of parents and teachers in helping the students to take maximum advantage of their campus life. The executive committee meetings which held regularly, had very fruitful discussions on both academic and non-academic matters related to the students. These discussions and their solutions helped the institution immensely in its service to the society. We are immensely thankful to the Principal, executive committee members, faculty members and parents for their earnest co-operation in seeing through the obligatory requirements for the parent-teacher association.