

Annual Newsletter

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Forman Church Relations Office Activities:

- Financial care of Christian students
- Act as an official liaison with local churches
- Manage Pre-College Summer Program
- Special Evening Coaching Program for the intermediate Christian students
- Manage mentor-mentee program
- Educational Support Services and Personality Grooming



Forman Church Relations Office is delighted to have you read this newsletter. It is hoped that it will motivate, stimulate, and touch you to further your commitment and dedication to bringing holistic change to our community through education. God is not only looking at our expedition, but He is also prepared to work with us to bring our dream true.



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Congratulations to Dr. Farzand Masih and Forman's Church Relations Office for producing this newsletter, summarizing some of the many ways in which this small office has had a big impact. Despite the challenges of Covid-19, the last twelve months have been an impressive and even inspiring period, marking the launch of a wide range of activities that have in turn directly affected the lives of hundreds of Forman students. Taken together, the text as well as the photographs that follow also illustrate what Church Relations is doing to advance Forman's timeless motto: "By love serve one another".

SPECIAL EVENING COACHING CLASSES - 2021

The eight weeks Special Evening Coaching Classes aims to train the Intermediate students (1st & 2nd years) for the BISE annual exams. In addition to revision and test sessions, the students are equipped with problem/question-solving techniques of the Board exams. The classes started on February 15, 2021 and were concluded on March 31, 2021. The subjects taught include Pre-Medical, Pre-Engineering & I.C.S (Computer group). All 61 students benefitted from these classes supervised by 18 Christian Faculty members. No tuition fee was charged from the students except the registration fee.



FORMAN CHURCH RELATIONS OFFICE BIDS FAREWELL TO DR. JAMES A. TEBBE AND MRS. BETH TEBBE (DECEMBER 10, 2020)

Forman Church Relations Office arranged a get-together of Christian faculty and staff on December 10, 2020, to bid farewell to Dr. James A. Tebbe, former Rector, Forman Christian College University, and Mrs. Beth Tebbe. Dr. Jonathan S. Addleton (Rector), Mrs. Fiona Addleton, Dr. Douglas Trimble (Vice-Rector), Mrs. Margy Trimble, Dr. Nayyer Firdous (Registrar), Anthony Richard (Chief Information Officer), Mrs. Amber Mall (Head of Admission), and several distinguished faculty members and staff were present to celebrate and appreciate the faithful services of Dr. Tebbe, spanning over the last ten years.

A THREE DAY SEMINAR ON "HOW TO ATTEMPT BISE PAPERS"

A three days seminar was arranged from March 6, 2021, to March 9, 2021, to guide the students of the 1st & 2nd year on "How to Attempt BISE Papers". During the seminar, students were provided with the following opportunities.

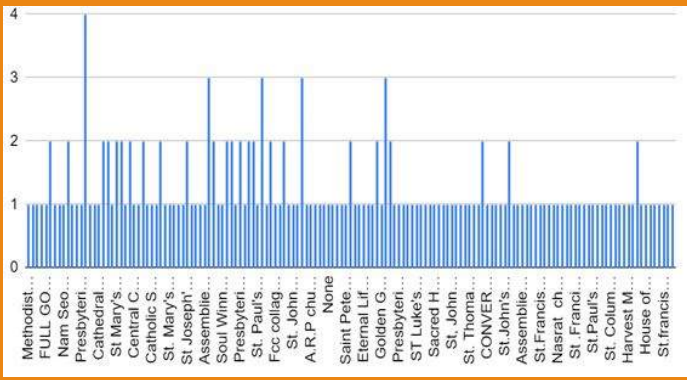
1. Samples of good attempted BISE papers of previous years were shown to the students
2. Instructions were given on time management
3. The students were guided about the amount of content to be written in a short or a long question
4. They were instructed about the good paper presentation; where to use a marker; what to underline; how to draw a labeled figure; where to give points; where to write paragraphs; how to facilitate examiner while marking your paper and above all how to make paper eye-catching etc.



CHRISTIAN STUDENT SUPPORT FUND PROGRAM

The Forman Church Relations Office in line with the motto of Forman Christian College University disbursed around Rs. 4.4 million as financial assistance to the 377 bright and needy Christian students (college and university) in the year 2020 - 2021.





SUPPORTING AND ENCOURAGING LOCAL CHURCHES THROUGH PRE-COLLEGE SUMMER PROGRAM - 2021

Forman Church Relations Office provides services to Christian Churches through several events and activities. Pre-college Summer Coaching Classes is one of such activities that make a difference in the lives of young boys and girls of various churches and denominations. For the current year, out of four hundred and ninety-four students from all over Punjab, hundred and eighty-eight students are registered for the Pre-college Summer Coaching Classes.

The Forman Christian College is wildly enthusiastic for shaping the lives of these students who belong to 150 different churches and denominational groups. Through mentoring, tutoring, and counseling, Forman Christian College aims to help these students build self-esteem, connect with others, give back to their churches/communities, and set goals for their future.

OPENING CEREMONY OF PRE-COLLEGE SUMMER PROGRAM - 2021

The Opening Ceremony of the Pre-college Summer Coaching Classes was held on August 26, 2021. Rev. Dr. Quaiser Julius, Chairman Board of Governors, graciously accepted for being a Chief Guest. It was not possible to invite students, parents, and church leaders in person because of the restrictions imposed by NCOC. However, students and parents joined us virtually. Dr. Jonathan S. Addleton, Rector FCCU, Dr. Douglas Trimble, Vice-Rector University, Dr. Nayer Firdous, Registrar FFC, and heads of the various department participated in person.



MOTIVATIONAL TALKS - I CAN, I WILL, I MUST

Forman Church Relations Office is thankful to Dr. Christy Munir (Professor Emeritus), Dr. Nayer Firdous (Registrar FCCU), Mr. Afzal Baig (Civil Judge), Dr. Sharoon Hanook (Head of Statistic Department, FCCU), Kamil Shamshad (Head of Financial Aid Office, FCCU), Sarah Farzand (Ph. D Scholar, High Energy Physics, Helsinki University, Finland), Dawood Nayer, Ph. D Scholar, Business Marketing, Strathelyde University, UK) and Dr. Farzand Masih (Head of Church Relations Office) for sharing their success stories and empowering students to independently dream about and pursue their career aspirations. The talks were specially curated to motivate students to know how to flower where God has sown them.



The Pre-college Summer Coaching Classes is one of the most important activities of the Forman Church Relations Office. Unfortunately, last summer this important undertaking was postponed because of Covid -19. This year too it was a big challenge causing it almost impossible to take in-person classes.

Thank God it could be possible to bring students on campus for in-person classes for four weeks after permission from the NCOC.

PRE-COLLEGE SUMMER PROGRAM - 2021



LET'S HEAD OVER TO THE EWING MEMORIAL LIBRARY

To encourage reading and exploration in students, a visit to Ewing Memorial Library was arranged. Miss Madiha Asghar welcomed students and told them about many beneficial and enjoyable things to do at the library that most people do not take advantage of. Students were inspired and motivated to see different sections of the library.

A BRIEF STOPOVER AT NATURAL SCIENCES MUSEUM, FCCU

A study trip to Natural Sciences Museum was arranged to provide an experience to students for investigating how ecosystems and their ecological communities change over time. This brief stopover helped the students gain a deeper understanding of the nature of science and science inquiries. Students were exceptionally thrilled to see the skeleton of an elephant,----- and a variety of stuffed animals.



CLOSING CEREMONY OF PRE-COLLEGE SUMMER COACHING CLASSES

The Closing Ceremony of Pre-college Summer Coaching Classes was held on October 15, 2021, in the Sinclair Hall from 4:30 to 6:30 pm. Students, parents, teachers and distinguished guests participated in this event. The students displayed their inner talent of music by singing beautiful songs and soothed the souls of audience with cool rhythms. A special documentary illustrating eight weeks activities was also shown on this occasion. At the end delicious dinner was offered to all participants.



DR. MUSTAFA OF LIFE SCIENCES AND LABS' STAFF OF PHYSICS, CHEMISTRY, COMPUTER SCIENCES WERE THRILLED TO WELCOME STUDENTS

A trip of labs of life, physical, and computer sciences was mapped out to enable the students to translate what they have read in their books to practical realities and enhance their understanding of the learned concepts. Students were excited to see Polarimeter, Flame Photometer, Absorption Spectrometer, Infrared Spectrometer, and UV- Visible Spectrometer in chemistry labs and were exceedingly impressed by a brief talk of Dr. Mustafa regarding the subject of biological sciences.

LAUNCHING OF OUR FACEBOOK PAGE



Launching the Forman Facebook page on June 7, 2021, to help our community know, about the different activities of the Forman Church Relations Office, especially amidst the Covid-19 pandemic. Forman Church Relations Office is grateful to Rev. Reuban Qamar for his prayers and assistance in the launching of the Forman Facebook page.

SPIRITUAL AWAKENING THROUGH SPECIAL BIBLE STUDY CLASSES



In addition to the motivation and teaching sessions, special Bible Study Classes were also arranged every Friday. During the eight weeks classes, Rev. Reuben Qamar expounded on several intricate topics such as Christian Identity in the Context of Pakistan, Apostle's Creed, and Youth and its Role in the Church.

OUR MOTIVATIONAL SPEAKERS



DR. CHRISTY MUNIR
(PROFESSOR EMERITUS)



DR. SHARON HANOOK
HEAD OF STATISTICS DEPARTMENT



DR. WAYER FIRDOUS
REGISTRAR, FCCU



MR. KAMIL SHAMSHAD
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MR. AFZAL BAIG
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MR. DAUD MAYER
PH.D SCHOLAR (UNIVERSITY OF STRATHCLYDE)



DR. FARZAND MASIH
FORMAN CHURCH RELATIONS OFFICER



MS. SARAH FARZAND
PH.D SCHOLAR (UNIVERSITY OF HELSINKI)

ACKNOWLEDGING OUR STALWARTS



The Forman Church Relations Office deeply appreciates each one of you for being such an inspiring and motivating teacher.

Pre - College Summer Program welcomes our alumni to stay connected





CLOSING CEREMONY
PREPARATION
SINCLAIR HALL



CSSF MEETING



SUPPORT OUR CHRISTIAN STUDENTS

*If you feel burden for the needy Christian students, please submit your donation in favor of
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