CHAKYAR KOOTHU

31st January 2024

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SPIC MACAY, in collaboration with the Christ College chapter, hosted an enthralling performance of Chakyar Koothu at the Christ College Auditorium on 31st January at 1:30 pm. Kalamandalam Sajith Vijayan struck a strong rapport with his audience. Kalamanalam Vijay did drumming on the Mizhavu. As the Chakyar took his audience through the story, he alluded to many social and political issues. The event aimed to celebrate and preserve India's rich cultural heritage. Chakyar Kooth is a unique blend of storytelling, humor, and classical dance, primarily performed by members of the Chakyar community. The performance, held in the college auditorium, drew a diverse audience comprising students, faculty, and local community members. The Chakyar artist skillfully narrated ancient tales from Hindu mythology, employing gestures, facial expressions, and voice modulation to captivate the audience's attention.

The event provided a platform for students and attendees to immerse themselves in the cultural traditions of India, fostering appreciation for the country's artistic heritage. Through the performance, attendees gained insights into Kerala's cultural practices and the significance of storytelling in Indian tradition. The Spicmacay chapter at Christ College deserves commendation for organizing such a culturally enriching event, which not only entertained but also educated the audience about the importance of preserving and promoting traditional art forms. The event served as a reminder of the beauty and diversity of India's cultural landscape, leaving a lasting impact on all those who attended.

College Principal, Rev. Dr. Jolly Andrews CMI, Spic Macay Thrissur regional coordinator, Mr. Unni Warrier, and Christ College chapter co-ordinator Dr. Anusha Mathew addressed the audience. Anjaly Maria welcomed the gathering and Athira K delivered the vote of thanks. Around 400 students attended the program









THRISSUR CHAPTER **CHAKYAR KOOTHU Lecture Demonstration**

Kalamandalam Sajith Vijayan 31st January, 2024 :: 1:30pm



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