

### **ACTION PLAN: (June,2023- May,2024)**

Department Action Plan as formulated at department meeting on 30.1.23:

1. To continue with literary activities, exposure trips/study tours.
2. To continue with extension activities.
3. To continue with the department topper Award.
4. To continue with students' welfare funding.
5. To continue with research activities.
6. Literary Fest to be an annual event.
7. To conduct inter-departmental seminar.
8. To publish the papers presented during the international seminar in an edited book (in 2 volumes, if needed).

### **ACTION TAKEN REPORT**

#### **No.1. LITERARY ACTIVITIES AND EXPOSURE/STUDY TOUR**

- a) **Study Tour:** 10 students from 6<sup>th</sup> Semester went on a study tour to Shillong, Meghalaya 29<sup>th</sup> January to 1<sup>st</sup> February, 2024.



- b). **English Club event:** On the 2<sup>nd</sup> of September ,2023, the English Club held the 2<sup>nd</sup> phase of club event "Battle of Wits" under the theme: *Rediscover, Rekindle and Revive English through Communication*. The activities and winners:

- i. **Debate:** 'English Literature is Easier Than any Other Discipline'. The team against the motion, Lhaineicho, B.A 3<sup>rd</sup>Semester & **Atino** Yeptho. B.A

5<sup>th</sup> Semester won the debate. Speaking for the motion, Livika Sumi, B.A  
3<sup>rd</sup> Semester, won the best debater title.

## **ii. Extempore Speech:**

1<sup>st</sup> :Limatoshi Longchar, B.A 1<sup>st</sup> Semester

2<sup>nd</sup>Loiyihingle Zeliang, B.A 3<sup>rd</sup> Semester 3<sup>rd</sup>: Livika Sumi, B.A 3<sup>rd</sup> Semester



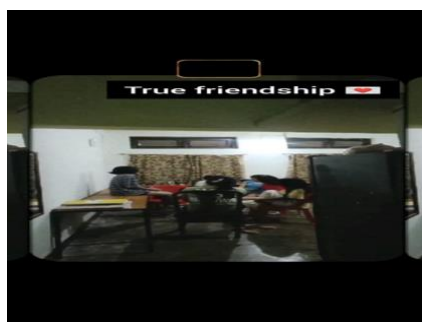
## **C). Short-Video Competition**

On 26<sup>th</sup> June 2023, the Literati Club, English department, organised a short- video making competition on the theme, '*Hidden Treasures*', calling for creations that uncovers something unique, valuable, or meaningful that is often overlooked or hidden in plain sight. The objective was to highlight the beauty of everyday life and to emphasise the importance of observing and appreciating the small details that surround us.

### **The winners:**

1<sup>st</sup> - Anjana Limbu, B.A 4<sup>th</sup> Semester, Education

2<sup>nd</sup> - Aloinoli. I.Sum, B.A 6<sup>th</sup> Semester, Pol. Science



**d). the Inter- College District Debate Competition**

On 7<sup>th</sup> October 2023, Ilotoli S. Chophi & Chingmei A Konyak of B.A 5<sup>th</sup> Semester represented DGC at the Inter- College District Debate Competition which was conducted at Unity College on the topic "Uniform Civil Code". Chingmei A. Konyak won the first position.



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**e). An inter- collegiate quiz competition**

At an inter- collegiate quiz competition organised by the debate and quiz club of St. Jonh College, Dimapur on 13<sup>th</sup> March 2024, two students, H. Linotoli Swu of B.A 6<sup>th</sup> Semester, History, & Kehika Yeptho of B. A 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester, Pol.Science, won the first position.



**f). Talent Hunt:**

On 14<sup>th</sup> October 2024, English Honours students Eunice phom, Heya Semy, Rebekah Phom, Sholik Konyak, & Yasoda Chettri, secured the 1<sup>st</sup> prize in the 4<sup>th</sup> Inter- Collegiate



Talent Hunt, Phoenix 2024, under the theme, "Eclectic Effervescent Effulgent" hosted by Model Christian College, Kohima.

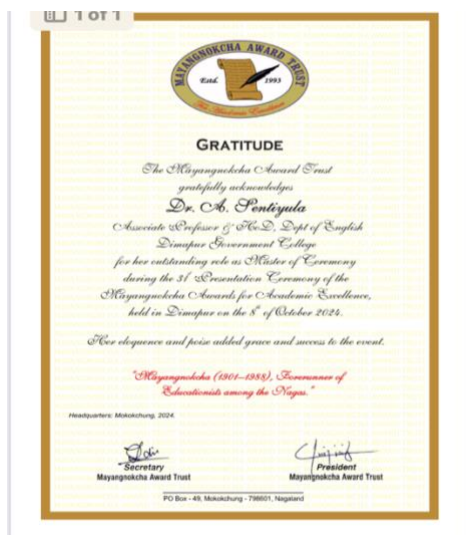


## **No.2. EXTENSION ACTIVITIES**

a) As part of its extension activity, 7 faculty members & 8 students visited Naga New Model (Ao) School in Nuton Bosti, Dimapur on 1<sup>st</sup> May, 2024. After a short programme with the faculty & students of the school, the DGC students conducted interactive sessions with the students in their classrooms. The visit concluded after refreshments provided by the visitors.



b) **Dr. A. Sentiya**, Associate Professor and Head of the Department of English, Dimapur Government College, was invited to serve as the Master of Ceremony during the Mayangnokcha Award Presentation Ceremony for Academic Excellence, held in Dimapur on 5th October 2024.



### **NO.3. DEPARTMENT TOPPER AWARD**

**Ms. Thungyani M. Humtsoe** was the recipient of the Department Subject Topper Award for the year 2023. She was presented with a certificate and a cash prize of ₹7,000/- in recognition of her academic excellence.



### **NO. 4. STUDENTS' WELFARE FUND**

a) The department sponsored 2 students under the DGC Students' welfare fund.

b) Graduating student and department stipend recipient, Hinoka Assumi, received the final instalment in May 2023.

c) Three students of the batch of 2024, Leom Konyak, Ralami Newmai & Mathawangliu Newmai who were recipients of the department stipend, received their final installment in May 2024.

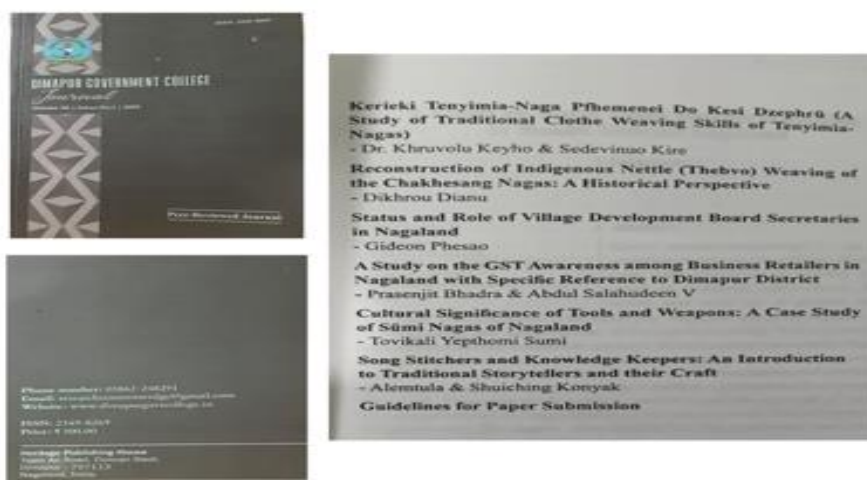
## **NO..5. RESEARCH ACTIVITIES**

a) Lanunichet Pongen, a member of the faculty, commenced his Ph.D. studies at Nagaland University in August 2023.

b) A short story titled 'Autumn Reminiscence' written by faculty member Lanunochit Pongen was published in ***the Nigerian Journal of Poems and Short Stories (NJPSS)***, Vol. 3 No 1, 2023, ISSN: 2814-3752, E-ISSN: 2814-3757 Indexed in Google Scholar (Email: njpssng@gamil.com). Editors: Manu Mangattu, Ifeoma Ezinne Odinye.

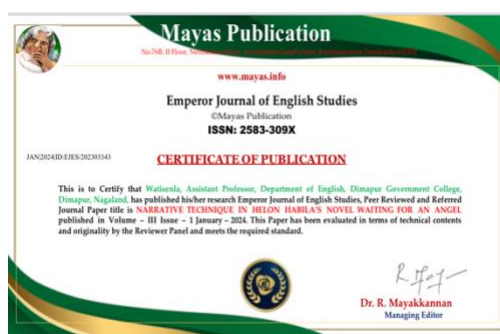


b) A paper titled "Song Stitchers and Knowledge Keepers: An Introduction to traditional storytellers and their Craft", jointly written by faculty members **Alemtula & Shuiching Konyak** was published in **DGC Journal Vol-IX, Issue-1, ISSN-2349-8269**.





- c) In January 2024, faculty member **Ms. Watisenla** published a peer-reviewed research paper titled “**Narrative Technique in Helon Habila’s Novel Waiting for an Angel**” in the Emperor Journal of English Studies (Volume III, Issue 1), a refereed and peer-reviewed journal with ISSN: 2583-309X. The paper was evaluated and approved by the journal’s review panel for its originality and technical merit. (Available at: <https://www.mayas.info/view-archive-issues/59/3/1/2024-01-05>)



## NO.6. ANNUAL LITERARY FEST

The Literati Club organised the Literary Day on **9<sup>th</sup> February 2024, as part of 'The Harbinger Fest 2024'**. Chaired by Aloinoli.I.Sumu, Literary Secretary, DGC Students' Council, the activities & winners were:

### i. Spoken Word: "Whispers of the Heart"

- 1<sup>st</sup> - Redala Khuvala
- 2<sup>nd</sup> - Ngaulubui Namdav
- 3<sup>rd</sup> - Sungitjungla

### ii. Character Monologue

- 1<sup>st</sup> - Toto.K Awomi
- 2<sup>nd</sup> - Watinaro
- 3<sup>rd</sup> - Heya Semy.

### iii. Debate

- Winning team (Motion)
- 1. Tiamongba Lemtur
- 2. Nungshiwapangla
- 3. Govinda Kumar
- 4. Hukavi I Jakha

Best debater - Hukavi.I. Jakha



### NO.7. INTER-DEPARTMENTAL SEMINAR

The department conducted the inter-departmental seminar on 14<sup>th</sup> March ,2024. The papers presented were:

- I. ***"Homeland Reveries: Exploring the Attachments to Home and Nature in the Works of Three N.E Indian Writers."*** presented by Shiem L & Washitemjen of B.A 6<sup>th</sup>Semester, English Honours. The seminar paper was written under the supervision of **Ms. Alemtula**, Associate Professor, Department of English.
- II. ***"Representation of Oral Tradition in Children's Literature through the Amalgamation of Visual Graphics & Storytelling with Special Reference to Easterine Kire's The Log-Drummer Boy"***, presented by N.Mongyung Phom, Assistant Professor, English.



No.8. The process is ongoing.

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