

Laminar Thought Flow



The Department of Biochemistry Newsletter

From the Editor's Desk

The Department of Biochemistry is releasing its fifth newsletter "Laminar Thought Flow" with zeal and enthusiasm as college life returned to "the good old days" being offline most of the time. Here are glimpses of activities held from September 2021 to February 2022. The current issue of our newsletter includes faculty activities, student activities, department achievements and the creative corner.

- Dr. Aduja Naik, Asst. Prof., Dept. of Biochemistry

FACULTY & STUDENTS' ACTIVITIES

Freshers Party

The Freshers party was organized by the members of the Synergy Club and whole heartedly supported by all the second and third year students for the new students (First years) in the department. The event was held on 4th December 2021 in the lower auditorium from 2 to 4 p.m. The theme selected for the Freshers Party 2021 was retro. The event was well organized with events like welcome ceremony, introduction of faculty and students, spot prizes, games like Dumsharas, 7 Up, Origami longest tear, Treasure Hunt, Mr. and Ms. Fresher, Cake Cutting, Dance and Songs. Students and faculty of the Department of Biochemistry enjoyed the event.



-Contributed by Rutuja Prabhudessai & Gricea Godinho, S.Y. Biochemistry

Christmas Celebrations

Christmas celebration was an extracurricular event held on 23rd of December 2021. The dress code for the day was as follows; FY- white, SY- Red and TY-Green. The program was hosted by Clefer Lopes and Chryselle Gomes from TY. It started with spot prizes followed by Carol singing competition between FYs, SYs and TYs. Then a couple of games were played which were organized by TYs and faculty incharge Ms. Sarah Thomas Mesquita. This was followed by a spot prize. The program ended with the exchange of Christmas gifts.



Carol Singing Competition



Game 1 - Paper Dance



Game 2- Christmas Housie



Christmas Invitation and Christmas Decor

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Movie Lessons

This activity was extracurricular in nature and was organized for the members of Synergy club on 11th December 2021. For this activity the movie which was projected was LUCY (2014). The movie was of 1.5hr and further movie discussion for 30 minutes.

Description about the movie:

Lucy is set in a world that is run by the mob, street gangs and drug addicts. Lucy a woman is forced to work as a drug mule for the mob. The drug implanted in her body inadvertently leaks into her system, changing her into a superhuman, due to accessing much more than the normal 10% of her brain capacity. She can absorb knowledge instantaneously, is able to move objects with her mind and cannot feel pain and other discomforts.

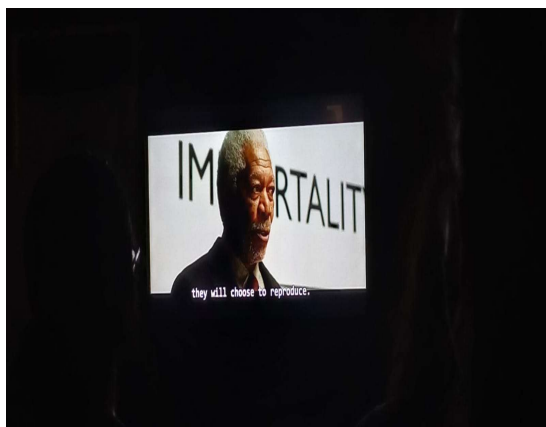
This activity of movie lessons was very interesting and beneficial and had concluded with great success.



An eye-catching invitation was designed by Vivan Abreu from SY with the details of the Movie Lessons activity which gave a positive response from participants.



The early trailer of the story created a ton of suspense on everyone face. Lucy is one of those films that brought about furious reactions; it was after all a science fiction type action movie.

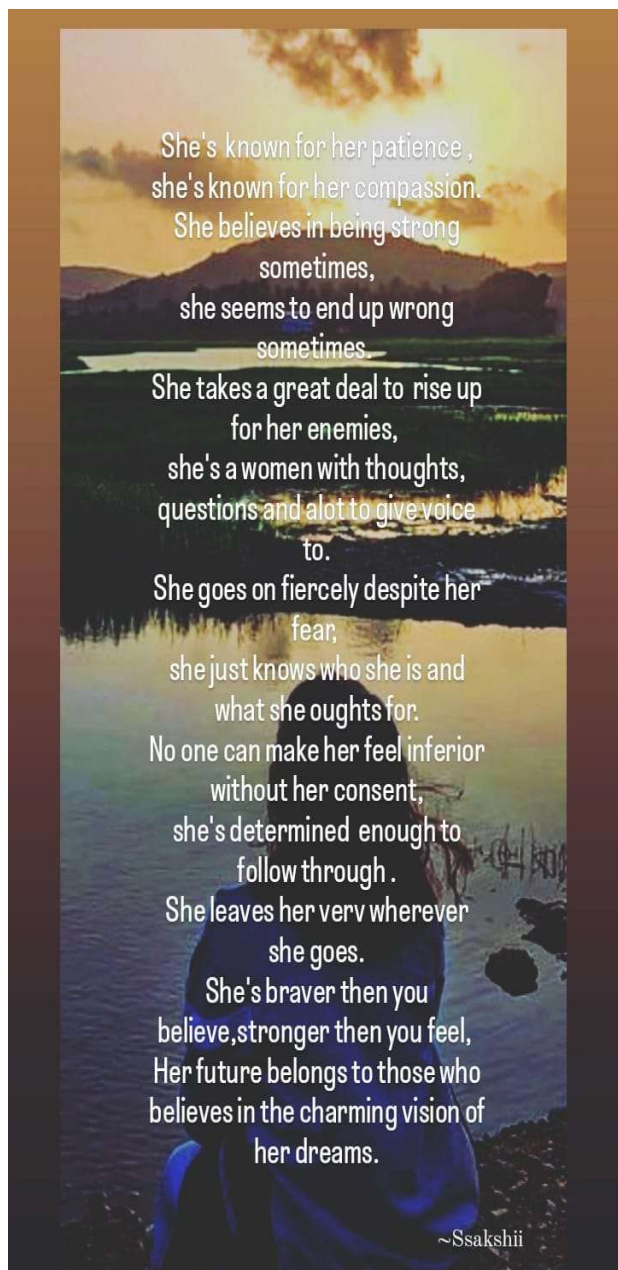


This picture describes the part in the movie where Morgan Freeman explains that the mass of the cells that make up earthworms and human beings has only two solutions. Be immortal, or to reproduce. If its habitat is not sufficiently favorable or nurturing, the cell will choose immortality. In other words, self-sufficiency and self management.



Here the participants were given time to discussion about the movie. It was an enjoyable and insightful movie lessons activity and was concluded with positive note.

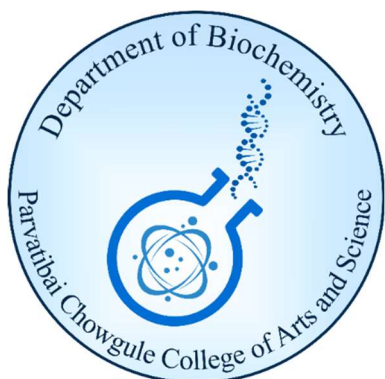
The Creative Corner



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