



# AMALA INSTITUTE OF MEDICAL SCIENCES

Amala Nagar P.O, Thrissur - 680555

## Minutes of PTWA executive committee meeting

Date: 21.06.2024

Time: 03:00 pm

Venue: College Council Room

### In Attendance:

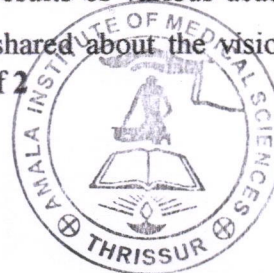
1. Rev.Fr.Julious Arakkal CMI (Director)
2. Dr.Betsy Thomas (Principal)
3. Dr.Deepthi Ramakrishnan ( Vice Principal )
4. Dr.Ajith T.A (Member Secretary , PTWA )
5. Dr.Boney Rajan (PTWA Member)
6. Dr.Ajin Joseph (PTWA Member)
7. Dr.Deepthi M (PTWA, President and member 2018 batch)
8. Dr.Thomas Vadakkan (PTWA Member, 2019 batch)
9. Dr.Mili Ravindran (PTWA Member, 2021 batch)
10. Dr.Lovely Bino (PTWA Member, 2022 batch)
11. Dr.Saji (PTWA Member, 2023 batch)

Rev.Fr.Antony Mannummel CMI (PTWA Treasurer), Dr.Joseph T.John (Vice Principal), Dr.K.Rennis Davis (Vice Principal) and Ms.Mary Ann Basil (PTWA Member, 2020 batch) informed their inconvenience to attend the meeting.

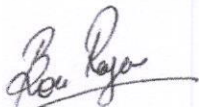
The meeting started with a silent prayer at 03.00 pm.

Dr.Deepthi, PTWA President, welcomed all the members. Rev.Fr.Julious Arakkal CMI, Director, requested everyone to do a self introduction. He shared his thoughts on the importance of PTWA in various activities of the institution including clinics. He emphasized the vision of Amala and reminded the prior preparation of 'Amala Suvarna', the 50<sup>th</sup> year celebration which is going to be held in 2028. He briefed about the history of Amala, how it transformed into the present institution. He concluded the various training programs as part of the continued educational activities as stipulated by the NMC. He told about the three main pillars of Amala - clinics, academics and research. He shared one of the main goal of Amala is to give back to the society and make a global position of institution in research.

Dr. Betsy Thomas, Principal read the report on the major academic events of the college during 2023-24 in which she briefed the results of various academics, sports and arts related events participated by students. She also shared about the vision of 'Amala Suvarna'



which includes various welfare activities like Amala Sastra, Amala Grama, Amala Arogya, Amala Abhinava and Amala Kshema. She gave an update about the various NMC related activities and inspections. Dr. Betsy told about the Young Innovator's Programme in which three projects from 2022 MBBS batch has been shortlisted in the preliminary round and seven students' research projects were submitted for KUHS research award. Dr.Ajith invited suggestions and feedback from the parents. Dr.Mili, and Dr Thomas Vadakkan, PTWA members presented concern among parents' anxiety about the study leaves which being too short compared to other colleges. Dr.Betsy replied that such decisions are taken after considering various aspects of the CBME curriculum, mainly clinical postings which will be beneficial for students in the final year. Dr.Deepthi, PTWA president suggested about the use social media in introducing various concepts in order to bring awareness about various activities of the institution. Dr Saji, PTWA member put forwarded a concern that the couriers that are not being allowed to be delivered in the hostel. Dr. Betsy and Fr Julious Arakkal shared that arrangements are already there, where the parcels can be received at the college reception and students can collect from there. Dr.Saji also enquired whether printed notes can be shared to students. Dr.Betsy reminded about the CBME curriculum and importance of reading the standard textbooks in the professional course. Dr.Deepthi, PTWA president also expressed about suggestions from parents regarding the PG entrance related coaching in the college campus. Dr. Betsy Thomas replied the facility was implemented previously and found as failure. Dr.Lovely, PTWA member shared about the anxiety among parents of second year students about the hostel shifting to outside campus despite it was later cancelled. The committee thanked Dr.Deepthi for being the president and Fr Julious presented a token of appreciation. Dr.Thomas Vadakkan was nominated and elected as the new PTWA President. He will represent the PTWA in the MBBS convocation scheduled on 26<sup>th</sup> June 2024. Dr.Ajith proposed the vote of thanks and meeting concluded at 03:50 pm.



Dr.Boney Rajan  
PTWA Member



Dr.Ajith.T.A  
PTWA Secretary

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