

# ST XAVIER'S COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), KOLKATA

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### AUSTRALIA EXCHANGE PROGRAM



From December 4th, 2023, Macquarie University in Australia hosted a one-week exchange program. Special thanks go to Dr. Panchali Sen, the Dean of International Studies and Programs (ISP), for facilitating this program.

## WORLD AIDS DAY

'Let Xaverians Lead'



On December 9, 2023, Unit 1 of the Department of Social Work – National Service Scheme at St. Xavier's College, Kolkata, organized an event commemorating "World AIDS Day."

## "LET'S CARE SHARE – SHARING THE JOY OF CHRISTMAS WITH THOSE IN NEED".



On December 17, 2023, the St. Xavier's College (Kolkata) Alumni Association orchestrated "Let's Care Share – Sharing the Joy of Christmas with those in Need," an initiative designed to extend assistance to underprivileged students and residents of old age homes. The event involved effort to distribute food items and winter garments, during the Christmas season.

## CHRISTMAS MEET



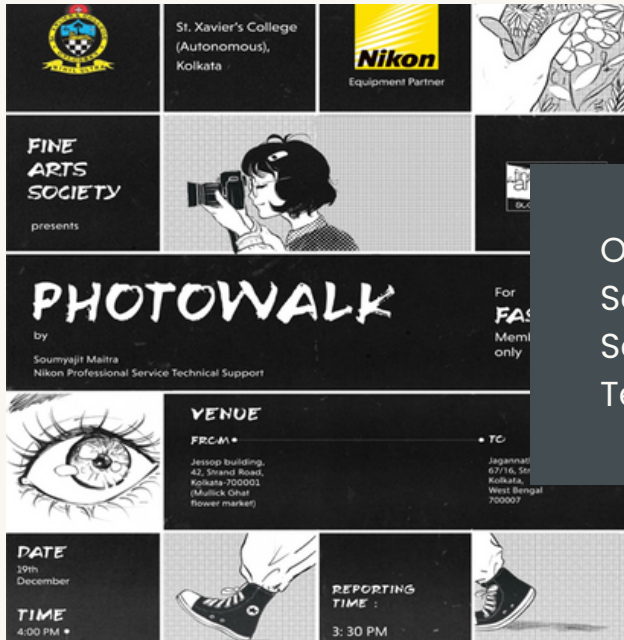
On 21st December, 2023, blessed by Rev Fr. Dr. Dominic Savio S.J., Principal of St. Xavier's College (Autonomous) Kolkata, and President of St. Xavier's College (Kolkata) Alumni Association, the Christmas Meet, hosted by SXC & SXCCAA, was a resounding success. The Hon'ble Chief Minister, serving as the Chief Guest, inaugurated the Crib, engaging with Reverend Fathers, Guests, and SXCCAA members during the event.

## BHARATIVA BHASHA UTSAV



On December 18, 2023, St. Xavier's College (Autonomous), Kolkata organized the Bharatiba Bhasha Utsav in Room 15.

## PHOTOWALK



On December 19, 2023, the Fine Arts Society hosted a PhotoWalk led by Soumyajit Maitra, a Nikon Professional Technical Support expert.

## COMMUNITY OUTREACH PROGRAM

On December 12, 2023, St. Xavier's College (Autonomous) Kolkata led by Rev Fr. Dr. Dominic Savio, SJ., distributed 300 Christmas goodie bags to children at Christo Sewa Ashram, Kalna, Bardhaman West, West Bengal.



## SANGAM REUNION DINNER



On December 30, 2023, under the guidance of Rev Fr. Dr. Dominic Savio S.J., Principal of St. Xavier's College (Autonomous) Kolkata, and President of St. Xavier's College (Kolkata) Alumni Association, Xaverians gathered for Sangam—the Reunion Dinner 2023 at their alma mater. The event, attended by a large number of Xaverians, celebrated the shared memories and strengthened bonds. The Batch of 1998 marked their silver year in this joyous reunion.

## AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

On December 15, 2023, Rev Dr. Dominic Savio, SJ, Principal of St. Xavier's College, received the Principal of the Year and College of the Year awards from Lions International District 322B2. He dedicated both honors to the Jesuit community, students, staff, and alumni of the College.

