

## THE INSTITUTION OF ENGINEERS INDIA, PUDUCHERRY

## **ACADEMIC YEAR (2017 – 18)**

## World Environment Day 2017 Celebrated @ MIT, Puducherry

On account of World Environment Day 2017, Manakula Vinayagar Institute of Technology, Puducherry and The Institution of Engineers (India), Puducherry State Centre organized a drawing competition for school students on the theme "Connecting People to Nature "to create awareness to the students about the nature.

In this connection prize distribution ceremony was conducted.

Totally, 63 Schools from Pondicherry, Cuddalore, and Villupuram participated in the drawing competition. 3054 drawings were presented by the students. The best drawings were awarded the cash prize of Rs.3000/-, Rs.2000/-, Rs.1000/- and 10 consolidated prizes of Rs.500/- for each level.

Sri.M.Dhanasekaran, Chairman and Managing Director, Sri Manakula Vinayagar Educational Trust, chief guest for this function.

Sri.S.V.Sugumaran.M.L.A. Vice Chairman, Sri Manakula Vinayagar Educational Trust and Dr.K.Narayanasamy, Secretary, Sri Manakula Vinayagar Educational Trust, Felicitated the Program.

Dr.S. Malarkkan, Principal, Manakula Vinayagar Institute of Technology, discussed about the theme.

Dr.B.Radjaram, Professor & Head, Department of Mechanical Engineering, Welcomed the gathering.

Dr.K.Pajaniradja @ Kichena, Professor, Department of Mechanical Engineering, Pondicherry Engineering College, Chairman,IE(I) Puducherry State Centre, and Er.D.Giridhara Rao,Hony.Secretary,IE(I),Puducherry State Centre, distributed Prizes to the winners of drawing competition.

About 50 posters were selected and cash prizes worth of Rs.34000/- were distributed to the students. The posters were displayed in the campus public view & it was well appreciated by all.

