## Report of "Night sky watch and hands on training in telescope" conducted by Department of Physics and Science Club, Thunchan Memorial Government College, Tirur

Department of Physics & Science Club jointly organised a night sky watch on 30/03/2022 at the college ground. The program started at 6.30 PM at the Physics lab. Dr. Aboothahir Afzal, H.O.D of Physics delivered the welcomed the gathering and introduced the basic concepts. Dr. Ajith M. S Principal T.M.G Tirur presided over the program. The technical session was handled by Sri. Sudheer Alankode from Sasthra Sahithya Parishad. He explained the areas of Observational Astronomy and familiarized the telescope to the students. About 50 students attended the session. Ms. Jayasree K, Asst. Professor & Co-Ordinator of Science club expressed vote of thanks. After that the students assembled in the college ground for sky watch. We observed various stars in the Orion belt and stars like Thiruvathira , Sirius. etc. which are recognised as nakshatras from the perspective of astrologers. We selected about 10 students in second BSc and first BSc to give training to handle the telescopes. The technical expert give a session to the students how to handle the telescope and this session is very interesting for students and much effective. The students give the feedback of the programme. The program was wound up at 12.30 AM .











