

YIT Roundup



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WEHub Launched : A Support System for Women Entrepreneurs

When: 09th March 2024

Where: WEHub, Kilinochchi



Yarl IT Hub unveiled WEHub, a pioneering initiative dedicated to empowering women entrepreneurs.

- Launched to support women entrepreneurs.
- Offers guidance for navigating business challenges.
- Provides an exclusive co-working space for women.
- Hosts sessions to enhance business knowledge.

Highlights

- Dr. Vasanthan Dasan's Discussion: Addressed overcoming business challenges, strategies for success, and accessing international markets.
- Mrs. Suganthiny Sivakumar's Mushroom Cultivation Session: Introduced the basics of mushroom cultivation, with detailed training planned for the future.



YIT Open Day Launched: A Gateway to Innovation and Networking

When: **24th February 2024**

Where: **Kalam by Yarl IT Hub**

Yarl IT Hub introduces YIT Open Day, a cornerstone event held monthly, crafted to ignite innovation, share the latest trends, and enhance networking among thinkers, creators, & enthusiasts from diverse industries. This is planned for every 3rd Saturday of the month.



Highlights

- Mr. Rajan Bala who led an enlightening discussion on 'Ideation to Commercialization.' Shared his journey of transforming an idea into a startup and how established B2B relationships.
- Mr. Naresh Founder and CEO of FEASTO took us through the journey of how the idea for FEASTO was conceived, the steps taken to develop this innovative solution, and concluded with a compelling live demo.



Mr. Vasanthan Dasan's Inspiring Visit to Yarl IT Hub

Mr. Vasanthan Dasan recently visited Yarl IT Hub, engaging with our community across various locations including UKI centers and WEHub. His sessions and one-on-one mentorship have greatly enriched our initiatives, especially the YGC Accelerator, inspiring growth and innovation.

Introducing YIT Roundup

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Where: **Kalam by Yarl IT Hub**

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A Glimpse into Success: Dr. Sabesan Sithamparanathan Engages Jaffna's Youth

On January 5, 2024, upper secondary students in Jaffna had the privilege of attending a session with Dr. Sabesan Sithamparanathan, founder of PervasiD. The event focused on guiding students toward success by understanding life's early stages and the value of entrepreneurship.

Dr. Sabesan's insights provided a powerful roadmap for navigating future challenges with confidence. This session underscored the importance of innovation and determination in achieving one's goals.

Arduino boot camps Ignite Young Minds in Vavuniya & Jaffna

This holiday season, school students in Vavuniya & Jaffna transformed their vacation into a venture of discovery through our special Arduino holiday camps. With participants in Vavuniya on January 6th and 40 in Jaffna on January 7th, students dived into hands-on learning with passion and curiosity, guided by dedicated mentors.

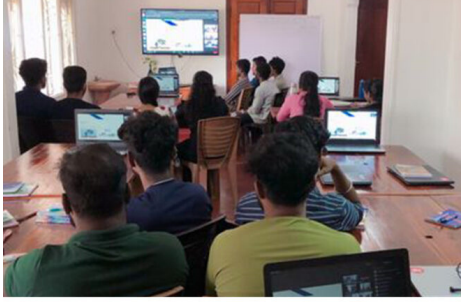


Yarl IT Hub joined with WUSC as a local partner for the project of growth, resilience, investment, and training (GRIT), and participated in the project launch in Colombo and Jaffna on 24th February & 14th March, respectively.

Applications Now Open for Two New Cohort at UKI



Full Stack Web Development



10th Cohort

Duration
6 months (Full-time)

Eligibility
Completed GCE A/L

Medium / Mode
Tamil | In-person session

Location
Uki Jaffna

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Puthiya Payanakal conducted school outreach programs on the following days in the following schools, reaching a total of over 15,000 students across 312 schools in the North.

District wise reach

- Jaffna - 3500+ students
- Mannar - 2500+ students
- Mullaitivu - 2000+ students
- Vavuniya - 1500+ students
- Kilinochchi - 3100+ students

Uki Project management - 5th cohort is Started

The 5th cohort of the Uki Project Management course kicked off on March 9th, 2024, welcoming over 62 students to an entirely online format.

Engaging Guest Sessions Light Up Uki Centers

Mr. Vasanthan Dasan imparted his knowledge on March 7th in Jaffna and March 12th in Vavuniya. Additionally, Sam Coomar, delivers weekly Business Leadership sessions in Uki Vavuniya, providing essential insights to students



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