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History

The National Service Scheme (NSS) is Central Government sponsored programme falls under the jurisdiction of Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports. Jawaharlal Nehru as first Prime Minister of post-independent India played a very important role in introducing NSS in academic institutions. NSS was launched in Mahatma Gandhi's Birth Centenary Year 1969, in 37 Universities involving 40,000 students. Mahatma Gandhi always insisted the idea that students and youth should be involved in the nation building process and service to the nation. He suggested that instead of undertaking academic research about economic and social disability, the students should do "something positive so that the life of the villagers might be raised to a higher material and moral level". Gandhiji insisted that the first duty of the students should be, not to treat their period of study as one of the opportunities for indulgence in intellectual luxury, but for preparing themselves for final dedication in the service of those who provided the sinews of the nation with the national goods & services so essential to society. Therefore, fostering social responsibility, inculcating dedication, commitment to solving social problems and developing personality through community service are the main aims of NSS. Today NSS has grown as one of the biggest social service institution and youth movement in the world with more than 33 lakhs of dedicated volunteers all over the country.

Objectives

The broad objectives of NSS are to:

1. Understand the community in which they work
2. Understand themselves in relation to their community;
3. Identify the needs and problems of the community and involve them in problem Solving process;
4. Develop among them a sense of social and civic responsibility;
5. Utilize their knowledge in finding practical solution to individual and community Problems;
6. Develop competence required for group living and sharing of responsibilities;
7. Gain skills in mobilizing community participation;
8. Acquire leadership qualities and democratic attitude;
9. Develop capacity to meet emergencies and natural disasters and
10. Practice national integration and social harmony.

The Motto

The motto or watchword of the National Service Scheme is: „**NOT ME BUT YOU**“. This reflects the essence of democratic living and upholds the need for selfless service and appreciation of the other person's point of view and also to show consideration for fellow human beings. It underlines that the welfare of an individual is ultimately dependent on the welfare of society on the whole. Therefore, it should be the aim of the NSS to demonstrate this motto in its day-to-day programme.

NSS Symbol

The symbol of National Service Scheme is based on the "Rath" wheel of Konark Sun Temple stated in Odisha. These giant wheels of the Sun Temple portray the cycle of creation, preservation and release, and signify the movement in life across time and space. The design of symbol, a simplified form of the Sun-chariot wheel primarily depicts movement. The wheel signifies the progressive cycle of life. It stands for the continuity as well as change and implies the continuous striving of NSS for social transformation and upliftment.

NSS Badge

The NSS symbol is embossed on the NSS badge. The NSS volunteers wear it while undertaking any programme of community service. The Konark wheel in the symbol has eight bars which represent the 24 hours of the day. Hence, the badge reminds the wearer to be in readiness for service of the nation round the clock i.e. for 24 hours. The red colour in the badge indicates that the NSS volunteers are full of blood i.e. lively, active, energetic and full of high spirit. The navy blue colour indicates the cosmos of which the NSS is a tiny part, ready to contribute its share for the welfare of the humankind.

NSS Day

NSS was formally launched on 24th September, 1969, the birth centenary year of Mahatma Gandhi, the Father of the Nation. Therefore, 24th September is celebrated every year as NSS Day with appropriate programmes and activities.

NSS Song

During Silver Jubilee Year 1994 the NSS theme song has been composed. All NSS volunteers are expected to learn the theme song, which is given to them and sing the song during NSS programmes and celebrations.

University Level Advisory Committee

The NSS Advisory Committee at University Level will be an apex body as far as implementation of NSS at University Level is concerned. The Programme Coordinator will approach the University Advisory Committee for approval of NSS budget, covering NSS activities and establishment expenditure on NSS cell and also programme activities to be undertaken during the year.

Programme Coordinator

The Programme Coordinator is the key functionary as far as NSS is concerned. Therefore, a Dedicated and devoted Programme Coordinator can plan, execute and evaluate the NSS activities in a proper perspective. The Programme Coordinator, who is a senior teaching faculty, will execute all administrative and policy directives of the government, decisions of the State Advisory Committee and University Advisory Committee. The NSS programme will be prepared in the light of the guidelines issued by the Government of India.

Programme Officer

The Programme Officer, who is a member of the teaching faculty, provides necessary leadership to the youth/NSS students. The teacher/NSS programme officer has the professional knowledge and skills. He/she is expected to be a role model of the values and the norms of the institution and the society as a whole. He/she is expected to provide necessary guidance to the students in developing their personality through community service. In fact the Programme Officer is a friend, philosopher and guide to the students in achieving this goal.

NSS Volunteer

The NSS volunteer, student enrolled in the university is the main beneficiary of the programme by way of development of his/her perception about the community, his/her skill to perform certain jobs, and develop quality of a leader, organiser, and an administrator and development of his/her personality as a whole. Through NSS, he/she gets opportunities to see the community closely and thus gets an experience of human nature in relation to his/her environment. This is how the NSS programme aims to make NSS student youth better citizens through “Development of their personality through Community Service”.

Community

The community provides NSS volunteer the first-hand knowledge of living conditions of masses to the NSS volunteers and thus, the process of mutual learning starts. The interaction of community with students and teachers while on one hand enrich the personality of student volunteers and on the other hand help the community to improve its living conditions.



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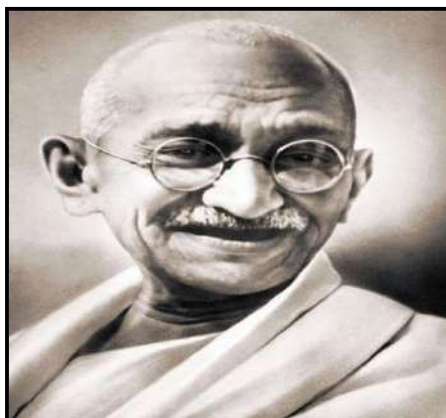


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Live as if you were to die tomorrow. Learn as if you were to live forever."

"Seven Deadly Sins Wealth without work Pleasure without conscience Science without humanity Knowledge without character Politics without principle Commerce without morality Worship without sacrifice."

"Earth provides enough to satisfy every man's needs, but not every man's greed."



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Event Name- “Rally on World Health Week”

Date- 9th April, 2023

Venue- KIIT Road

NSS School of Computer Engineering organized a sloganeering rally across KIIT Road on the 9th of April, 2023.

“Physical fitness is not only one of the most important keys to a healthy body, it is the basis of dynamic and creative intellectual activity.” - John F. Kennedy Keeping in mind the significance of physical and mental health, a total of 50 students took part in the rally, which focused on the value of maintaining physical and mental fitness through which we can improve our overall quality of life. By raising awareness about the benefits of a healthy lifestyle, we worked on encouraging individuals to prioritize their health and make positive changes to their daily routines.

The volunteers assembled in the evening around Campus-6 at 4:00 pm. Green ribbons to symbolize the importance of health were given to all to wear. The volunteers were segregated into lines of two with the flag being held in the center. The participants then proceeded to walk towards the main road, carrying placards and banners with messages promoting good health practices. Slogans like “वैद्य से
इंडिया, तभी तो आ

रोग मुक्त रहना है
“हम सब का नारा है वृद्ध जीवन अपनाना है सस्ते बड़ा धन रखा है”

and many more were chanted to emphasize on why overall fitness is essential. The rally ended with highlighting the need for individuals to take responsibility for their health and the distribution of refreshments.

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Event Name- “Rally on Earth Day”

Date- 22nd April, 2023

Venue- Campus 6

Earth Day is celebrated annually on April 22 to raise awareness about environmental issues and encourage people to take action to protect the planet. To mark this day and spread awareness to the people of our

university, NSS School of Computer Engineering organized a silent rally in Campus 6 on the 22nd of April, 2023.

Earth Day serves as a reminder of the urgent need to preserve our environment and the steps that we can take as individuals to help mitigate the impacts of climate change. It is a global event that brings together people from all over the world to take action to protect the planet. As it is rightly said by Wendell Berry, “The Earth is what we all have in common”. It is our home, and it is the responsibility of the youth to not only protect it but also make other people mindful of this fact.

Keeping this in mind, the students gathered in Campus 6 at 5:15 pm to carry out this important responsibility. With great zeal and enthusiasm, the students carried out a silent march on the roads of the university, holding creatively made posters describing the importance of Earth Day and slogans about the same. A flex explaining the significance of the march was held in between and the students marched around it. The march signified the promising youth upholding their values and vowing to help mother Earth heal and thrive.

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Topic- Health Camp

Date- 23rd April, 2022

Place- Pathani Samantha Vidhayala

NSS School of Computer Engineering organized a health camp at Pathani Samantha Vidhayalay on 23rd April, 2023 in collaboration with doctors of KIMS. The objective of the health camp was to provide free medical checkups and basic healthcare facilities to the people living in the slums. The camp aimed to create awareness among the slum people about health and hygiene, and the importance of regular medical checkups.

The NSS team worked tirelessly for days to prepare for the health camp. They reached out to the local slum communities and informed them about the health camp. The team also ensured that the necessary arrangements were made for the camp, including medical equipment, medicines, and doctors.

On the day of the camp, the NSS team, along with the doctors and nurses, reached the Pathani Samantha Vidhayala. They set up the camp and began the medical checkup. The camp offered services such as general check-ups, blood pressure monitoring, and eye checkups.

The health camp was a great success. Many people from the slum area came to the camp to avail of the medical services. The doctors and nurses who participated in the camp provided free consultation to the people. The NSS volunteers also educated the people about the importance of hygiene and sanitation to maintain good health.

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Topic- International Yoga Day**Date- 21st June 2023****Mode- Online**

On June 21, 2023, volunteers from the NSS School of Computer Science Engineering took part in an online webinar commemorating International Yoga Day. The goal of this webinar was to convey the message of living a healthy lifestyle while also considering mental health. The webinar began with an introduction of our guest lecturer and yoga instructor Shivam Joshi

sir, who was present at the event. Sir is a level 6 Yoga Certification Board (YCB) certified Yoga therapist. He is also a Yoga teacher at Shree. Prashant Yogya's Yoga Teachers Training School, where he teaches Haath Yoga and Pranayama. He even teaches online classes about different types of asanas, their traditional meaning, importance, and impact on the human body.

He then began explaining the asanas and demonstrating them, as well as emphasizing the benefits of various asanas and pranayamas. These asanas were performed by volunteers in the comfort of their own homes. It was then followed by a questionnaire session in which the students learned more about the vast ocean of yoga. Shivam Sir made it a point to enlighten us on topics such as the relationship between yoga and spirituality, as well as various asanas and pranayamas for dealing with exam anxiety, back pain, and so on. The session concluded with Prof. Ramakant Parida, Programme Officer NSS SCE, saying a heartfelt thank you note to Shivam Sir and encouraging the students to practice yoga regularly.

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Topic - SOCIAL MEDIA OUTREACH FOR INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY

Date- 14th June 2023 to 21st June 2023

Mode- Online

To celebrate the International Yoga Day on 21st June 2023, volunteers of NSS School of Computer Science Engineering conducted an outreach programme with the objective of conveying the message about the importance of yoga and why it is still very relevant and important for our generation.

We conducted a Seven Day Countdown On Stories where we posted stories of a quiz format for seven days leading up to Yoga day. Each day, there was a picture of a volunteer performing a yoga asana and certain options to guess the name of the asana. After a while, the name of asana, along with the benefits of the asana, were shared. This was focused on educating people about simple and effective yoga asanas. We dedicated a post on nine hand mudras of yoga along with its benefits. Each slide had our NSS volunteers perform a mudra along with its health benefits. This was done on 16th June five days from Yoga day. This created a knowledge base for the importance of yoga in our daily lives.


Our NSS volunteers hand made creative posters for the occasion of Yoga day which were posted on our social media handles. This was done to create awareness and create a sense of joy for the occasion of Yoga day.

Lastly, a poster was uploaded as an invitation to the webinar, encouraging all volunteers to join the event to commemorate International Yoga Day.

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**INTERNATIONAL
— YOGA DAY —**



UNRAVEL THE MYSTIC YOGIC ASANA

(A) Sarvangasana
(B) Bhujangasana
(C) Sukhasana



Yoga day 2k23 3 d

**INTERNATIONAL
— YOGA DAY —**
3 DAYS TO GO

ANSWER


SARVANGASANA

Sarvangasana (Shoulder Stand Pose)
This asana is highly beneficial in improving blood circulation and digestion. It also helps in rejuvenating the body and maintaining balance and posture of the body.




Yoga day 2k23 6 d

**INTERNATIONAL
— YOGA DAY —**



UNRAVEL THE MYSTIC YOGIC ASANA

(A) BALASANA
(B) VAJRASANA
(C) SUKSHMASANA



Yoga day 2k23 6 d

**INTERNATIONAL
— YOGA DAY —**
6 DAYS TO GO

ANSWER

BALASANA

Balasana (Child's Pose)
This is the fundamental resting pose in yoga and works wonders for stress and anxiety. This pose also helps improve circulation and removes metabolic waste from the body and calms the mind. It also helps in improving the quality of sleep.

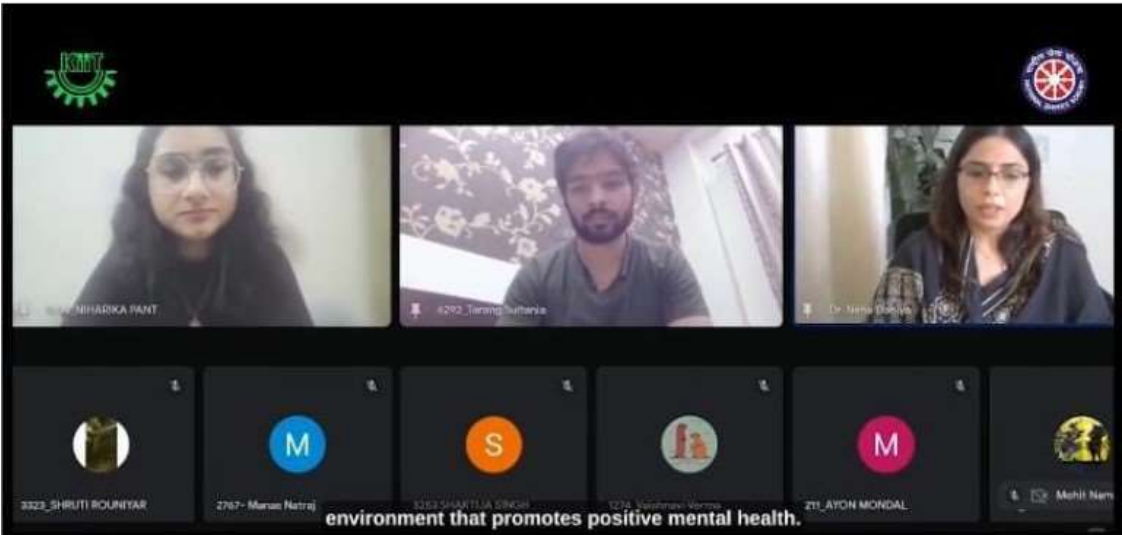


Topic- Men's Mental Health Awareness Month**Date- 28th June 2023****Mode- Online**

In commemoration of Men's Mental Health Month observed in June, the students of NSS School of Computer Engineering came up with the podcast 'Mind Matters' as an empowering and enlightening platform that aims to address and de-stigmatize the challenges men face regarding their mental well-being. With a compassionate and informative approach, the podcast delves into various aspects of men's mental health, offering valuable insights, resources to promote understanding, support, and positive change.

The first episode of the podcast was recorded on 28 th June, 2023 in presence of volunteers of NSS SCE and the special guest, Dr. Neha Dahiya. The conversation was enlightening in many ways as she helped the volunteers explore various topics around men's mental health including the importance of mental health awareness month, unique challenges faced by men, reasons behind younger generation's increased vulnerability to mental health issues and many such topics that need to be freely talked about to break the taboos around them so that people can seek help without hesitation. By conducting this podcast, the volunteers hope that the discussions around what used to be considered as sensitive or detested topics can be had among people in a positive manner by making a safe and informative space for these talks as mental well being is as important as physical well being.

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Event: Plastic-Free July Rally**Date: 30th July, 2023****Venue: KIIT Road**

In a powerful display of environmental commitment, the NSS School of Computer Engineering (NSS SCE) organized a Plastic-Free July Rally on the 30th of July, 2023. With around 30 dedicated volunteers, the event aimed to raise awareness about the urgent need to reduce plastic usage and its harmful impact on our planet. The rally commenced at 8:00 am as enthusiastic participants gathered at Campus 6 and marched from there to KIIT Road. Underlining the significance of a plastic-free

lifestyle, the rally adopted a silent approach, symbolizing the profound consequences of plastic pollution on nature. Carrying creatively crafted posters and banners, the volunteers embarked on a silent march, making their way through prominent areas of the campus and KIIT Road. This visual demonstration effectively conveyed the gravity of the plastic pollution crisis and urged everyone to take immediate action. The event fostered meaningful conversations and inspired a sense of responsibility in individuals to make environmentally conscious decisions. Also arriving with vibrant, hand-made, and engaging posters, the volunteers added a colourful touch to the rally. In conclusion, the Plastic-Free July Rally showcased the youth's determination to protect the environment and promote sustainable practices. By joining hands and advocating for a plastic-free future, the participants exemplified the power of collective action in preserving the planet for generations to come.

NSS SCE extends its sincere gratitude to the distinguished dignitaries for their unwavering support in making this rally a resounding success. Dr. Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS; Prof. Sasmita Samanta, Vice Chancellor; Dr. Saranjit Singh, Pro-Vice Chancellor; Prof. Biswajeet Sahoo, Director, KIIT SCE; Prof. Bhabani Shankar Prasad Mishra, Dean, Computer Science Engineering; Dr. Amulya Ratna Swain, Dean, Computer Science System Engineering and Computer Science Communication Engineering; Dr. Arup Abhinna Acharya, Dean, Information Technology; Dr. Kajal Parashar, Program Coordinator, KIIT NSS Bureau; Prof. Sital Dash, Dr. Minakhi Rout, and Prof. Ramakant Parida, Program Officers NSS SCE – their continuous encouragement made a significant impact.



Event Name: School Visit

Date: 5th August 2023

Venue: Damana High School

On August 5, 2023, NSS SCE held a visit to Damana High School. The main goal of this visit was to interact with children from classes 1 to 10 in order to aid their learning and development through educational and interactive activities that provide them with a basic understanding of Digital India.

Volunteers gathered at campus 6 early in the morning to board a bus to Damana High School. When they arrived, they took a quick tour of the classrooms before breaking into small groups to interact with the children. Then, depending on the age group, various activities were initiated, as well as a PowerPoint presentation was shown to them. In addition to teaching, the volunteers had the opportunity to spend quality time with these young creative minds and engage the junior classes in learning a few general knowledge questions. The common goal of all of the activities was to provide them with general information about Digital India and how they can use it in their studies. It was a rewarding experience, and the volunteers hope to return again in the future.

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Event Name: Shikharchandi Slum Visit

Date: 12th August 2023

Venue: Shikharchandi Slums

On August 13, 2023, NSS SCE held a visit to the Shikharchandi slums. The main goal of this visit was to interact with people and spread awareness of diseases caused by mosquitoes and a few solutions to protect ones own self.

At 8 AM all the volunteers gathered at campus 6 with utmost discipline and went to Shikharchandi slums for the visit where they were divided into small groups. Pamphlets were distributed and volunteers spoke about the three Government Schemes launched for mosquito awareness. The volunteers enlightened people about various diseases like dengue, malaria, chikungunya, and more. They communicated in both Odia and Hindi and told them about all the precautions they should take like a few do's and don'ts, and some home remedies to avoid getting infected. Posters were also used to demonstrate about the awareness. Volunteers used soap remedies, phenyle to disinfect the environment and collected garbage for proper disposal of waste. spoke to the people to understand the awareness measures they took and how the Government has helped them.

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Event Name: Prabhat Pheri

Date: 20th August, 2023

Venue: Shikharchandi Slums

On August 20, 2023, NSS SCE along with other chapters of NSS KIIT held a rally for the Meri Mati Mera Desh program as Prabhat Pheri.

Students gathered at Gandhi Square, Campus 6 at 8 AM. Students started the rally soon after with two lines made and walked the straight path while chanting slogans along the way. We made the people aware of our motive by using the slogans like -

“Meri Maati Mera Desh Sukhad Rahega Mera Pradesh”

We told the people to plant trees through our slogans. Students were enthusiastic about the Prabhat Pheri rally and were chanting slogans along the way. After encompassing the neighborhood we gathered at the cricket stadium where refreshments were served for the students.

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Event Name: NSS SCE Recruitment Drive

Date: 27th August 2023

Venue: Campus 6 Auditorium and Campus 15, A block

On September 27th, 2023, NSS SCE held the recruitment process for a new batch of volunteers to join NSS. The arrangements included an orientation programme at Campus 6 auditorium and an interview process in Campus 15, A block.

The volunteers had carried out a variety of efforts to encourage second-year students to participate in the recruitment and join NSS, such as classroom promotions, posting announcements in hostels and campuses, and even social media outreach.

Around 170 volunteers from NSS SCE actively participated in the entire recruitment process, inspiring their juniors to join NSS as part of their college experience. Every effort made by our volunteers was met with enthusiastic approval.

This recruitment process has offered all current volunteers the opportunity to guide and grow, as well as future volunteers the opportunity to make NSS a part of their journey.

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Event Name: Shikharchandi Plantation Drive

Date: 17th September 2023

Venue: Shikharchandi slums

NSS KIIT organized a plantation drive on 17th September 2023 in the Shikharchandi slums in honor of NSS Week.

At 7:00 AM, all the volunteers gathered at Campus 3. A brief assembly was held during which the volunteers were instructed on the plantation drive and how to carry it out. The volunteers included NSS volunteers as well as school volunteers.

Once the volunteers arrived at the Shikharchandi slums, they were separated into zones. They were given a cap and a tag to go with the plant that they had planted. Later, they reconvened in campus 3 OAT, where certificates were awarded to them for their great contribution to the cause.

This plantation drive was a significant step towards making our community greener and more sustainable. It demonstrated the effectiveness of collective action in addressing environmental issues. The success of the event emphasizes the significance of ongoing efforts to preserve and protect our environment. We are excited about future plantation drives and the continued expansion of our green community.

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Event Name: Awareness Drive on single-use plastic at Dhauli

Date: 19th September 2023

Venue: Dhauli Point

In honor of NSS Week, NSS KIIT organized an awareness drive on the theme of single-use plastic on September 17th, 2023 in Dhauli.

At 2.30 PM, all of the volunteers assembled at Campus 3, ready to tackle the day with zeal and dedication. When the volunteers arrived at the spot, they began the drive by cleaning it up. They then went to Dhauli Point to raise awareness by collecting single-use plastics and cleaning the area.

This awareness campaign was a big step towards making our city more environmentally conscious. The event's success emphasizes the importance of raising public awareness about single-use plastic.

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Event Name: Blood Donation Camp

Date: 30th September 2023

Venue: KIMS Blood Bank Centre

NSS KIIT School Of Computer Engineering organized a successful blood donation camp at the KIMS Blood Bank Centre on September 30, 2023. Over 50 people attended the event, including NSS volunteers and non-NSS members who enthusiastically supported the noble cause.

The camp's comprehensive planning included pre-event volunteer recruitment, obtaining undertakings, and conducting thorough health checks to ensure donor eligibility. The donation process was overseen by trained medical personnel, who provided a safe and secure environment. Participants were given a comfortable rest area and refreshments in exchange for their selfless contributions.

Following a brief recovery period, each donor was presented with a certificate of appreciation for their invaluable contribution to the cause of blood donation.

The success of the blood donation camp reflects NSS's and the broader community's commitment to meeting the critical need for blood supply during medical emergencies.

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Topic: Cleanliness Drive

Date: 1st October 2023

Location: Gandhi Chowk, Campus 6

NSS SCE conducted a cleanliness drive at 09:00am on the 01st of October, 2023. Volunteers cleaned the roads from campus 6 right till campus 13 and included Prasanti Vihar as well. They had already spread awareness about the drive being conducted today, and had asked the localities to join and actively participate in the event. The volunteers were provided with brooms and tools to clean the roads. They wore gloves ensuring hygiene and covered their faces with masks to keep away from dust. Volunteers showed active participation and the event was well coordinated. The people of Prasanti Vihar were told about the relevance of clean surroundings. It was a successful event and refreshments were served at the end of it.

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Topic: Cleanliness Drive

Date: 2nd October 2023

Location: Gandhi Chowk, Campus 6

On the occasion of Gandhi Jayanti, the NSS SCE volunteers gathered at Gandhi Chowk on our campus 6 at 5:30 AM. The cleanliness drive was organized to pay homage to Mahatma Gandhi, who ardently advocated for a clean and hygienic India. This initiative aligns with the vision of a 'Swachh Bharat' (Clean India) that Mahatma Gandhi had always cherished. Achuta Samanta, the founder of our institution, graced the event with his presence. He addressed the assembled volunteers, acknowledging their dedication and commitment to the cause of cleanliness. His encouraging words resonated with the volunteers and served as a powerful motivation for the day ahead. With Dr. Achuta Samanta's inspirational words fresh in their minds, the volunteers embarked on their mission. Their first destination was the bustling KIIT Square. Armed with brooms, dustpans, and a strong sense of purpose, they set out to make a difference. The volunteers diligently cleaned the roads and sidewalks of KIIT Square. Passersby and onlookers appreciated their efforts. The positive feedback and encouragement from the public significantly boosted the morale of the volunteers, reinforcing their commitment to the cause. After successfully cleaning KIIT Square, the volunteers moved on to Campus 15. This drive also contributed to the Prime Minister's 'Swach Bharat Abhiyan,' a nationwide campaign aimed at achieving cleanliness and sanitation throughout the country. By cleaning Campus 15, the volunteers took a small but meaningful step towards realizing Mahatma Gandhi's dream of a cleaner India. The NSS SCE Cleanliness Drive on Gandhi Jayanti was a resounding success. This drive contributed to the cleanliness of our immediate surroundings and symbolized our commitment to the larger goal of a 'Swachh Bharat.' It served as a reminder that collective efforts can bring us closer to fulfilling the dreams of a cleaner, healthier, and more beautiful India.



Topic: National Unity Day Celebration

Date: 31st October 2023

Place: Campus 3, Block E Auditorium

KIIT NSS Bureau celebrated National Unity Day on 31st October 2023 to commemorate the birth anniversary of the 'Iron Man of India', Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel. The event was graced by Mr. Jitendra Narayan Dash, Sahitya Akademi Award winner; Prof. Jayanta Kumar Parida, Director of KSFH; Prof. Surekha Sundari Swain, Director of Research & Extension, KIIT-DU; and Prof. Kajal Parashar, Program Coordinator, KIIT NSS Bureau.

Speaking on the occasion, Mr. Jitendra Narayan Dash, an award-winning writer and social activist, explained the importance of National Unity Day and the contributions of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel. He expressed his happiness at seeing a large number of volunteers choosing to serve NSS and spread awareness and happiness in society. "Community service is the best platform for personality development," said Mr. Dash, who is popularly known as Dash Benhur.

The Rashtriya Ekta Diwas Pledge was taken by all the participants to dedicate themselves to preserving the unity, integrity, and security of the nation. The welcome address was delivered by Dr. Kajal Parashar, and the vote of thanks was given by Prof. Smruti Ranjan Das, PO, KSFH. Additionally, an art competition was held to instill the motivation amongst the youth, in striving for the nation, maintaining its unity and integrity.



Event Name - DAAN MAHOTSAV

Day 1 - Ann Daan

Date: 9th November 2023

Place: Around KIIT Campus

Duration: 1 hour

The NSS School of Computer Engineering (NSS SCE) organized 'Ann Daan', an event of Daan Mahotsav on 9th November 2023 with the noble purpose of providing food and assistance to stray animals on the streets. A total of 50 dedicated volunteers actively participated in the event, commencing from Campus 6 near Mechanical Campus all the way to the KIIT Law Campus.

The event began at 7 AM, with all the volunteers gathering at the Mechanical Campus, Campus 6, where they were briefed on the rules and objectives. They then proceeded in groups of five to provide food and assistance to stray animals. Each group helped the stray animals in their own way, such as by feeding them food and water. Dedicated volunteers provided assistance to numerous vulnerable stray dogs, cows and other stray animals during the Ann Daan event.

The volunteers exhibited a strong commitment to their cause, offering selfless help to the animals. Participants in the event experienced a shared sense of empathy and affection towards the animals, emphasizing the compassionate connection forged during the initiative. The event concluded efficiently by 8 AM, thanks to the hard work of the dedicated volunteers. The success of Ann Daan can be attributed to the collective efforts and commitment of these volunteers who worked diligently to make a positive impact.



DAY - 02

Event Name: Vastra Daan

Date: 10th November 2023

Place: Xavier Square slums

Duration: 3:30 to 6:00 pm

The NSS School of Computer Engineering (NSS SCE) organized 'Vastra Daan', an event of Daan Mahotsav on 10th November 2023 with the noble purpose of donating clothes and shoes to individuals of all ages and genders in need. A total of 40 dedicated volunteers actively participated in the event, which was organized at Xavier Square Slums.

The event began at 3.30 pm and ended at 6.00 pm, with all the volunteers gathering at the Xavier Square Slums, where they were briefed on the rules and objectives. They then proceeded in joined forces to spread love and warmth to those in need which was able to bring a smile full of happiness on the faces of everyone present there.

The volunteers worked tirelessly to ensure that their contributions would touch the lives of as many people as possible, emphasizing inclusivity and compassion in their outreach efforts. The ripple effect of the Vastra Daan event extended far beyond the immediate recipients of the donated items. It fostered a sense of unity and solidarity within the community, inspiring others to consider how they too could contribute to the well-being of their neighbors. What made this event particularly special was the selflessness exhibited by the volunteers. Their commitment to the cause went beyond the mere act of giving; it became a genuine expression of care and consideration for the well-being of their fellow community members.



DAY - 03

Event Name: Diya Daan

Date: 11th November, 2023

Place: Prasanti Vihar

Duration: 2 hours

The NSS School of Computer Engineering (NSS SCE) organized Diya Daan under the Daan Mahotsav on 11th of November, 2023 with the sole purpose of illuminating both home and hearts of people of Prasanti Vihar. 54 volunteers participated in the event enthusiastically to ensure its smooth execution.

The day began with the volunteers assembling at the campus 6 gate at 4 pm with bags filled with diyas, chocolate and stationary items for kids. All the necessary information was communicated to the volunteers. Volunteers were advised not to engage too much with the locals. Sharing of social media handles was strictly prohibited. Volunteers were divided into 5 different groups and each group had some Odia speakers to communicate with the villagers.

The volunteers moved ahead with this objective. They sought permission from locals to light diya in front of their homes and shops. The glow of the faces of people there was brighter than the light of the lamp itself. Children were ecstatic to get chocolates and stationary items. The giggles of the kids and joyous smiles of the villagers gave the volunteers the motivation to move ahead. The event was wrapped up by 6pm. The Diya Daan was a great success due to the hard work of our volunteers and the friendly attitude of the people of Prasanti Vihar.



Event Name: Orphanage Visit

Date: 13th November, 2023

Place: Adruta Children's Home

Duration: 3 hours

The NSS School of Computer Engineering (NSS SCE) organized a Orphanage visit on the occasion of Daan Mahotsav on the 13th of November, 2023 as a compelling demonstration of their commitment to supporting the poor and needy children. With a dedicated team of around 50 volunteers, the event aimed to promote a better lifestyle for the poor and helpless children by fostering understanding and supporting them in every possible way for a sustainable and healthier lifestyle.

The event took place at around 3PM as enthusiastic participants gathered at Campus 6 and traveled all the way to Adruta Children's Home by bus that was provided. The emphasis was on helping these children as much as we can and letting them know that they can reach out to us when they need help. This event adopted a peaceful approach, focusing on the welfare of the children in the Orphanage. The volunteers approached these children in a very creative manner. They played fun games with them like Diya painting and making origami. They also light up diyas in the compound to brighten up the place. As much as the children enjoyed this, they were also made aware of certain important things such as eco friendly Diwali and pollution free environment. This was a great opportunity for the children to learn more about things.



Event Name: Pollution-Free Diwali Rally

Date: 10th November, 2023

Duration: KIIT Road

The NSS School of Computer Engineering (NSS SCE) organized a Pollution-Free Awareness Pre-Diwali Rally on the 10th of November, 2023 as a compelling demonstration of their commitment to the environment. With a dedicated team of around 47 volunteers, the event aimed to promote a pollution-free Diwali by fostering understanding and encouraging eco-friendly celebrations for a sustainable and healthier environment.

The rally commenced at 4:00 PM as enthusiastic participants gathered at Campus 6 and marched from there to KIIT Square. Emphasizing the importance of embracing a pollution-free lifestyle, the rally adopted a peaceful approach, focusing on the consequences of air pollution on the environment.

With creatively hand made posters and banners, the volunteers embarked on a silent march, weaving through the campus and KIIT Road. They encouraged the use of eco-friendly alternatives such as terracotta diyas and green crackers, reinforcing the message of celebrating the festival in an environmentally responsible manner.

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Event Name: Damana School Visit

Date: 18th November 2023

Place: Damana High School

On November 18, 2023, NSS SCE organized a School visit to Damana High School. The primary objective of our visit was to interact with children to promote a better lifestyle through several activities.

Volunteers gathered at Campus 6 at 6.45 am to board a bus to Damana High School. The event started with Yoga and Meditation Sessions for nurturing inner peace and physical balance. Following, a skit on “Personal Health and Hygiene” was performed, highlighting the importance of self-hygiene for a healthy lifestyle. Another skit on “Say No to Alcohol Consumption” was performed promoting sobriety, showcasing the pitfalls of alcohol with wit, humor, and relatable scenarios for awareness. Next, a craft workshop on the theme “Best out of Waste” was conducted in which volunteers interacted with children and helped them to enhance their creative skills from waste products. Simultaneously, volunteers raised awareness about Road Safety through posters and interactions to foster responsible behaviors to prevent accidents and safeguard all road users. The event concluded with a series of interactive quiz sessions in which children were awarded candies and lozenges.

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Event Name: Shikharchandi Slum Visit

Date: 26th November 2023

Place: Shikharchandi slums

Duration: 5 hours

The NSS School of Computer Engineering (NSS SCE) organized 'Shikharchandi Slum Visit', an event to offer employment opportunities on 26th November 2023 with the noble purpose of providing sustainable job scopes to individuals in need. A total of 60 dedicated volunteers actively participated in the event, which was organized at Shikharchandi Slums.

The event began at 9.30 am and ended at 11:30 am, with all the volunteers gathering at the Shikharchandi Slums, where they were briefed on the rules and objectives. They then proceeded in various teams to spread employment opportunities to those in need which was able to bring a smile full of happiness on the faces of everyone present there.

The volunteers worked tirelessly to ensure maximum employment opportunities from various types of stores to provide wide range of supportable job opportunities that would touch the lives of as many people as possible, emphasizing inclusivity and compassion in their outreach efforts. The ripple effect of the Shikharchandi Slum Visit event fostered a sense of hope within the community, inspiring others to consider how they too could contribute to the well-being of others. What made this event particularly special was the selflessness exhibited by the volunteers who engaged in heartfelt conversations with each household to understand their needs conveying assurance to every corner.

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Event Name- Puberty and Menstruation camp

Date - 21st January 2024

Place - Adruta Children's Home

The NSS School of Computer Engineering (NSS SCE) organized a 'Puberty and Menstruation camp' in Adruta children home on 21st January 2024 with the noble purpose of spreading awareness about menstruation and personal hygiene amongst the children. A total of 30 dedicated volunteers actively participated in the event. A nukkad-natak on the topic of menstrual cycle was performed for the girls residing there. Meanwhile a group of male volunteers had an informative discussion with the boys of the children's home about the various aspects of personal and public hygiene during puberty. After the nukkad-natak concluded, the female volunteers engaged in a thoughtful and informative discussion with the girls from the children's home about periods and menstrual hygiene. They addressed the children's questions and concerns on the topic, providing appropriate knowledge and support. Following that, the students from the children's home showcased a Sambalpuri dance performance, which was appreciated by the entire audience. Finally, after this profoundly inspiring visit, we boarded the bus and returned back to the KIIT campus. We extend our gratitude to Dr. Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS, Dr. Saranjit Singh, Vice Chancellor; Prof.(Dr.) C.B.K. Mohanty, Pro-Vice Chancellor; Dr. Kajal Parashar, Program Coordinator, KIIT NSS Bureau for their continuous support and encouragement.



Event Name- Health Camp**Date - 24.01.24 and 25.01.24****Place - Pathani Samantha School**

NSS SCE held a health camp at Pathani Samantha School to promote health awareness and healthy practices among students. On the first day, the volunteers conducted a dental health camp where they warmly interacted with the students, creating a friendly and comfortable atmosphere. Some basic health checkups were also conducted, including height, weight, and temperature measurements. To make learning about healthy habits engaging, volunteers organized creative writing and drawing competitions. Students participated enthusiastically, expressing their understanding of good hygiene, nutritious food choices, and regular exercise through their stories and illustrations. On the second day, a dedicated yoga session was conducted for the students, introducing them to simple postures and breathing exercises. The session emphasized the importance of yoga in promoting physical and mental well-being, encouraging the students to integrate it into their daily routines. The camp's interactive approach and emphasis on fun learning made it a valuable experience for both the volunteers and the students. The volunteers remain committed to organizing similar initiatives in the future, contributing to the overall well-being of the community.

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Event Name- Happiness concert

Date - 4th February 2024

Place - Campus 11, Biotechnology Auditorium

NSS SCE KIIT organized the Happiness Concert 2024 ,on February 4. The event is an exhibition of creative potential by the volunteers and gives a stage to showcase their talent. The primary goal of the happiness concert is to foster stronger bonds among its members, creating an atmosphere of joy and connection .The 8th edition of the NSS Happiness Concert resonated with the very essence of "Navarasa," the nine fundamental emotions that serve as a cornerstone for artistic expression. These emotions function as a common language that audiences can relate to, and connect them to the essence of the human condition.

The extravagant and descriptive performances by the volunteers set the stage ablaze with heartfelt words, igniting an adrenaline rush in everyone.Laughter echoed joyously throughout the auditorium, courtesy of humorous performances that effortlessly teased everyone's sense of humor. The dance routines surged with lively vitality, entranced by soul- stirring melodies, thus feeling the depth and understanding of 'Navarasa'.

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Event Name: School Visit

Date: 12th February, 2024

Venue: Pathani Samanta Shiksha Kendra

The NSS School of Computer Engineering (NSS SCE) organized a School Visit to PathaniSamanta Shiksha Kendra on the 12th of February, 2024. With a dedicated team of around 37 enthusiastic volunteers, the event aimed to promote education in the hearts of young children and spread awareness about making our cities and communities sustainable. The event commenced at 2:30 PM with the volunteers gathering at the venue. Keeping in mind the importance of the International Day of Women and Girls in Science and the focus on education on the occasion of Saraswati Puja, the volunteers engaged with the students to ignite a passion for learning while also informing them about the different Sustainable Development Goals.

The volunteers divided themselves into 4 groups and interacted with the students of Grade 5 to Grade 9. Quizzes, group discussions, and educational sessions about varied topics including ISRO and Vedic Mathematics Techniques were conducted. Students were encouraged to think and share their ideas on how to make our society more sustainable. To make the sessions more interactive and enjoyable for the students, a few games were played.

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Event Name: Slum Visit

Date: 18th February, 2024

Venue: Prasanti Vihar

Duration: 2 hours

The NSS School of Computer Engineering (NSS SCE) organized a slum visit to Prasanti Vihar on the 18th of February, 2024. The volunteers, divided into teams, through a cleanliness drive and an awareness campaign, embarked on a mission to not only address immediate cleanliness needs but also to create awareness about the different government schemes available to the poor for their health and well-being. The event commenced at 9:00 AM. The cleanliness drive involved the diligent efforts of half the team, armed with cleaning supplies, working to transform the slum's environment. The volunteers had come prepared with soap solutions, bleaching powder, and a unique solution for the localities to practice in order to maintain good health and hygiene. The volunteers led an impactful campaign to inform the community about government programs. They shared details on benefits, eligibility, and how to use helpline numbers. Pamphlets were handed out to help people grasp the information. This effort not only brought about practical changes but also fostered a stronger sense of community involvement and shared responsibility.

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Event Name: School Visit

Date: 9th March, 2024

Venue: Damana High School

NSS SCE volunteers made an impactful visit to Damana High School on March 9th, empowering students (grades 1-8) with valuable knowledge. Divided into groups, volunteers ensured age-appropriate engagement. The event commenced at 7 am. Younger students (classes 1 & 2) learned healthy habits, basic counting, and origami for creativity and motor skills. Classes 3 & 4 focused on environmental responsibility through discussions on sustainability, waste segregation, and general knowledge quizzes to pave a pathway to being a more responsible citizen. Students in grades 5 & 6 gained knowledge on personal hygiene, community hygiene, recognizing safe touch, and digital India initiatives like QR payments. Class 7 delved into financial literacy with topics on educational loans, simple interest, and BODMAS math concepts, along with general knowledge. For class 8, career paths, scholarships, and educational opportunities were explored to motivate higher education pursuits. Beyond academics, a talent showcase in each class fostered confidence and a positive learning environment. The visit proved successful, enriching the students' educational experience through interactive sessions and talent showcases. It promoted a spirit of community engagement and student empowerment.

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Event Name: Mental Health Seminar

Date: 10th March, 2024

Duration: 2.5 hours

Venue: KIIT Campus 5 Auditorium

NSS SCE KIIT organized a Mental Health Seminar-“ HEALING HEARTS, HEALING MINDS” on March 10th. The event illuminated the significance of addressing mental health issues which are often overlooked. Guest speakers Dr Bhumika Mishra and Mrs. Kapila Nagpal enlightened attendees on the challenges of mental health and emphasized its invisible nature. They provided insights on effective communication with individuals facing mental health issues, fostering understanding and support. They encouraged us to release attachments from negative emotions and past grievances, thereby liberating ourselves from mental burdens.

Additionally, a trivia session was organized with audience participation, shedding light on various aspects of mental health in student life. Speakers reflected on the responses, highlighted trends and provided solutions. The mental Health section of the SAP Portal was also promoted with tutorials and students were encouraged to access the resources and support available. The event concluded with a poignant skit performance by NSS volunteers, encapsulating the importance of mental health awareness and support.

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Event Name: Slum Visit

Date: 10th March, 2024

Venue: Prasanti Vihar

The NSS School of Computer Engineering (NSS SCE) organized a slum visit to Prasanti Vihar on the 10th of March, 2024. The volunteers were divided into teams. Each team went around the streets of Prasanti Vihar to spread awareness about social justice. They concentrated on teaching the younger kids the importance of education and the fact that Every child has the right to a quality education as a fundamental social right, not just a privilege. The volunteers also discussed the right to favorable working conditions. The intention was to enlighten the community's adult members, who may be more vulnerable to abusive labor practices. In addition, they interacted with the senior family members to guarantee the realization of these social rights in their neighborhood. They emphasized that it is their duty as the older family members to protect the rights of the younger, and vulnerable family members. They also underlined that every adult has the non-deniable right to vote and can take part in the democratic process, irrespective of their social or economic standing. By addressing these critical areas of education, labor rights, family responsibility, and civic engagement, the volunteers endeavored to instill a sense of hope, dignity, and agency among the community members.

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Event Name - SPECIAL CAMP

Date - 23 March 2024 - 30 March 2024

On March 23rd (Day 1) the NSS SCE special camp focused on holistic development through educational activities like interactive math workshops and science explorations sparked curiosity, while self-defense exercises and driving rule workshops equipped participants with valuable life skills. A collaborative cleanliness drive fostered teamwork and environmental responsibility, creating a well-rounded learning experience. The events were conducted at Upper Primary Govt. School, Niladri Vihar.



On March 24th (Day 2), NSS volunteers in Niladri Vihar undertook a comprehensive community campaign. Their morning efforts focused on waste management and education about proper disposal techniques. Simultaneously, they collaborated with students on an art and craft session, brightening spaces with vibrant murals. Through interactive workshops, volunteers addressed pedestrian safety, traffic rules, and responsible driving habits. Transitioning to Damana School, volunteers conducted an afternoon cleanliness drive, emphasizing hygiene in educational settings. Their tireless efforts exemplified grassroots initiatives' power in driving positive change. As the sun set, fulfilled hearts knew they'd made a meaningful difference.



On March 25th (Day 3), NSS SCE volunteers aimed to foster social responsibility and awareness. Divided into two groups, they visited local slum schools. Group 1 engaged in cleaning efforts and distributed notebooks and pencils. Meanwhile, Group 2 emphasized eco-friendly Holi celebrations and promoted water management practices. The visit extended to local slum areas, emphasizing sanitation and community well-being. Snack distribution and joyful interactions with children exemplified care and solidarity. This camp laid the foundation for a conscious and empathetic generation, reflecting NSS SCE's commitment to social welfare.



On March 27th (Day 4), NSS SCE volunteers embarked on a mission to educate slum residents about government schemes. Acting as facilitators, they translated complex information into accessible terms, emphasizing how these programs could improve healthcare, living conditions, and overall prospects for the residents. The enthusiastic response from the community dispelled any doubts, fostering genuine eagerness to learn. Residents actively engaged, asking questions and sharing personal stories. This initiative wasn't just about awareness; it was about unlocking opportunities and securing a brighter future for the slum residents.



On 28th March (Day 5), NSS SCE volunteers organized a special camp day at a local slum school, dedicated to enriching students' lives and fostering community engagement. Dividing into teams, they strategically organized activities for holistic development, including tree planting and wall painting. Simultaneously, students participated in hands-on sessions, learning origami and creative recycling. The atmosphere buzzed with excitement as talents were showcased through art, singing, and dancing. Volunteers encouraged camaraderie and pride, empowering children to aspire for a brighter future. Their dedication left a palpable impact, fostering genuine connections and revitalizing community spirit within the slum.



On March 29th (Day 6), NSS SCE volunteers started a campaign to inform people living in slums about voting, elections, and government schemes. The initiative divided the volunteers into interactive teams to maximize outreach. The community was empowered and uplifted by the volunteers' simple explanation of intricate government programs. The effort sought to provide slum dwellers with opportunity and a better future. At 2:00 PM, surveys, a health and hygiene skit, and refreshments were provided by volunteers to empower the residents. The residents' enthusiastic response attested to the program's efficacy.



NSS SCE volunteers revitalized a slum school on March 30th (Day 7). They fostered children's creativity, taught yoga, and encouraged them to create rangolis. By giving out rewards and serving refreshments, the volunteers encouraged children to get involved in their community. Genuine willingness to interact and learn was left behind, and their dedication and passion enriched lives.



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Voter Awareness

(28 October 2023)

On 29th October 2023, Voter Awareness program was held at Master Canteen Chowk where Dr. Smruti Ranjan Das (the KSFH NSS Program Officer) was invited to represent KSFH NSS Unit, KIIT-DU .

Driven by the spirit of true patriotism of Dr Achyuta Samanta (Founder of KIIT and KISS universities), the NSS volunteers of KSFH NSS unit actively

participated there under the supervision of Dr. Smruti Ranjan Das (the KSFH NSS Program Officer). The rally started from Shri Ram Mandir to Master Canteen Chowk where more than 40 schools and colleges participated in the program from 8:00 am till 11:00 am. Our NSS Volunteers also interacted with IAS Mr. Nikunja Dhal (the Chief Electoral Officer) and , IAS K. Sudarsan Chakravarthi (Khordha Collector). The event focused on the importance of the fundamental right to vote under the democratic system, allowing people to choose when, how and who should govern them.



Vigilance Awareness week

(30th October to 5th November 2023)

Corruption is like a ball of snow; once it's set rolling, it must increase. It is a moral cancer, causing a downfall and creating a negative circumstance for the entire system. In order to encourage all stakeholders to collectively participate in the prevention of and the fight against corruption, Vigilance Awareness Week was observed from 30 October 2023 to 5 November 2023. Driven by this spirit, the NSS unit of KSFH

celebrated this Vigilance Awareness Week on 3 November 2023 at the KSFH Auditorium. All the NSS volunteers and teachers of KSFH including the KSFH NSS Coordinator, Dr. Smruti Ranjan Das actively played a role in this event. The event commenced with the inspiring words delivered by Smruti Sir about the true purpose of observing this Vigilance Awareness Week. His motivating words enlightened the inner spirit of all NSS volunteers to contribute to the Corruption Free Nation. Following this, an Oath Taking Ceremony was held where every volunteer took the

pledge to think for the betterment of the nation and refrain from corruption. It is needed to pull out all the weeds of corruption whose root runs deep.

The whole event was running smoothly under the supervision of the KSFH NSS Coordinator, Dr Smruti Ranjan Das. Driven by the selflessness and honesty of the Founder , all the

NSS volunteers acknowledged their duty to generate awareness in the public at large about the ill effects of corruption.



Unity Day

(31st October 2023)

On 31st October, the NSS (National Service Scheme) members of KSFH Kiit University organized an event called National Unity. The event started with a motivational speech by the Director of the KSFH Department, Prof. Jayant

Kumar Parida. He emphasized the importance of unity in a diverse nation like ours and highlighted the role of educational institutions in promoting national integration. The speech aimed to encourage a sense of responsibility and commitment towards building a united and harmonious society.

After the Director's speech, the members of NSS took a solemn pledge of unity. NSS is a prominent youth organization that plays a crucial role in promoting social welfare and community service. The unity pledge symbolized the commitment of NSS members to work towards the betterment of society and the nation as a whole.

The event was further enriched by an enlightening guest speaker delivered by Dash Banur Sir, a Sahitya Akademi Award Winner writer from Odisha. He is a distinguished personality in the field of social and national development and Mr. Banur shared his insights on the importance of unity in achieving progress and prosperity. He elaborated on the historical significance of National Unity Day and its relevance in contemporary times.

The National Unity Day event organized by KSFH was a huge success in promoting unity, patriotism, and social responsibility among the college community. The event featured a combination of speeches, pledges, and cultural activities which created a vibrant atmosphere and encouraged students to reflect on the values of unity and make positive contributions to the growth and development of their nation. The event served as a reminder of the strength that comes from diversity when united under a common goal.



Orientation Program

(9th November 2023)

Empowering Tomorrow's Leaders: NSS Orientation Day on November 9th with Chief Guest Ajit Kumar, Youth Officer, Regional Director of NSS, Bhubaneswar under the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Government of India. With enthusiasm filling the air, our respected Director, Dr.

Jayanta Kumar Parida, and the distinguished dean Prof. Keshab Das graced the occasion, instilling a sense of purpose and dedication.

The day unfolded as an immersive journey, meticulously designed to acquaint participants with the essence of NSS. Ajit Kumar, a beacon of inspiration, shared invaluable insights, emphasizing the role of youth in nation-building. His words resonated with the audience, fostering a spirit of community service and social responsibility.

Dr. Smruti Ranjan Das, the diligent program officer, added to the event's vigor, ensuring a seamless flow of activities aimed at acquainting everyone with the essence of NSS. Dr. Manas Pedi, with eloquence, delivered the vote of thanks, acknowledging the collective spirit driving the NSS initiative.



Diwali

(11th November 2023)

On 11th November 2023, the NSS unit of KSFH organized a Diwali celebration with

At slum in Prasanti Vihar, Bhubaneswar, illuminating not just the slums but also the hearts of those present.

Volunteers, driven by the spirit of service, participated wholeheartedly, turning the slums into a festive haven that lingered in their memories until dusk bid farewell. The celebration, filled with camaraderie and the infectious laughter of children, became a beacon of hope in the midst of modest dwellings.

Various engaging activities kept the children enthralled throughout the celebration. The Diya Making Competition was a highlight, where tiny hands, guided by our KSFH NSS team, transformed simple diyas into works of art. The joy in their eyes reflected the magic of the festival, fostering creativity and community spirit.

The distribution of chocolates brought smiles, highlighting the essence of sharing and spreading sweetness in every corner. It was a celebration not just of Diwali but of togetherness blurring the boundaries between volunteers and the community.

Our esteemed Programme Officer, Dr. Smruti Ranjan Das sir, stood as a pillar of support, contributing wholeheartedly to each activity. His dedication added warmth and sincerity to the festivities.

Behind all this, was the inspirational vision of our founder, Dr Achutya Samant, whose commitment to uplifting communities echoes in every initiative undertaken by NSS KSFH. His spirit guided us, reminding us that the true essence of Diwali lies in spreading light, both figuratively and literally.

As the lamps illuminated the slums, we realized that the celebration was not just about dispelling darkness; it was about kindling hope, fostering connections, and creating enduring memories. This Diwali in Prasanti Vihar was more than a celebration, it was a testament to the

transformative power of compassion and collective effort. In the glow of diyas and the shared joy, the spirit of Diwali found its truest expression, leaving an imprint on the hearts of both volunteers and residents that's never going to fade.



Aids Day

(1st December 2023)

World's AIDS day was celebrated on 1st December 2023 at our KSFH Campus by our NSS volunteers along with our own NSS Coordinator Dr. Smruti Ranjan Das, Dr. Kajal Parasar (NSS Program Coordinator of KIIT University) & other teachers and staff. Our AIDS day program started with NSS volunteers preparing a red cross ribbon for everyone which represented awareness and support for people living with HIV. Our NSS volunteers distributed these red cross ribbons among our teachers, KSFH staff and our fellow students. Then our KSFH Coordinator Dr. Smruti Ranjan Das along with some of our student volunteers went to Dr. Kajal Parasar (NSS Program Coordinator of KIIT University) to give her the red cross ribbon. Our KSFH unit had also prepared a board in-front of the campus which represented the "Signature Campaign" for the World's AIDS Day, where Dr. Smruti Ranjan Das Sir, Dr. Kajal Parasar Mam, other NSS staffs along with volunteers participated & shown their concern regarding AIDS day by putting their signature on the board. Overall the campaign for World's AIDS Day was a huge success and KSFH volunteers succeeded in spreading the awareness and supporting people living with HIV and filling up the "Signature Campaign" board.



Vijay Diwas Celebration at KSFH Department

(16th December 2023)

The Kargil Diwas celebration on 16th December at our KSFH department was a solemn and respectful event dedicated to honouring the sacrifices of our brave soldiers.

The commemoration took the form of a candle show, symbolizing the light of remembrance for the soldiers

who fought during the Kargil war. Each candle represented a tribute to the valour and sacrifice of our soldiers. The flickering flames illuminated the sombre atmosphere, creating a powerful visual representation of remembrance.

Dr. Smruti Ranjan Das delivered a poignant speech, emphasizing the significance of Kargil Diwas and the sacrifices made by our soldiers. His words resonated with the audience, fostering a deep sense of patriotism and gratitude.

The NSS Volunteers actively engaged in the event, showing respect and appreciation for the soldiers who fought in the Kargil war. The collective silence during the candle lighting and Dr. Smruti Ranjan Das's speech reflected the solemnity of the occasion.

The Kargil Diwas celebration in our KSFH department was a heartfelt and meaningful tribute to our nation's heroes. The combination of the candle show, NSS volunteers' active involvement, and Dr. Smruti Ranjan Das's impactful speech made the event a memorable and respectful homage to the sacrifices made by our soldiers.



Road Safety Awareness

(6th January 2024)

Safety on the road is a responsibility we all share. The KSFH NSS Unit did a commendable job to spread awareness on road safety to the people. The KSFH NSS volunteers had organized a Road safety awareness Rally on 6 January 2024 to celebrate the road safety week and encourage the people to take care of themselves as well as of others on the road. This rally was joined by KSFH Dean Prof. Keshav Das ; Youth Officer Mr. Ajit Kushwaha; the Program Officer of KSFH NSS Unit Dr. Smruti Ranjan Das and Rama Kanta Nayak at 8:30 a.m. We all volunteers felt so grateful for the motivating words of Prof. Keshav sir. He spoke up about road safety and encouraged us to serve our society. The Youth Officer, Ajit sir also filled us with courage and strength to contribute to our nation. He delighted us with his optimistic words and gave us a lot of ideas on road safety. Dean sir commenced the rally at 9 a.m showing a green flag from the KIIT campus 3, heading towards the KIIT square.

The event was going on smoothly under the supervision of the KSFH NSS Programme Officer, Dr. Smruti Ranjan Das. People standing there seemed to be mesmerized listening to the amazing and truly motivating slogans spoken up by the volunteers on road safety. Seeing the enthusiasm of our KSFH NSS volunteers, many volunteers from other departments of KIIT got really inspired and joined the rally making it a grand success. At the KIIT, toffees and pamphlets were distributed to the people so that they could feel encouraged to follow the rules and regulations to have a safe ride on the road. An extra shine was added to the event of NSS volunteers when people got really influenced by the work and appreciated the effort of the KSFH NSS team in making an attempt to make society. The team effort was evident, making this event an enduring effect.



Blood Donation Camp

(12th January 2024)

The Blood Donation Camp hosted at KSFH Campus 3 on January 12, 2024, organized by the NSS Unit of KSFH, inaugurated by Prof. Jnyana Ranjan Mohanty, Registrar KIIT & KISS stands as a profound symbol of commitment to community welfare.

Esteemed guests, including Prof. Jnyana Ranjan Mohanty, Registrar KIIT & KISS , KIIT-DU; Professor Jayant Kumar Parida, Director, KSFH Ajit Kumar, Youth Officer, Regional Director of NSS,; Kajal Parashar, NSS Bureau, KIIT DU and Prof. PT Choudhary, added prestige to the event. The volunteers demonstrated unparalleled enthusiasm and dedication, fostering a collective spirit of service resonating throughout the campus. The event's success was measured by the outstanding collection of more than 105 units of blood, underscoring the profound impact of collaboration between volunteers, guests, and the community.

Prof Surekha Sundari Swain , (Director extension Service) was our first donor of the day.

Guided by Dr. Smruti Ranjan Das, the NSS Programme Officer, and supported by Student Coordinator Abhijit Mohanty, Assistant Coordinator Satyam Choudhary, and the diligent OC team members, the event ran seamlessly from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM. This meticulous planning ensured not only the efficiency of the blood donation process but also the well-being and comfort of all participants. The genuine spirit of service permeated every corner of the event, creating an atmosphere of unity and positivity.

This collective endeavour not only illustrates KSFH's unwavering dedication to social responsibility but also emphasizes the positive influence of unity in nurturing community well-being. The Blood Donation Camp emerges not merely as a successful event but as a symbol of our steadfast commitment to making a meaningful impact in the lives of those we serve.



YUVA SAMVAD

(09 March 2024)

We cannot always build the future for our Youth. But we can build our Youth for the future . The serving attitude of Dr. Achyuta Samanta (the Founder of KIIT and KISS) and his selfless service to transform the lives of tribal and underprivileged

children by establishing the KIIT and KISS universities has really enlightened the inner spirit of every student to build a better future for tomorrow.

Driven by the spirit of selfless service, Yuva Samvad was organized on 9 March 2024 by KIIT School of Social, Financial and Human Sciences at auditorium, E - Block, campus -3 , KIIT - DU, Bhubaneswar, Odisha. The Yuva Samvad initiatives aim to rekindle the spirit of patriotism and values of India's Freedom Struggle by engaging the youth in various events. This will help showcase 'Youth Power' and reinforce the five resolves 'Panch Pran', among the youth of the country.

The programme was attended by our Honourable Chief Guest, Shri Jyoti Prakash Mishra [(IRTC) , Chief Passenger Transportation Manager (CPTM), East Coast Railways] accompanied by several other guests which include Prof. Keshab Das(KSFH Dean) ; Mr. Ajit Kushwaha (Youth Officer, NSS, RD Bhubaneswar, Odisha) and Dr. Smruti Ranjan Das (NSS Program Officer of KSFH, KIIT- DU). More than 175 NSS volunteers had joined the event .

The registration process of the participants began. After the arrival of the guests, there was lighting of lamps and offering of saplings to the guests. It was followed by the

NSS Anthem. The guests were introduced by Dr Smruti Ranjan Das (NSS Program Officer of KSFH, KIIT - DU) . Then, Prof. Keshab Das spoke about the great contribution of KIIT towards the field of NSS and society welfare encouraging the NSS volunteers to create a better future for tomorrow.

It was then, followed by the felicitation ceremony of the esteemed guests. Also, six of our dedicated NSS volunteers including Abhijit Mohanty, Jyotiranjana Rath, Amit Kumar Dash, Naibedya Mohanty, Mandal Soren and Suman Kumar Tipiria were also felicitated by our esteemed guests for their significant contribution towards NSS and attending the NIC events. It was followed by the Oath taking ceremony where all the NSS volunteers took the vow of Panch Pran.

It was quite mesmerizing listening to the kind words spoken by our esteemed guests. Mr. Ajit Kushwaha, Youth Affairs Officer, had fascinated the NSS volunteers with his poetic words and his significant contribution towards the field of NSS. He focussed on the real essence of Panch Pran. Our honorable guest of the day, Shri. Jyoti Prakash Mishra had inspired every NSS volunteer with his powerful words. He truly inspired the Youth to channelize their energy towards social service and community welfare.

Then the most awaited moment of Yuva Samvad began where NSS volunteers presented their thoughts in the Declamation Competition on one of the three topics which include Panch Pran, Vikshit Bharat and India@2047. The competition was judged by Mr. Satwik Patnaik, Dr. Lopamudra Lenka and Dr. Tulasi Malini Maharatha.

It was then, followed by cultural performances by our NSS volunteers based on Shiv Tandav, Radha Krishna, Kathak and our traditional Sambalpuri folk dance. It was based on the theme of Youth Empowerment.

At the end, winners were declared where Priyanshi Tiwari (CSE, KIIT) has received the first prize and Sonali Palei (KSFH, KIIT) has stood second. Anwesha Das (KSFH, KIIT) and Manaswini Praharaj (KSFH, KIIT) have secured the third prize. It was really appreciable listening to the powerful words of our NSS volunteers, thus, shaping the future of our country. Youth are the future of our nation and their participation will lead towards a developed India. The winners of the Declamation Competition and the participants of the cultural events were provided with certificates and prizes. It was then, followed by the vote of thanks given by Samiksha Hota (NSS Student Coordinator of KSFH NSS Unit, KIIT - DU).

It is truly fascinating that the whole event happened due to constant support and encouragement of Dr. Achyuta Samanta (the Founder of KIIT and KISS), Prof. Jnyana Ranjan Mohanty (Registrar of the KIIT University) , Prof Jayanta Kumar Parida (KSFH Director), Prof. Keshab Das(KSFH Dean); Prof. kajal Parashar (NSS Bureau, KIIT -DU) and Dr. Smruti Ranjan Das (NSS Program Officer of KSFH, KIIT).

Yuva Samvad was a great platform to propagate the concept of national integration, spirit of communal harmony, brotherhood, courage and adventure amongst the youth. It was a grand success. It was a triumph and the team effort was evident, making it a commendable and enduring effort.



KSFH NSS CAMPS

Sl No.	Date	Events
1.	18 th to 19 th December 2023	State youth leadership camp, Kendrapada, Odisha
2.	20 th to 26 th December 2023	Special camp
3.	12 th to 16 th January 2024	National youth festival Nashik, Maharashtra
4.	6 th to 12 th February 2024	National integration camp- Gulbarga, Karnataka
5.	16 th to 22 nd March 2024	National integration camp- Kasargod, Kerala

State Youth Leadership Camp

(18th to 19th December 2023)

Youth is the energy of the nation and the future of our country. Youth of today are the leaders of tomorrow. The Youth leadership supports the youth in developing their ability to analyze their own strength and weakness, set personal and professional goals and the ability to carry them out. Carried out by this spirit, a State Level Youth Leadership Camp was organized by the Marshaghai College, Marshaghai in Kendrapara, Odisha. This camp continued for two days from 18 December 2023 to 19 December 2023. This camp was attended by the students from different Universities of Odisha. Many students from different departments of KIIT University including that of the NSS volunteers of the KSFH department showed their interest and became a part of this Youth leadership camp representing the KIIT University. The Programme Officer of KSFH NSS Unit, Dr. Smruti Ranjan Das was also present there in that camp. The Higher Education Minister of Odisha, Atanu Sabyasachi Nayak added an extra shine to the camp with his presence. Different competitions related to dance, odia-typing, essay, debate, reel making and quiz took place where the whole highest number of prizes in that camp were won by the KIIT University increasing the enthusiasm of all volunteers. The two day camp was successfully arranged comprising different events to raise awareness of the society. Day 2 commenced with a yoga session for better health followed by an NSS rally. People seemed to be mesmerized listening to the amazing and truly motivating slogans spoken up by the NSS volunteers. A cleanliness drive was held to achieve the goal of 'Clean India' or Swachh Bharat, adding to the personality of all volunteers. The active support and cooperation of all the local students of Marshaghai College and local NSS officials made this camp a successful one. They were so enthusiastic and participated in many competitions too. Motivated by the serving attitude of the Founder of KIIT, Dr. Achyuta Samanta; all the students got really inspired to contribute to the society. The constant support and guidance of the Programme Officer of KSFH NSS Unit,

Dr Smruti Ranjan Das enlightened the inner spirit of all the NSS volunteers to build a better future for tomorrow.



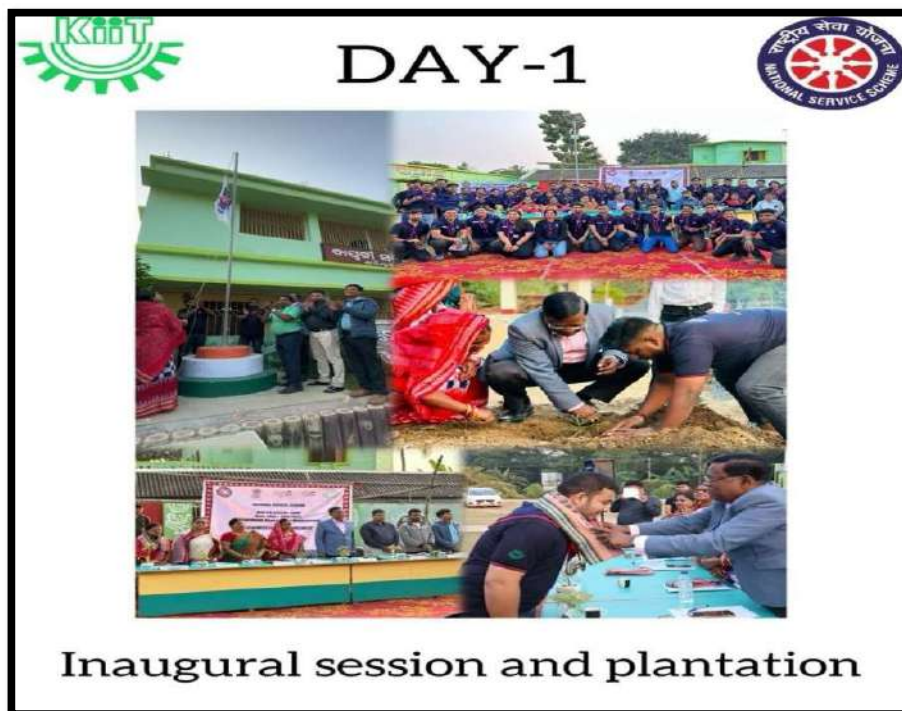
KSFH NSS Special camp

(20th to 26th December 2023)

DAY – 1 (20/12/2023)

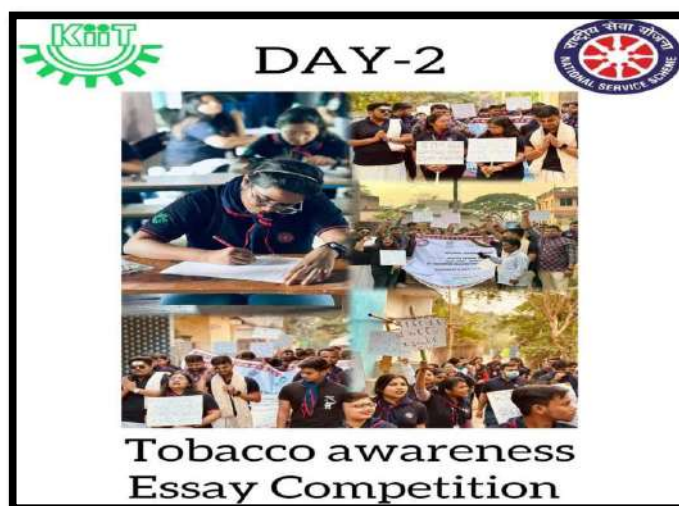
The NSS Winter Special Camp embarked on a journey of service and community engagement on December 20, 2023, as students departed from the campus 3 main gate at 10:00 a.m., heading towards Barimund village in Mancheswar, Bhubaneswar. The team arrived at 10:45 a.m., where the atmosphere soon buzzed with anticipation. The students then went for their registration and in the meantime, they had their breakfast, and after 12 p.m. the volunteers had a short interaction with the Barimund Primary school students and the village people and by 2:00 p.m. they had their lunch. Then the inaugural Ceremony began at 15:37 p.m., the distinguished presence of Prof. Jayant Kumar Parida, Director, KSFH; Prof. Kajal Parashar, Deputy Director, Program coordinator, KIIT NSS Bureau; Mrs Supriya Mallick, Sarpanch Barimund Gram Panchayat; Mrs. Damayanti mallick, Headmaster, Barimunda Primary School; Prabhat Kumar Sahoo, Naya Sarpanch; Susmita Baral, Samiti member and other esteemed guests added a touch of significance to the occasion. The formal proceedings began at 3:50 p.m. with a warm welcome extended to the guests. Following this, at 3:52 p.m., Professor Jayant Kumar Parida along with other esteemed dignitaries hoisted the NSS flag, symbolizing the spirit of service and community outreach. The lighting of the lamp at 3:55 p.m. illuminated the path for the upcoming activities. A gesture of appreciation took place at 3:57 p.m., as the guests were presented with tokens of love. The NSS Anthem resonated at 3:59 p.m., echoing the commitment to social welfare. The cultural facet of the event unfolded at 4:03 with a captivating dance performance by Adyasha and Swayam Swastika, setting the stage for an evening of celebration. The formalities continued when Dr. Smruti Ranjan Das delivered an inaugural speech and briefing about the camp at 4:08 p.m.. Damayanti mallick shared insights at 4:15 p.m., emphasizing the importance of community service. The Panchayat added their perspectives at 16:22 p.m., followed by an address from Jayant Kumar Parida at 4:25 p.m.. Acknowledging excellence, the winners of the Kendrapara camp were felicitated at 4:35 p.m.. Dr. Manas Pedi expressed gratitude and delivered the vote of thanks at 4:40 p.m.. The event reached its pinnacle with the declaration of the special winter camp by Jayant Kumar Parida at 4:42 p.m.. As the day progressed, participants engaged in a plantation drive from 4:42 to 5:20, symbolizing the growth and nurture of community bonds. The day concluded with a delightful session of snacks at 5:30, fostering camaraderie among the participants. The NSS Winter Special Camp of 2023 not only contributed to community development but also left an imprint of unity and service in the hearts of all involved. On the inaugural day of

our program, it is crucial to recognize that the event's success and smooth execution would have been unattainable without the invaluable support of the NSS fraternity and the collaborative spirit of the village community. We extend special appreciation to our devoted coordinator, Abhijit Mohanty, and assistant coordinator Satyam Choudhary, whose careful planning and unwavering dedication set the stage for an impressive beginning. We also express heartfelt gratitude to the enthusiastic volunteers of the NSS family, whose vigor and commitment brought a dynamic quality to our joint endeavors. Together, as a cohesive unit, we are poised to create a meaningful impact throughout the duration of this initiative.



DAY – 2 (21/12/2023)

The second day of the NSS Winter Special Camp commenced with the departure from the main gate of the campus at 2:35 p.m., heading towards Barimund Village, Mancheswar, Bhubaneswar. The NSS team arrived at 3:00 p.m. at the camp, which was set up at Barimund Nodal Upper Primary School. Exactly at 3:20 p.m., the camp officially began with the NSS anthem. After the NSS anthem At 3:32 p.m., an essay writing competition was organized, Approximately, 15 students participated and showcased their interest in the competition. Additionally, the NSS Team organized a Musical Chair Event for the local children of Barimund Village, where Sagarika Bhuyan won the first prize, while Laxmipriya Behra became the runner-up. Witnessing the enthusiasm and excitement among the NSS members, another Musical Chair Event was organized, this time among the team members, where Swayam Swastika won the first prize, with Amrita Poonam as the runner-up. The event was filled with fun and entertainment. At 4:34 p.m., the team initiated a Tobacco Awareness Programme, led by Shreedhar Sahoo, a member of the NSS team. To reach a wider audience the NSS Team members roamed around the entire village of Barimund, raising various slogans to raise awareness among the villagers. Two of the NSS team members, Amit Kumar Dash and Naibedya Mohanty, dressed up as Chakulia Panda and along with them our NSS Volunteers went door to door, educating the villagers about the harmful effects of tobacco and urging them not to consume it or any other hazardous substances. The team sang the slogans with great enthusiasm, and the villagers showed keen interest in listening to them. Moreover the programme left a lasting impression on the people of Barimund Village. The team's effort to foster a healthy environment was evident, making the tobacco awareness programme a commendable and enduring effort. The event was smoothly conducted under the guidance of NSS Programme Officer, Dr. Smruti Ranjan Das. The team returned to its base at 5:15 p.m. where there was distribution of some refreshments. The second day concluded with the National Anthem at 5:20 p.m., after which the team departed from the place at 5:30 p.m.. The team reached the university campus at 5:55 p.m. .



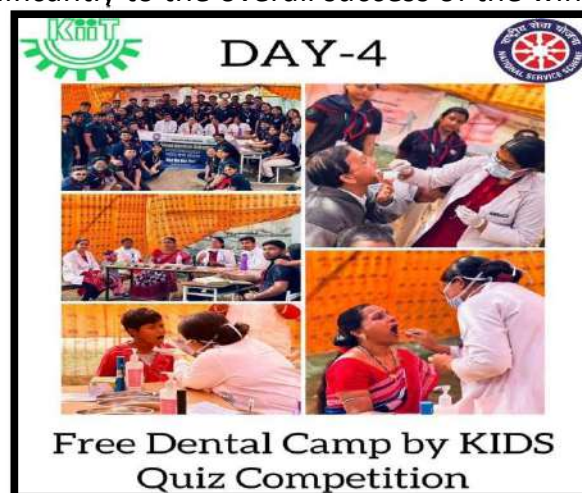
DAY – 3 (22/12/2023)

The third day of the NSS Winter Special Camp commenced with the departure from the main gate of the KIIT campus at 10:15 a.m, heading towards Barimund Village, Mancheswar, Bhubaneswar. The NSS team arrived at 10:40 a.m at the camp. The camp officially began with the NSS anthem at 11:00 a.m. After the NSS anthem, some of our NSS volunteers started preparing for the lunch at 11:00 a.m and it was headed by Nirad Baran Dalai and his team. Additionally, other NSS volunteers were having amazing fun with the school students of the Barimund Nodal Upper Primary School, where our camp has been set up. At 12:30 pm, a fire safety awareness program started in order to make us aware about fire safety management and what should be our approach in those adverse situations. The awareness program was done by the officers of the Odisha fire service department, Patia, Bhubaneswar. Those officers include Rakesh Nayak, Manaranjan Rout, Gyana Ranjan Nayak and KR Mundia. The program was attended by Damayanti Malilick, the Principal of the school, school teachers and students joined with NSS volunteers to witness the fire safety awareness. Manaranjan Rout excellently discussed every single aspect related to fire safety. Then, the fire service department officers practically showed different cases related to fire safety. The awareness program ended at 1:30 p.m. After that, lunch was provided to all the NSS volunteers at 2:00 p.m.. At 3:00 p.m., a Debate competition was organized which was judged by Professor Dilip Kumar Muduli. After the competition got over at 3:30 p.m. An academic session was taken by Professor Dilip where he gave his own point of view on the debate topic " Simultaneous elections should be held in India." It all ended at 4:00 p.m. The whole event was going on smoothly under the supervision of NSS Programme Officer, Dr. Smruti Ranjan Das. After the National Anthem at 4:30 p.m., the KSFH NSS team departed from the village at 4:45 p.m and reached the university campus at 5:10 p.m



DAY – 4 (23/12/2023)

The fourth day of the special winter camp organized by the National Service Scheme (NSS) at Barimund village in Bhubaneswar witnessed an array of impactful activities and community engagement. The day commenced with volunteers departing from the campus at 10:10 a.m., arriving at the designated location by 10:40 a.m. At 10:50 a.m., the NSS Anthem resonated, setting the tone for a day of service and collaboration. Following the anthem, volunteers engaged in a cleanup initiative at 11:00 a.m., contributing to the surroundings. A significant highlight of the day was the dental checkup camp led by Kalinga Institute of Dental Science (KIDS). The camp began at 11:10 a.m. with the arrival and preparation of the dental team. The health camp commenced with the dental checkup of Sarpanch, Supriya Mallick at 11:25 a.m.. The dental camp witnessed active participation from the villagers, with more than 70 individuals availing themselves of the dental checkup services provided by Dr. Rohini Parui, Dr. Dinesh Senapati, Dr. Aseema Samal, and assisted by Geetanjali Behera. The health camp concluded at 2:00 p.m., demonstrating the efficiency and dedication of the NSS volunteers of the KSFH unit. A well-deserved lunch, prepared by our NSS volunteers, was served at 2:10 p.m., allowing volunteers to recharge for the afternoon. An intellectually stimulating quiz session unfolded at 3:00 p.m., lasting until 4:00 p.m., followed by engaging fun activities until 4:30 p.m.. The day concluded with the recitation of the National Anthem at 4:33 p.m.. Volunteers returned to the campus, reaching by 5:20 p.m.. The success of Day 4 was made possible by the dedication and collaborative efforts of all NSS volunteers of the KSFH unit. Special thanks to the dental team from Kalinga Institute of Dental Science, the Mother Teresa team for culinary contributions, and the Mahatma Gandhi team for their exceptional management of the health camp. Day 4 of the NSS winter camp showcased the spirit of service, community engagement, and teamwork. The impact of the dental checkup camp and the interactive sessions contributed significantly to the overall success of the winter camp.



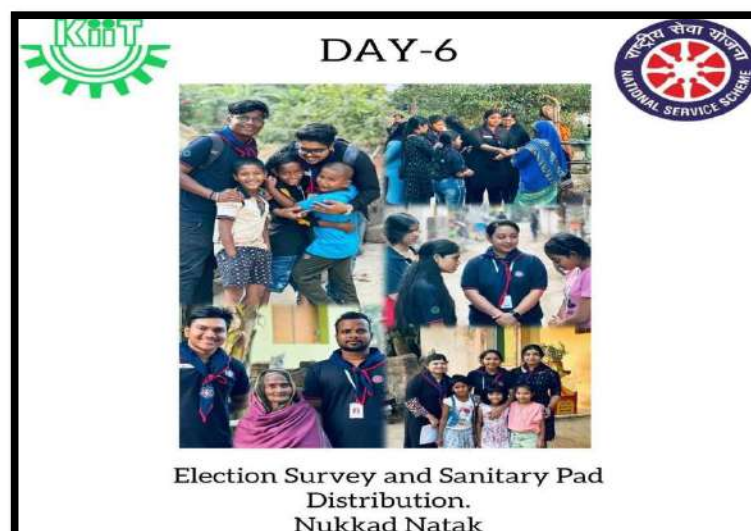
DAY - 5 (24/12/2023)

The 5th day of the NSS Winter Special Camp commenced with the departure from the main gate of the KIIT campus at 9:45 a.m, heading towards Bhubaneswar Baliyatra field. Our KSFH NSS Unit reached the field at 10:00 a.m. We had an awareness programme on cleanliness. A cleanliness drive took place at Baliyatra field, Bhubaneswar from 10:00 a.m to 11:30 a.m where all of our NSS volunteers took an initiative to clean the field and motivated the locals to have a clean environment around them. Then, we reached our camp at Barimund village at 11:30 a.m. After the NSS anthem at 11:45 a.m, some of our NSS volunteers started preparing for lunch. After having lunch at 2:30 p.m, we had an amazing academic session from 4pm to 5pm. We had the Youth Officer, Mr. Ajit Kushwaha ; the Social media expert, Mr. Nikhil Panigrahi and the Programming officer of KSFH NSS Unit, Dr. Smruti Ranjan Das as our guests of the day, adding a touch of significance to the occasion. They shared their own experience with all of our NSS volunteers regarding NSS and how to contribute to our society as a Youth of India. After the Academic session got over, a dance competition was organized at 5pm which was judged by our respected dignitaries and Smruti Sir. It got over at 5:30pm. The whole event was going smoothly under the supervision of NSS Programme Officer, Dr. Smruti Ranjan Das. After the National Anthem at 5:45pm, the KSFH NSS team departed from the village at 6:00 p.m. and reached the university campus at 6:30 p.m.



DAY - 6 (25/12/2023)

Embarking on day 6 of the special winter camp, the NSS family of KSFH took their first step, leaving the campus at 1:30 p.m. with unwavering dedication. At 2:20 p.m. The NSS Unit arrived at Barimund village. At 2:30 p.m., the camp commenced with the NSS Anthem. At 3:00 p.m. the camp launched two crucial awareness programs focusing on menstrual hygiene, pad distribution, and a survey on elections in collaboration with the Sarpanch. A spirited competition ensued, where the teams were divided for a pad distribution game. Team A, led by Satyam Chodhury, emerged victorious, showcasing exceptional speed and efficiency. However, it's noteworthy that Team B, led by Jyotiranjana Rath left no door unknocked, demonstrating unwavering dedication. Together, Both teams reached and distributed sanitary pads in more than 50 houses. At 4:15 p.m. Team A concluded their activities, followed by Team B at 4:20 p.m. The day's awareness programs were deemed highly successful, encapsulating essential themes in a comprehensive manner. Later an energetic Nukkad Natak unfolded at 16:30 p.m., portraying a poignant story of a young girl affected by dengue. OC members Samiksha Hota, Naibedya Mohanty and Amit kumar Dash and their Nukkad team , with the active participation of the community, illustrated the consequences of superstitious beliefs. The narrative emphasized the importance of dispelling such beliefs in rural communities. The performance resonated with the audience, evident in the filled streets applauding the impactful message. At 17:15 p.m., The National Anthem marked the formal conclusion of the day's activities. The NSS Unit left the village at 17:20 p.m., reflecting on the day's accomplishments and safely returned to the campus at 17:50. Day 6 witnessed an amalgamation of impactful awareness initiatives, community engagement, and creative expression. The NSS Unit of KSFH left with a hope of leaving the slightest positive mark on Barimund village, both education and community spirit. The collaborative efforts of the teams and the resonating Nukkad Natak showcased the depth of impact achievable through dedicated throughout the camp, the watchful eye of the KSFH NSS Student coordinator, Abhijit Mohanty ensured a seamless and coordinated execution of activities.

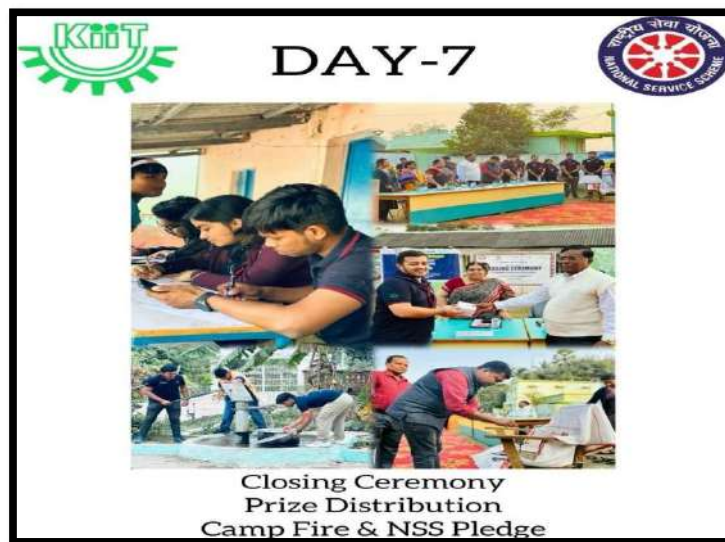


DAY - 7 (26/12/2023)

The 7th day of the NSS Winter Special Camp commenced with the departure from the main gate of the campus at 11:31 a.m., heading towards Barimund Village, Mancheswar, Bhubaneswar. The NSS team arrived at 11:53 a.m. at the camp, which was set up at Barimund Upper Primary School. Reaching at its base for the very last time some NSS volunteers took pictures of the place as a memory while some engaged themselves in the preparation of the cultural program. After lunch at 3:00

p.m., The formal session began, of which the hosts of the day were Amit Kumar Dash and Kashif Mehmood Khan. The formal session was initiated with the NSS anthem at 15:52 p.m.. Dr. Smruti Rajan Das, the program coordinator thanked the Sarpanch of the village and summarized all the events that took place during these seven days. Then, at 16:00 p.m. the Sarpanch of the village thanked all the dignitaries and specially to Director of KSFH, Prof. Jayanta Kumar Parida and Program coordinator, Dr. Smruti Ranjan Das for conducting the seven days special camp at their village. She was also grateful to the entire NSS team for spreading social awareness and thanked the volunteers specially for distributing sanitary Pads to around 50 houses. Next at 16:05 p.m, Sarita Patel, the regional director of NSS, Bhubaneswar talked about the importance of hardwork and about the major difference in 'saying a thing, and doing it'. She also talked about how to handle and deal with things in a mature way. She talked about her time as an NSS volunteer and her camp experience during those days and how important it is to manage and adjust things. Last but not the least she also encouraged all the girls to actively participate in such events. Further Sonali Palei and Naibedya Mohanty delivered their experiences in these seven days, which acted as a flashback in front of everyone's eyes. At 14:19, the Prize distribution ceremony began for the winners in Essay Writing, Debate, Musical Chair, Quiz and Dance Competitions which were held during these seven days of the camp and some gift boxes were also given to the KSFH NSS OC members as a token of love and respect for their dedicated work throughout the seven days, which was awarded by village Sarpanch, Sarita Patel the regional director of NSS and Director of KSFH. At 16:30 a Garba dance was performed by four of our NSS Volunteers which charged the ground. At 16:48 The event was then proceeded with Certificate distributions to the participants which was awarded by the village Sarpanch and Director of KSFH. At 17:00, the Director of KSFH, KiiT University Dr. Jyanta Kumar Parida expressed his utmost thanks to the village Sarpanch for allowing the NSS volunteers from his institute to conduct a camp at their Village.

Next, there was a showcase of Sambalpuri Dance performed by our NSS Volunteers. Then, at 17:16 the NSS Flag which was hoisted in Day-1 by the esteemed director of KSFH, Village Sarpamch, Programme Coordinator and Student Coordinator lowered down with full respect marking the end of the seven days special winter camp. Lastly, Vote Of Thanks was Delivered by Abhijit Mohanty, the student coordinator of KSFH NSS, KiiT University at 16:24. The day ended with the National Anthem and then a bonfire by our esteemed Director Jayanta Kumar Parida . Followed by dance and group pictures as a source of memory in the camp. Finally, the Bus departed from the place at 18:28 and reached the campus at 18:50.



National youth festival Nashik, Maharashtra

Participation of Volunteers

(12-16 January 2024)

Volunteering is at the very core of being a human. It is the voice of the people put into action and an act of heroism on a grand scale. The serving attitude of the Founder of KIIT, Dr. Achyuta Samanta and his selfless service to transform the lives of tribal and underprivileged children by establishing the KIIT and KISS universities has really enlightened the inner spirit of every student to build a better future for

tomorrow. It is a very victorious moment for the KIIT University that Naibedya Mohanty and Amit Kumar Das, NSS volunteers of KIIT School of Social, Financial and Human Sciences, have been selected to participate in the National Youth Festival in Nashik which is scheduled to take place from 12/01/2024 to 16/01/2024 . It is a great opportunity for the students to showcase their talents and participate in amazing activities at the national level. Naibedya Mohanty and Amit Kumar Das are representing the KIIT University and Odisha at this reputable festival. Their participation at this Youth Festival will surely add to their personality so as to contribute much to the society.

Amit Kumar Dash has got the valuable opportunity to represent and deliver the success story of NSS Odisha and participate in Declamation. On the other hand, Naibedya Mohanty will participate in the Essay Writing Competition and Photography.

It is truly admirable that all these things are happening due to constant support and encouragement of the Founder of KIIT, Dr Achyuta Samanta; KSFH Director, Prof. Jayanta Kumar Parida ; Youth Affair Officer, Ajit Kushwaha ; NSS Bureau, Kajal Parashar and KSFH NSS Coordinator, Dr Smruti Ranjan Das. Also they are greatly motivated by the KSFH Dean, Prof. Keshab Das and the Registrar of the KIIT University, Prof. Jyana Ranjan Mohanty. There is no better exercise for the heart than reaching down and helping to lift someone up. Driven by this spirit, the two NSS volunteers, Naibedya Mohanty and Amit Kumar Das have really made everyone feel very proud of them.

National Integration Camp- Gulbarga, Karnataka

(6-12 February 2024)

February 04:

Train was at 3:20 pm from platform no.6, Bhubaneswar Railway Station,

Ajit Kushwaha, Youth Affairs officer and Nikhil Panigrahi from NSS Office came to encourage our NSS Volunteers – Abhijit Mohanty, Jyotiranjana Rath From KIIT UNIVERSITY & 8 other Volunteers from different universities of ODISHA. Ajit Kushwaha Sir bought some medicines and handed them over to the Contingent Leader (PO) Tanoj Kumar Mohapatra for emergency purposes while travelling.

Ajit Sir gave a short briefing about the upcoming National Integration Camp.. Sir advised us to adjust with the situation and to give our best at the national level platform. To work together as a team and to represent ODISHA rather than representing the individual.

The journey of Abhijit Mohanty, Jyotiranjana Rath along with Odisha Contingent begins with high motivation and expectations to learn more about others culture and to spread the culture of ODISHA at a National Level Camp.

All the Contingent were excited to showcase their tradition and culture at the national Level. In the train all the teammates got a chance to introduce themselves and work together to represent Odisha.

The train journey was so smooth that we got a chance to discuss what to do and how to do our cultural programme. Everyone discussed their talents and weaknesses and the plan was made properly.



February – 05

The journey of the train was expected to be of 24 hours but due to the delay of 1 hour 30mins, the train reached the destination by 4:50 pm on 5th feb, 2024.

The NSS department of Gulbarga University, Karnataka sent their Bus to the Kalaburagi Railway Station to receive us and take us to the place of accommodation. The bus took all the boys and girls to their respective hostels and the Programme Officer to the Guest House. After reaching the respective hostels, we had our dinner at

9.30 pm at the guest house.

February – 06 (Day 1)

After waking up, we had our breakfast at 7.30 am at the physical education department, Gulbarga university. Then at 9.30 am we had to report at the Main Building of Gulbarga university and we collected our caps and ID cards. We submitted all the documents to the authority to verify them and they were verified.

Then we all moved to our allotted rooms and got ready for lunch. After having lunch, we went to the opening ceremony. All the Odisha team members dressed up with the Sambalpuri dresses and represented their teams amongst other states like Maharashtra,

Madhya Pradesh, Telangana, Tamil Nadu, Karnataka etc. Student volunteers of all states were shuffled and merged to make teams so that all the work of the event would go smoother for the foreseeable future. Further, the joining states were divided into 5 teams which were named after 5 rivers of India. Each team consisted of approximately 20 student volunteers. The 5 teams were named as Krishna, Kaveri, Godavari, Narmada, and Mahanadi. The 2-student volunteers selected from KIIT UNIVERSITY, ODISHA were Abhijit Mohanty and Jyotiranjana Rath. Abhijit Mohanty was named as the team leader of the team KAVERI and Jyotiranjana Rath was selected as the team leader of the team KRISHNA. It was a great honour for both of them because they got such a wonderful chance to be at that position where they had to plan and execute for better management of the team. The managing authority of Gulbarga university gave a detailed schedule for the upcoming days of the event. After this, we had the opening ceremony. In the opening ceremony, each state represented one cultural dance performance to add more flavour and excitement amidst the student volunteers of all the states. This act gave a great start to such a memorable event. After Dinner, while returning to Guest House in Cultural attires.

February 07 – (Day 2)

We all woke up around 5 am and got ready for the day. Then after this our National Flag was hoisted between 6 to 6.30 am. Then we went for the yoga session to enhance the stability of mind which helps us to organise and work at such a grand event.

Morning yoga sessions to help in boosting concentration and confidence. Then we had our breakfast at about 7.30 to 8.30 am. After that all the team went for a cleanliness drive to keep the environment clean, (around 8.30 am to 12.00 pm). Then we all went to freshen up and after that we had our lunch from 1.00 pm to 3.00 pm. Then the time came for the academic session in which Dr. Suresh Jange gave a wonderful speech about several fields such as (Career Planning), (Competitive Exams) and (Personal Development in the Digital World). After this, we had a short break of half an hour. There was a basic time table which was prepared by the authority of the GULBARGA UNIVERSITY to manage all the events in a proper way. Team Krishna and Team Kaveri, both the team were assigned in different places to do a cleanliness drive (Shrama Dhama) to keep the environment clean

which ultimately keeps us healthy by the guidance of both the team leader Abhijit Mohanty and Jyotiranjana Rath. They had to clean 2 different buildings of the university. After doing such a great activity, the POs of all the teams had a short meeting separately regarding the plan for the next day. As Team 4 was given the management responsibility for the next day, so the team members were divided among themselves to work upon different things in a proper and smoother way. Then the state of Telangana performed a cultural program to entertain other teams and to help release any kind of stress from all the members involved in that event. After all the events we had our dinner and went to bed.

February 08 –(Day 3)

We all woke up around 5 am and got ready for the day. After that, the National Flag was hoisted between 6 to 6.30 am. We went for the yoga session which helps us to enhance the stability of our mind which lets us to organise and work at such a grand event. We had our breakfast after that, from about 7.30 to 8.30 am. After that the team went for a cleanliness drive to keep the environment clean, (around 8.30 am to 12.00 pm). After that we all went to freshen up and after that we had our lunch from 1.00 pm to 3.00 pm. Then the time came for the academic session, after which we had a short break of thirty minutes. As the team KRISHNA had the managing responsibility, so the team leader Jyotiranjana Rath had to focus and concentrate on the preplanned ideas and to execute them with the help of other teammates. The team leader Jyotiranjana Rath also got a great chance to welcome and felicitate the speaker of the day who was Prof. Vijaykumar Salgapur. He gave a beautiful speech about the topic Role Of Youths In Education. The team members gave their best efforts to serve the guest in a perfect manner. However, the guest appreciated the team's efforts and wished them a bright future. In the end, we had a group photoshoot on the stage. Ultimately the state MADHYA PRADESH performed a great cultural program among all the team and the authority of GULBARGA UNIVERSITY.

February 09 – (Day 4)

We all woke up around 5 am and got ready for the day. Then after this our National Flag was hoisted between 6 to 6.30 am. We went for the yoga session to enhance the stability of mind which helps us to organise and work at such a grand event. Then we had our breakfast at about 7.30 to 8.30 am. After that all the team went for a cleanliness drive to keep the environment clean, (around 8.30 am to 12.00 pm). Then we all went to freshen up and after that we had our lunch from 1.00 pm to 3.00 pm. Then the time came for the academic session which was held around 3.00 to 5.00 pm. In that session, Dr. A.G. Khan, Retd. Professor of sociology, gave a wonderful speech about TODAY'S YOUTH: As a Multiple Task Master. Then we had a short break of half an hour i.e. from 5.00 to 5.30 pm. Then after that team TAMILNADU and team KARNATAKA performed a beautiful cultural program to entertain all the involved members of the camp, around 5.30 to 7.30 pm. We had our dinner around 7.30 to 8.30 pm. After that we practised a little bit for the upcoming dance program which was going to be held on 11.02.2024. Finishing everything for the day, we went to our bed to take a healthy sleep.

February 10 – (Day 5)

We all woke up around 5 am and got ready for the day. Then after this our National Flag was hoisted between 6 to 6.30 am. Afterwards, we went for the yoga session to enhance the stability of mind which helps us to organise and work at such a grand event. We had our breakfast from about 7.30 to 8.30 am. After that the whole team went for a cleanliness drive to help keep the environment clean, (around 8.30 am to

12.00 pm). Then we all went to freshen up and after that we had our lunch from 1.00 pm to 3.00 pm. Then the time came for the academic session which was held around

3.00 to 5.00 pm. In that session Prof. Dayanand Hodal gave a wonderful speech about the Youth Empowerment Through National Service Scheme (NSS).

NSS Volunteers

Like every day, we had a short break of half an hour i.e from 5.00 to 5.30 pm. After that an elegant cultural program was performed by the team MAHARASHTRA and KARNATAKA. Then we had our dinner, around 7.30 to 8.30 pm and went to our bed.

Again, we practised a little more for our cultural program which was going to be held on the next day.

February 11 – (Day 6)

As usual, everyone woke up around 5 am and got ready for the day. TEAM 5 KAVERI got the responsibility of managing the event for the Day 6, As we have mentioned before Abhijit Mohanty, the leader of the Team KAVERI had beautifully prepared a plan and communicated the ideas to his teammates. As he had a great experience of managing & executing events at University level before, He utilized his experience and assigned different tasks to different NSS Volunteers of his team. National Flag was hoisted in between 6 to 6.30 am. Then we went for the yoga session to enhance the stability of mind which helps us to organise and work at such a grand event. Then we had our breakfast at about 7.30 to 8.30 am.

We all went to the Budha Vihar by the bus of GULBARGA UNIVERSITY around 10.00 am. Then we all went to freshen up and after that we had our lunch from 1.00 pm to 3.00 pm. Then the time came for the academic session which was held around 3.00 to 5.00 pm. In that session Dr. Vasudev Sedam H. gave a memorable speech about the Higher Education In India: Problems, Challenges And Opportunities With a Special Reference To The Role Of UGC. For relaxation, we had a short break of half an hour.

Then the time of fun came, as we performed our cultural dance program with the team of KARNATAKA. That was the most memorable part of the event for which we all felt proud to represent our state ODISHA Infront of all the states involved in that camp.

Like every other day, we had our dinner and went to bed at about 9.00 pm.

February 12 – Day 7

The only thing different about today, was that it was the last day of the camp. Spirited, Abhijit Mohanty and Jyotiranjana Rath decided to try some south indian food. They visited Udipi's Upahar to try some famous south indian dishes comprising dosa, vada, idli, some juice and some popular sweets.

Later, they returned to the university campus, since they had a Valedictory Function (Closing Ceremony), where the certificate distribution was going on. The POs present there appreciated team Odisha's effort in putting in their utmost efforts. To top it all off, each state performed a cultural performance to represent their states.

Soon it was lunch time, hence everyone went for some food. However, after the lunch time, everyone decided to visit some famous local places. One of the places as such would be Shree Sharana Basaveshwara Temple which offered us peace of body and soul and gave us the energy to continue. We then visited the Dargah Hazrat Khwaja Bandanawaz Gesudaraz RH. And as a cherry on top, we visited the Local Market.

We had a train to catch at 11 pm, so we had our dinner by 8.30 PM. The Gulbarga University, Karnataka transportation services provided us with a bus to drop us off at the railway station .



Participation in National Integration Camp- Kasorgarh, Kerala

(16-22 March 2024)

A NIC was organized at Central University of Kerala (CUK) , Kasaragod, Kerala from 16 to 22 March. Our NSS volunteers - Suman Kumar Tipiria and Mandal Soren from KIIT University along with other NSS volunteers had participated in the NIC held there. The journey of Mandal Soren and Suman Kumar Tipiria along with Odisha Contingent begins with great enthusiasm to learn about other cultures and spread the proud culture of Odisha at a NIC. All the NSS volunteers work together, cooperating with each other to represent Odisha.



Day 1

After reaching Kanhangad station, we all got inside the Central University bus at 2pm and reached the university at 2:40 pm . Then from 3- 4 pm, we all got ready for the inaugural session. At 4:30 pm, we all reached the CUK circle which is near the Milma point. After that, every contingent leader along with every state representative marched to LOVE CUK. At 6 pm, cultural programs began where NSS volunteers representing a total of 10 states including Odisha, West Bengal, Tamil Nadu, Karnataka, Andhra Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh, Haryana, Kerala and 1 union territory Pondicherry participated with great enthusiasm.



Day 2

On the second day, we all reported at the I LOVE CUK at 6 am followed by the NSS anthem. A yoga session began from 6:30 to 7:30 am so as to make the NSS volunteers understand the necessity of having a healthy body and mind. After getting a relaxation time from , we all had our breakfast at 8 :30 a.m. We had a great academic session by Dr. S. Anbazhagi from 10 am to 1:30 pm. We were so fortunate to have a session with him. We had our lunch at 1:30pm . It was then, followed by songs, preparation for the cultural events. It was mandatory for every state to participate in the cultural programs. Then, the cultural session started at 6 pm where every NSS volunteer representing various states participated , showing their immense talent. We all had our dinner at 8 pm .

Day 3

On the third day, we all reported at the I LOVE CUK at 6 am followed by the NSS anthem. A yoga session began from 6:30 to 7:30 am so as to make the NSS volunteers understand the necessity of having a healthy body and mind. After getting a relaxation time from , we all had our breakfast at 8 :30 a.m. We had a great academic session by Thomas Abraham from 10 am to 1:30 pm. It was a great time learning from him . We had our lunch at 1:30pm . It was then, followed by songs, preparation for the cultural events. It was mandatory for every state to participate in the cultural programs. Then, the cultural session started at 6 pm where every NSS volunteer representing various states participated , showing their immense talent. We all had our dinner at 8 pm .



Day 4

On the fourth day, we all reported at the I LOVE CUK at 6 am followed by the NSS anthem. Then we all returned to our respective hostels to get ready for a trip. We all had our breakfast at 7:30 am. At 9 am we all got inside the bus and in around 1.5 hours, at 10:30 am , we reached at a waste management factory for a seminar. It was a great experience there. Then we had our lunch. We then visited Bekal Fort and sea beach situated near the fort . We spent quality time there. The at 8 pm , we returned to the university and had our dinner.



Day 5

On the fifth day, we all reported at the I LOVE CUK at 6 am followed by the NSS anthem. A yoga session began from 6:30 to 7:30 am so as to make the NSS volunteers understand the necessity of having a healthy body and mind. After getting a relaxation time from , we all had our breakfast at 8 :30 am. We had a poster making competition at 10 am. After having a tea break from 11 to 11:30 am , we had another logo making competition. We had our lunch at 1:30 pm. It was then followed by an essay writing competition on the topic, " Vision towards 2047 India ". Then we all started preparations for the cultural events. Then, the cultural session started at 6 pm where every NSS volunteer representing various states participated , showing their immense talent. We all had our dinner at 8 pm .

Day 6



On the sixth day, we all reported at the I LOVE CUK at 6 am followed by the NSS anthem. A yoga session began from 6:30 to 7:30 am so as to make the NSS volunteers understand the necessity of having a healthy body and mind. After getting a relaxation time from , we all had our breakfast at 8 :30 am. We had a debate competition at 10 am on the topic " Are men more superior than women ? " . After having a tea break from 11 to 11:30 am , we had a quiz competition. After having lunch at 2:30pm, we had a great opportunity of learning about different life saving hacks. There we learned the techniques to recover a person from heart attack.

Then we all started preparations for the cultural events. Then, the cultural session started at 6 pm where every NSS volunteer representing various states participated , showing their immense talent. We all had our dinner at 8 pm .

Day 7



It was the last day of the camp. On that day, we all reported at the I LOVE CUK at 6 am followed by the NSS anthem. A yoga session began from 6:30 to 7:30 am so as to

make the NSS volunteers understand the necessity of having a healthy body and mind. After getting a relaxation time from , we all had our breakfast at 8 :30 am. Then the valedictory ceremony or the closing ceremony began at 10 am. The program started with Kerala cultural songs . It was then followed by NSS song with Malayalam and Hindi version. After that, Kerala RD S.N Santosh gave an address , followed by the distribution of certificates to respective contingent leaders and representatives of every state. The closing ceremony ended at 1 pm . We all had our lunch at 1:30 and headed back to our hostels.

After that the NSS volunteers returned back to their respective states and universities.



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The NSS Unit of Kalinga Institute of Dental Sciences, KIIT Deemed to be University & Department of Public Health Dentistry of Kalinga Institute of Dental Sciences, Bhubaneswar has collaborated with the HMV Driver Training Institute, Chhatia. Following the philosophy of the “Art of Giving” initiated by our Founder, Prof. Dr. Achyuta Samanta, under his leadership a free dental screening and treatment camp was organized on **15.2.2024**, as per the regular dental checkup camps to be conducted at the driver training institute.

Basic dental treatments like scaling and restorations were carried out among 186 screened patients in the mobile dental van and some of them were referred to the tertiary institute for further complex treatment procedures. 2 patients were diagnosed with Oral Submucous Fibrosis (OSMF) and 1 patient was diagnosed with Erythroplakia because of paan, gutkha and khaini chewing habit. They were referred to KIDS for tobacco cessation counselling and other necessary treatment.

The treatment done included - Oral prophylaxis-76, Tooth Restorations-30



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Basic dental treatments like scaling and restorations were carried out among 98 screened patients in the mobile dental van and some of them were referred to the tertiary institute for further complex treatment procedures.

Patients diagnosed with Oral Submucous Fibrosis (OSMF) and Tobacco Pouch Keratosis were referred to KIDS for tobacco cessation counselling and other necessary treatment.

The treatment done included - Oral prophylaxis-45, Restorations-56



A REPORT ON DENTAL SCREENING AND TREATMENT CAMP AT 3rd BATTALION NDRF, MUNDALI, CUTTACK

The Disaster Management Act has statutory provisions for constitution of National Disaster Response Force (NDRF) for the purpose of specialized response to natural and man-made disasters.

Accordingly, in 2006 NDRF was constituted with 8 Battalions. At present, NDRF has a strength of 16 Battalions with each Battalion consisting of 1149 personnel. In the beginning, the personnel of NDRF were deployed for routine law and order duties also. In a meeting of the NDMA with the Prime Minister on October 25, 2007, the need of NDRF being made a dedicated force was highlighted and accepted. This led to the notification of NDRF Rules on February 14th, 2008, making NDRF a dedicated force for disaster response related duties, under the unified command of DG NDRF.

Since its inception NDRF has continued to win hearts of millions of countrymen, by demonstrating its expertise and compassion while handling disaster situations. The list of such challenges is long. The officers face stressful situations and work, day and night for the public. Due to their busy schedules, they could contribute less time to oral hygiene. So as Public Health Dentists we must target and assess the oral health status and advice necessary treatment needs to this community to create awareness regarding maintaining good oral hygiene and oral health care habits which can be beneficial for maintaining their overall health as oral health is the gateway to general health.

The NSS Unit & Department of Public Health Dentistry of Kalinga Institute of Dental Sciences, Bhubaneswar has collaborated with the 3rd battalion NDRF, Mundali, Cuttack. Following the philosophy of the “Art of Giving” initiated by our Founder, Prof. Dr. Achyuta Samanta, under his leadership, free dental screening and treatment camps are permitted to be organized monthly at the 3rd battalion NDRF, Mundali, Cuttack. All the patients attending the camp will be provided consultation, treatment procedures like teeth cleaning, tooth extractions and tooth fillings all free of cost. If the treatment cannot be performed at the camp site, those requiring advance treatment are referred to the college. These weekly dental checkup camps to be conducted shall be beneficial for the staff and families of the organization.

On 29th January 2024, a dental camp was organized at 3rd battalion NDRF.

A total of 190 staff and families of 3rd RD battalion NDRF were screened and rendered basic dental treatment like scaling and restorations and were referred for other complex treatments like root canal treatment and prosthetic rehabilitation to the tertiary institute.

The treatment done included -Oral prophylaxis-96, Restorations- 74.

An educative oral health talk was given by our doctor volunteers, Dr. Kunal Jha (Prof.), Dr. Gunjan Kumar (Prof.) to all the staff and families of the 3rd RD battalion NDRF regarding the need for maintaining good oral hygiene and stressing on tooth decay, gum diseases, tobacco cessation and measures of prevention. This will be followed up by routine dental visits conducted fortnightly hence forth.



A REPORT ON DENTAL SCREENING CAMP AT S.S HIGHER SECONDARY SCHOOL OF EDUCATION AND TECHNOLOGY, DHENKANAL

Following the philosophy of the “Art of Giving” initiated by our Founder, Prof. Dr. Achyuta Samanta, under his leadership, a Mega Health Check-up camp was organised by the NSS Unit of Kalinga Institute of Dental Sciences, Bhubaneswar at Swamy Sridhar Higher Secondary School of Education and Technology, Sadangi, Dhenkanal on **21.01.2024**. in association with the Kalinga Institute of Medical sciences.

the free dental screening and treatment camp was conducted by Kalinga Institute of Dental Sciences on **21.01.2024**.

235 patients received free dental consultations. They were referred to the tertiary institute for further complex treatment procedures.

The screened patients mostly were diagnosed with chronic generalised periodontitis, grossly decayed teeth, tooth wear (generalised attrition and abrasion) and stain and calculus deposits. Few of them were diagnosed with **Tobacco Pouch Keratosis**. Few paediatric patients were diagnosed with **early childhood caries**.

The patients with **Premalignant lesions** like **Oral Submucous Fibrosis** were referred to the tertiary institute for tobacco counselling.

The camp provided free delivery of medications, which benefited the patients. The patients were instructed on how to safeguard their gums and teeth against gum diseases, tooth decay, quitting of smoking, keeping good oral hygiene, and using correct dental hygiene practices.



A REPORT ON DENTAL SCREENING AND TREATMENT CAMP AT HMV DRIVER TRAINING INSTITUTE (GOVT OF ODISHA - ASHOK LEYLAND), CHHATIA

The NSS unit of Kalinga Institute of Dental Sciences, Bhubaneswar has collaborated with the HMV Driver Training Institute, Chhatia. Following the philosophy of the “Art of Giving” initiated by our Founder, Prof. Dr. Achyuta Samanta, under his leadership, a free dental screening and treatment camp was organized on **18.01.2024**, as per the regular dental checkup camps to be conducted at the driver training institute.

Basic dental treatments like scaling and restorations were carried out among 190 screened patients in the mobile dental van and some of them were referred to the tertiary institute for further complex treatment procedures.

12 patients were diagnosed with **oral submucous fibrosis** who was referred to the Institute for Tobacco Counselling and other necessary treatment.

Free medications were distributed to the patients.

The treatment done included: Oral prophylaxis-92, Restorations-63



A REPORT ON DENTAL SCREENING AND TREATMENT CAMP AT UNITED SCHOOL OF BUSINESS MANAGEMENT, BHUBANESWAR

Following the philosophy of the “Art of Giving” initiated by our Founder, Prof. Dr. Achyuta Samanta, under his leadership, a Mega Health Check-up camp was organised by Kalinga Institute of Medical Sciences, Bhubaneswar at United School of Business Management, Infocity Road, Bhubaneswar on **10.01.2024**.

the dental screening and treatment camp was conducted by the NSS unit of Kalinga Institute of Dental Sciences on **10.01.2024**.

262 patients received free dental consultations. Few patients received dental treatments like scaling and restorations in the mobile dental van and some of them were referred to the tertiary institute for further complex treatment procedures.

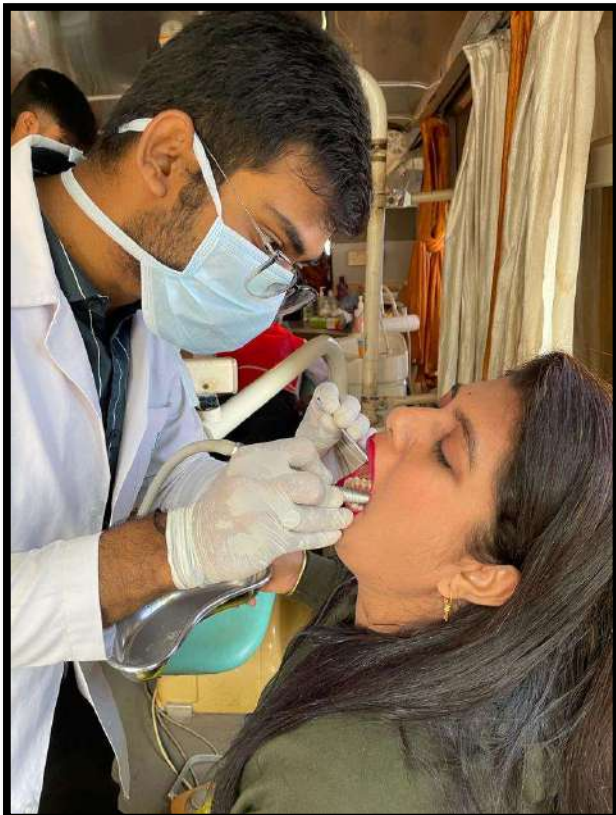
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The treatment done included - Oral prophylaxis-117, Restoration-73.

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DENTAL TREATMENT CAMP AT ODISHA ASSOCIATION FOR THE BLIND, MOTHER TERESA ROAD, SATYANAGAR, BHUBANESWAR

Under the leadership of our Founder, Prof. Dr. Achyuta Samanta, following his philosophy the “Art of Giving”, A free dental check-up and treatment camp was organized at Odisha Association for the Blind, Mother Teresa Road, Satyanagar, Bhubaneswar.

On **6.01.2024** the NSS unit of Kalinga Institute of Dental Sciences, Bhubaneswar conducted the free camp.

Effective dental care is essential for overall well-being. People's quality of life is impacted by poor oral health and untreated dental diseases, especially those who are visually impaired. Due to poor oral hygiene practices, patients with visual impairments are more vulnerable to periodontal and dental caries. Poor dental health is caused by their diet, eating habits, medications, physical inactivity restrictions, and inadequate cleaning practices.

Since the visually impaired individuals depend much on sound, speech and touch, to orient themselves to situations, an Oral health educative talk was delivered to them and tooth brushing technique was taught using the dental care model by audio-tactile method for proper oral hygiene maintenance. Using the **Braille System**, they were made to read the instructions on how to maintain good oral hygiene.

Free consultations and free dental check-up were carried out among 63 individuals including staff and students.

Treatment done- 43 oral prophylaxis

For all other complex treatment procedures and prosthetic rehabilitation, patients were referred to our institute.



KIDSSS EXPRESS 2024

A Social initiative of the NSS Unit of Kalinga Institute of Dental Sciences for the maintenance of oral health of “Special children” in Odisha State.

Enhancing Oral Health for Children with Special Health Care Needs

Children with special health care needs (CSHCN) face unique challenges related to their oral health. These challenges can arise from physical, developmental, or behavioural conditions that require specialized attention and care. As part of our commitment of NSS unit of KIDS to inclusive health care, various social services and initiatives have been developed to address the oral health needs of CSHCN.

Determinants Affecting Dental Services for CSHCN:

1. **Needs Assessment:** Understanding the specific oral health needs of CSHCN is crucial. Conducting thorough assessments helps tailor interventions and policy recommendations.
2. **Policy Advice:** Evidence-informed policymaking is essential. By assessing needs, policymakers can provide targeted advice to improve oral health services.
3. **Oral Health Interventions:** Implementing appropriate interventions, such as preventive measures, dental treatments, and education, directly impacts CSHCN’s oral health.
4. **Providers’ Perception:** Healthcare providers play a vital role. Their understanding of CSHCN’s unique requirements influences service delivery.
5. **Access Barriers:** Identifying and addressing barriers (financial, geographical, or attitudinal) ensures equitable access to oral health services.

Recommendations from our NSS unit of KIDS:

1. **Needs Assessment:** Regular assessments of CSHCN’s oral health status should be conducted. Involving parents/carers in this process provides valuable insights.
2. **Policy Interventions:** Policymakers should develop evidence-based interventions. These may include awareness campaigns, community health literacy programs, and support for seeking appropriate services.
3. **Reducing Disparities:** Efforts to minimize barriers to accessing oral and dental health services are crucial. Collaboration between healthcare providers, educators, and policymakers can help achieve this goal.

Conclusion: By prioritizing oral health for CSHCN, we are contributing to their overall well-being. **Let us continue working together to create a more inclusive and supportive environment for all children, regardless of their health challenges.**

In Mayurbhanj District. Day- 1: (7th February 2024)

Free Dental Screening and treatment of 270 Special children and physically challenged adults in 2 schools

1. Special school for blind and deaf, Laxmiposi, Mayurbhanj
2. Jeevan Jyoti home for Physically Challenged, Laxmiposi, Mayurbhanj



In Mayurbhanj District. Day- 2: (8th February 2024)

Free Dental Screening and treatment of 260 Orphan tribal children in Maharani Takat Kumari Middle elementary School, Takatpur, Mayurbhanj.



And the service to the humanity by NSS unit of Kalinga Institute of Dental Sciences is continued...



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INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION BY NSS ELECTRICAL KIIT

Before the commencement of Independence Day celebration, volunteers of NSS ELECTRICAL department started preparing the necessities for program along with decoration of the venue (Room A-11). The room was decorated with tri colour ribbons and balloons.

The events were pre-planned, first the event started with the initiation speech of, given to volunteers and guests, then a speech was given by volunteer of 3rd year on the auspicious day of independence giving a brief description of independence struggle and movement, after that a patriotic song was sung. The next event was of Quiz on the topic of Independence Day, the quiz masters first introduced the rules and then the quiz started, the questions being open to anyone other than quiz masters themselves. People who answered questions correctly were awarded. Finally, after the end of quiz the next event which was a fun event was executed. Dumb Charades was played, the groups being decided there on the spot. The event was successful with the enthusiasm and enjoyment shared by everyone. Students from all the years of Electrical branch were present there to be a part of the program thus being the evidence that the program was well executed and being successful. A group photo session was there to take pictures of the Day.



WELCOME PROGRAM FOR SECOND YEARS BY NSS ELECTRICAL

The program started by first preparation of the activities to be held. Tug of war and Futsal competition was organised between Third years and Second years. Tracks were made for the event. First the Tug of war was held, on one side it was Second years and on the other side it was Third years, both teams had ten players each. There were three rounds played, first one was won by Second years and then later two was won by Third years to seal the win. Next competition was Futsal, the game was of two rounds of five minutes each, the game was between Second years and Third years, both teams had five players. The game was won by Third years by a result of 1-0. After the completion of the game, refreshments was distributed among competitors.



REPORT ON CLEANLINESS AND PLANTATION DRIVE

The day begins by preparing for the cleanliness and plantation. The slum area where the event took place Gadakana, Gadeswar, Mancheswar was decided a week before and the saplings were arranged for planting. A total of 35 volunteers from second, third and fourth year were registered and at sharp 3 pm we set out for the destination from KIIT campus 3. Around 4pm we reached our destination. The group was distributed, different groups were given different tasks.

The event stretched for 2 hours and we were able to clean sewage, puddles and a community center. We also planted 15 trees and even communicated with locals. At last we spent some playing time with kids before we drove back to KIIT campus.



NSS ELECTRICAL: THE ART OF GIVING

Art of Giving is all about creating an unconditional and sustainable abundance of love, peace and happiness and contentment for others through gestures of kindness and generosity. It was founded by Shri Achyuta Samanta on 17 May 2013.

Through the kind gesture initiated by Founder of KIIT and KISS deemed to be University, a fraction of the NSS of KIIT, i.e, NSS School of Electrical, carried forward this message and organized a Clothing and Food donation camp in the village of Gadakana, under Mancheswar in Khorda district of Odisha.

The day started with us leaving the campus with the food packets and the donation received from various hostels.



We received a very positive and enthusiastic response from the villagers, who then talked to us and played games. Overall, it was a very kind and hearty response engaging all the volunteers and giving as an experience worth reminiscing.



COMPOSTING

The NSS school of electrical engineering, under the guidance of NSS PO, Prof. Snehalika, organised an engaging and hands-on workshop focused on composting, promoting sustainable practices among the participants. The event aimed to educate attendees about the importance of composting, its environmental benefits, and provide practical insights into implementing composting techniques in their daily lives as well as addressed important topics like climate change.

The lecture began with an overview of composting, emphasizing its role in reducing waste, enriching soil, and mitigating environmental impact. Our demonstrator Mr. Satyabrata Samal, founder and director of Sattvic SOUL, highlighted the significance of composting and its benefits towards the climate change. The session featured a practical demonstration that included creating a compost pile. The hands-on experience allowed participants to understand the layering process, the ideal balance of green and brown materials, and the importance of aeration. Following the practical segment, a Q&A session enabled participants to seek clarification and discuss specific challenges they might face in their composting endeavors. This interactive exchange enhanced the overall learning experience and encouraged a sense of community among attendees.

many attendees expressed a new found confidence in starting their composting projects. The interactive approach was particularly praised for making the concept more accessible and practical.

In conclusion, the interactive composting lecture session proved to be a successful initiative in promoting sustainable practices within our institution. By combining theoretical knowledge with hands-on experience, participants left the session equipped with the motivation to contribute to a greener and more environmentally conscious future. A few glimpses from that day can be seen below.



SPECIAL CAMP 2024

BY THE NSS-KSEE

Date: 12/03/2024 to 18/03/2024

On Day 1, enthusiastic volunteers joined a camp near Main gate of campus-3, heading to Andharua village. The villagers welcomed them warmly. On that plantation drive, our volunteers planted trees at the location, and we spread the importance of plantations to the villagers. The first was energetic and set the mood for the rest of the camp. On Day 2, we performed a Swachatha Packhwada inside the premises of the government school in that village. Our volunteers properly cleaned the entirety of the school, and the day ended with a fun engagement with the school kids, where we spread awareness about cleanliness among them. On Day 3, our volunteers head back to the village. This time a school-level sports competition was held where the schoolchildren and our own volunteers competed in a cricket and volleyball competition. The day was fun and boosted our morale to continue the rest of the camp. Also, this event helped in forming a much closer relationship with the villagers. On Day 4, we organized a camp on the behalf of awareness on voting, as the general elections were nearing. Our volunteers spread out in groups and went room to room, discussing with the locals their voting card status. We discussed with them the importance of voting and helped them register their names for the next election. On Day 5, our volunteers, following the words of our beloved founder, Dr. Achyuta Samanta, distributed clothes among the needy villagers, following the principle of the art of giving. On Day 6, we organized a training session on first aid. Shri Laxman Swain, sir, of the Youth Red Cross, was with us, guiding us about what to do. we gathered in the Panchayat Office along with the villagers, where Laxman Swain Sir taught us about first aid under different conditions, like accidents, fire burns, dog bites, bee stings, etc. This session helped in spreading awareness and was, in conclusion, a very informative session. The day ended after the first aid camp. Shri Laxman Swain Sir thanked the volunteers for organizing the camp. On Day 7, Closing Ceremony and Reflection, Closing ceremony with cultural performances and thanksgiving speeches. Reflection session for volunteers to share their experiences and learnings.



DAY-1



DAY-2



DAY-3



DAY-4



DAY-5



DAY-6



DAY-7



**National Service Scheme (NSS)
School of Mechanical Engineering
KIIT - Deemed to Be University
Bhubaneswar, Odisha**



Name of Institution: KIIT School of Mechanical Engineering

Name of PO: Prof. Deepak Singhal

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Special Camp		
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	5/10/2023	Self Defence Training

FLASHMOB CONDUCTED BY THE NSS - SME

25th April 2023,

A flashmob was conducted by the NSS - SME on the topic “depression”. The attempt of the NSS - SME students to spread awareness about ‘why it is wrong to take the decision of suicide’. The flash mob contained a series of program which had to start from 5:20pm but was delayed due to rain. It consisted of programs like dance , music and drama . The whole team did a hard work preparing for this program including the performers, technical team and the organizing committee .

The flash-mob kicked off with beautiful songs sung by group of students involving 2nd year and 3rd year students and then by 3rd year students. It was followed by Dance performance by 2 second year students. The whole program was anchored by anchors Sashana Baral ,Sankalp Shrivastava , Sahil Singh , Maitree Bhuyan. This was then followed by the drama consisting of play where a fourth-year boy suicides as he was not placed. The play then screened the turmoil caused between his friend circle and family conditioning that seemed to worsen only. Drama was over by the last scene which showed a boy who had also decided to suicide but stopped as he realized the importance of life and friends and how he was going to take very wrong decision.

Cheered by the mob, program was going to proceed to next event that was a dance but unfortunately due to rain, it had to stop and the set-up had to packed up .

However the program was enjoyed and cheered by the crowd around. All the programs went good and very smooth. NSS - SME was able to deliver the message to public in a successful manner.



Observation Of Hiroshima Day

AT THE EDGE:1945

Tribute To The Lost Soul

On 5th August 2023, NSS SME organized a event “At the Edge: 1945” on the occasion of Hiroshima Day in order to pay tribute to those who lost their lives in the nuclear attack on 6th and 9th august 1945 at Seminar Hall, School of Mechanical Engineering. The program started by 5:00 PM. The event kick started with an welcome address by **Chiranjivi Joshi, Student Coordinator, NSS-School of Mechanical Engineering**. This was followed by a quiz where audiences interacted on the topic and a mime. A mime consisted of play by student volunteers depicting the daily routine of Japanese people and American air force and how the blast ended every thing. The event was hosted by Angelina Q. The event then continued by a situation narration on the after effects of Japanese city reconstruction and museum and survivors of attack. The event proved its effect in raising condolence among audience. Event was again then followed by a quiz for audience interaction and was wrapped up with a vote of thanks by **Sahil Singh and Sashna Singh Baral, Assistant Student Coordinators, NSS- School of Mechanical Engineering**.



NSS- School of Mechanical Engineering

Organised

Oath Taking Ceremony

On 9th August, 2023, an oath-taking ceremony was organized by the NSS - School of Mechanical Engineering at the Seminar hall of the School of Mechanical Engineering to mark the occasion of "Meri Mati Mera Desh Campaign" which was administered by **Prof. Deepak Singhal, PO, School of Mechanical Engineering**. The oath taking ceremony aimed to encourage and motivate students to take up social service activities and create awareness about the importance of giving back to society. The students took the oath, included promises to work towards the betterment of society, to help those in need, to promote peace and harmony, and to uphold the values of the organization. Also encouraged the students to come forward and volunteer for upcoming events.



NSS- School of Mechanical Engineering

Organised

Slum Visit on 13th August 2023

On August 13, 2023, the volunteers from NSS SME, KIIT University, embarked on a meaningful journey to Nandan Vihar for a slum visit that left a lasting impact. The volunteers orchestrated an array of activities that aimed to spread awareness related to Dengue, Conjunctivitis diseases and also aimed to spread joy and create lasting memories for the children in the slum. After the pamphlets distributions regarding conjunctivitis and dengue, the event was not only marked by vibrant Drawing Competition that ignited the children's creativity but also by spirited dance sessions that brought together the volunteers and children in shared merriment. As a token of love from the volunteers, every child was presented with chocolates, further adding to the warmth of the occasion. About the activity, it was about creating disease free societies and building bridges, creating memories, and leaving behind smiles that would continue to brighten days long after the event concluded.



Blood Donation Camp

Organised By: NSS SME

10th February, 2024,

NSS unit of KIIT School of Mechanical Engineering organized a successful blood donation camp at the KIMS Blood Bank Centre on 10th February, 2024 which was supervised by **Dr. Deepak Singhal, PO, NSS SME** and **Ms. Jayashree Pradhan, PO, NSS KINS**. Around 30 people were present for the donation, including NSS volunteers, other students and staffs who enthusiastically donated their valuable blood for the noble cause.

The donation process was performed by trained medical personnel from KIMS, who provided a safe and secure environment. Participants were given a comfortable rest area and refreshments in exchange for their selfless contributions. After the certain rest, each donor was presented with a certificate of appreciation for their invaluable contribution to the cause of blood donation.

The success of the blood donation camp reflects NSS's and the broader community's commitment to meeting the critical need for blood supply during medical emergencies.

We extend our gratitude to Dr. Achyuta Samanta, Founder, KIIT & KISS, Dr. Saranjit Singh, Vice Chancellor; Prof. (Dr.) C.B.K. Mohanty, Pro-Vice Chancellor; Dr. Kajal Parashar, Program Coordinator, KIIT NSS Bureau for their continuous support and encouragement.



NSS- School of Mechanical Engineering

Organised

Slum Visit on 13th March 2024

On 15th March, 2024, the volunteers from NSS SME, KIIT Deemed to be University, embarked on a meaningful journey to Nandan Vihar for a slum visit that left a lasting impact. The volunteers orchestrated an array of activities that aimed to spread joy and create lasting memories for the children and people in the slum. The event was not only marked by vibrant Drawing Competition that ignited the children's creativity but also encouraged the children for study by distributing pencils, sharpener, erasers, sketch pens. The winners of drawing competition were provided with appreciation tokens like diaries. As a token of love from the volunteers, every child was presented with chocolates, further adding to the warmth of the occasion. About the activity, it was about creating a happier society and building bridges, creating memories, and leaving behind smiles that would continue to brighten days long after the event concluded.

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NSS- School of Mechanical Engineering

Organised

Voter Awareness Camp on 14th March 2024

On March 14, 2024, the volunteers from NSS SME, KIIT Deemed to be University, embarked on a meaningful journey to Nandan Vihar for a Voter Awareness Camp at Nandankanan slum that left a lasting impact. The volunteers orchestrated an array of activities that aimed to spread awareness related to the importance of voting, importance of individuals votes. For the Voter Awareness our volunteers firstly distributed the pamphlets regarding ease for voting. With the pamphlets distributions our volunteers also interacted individually with each individual to encourage them for voting. Importantly our volunteers targeted **First time voter and encouraged them**. Then after as a token of love from the volunteers, every child was presented with chocolates, further adding to the warmth of the occasion. About the activity, it was about creating aware society about the importance of individuals votes.

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NSS Unit of School of Mechanical Engineering

Organizes a Special Camp

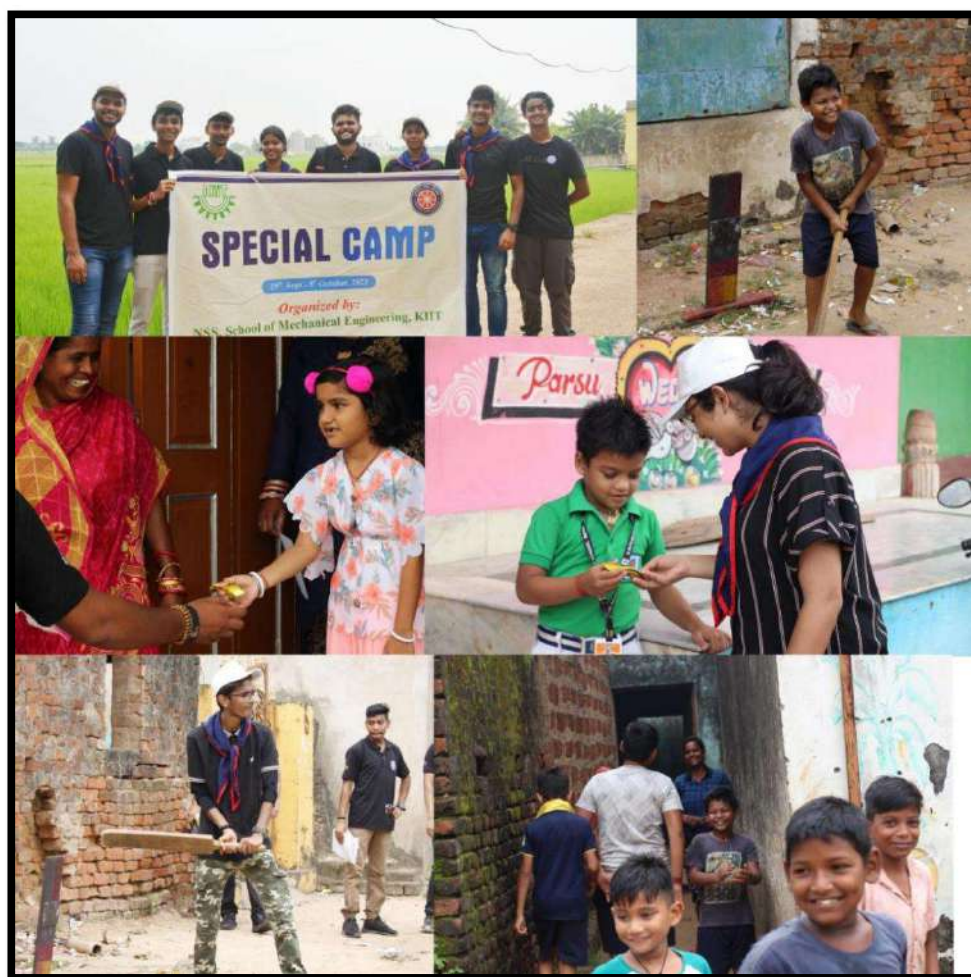
at Kesura (Basuaghai Gram Panchayat)

Day - 01

On 29th September 2023,

NSS SME organized a “**Special camp**” at Kesura village. It was a seven-day long camp from 29th September to 05 October 23. On very first day National Service Scheme (NSS) unit of School of Mechanical Engineering (SME) focused on interacting with the villagers and children over there.

On the first day of camp, all volunteers of NSS - SME reached the destination by bus and after a short trek, all volunteers got divided in two groups and also divided their task. The session included door to door interaction with localites. Volunteers interacted with them, and got a closer picture of their lifestyle and the get awared about their problems and tried to figure out the activities we should focus on. We played games like gully cricket with kids and distributed chocolates to them it was too much fun interacting and playing with little enthusiasts.



Day - 02

“Let’s Make Disease free Society”

On 30th September 2023, NSS - SME volunteers focused on raising awareness related to Dengue and Conjunctivitis in Kesura. The event aimed to aware people of Kesura about these diseases, their prevention, and promote community health and hygiene. Volunteers informed them about the causes of these diseases, methods and ways of prevention, and at last the household treatment for the same. A demo was also shown as how stagnant water become breeding grounds for mosquitoes, and can cause them harmful diseases. Also the volunteers distributed pamphlets containing symptoms of Conjunctivitis, Dengue, methods of prevention and cure & treatment. At the end of the day, volunteers of NSS unit of School of Mechanical Engineering sanitized all the possible places which can become breeding grounds for mosquitoes.



Day – 03

“Awareness on Menstrual Hygiene”

On 1st October 2023, NSS SME organized an event “**Awareness drive on Menstrual Hygiene**” as one of the activities of Special Camp to aid the NSS Mission of Reusable pads and menstrual hygiene. The program started by 9.30 AM. The volunteers went to the village getting divided in different groups including one girl and a odia volunteer in each group to make villagers feel comfortable to interact with the volunteers. The volunteers mainly focused on promoting awareness on menstrual hygiene and dispel myths and taboos related to menstruation and also encouraging girls and women's of villages to use reusable menstrual pads. As a part of activity volunteers of NSS SME had door to door awareness activity and pamphlet distribution.



Day - 04

“Swachhata Hi Seva”

On 2nd October 2023, NSS SME organised an event “**Cleanliness Drive**” at Kesura as a part of Special Camp on the occasion of Gandhi Jayanti to commemorate the **Swachhata Hi Seva** Mission started by honorable PM of India, Narendra Modi. The program started by 9.30 AM with the agenda to motivate the common people for adopting a proper sanitation model for better health and life. The volunteers of NSS SME entered the village and cleaned temple surrounding, streets and nearby ponds wearing gloves and masks. The volunteers showed full enthusiasm in cleaning and disposing of dry waste i.e. Non Bio Degradable wastes like plastic materials. Volunteers also urged the locals to take part with them to keep their surrounding clean, also created awareness among the public about the necessity of hygiene and cleanliness .



Day - 05

“Save water Save Earth”

On 3rd October 2023, NSS SME focused creating awareness on safe drinking water. A clean water drive was organized to impart the importance of water and the need of its conservation, methods to store clean water, ways to conserve water like water harvesting, purification methods like boiling, filtering etc, and sanitation methods were elaborated to them. With the agenda “water conservation is not just a responsibility; it's a necessity for our survival and the well-being of our planet” NSS SME volunteers organised the safe water awareness to keep villagers away from diseases that are caused by drinking contaminated water.



“Awareness on Nature Conservation”

On 4th October 2023, NSS SME organized an event “**Awareness drive on Nature Conservation**” as one of the activities of Special Camp to aid the mission of Nature conservation. The program started by 9.30 AM. The volunteers went to the village getting divided in different groups including odia language volunteer in each group to make villagers feel comfortable to interact with the volunteers. The volunteers mainly focused on promoting awareness on environment conservation. The main agenda of the drive was to provide environmental cleanliness and hygiene in the village and also to keep rural surroundings clean. Also the volunteers tried to encourage the people of locality to keep the surrounding clean to promote nature Conservation.



Day - 07

Self Defence Training

“Let’s make Society Strong & Independent”

On 5th October 2023, NSS SME organised a campaign of “Self Defence Training” at Kesura on the 7th day of their NSS Special Camp with an agenda to provide knowledge about the different tips of self-protection and demonstration of different self-defence techniques to the children of village. Volunteers of NSS SME went to the village and enlightened the locals about the importance of self defence and how it enhances self-confidence and self-reliance. During the demonstration session, volunteers of NSS SME demonstrated different types of self defence tactics and various moves and actions where NSS SME volunteers gave priority to women’s self defence. All the participants from village gathered a lot of practical knowledge about one’s own defence in times of crisis.





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Mera Maati Mera Desh Campaign

Date: 9/8/23 to 20/8/23

In the wake of Independence Day, we find ourselves reflecting not only on the triumphs of our nation but also on our collective responsibility towards the land we call home. The Mera Maati Mera Desh campaign, organized by NSS-KSBT for KIIT NSS Bureau in anticipation of this significant day, stands as a testament to our commitment to honoring our soil.

As we look back on the events leading up to Independence Day, we recall the unity and dedication displayed by all those who participated in the Mera Maati Mera Desh campaign. Through tree plantations, clean-up drives, and educational initiatives, we came together to nurture our environment and cultivate a deeper sense of connection with our motherland.

The campaign, though organized prior to Independence Day, continues to resonate in our hearts as we celebrate our nation's freedom. It serves as a reminder that the essence of independence lies not only in political sovereignty but also in our relationship with the land that sustains us.

In the aftermath of the campaign, we find ourselves inspired to continue our efforts towards environmental conservation and sustainability. The seeds of change that were planted during Mera Maati Mera Desh have taken root, fostering a renewed sense of stewardship for our planet.

As we bask in the glory of Independence Day, let us carry forward the spirit of Mera Maati Mera Desh, ensuring that our actions reflect not only our love for our nation but also our reverence for the Earth. Together, let's nurture Mera Maati, for in doing so, we honor Mera Desh.

National Nutrition Day

Date: 2/9/23

The National Nutrition Day celebration at Haldane Auditorium on September 2, 2023 organized by the National Service Scheme (NSS) unit of KIIT School of Biotechnology (KSBT), was a resounding success. The event aimed to raise awareness about the importance of nutrition for overall health and well-being, with a focus on promoting healthy eating habits and lifestyles.

- Expert speakers delivered informative sessions on various aspects of nutrition, including the importance of balanced diets, micronutrients, and dietary guidelines.
- An exhibition showcasing nutritious foods, dietary supplements, and innovative cooking techniques attracted attendees.
- Interactive games and quizzes on nutrition and health drew active participation from attendees, fostering a spirit of learning and collaboration.



Plantation Drive At Sikharchandi

Date: 17/9/23

On September 17, 2023, the National Service Scheme (NSS) unit of KIIT School of Biotechnology (KSBT) organized a tree plantation drive at Sikharchandi, as part of its commitment to environmental conservation and sustainable development. The event aimed to enhance green cover, mitigate environmental degradation, and promote community participation in ecosystem restoration efforts.

- Prior reconnaissance and consultation with local authorities were conducted to identify suitable plantation sites in the Sikharchandi area.
- Clearing of land and preparation of planting pits were carried out in advance to ensure efficient planting during the event.
- On the day of the event, volunteers gathered at the designated site equipped with saplings, shovels, and gardening tools.
- Participants actively engaged in planting a variety of native tree species, including fruit-bearing and shade-providing trees.
- Interactive discussions and storytelling sessions engaged participants, including students, local residents, and volunteers, in meaningful conversations about environmental stewardship.
- Participants were encouraged to take ownership of the newly planted trees and commit to their care and maintenance.
- Guidelines for post-plantation care, including watering, mulching, and protection from pests and diseases, were disseminated to participants.
- Follow-up activities were planned to monitor the growth and survival of planted saplings and address any maintenance needs.



Date: 19/9/23

Cleanliness Drive At Dhauli

On September 19, 2023, the National Service Scheme (NSS) unit of KIIT School of Biotechnology (KSBT) organized a cleanliness drive at Dhauli, as part of its commitment to environmental conservation and community service. Dhauli, a historical site and a symbol of peace and tranquility, was chosen for this initiative to preserve its cultural significance and enhance its aesthetic appeal through cleanliness.

- Site assessment and identification of areas requiring cleaning and beautification were conducted in collaboration with local authorities.
- Logistics, including the procurement of cleaning tools, waste bins, and protective gear, were arranged in advance.
- On the designated day, volunteers assembled at Dhauli equipped with brooms, garbage bags, gloves, and other cleaning materials.
- Participants were divided into teams and assigned specific areas for cleaning, including pathways, parking lots, and surrounding green spaces.
- Emphasis was placed on thorough cleaning, removal of litter and debris, and proper disposal of collected waste.
- Concurrent awareness sessions were conducted to educate participants and visitors about the importance of maintaining cleanliness and preserving heritage sites.
- Information was shared on the adverse effects of littering and pollution on the environment, public health, and cultural heritage.
- Volunteers interacted with local residents and businesses to garner support for ongoing cleanliness efforts and encourage sustainable practices.
- Identification of areas for improvement and future planning for sustained cleanliness efforts were undertaken.
- Assessment of the cleanliness drive's impact was conducted through surveys and feedback from participants and visitors.



Blood Donation Camp

Date: 23/9/23

On September 23, 2023, the National Service Scheme (NSS) unit of KIIT School of Biotechnology (KSBT) organized a blood donation camp on the school premises. The event aimed to address the ongoing need for blood donations, raise awareness about the importance of voluntary blood donation, and encourage students and faculty to contribute to this lifesaving cause.

- Coordination with local blood banks and healthcare providers to ensure adequate resources and support for the camp.
- Promotion of the event through posters, flyers, and social media platforms to encourage participation.
- On the day of the camp, volunteers assisted participants in registering for blood donation and conducted preliminary health screenings to assess eligibility.
- Information sessions were conducted to educate donors about the importance of meeting eligibility criteria and maintaining good health before donating blood.
- Trained medical professionals supervised the blood donation process, ensuring adherence to safety protocols and standards.
- Donors were provided with refreshments and observed for a brief period post-donation to monitor for any adverse reactions.
- Concurrent awareness sessions were organized to disseminate information about blood donation, including its impact on patient care and the importance of regular donations.
- Testimonials from recipients of blood transfusions and their families were shared to highlight the life-saving significance of blood donations.
- Donors were appreciated and acknowledged for their altruism and contribution to the community's health and well-being.
- Follow-up communications were planned to maintain engagement with donors and encourage continued participation in future blood donation drives.



Cleaning Drive Swachhata Pakhwarateer Award

Date: 2/10/23

On October 2, 2023, the National Service Scheme (NSS) unit of KIIT School of Biotechnology (KSBT) organized the Swachhata Pakhwarateer Award Ceremony to honor and recognize outstanding contributions to cleanliness and hygiene promotion. The event celebrated the success of the Cleaning Drive initiative and acknowledged the dedication and efforts of volunteers in making a positive impact on campus cleanliness.

- The event commenced with a formal award presentation ceremony, where volunteers were recognized for their outstanding contributions to the Cleaning Drive initiative.
- Awards and certificates were presented to individuals and teams who demonstrated exemplary performance in cleanliness activities.
- Individual volunteers and teams were acknowledged for their efforts in various aspects of the Cleaning Drive, including waste management, litter collection, and beautification projects.
- Special recognition was given to volunteers who showed innovation, leadership, and dedication in promoting cleanliness on campus.
- Volunteers shared their experiences and success stories from the Cleaning Drive initiative, highlighting the impact of their efforts on campus cleanliness and hygiene.
- Personal anecdotes and reflections underscored the importance of collective action and community engagement in achieving cleanliness goals.
- The speaker shared insights and practical tips for maintaining cleanliness and fostering a culture of environmental responsibility.



NSS KSBT Recruitment PI Round

Date- 7/10/23

On October 7, 2023, the National Service Scheme (NSS) unit of KIIT School of Biotechnology (KSBT) conducted the Personal Interview (PI) round as part of the recruitment process for new members. The event aimed to select dedicated and passionate individuals who are committed to serving the community and actively participating in NSS initiatives.

- Interested students were invited to submit applications expressing their interest in joining NSS-KSBT.

- Applications were reviewed based on criteria such as academic performance, extracurricular activities, and demonstrated commitment to community service.

- Shortlisted candidates were notified and invited to participate in the Personal Interview (PI) round.

- The shortlisting process ensured that candidates met the eligibility criteria and demonstrated a genuine interest in volunteering and community engagement.

- The PI round was conducted by a panel consisting of NSS coordinators, faculty members, and senior NSS volunteers.

- Candidates were assessed based on their communication skills, leadership potential, commitment to service, and alignment with NSS-KSBT's values and objectives.

- Each candidate had the opportunity to discuss their motivations for joining NSS-KSBT, previous volunteer experiences, and their vision for contributing to community service initiatives.

- After thorough evaluation and deliberation, candidates were assessed based on their performance during the PI round.

- Selection criteria included demonstrated passion for community service, willingness to collaborate with others, and the potential to make a positive impact through NSS activities.

- Final selections were made based on the panel's consensus and alignment with the organization's recruitment goals.



SS Unity Day

Date: 31/10/23

On October 31, 2023, the National Service Scheme (NSS) unit of KIIT School of Biotechnology (KSBT) organized a special event at Campus-6 Auditorium to celebrate NSS Unity Day.

NSS Unity Day serves as a pivotal event fostering inclusivity and cohesion within our community. This commemoration transcends individual differences, providing a platform for collective celebration and reflection. Through a myriad of activities including cultural performances and insightful discussions, Unity Day underscores the importance of embracing diversity while recognizing our shared humanity.

The essence of Unity Day lies in its capacity to highlight the intrinsic value of each individual, irrespective of background or belief. It reinforces the notion that unity is not the absence of differences but rather the recognition and acceptance of them. Central to this ethos is the promotion of mutual respect and collaboration, essential components in building a more inclusive society where every member feels valued and empowered.

Beyond its temporal significance, Unity Day serves as a catalyst for sustained dialogue and action. It fosters an environment conducive to ongoing discourse surrounding issues of social justice and equity, thereby contributing to the continual evolution of our collective consciousness.

In conclusion, NSS Unity Day symbolizes our commitment to fostering a culture of understanding, acceptance, and mutual respect. It embodies our collective aspiration for a world where diversity is celebrated as a source of strength, and where every individual has the opportunity to thrive and contribute meaningfully.



NSS Seniors Farewell

Date- 19/11/23

On November 19, 2023, the National Service Scheme (NSS) unit of KIIT School of Biotechnology (KSBT) organized a heartfelt farewell event to bid adieu to the graduating seniors who had been instrumental in leading and guiding NSS activities during their tenure. The event aimed to celebrate their contributions, express gratitude for their dedication, and wish them well in their future endeavors.

- The event began with a warm welcome extended to the graduating seniors, faculty members, and current NSS volunteers.
- The NSS coordinators expressed their appreciation for the seniors' leadership and commitment to NSS-KSBT's initiatives.
- A tribute video showcasing memorable moments and highlights from the seniors' journey with NSS-KSBT was presented.
- Current NSS volunteers shared heartfelt messages and anecdotes, expressing gratitude for the seniors' guidance and support.
- Graduating seniors were invited to share their reflections and experiences of their time with NSS-KSBT.
- They expressed gratitude for the opportunity to serve the community and shared words of wisdom and encouragement with their juniors.
- Each graduating senior was presented with a certificate of membership as a memento of their time with NSS-KSBT, symbolizing the organization's gratitude for their contributions and served as a reminder of the bonds formed within the NSS family.
- Cultural performances, including songs, dances, and skits, were presented by NSS volunteers as a tribute to the graduating seniors.
- The performances showcased the talent and creativity of NSS-KSBT members and added joy and vibrancy to the farewell event.

National Girl Child Day

Date- 24/1/24

On January 24, 2024, the National Service Scheme (NSS) unit of KIIT School of Biotechnology (KSBT) organized a special event to celebrate National Girl Child Day. The event aimed to raise awareness about the rights and empowerment of girls and highlight the importance of gender equality and female education in promoting social development.

Event Highlights:

Inauguration and Welcome Address:

The event commenced with an inaugural ceremony, with NSS coordinators welcoming attendees and highlighting the significance of National Girl Child Day.

The importance of promoting gender equality and empowering girls through education and opportunities was emphasized.

Guest Speaker Sessions:

Renowned speakers, including experts in gender studies, education, and women's rights, delivered informative sessions on topics related to the empowerment of girls.

Discussions focused on challenges faced by girls in accessing education, healthcare, and opportunities, as well as strategies for promoting gender equality and female empowerment.

Panel Discussions:

Panel discussions were organized to facilitate dialogue among attendees, including students, faculty members on issues related to girl child rights and empowerment.

Topics such as eliminating gender stereotypes, promoting girl child education, and preventing child marriage were discussed, with participants sharing insights and perspectives.

Voter Awareness Day

Date- 11/3/24

On March 11, 2024, the National Service Scheme (NSS) unit of KIIT School of Biotechnology (KSBT) organized a special event to commemorate Voter Awareness Day. The event aimed to promote voter education, raise awareness about the importance of voting, and encourage civic participation among students and the broader community.

Event Highlights: Inauguration and Welcome Address: The event commenced with an inauguration ceremony, during which NSS coordinators welcomed attendees and highlighted the significance of Voter Awareness Day. The importance of active citizenship and participation in the democratic process was emphasized.

Voter Education Workshops: Interactive workshops were conducted to educate attendees about the electoral process, voter registration procedures, and voting rights and responsibilities.

Information was provided on the importance of exercising the right to vote in shaping the future of the nation and ensuring representative governance.

Guest Speaker Sessions: Renowned speakers, including electoral officials, political analysts, and activists, delivered informative sessions on topics related to voter awareness and participation.

Discussions focused on electoral reforms, voter turnout strategies, and the role of youth in shaping political discourse and decision-making.



Art of Giving Awareness Day

Date- 12/3/24

On March 12, 2024, the National Service Scheme (NSS) unit of KIIT School of Biotechnology (KSBT) organized an event to commemorate the Art of Giving Awareness Day. The event aimed to promote the spirit of altruism, generosity, and compassion among students and the wider community, encouraging acts of kindness and social responsibility.

The event began with an inaugural ceremony, during which NSS coordinators welcomed attendees and introduced the significance of the Art of Giving Awareness Day. The Art of Giving Awareness Door to Door campaign and nukkad organized by NSS KSBT in Bangali Sahi, Cuttack aimed to raise awareness about the importance of giving and helping others. Led by Dr. Prabhat Kumar Rout, the volunteers passionately participated in the event, using creative visuals and impactful slogans to spread the message of giving. Through door-to-door interactions & the nukkad natak (street play) brilliantly organized by NSS Cultural Group, they educated the community about the significance of acts of kindness, fostering unity and inspiring generosity among the residents.

The importance of fostering a culture of giving back to society and supporting those in need was emphasized.

Cleanliness Drive

Date- 17-3-24

On the 17th of March 2024, the NSS-KSBT embarked on a transformative Cleanliness Drive within the premises of KIIT. This initiative aimed not only at tidying up the environment but also fostering a sense of responsibility towards cleanliness among the students.

The primary objective of the Cleanliness Drive was to instill a culture of cleanliness and hygiene among the students and staff of KIIT. Additionally, it sought to raise awareness about the importance of maintaining a clean environment for overall well-being.

The NSS-KSBT organized various activities during the Cleanliness Drive, including garbage collection, waste segregation, and campus beautification. Volunteers actively engaged with the KIIT community, encouraging participation and collaboration.

The Cleanliness Drive left a significant impact on the campus environment and the mindset of the individuals involved. The visible transformation of the surroundings underscored the collective effort towards a cleaner and greener campus.

In conclusion, the Cleanliness Drive conducted by NSS-KSBT on the 17th of March 2024 exemplified the power of collective action in promoting cleanliness and environmental stewardship. It served as a reminder of our shared responsibility towards maintaining a clean and healthy living space for all members of the KIIT community.

KSBT's Prize Distribution Ceremony & Cultural Events

Date: 30th March 2024

Today evening, the NSS KSBT organized a memorable prize distribution ceremony and cultural events in Bengali Sahi, marking a celebration of talent and community spirit, attracting participants and spectators alike.



The evening kicked off with an array of cultural performances, showcasing the rich diversity of Bengali Sahi. From brilliant dances to melodious musical renditions, the stage was ablaze with talent and enthusiasm, captivating the audience and fostering a sense of pride. Following the cultural performances, the much-anticipated prize distribution ceremony commenced, honoring the winners of the various competitions.

Participants were recognized for their exceptional skills and dedication, receiving accolades and rewards for their achievements. The ceremony served as a testament to the hard work and commitment of both the participants and the organizers, underscoring the importance of fostering talent and nurturing community bonds. Families, friends, and community members came together to support the participants and celebrate their accomplishments, creating a lively and inclusive atmosphere that resonated throughout Bengali Sahi.



In conclusion, the prize distribution ceremony and cultural events organized by NSS KSBT proved to be a resounding success, bringing together individuals from all walks of life to celebrate talent, culture, and community spirit. As the event came to a close, the sense of camaraderie and pride lingered, serving as a testament to the power of collective celebration.



NSS Special Camp

Date- 21st March - 30th March 2024

From March 21 to March 30, 2024, the National Service Scheme (NSS) unit of KIIT School of Biotechnology (KSBT) organized a Special Camp aimed at empowering communities through various service-oriented activities. The camp provided an opportunity for NSS volunteers to engage in meaningful service projects, promote social welfare, and foster community development.

Activities:

Needs Assessment:

Prior to the camp, NSS-KSBT conducted a needs assessment to identify priority areas and projects for community engagement.

Surveys, interviews, and consultations with community leaders and stakeholders helped determine the most pressing needs.

Project Planning and Preparation:

Based on the needs assessment, NSS-KSBT developed a comprehensive plan for the special camp, outlining specific projects and activities.

Volunteers were briefed and trained on project implementation, including logistical arrangements, safety protocols, and communication strategies.

Community Service Projects:

Volunteers engaged in a variety of service projects, including:

Educational initiatives such as tutoring sessions, literacy programs, and career counseling workshops for children and youth.

Health and hygiene campaigns, including medical camps, awareness sessions on sanitation, and distribution of hygiene kits.

Environmental conservation activities such as tree plantation drives, waste management initiatives, and awareness campaigns on sustainability.

Skill-building workshops, vocational training programs, and livelihood enhancement projects for women and marginalized groups.

Cultural Exchange and Interaction:

Volunteers interacted closely with members of the local community, fostering cultural exchange and mutual understanding.

Cultural programs, folk performances, and storytelling sessions helped build rapport and strengthen bonds between volunteers and community members.

Reflection and Evaluation:

Regular reflection sessions were conducted to evaluate the impact of service projects and identify areas for improvement.

Volunteers shared their experiences, challenges faced, and lessons learned during the camp.





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The Beginning

As we commemorate the milestones of our nation's journey towards progress and unity, the NSS Unit of KSOM proudly presents an array of activities that echo our commitment to service and societal responsibility. With each event meticulously designed to foster awareness, empowerment, and collective action, we stand poised to honor the essence of our nationhood on this auspicious occasion.

Independence Day: With hearts brimming with patriotism, we join hands to pay homage to the heroes who fought tirelessly for our freedom. Through spirited performances, tributes, and reflections, we reaffirm our dedication to upholding the values of independence and inclusivity.

Republic Day: Embracing the spirit of democracy, we celebrate the founding principles of justice, liberty, equality, and fraternity. Through educational initiatives and cultural showcases, we empower individuals to be active participants in shaping our nation's destiny.

Swachhta Hi Seva: Recognizing the importance of cleanliness in nation-building, we engage in community-driven initiatives to promote hygiene, sanitation, and environmental stewardship. By taking proactive steps towards cleanliness, we endeavor to create a healthier and more sustainable future for all.

Voter Awareness: With the power of democracy resting in every citizen's vote, we embark on a journey to educate and empower individuals about their electoral rights and responsibilities.

Through workshops, campaigns, and outreach programs, we strive to enhance voter participation and civic engagement.

Vijay Diwas: Remembering the valor and sacrifices of our armed forces, we commemorate the triumphs of our nation's defenders. Through solemn ceremonies and tributes, we express our gratitude for their unwavering commitment to safeguarding our sovereignty and security.

Village Camp: Extending a helping hand to our rural brethren, we embark on a transformative journey to rural communities. Through service projects, skill development initiatives, and community outreach, we endeavor to bridge the gap and foster sustainable development in our villages.

As we embark on this collective journey of service and solidarity, let us reaffirm our pledge to be agents of positive change, building a brighter and more inclusive future for generations to come. Together, let us ignite the flame of hope and progress, guided by the principles of service, empathy, and unity.

Activity 1

Independence Day

(15th August, 2023) ~Cultural Program

On the 76th anniversary of our country's independence, "Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav" on August 15, 2023, our KSOM volunteers arranged a grandiose festival titled "Karyam" in campus 7 Auditorium. The celebration began with our coordinator and joint coordinators lighting the lamp to commence the event. Following the great celebration, our esteemed faculty coordinator, Dr. Abhishek Kumar, addressed the gathering and delivered a fantastic and inspiring speech. In addition, our volunteers and students put on an exciting dance performance and sang patriotic songs. The magnificent event was finally concluded by the singing of our national anthem.



Activity 2

Swachta hi seva

(1st & 2nd October, 2023) ~Cleanliness Drive

On 1st October, the NSS Unit of KSOM of KIIT University worked

together to clean the Prashant Vihar road from in front of KIIT Campus 6 with all the NSS Wings and units of KIIT. On 2nd October, in honor of Mahatma Gandhi's birthday and keeping the Swachh Bharat in mind, we conducted a cleanliness drive from Campus 6 to KIIT Chowk. Founder of KIIT and KISS, Prof. (Dr.) Achyuta Samanta, also joined us in this event. It was a collective effort to promote the cleanliness and create the awareness among the people about the importance of maintaining a clean environment. These initiatives helped in keeping the campus and surrounding areas tidy and instilled a sense of responsibility in everyone who participated.



Activity 3

Vijay Diwas

(16th December, 2023) ~Cultural Program

On December 16, 2023, on the day of Vijay Divas the NSS Unit

of Ksom came together to commemorate and honor the martyrs who gave their life for the country in an open-air theatre at Campus 7. The magnificent celebration began with the welcome of the primary guest, Captain Suresh Chandra Rath, and Dr. Subhash Chandra Mishra, both of whom had distinguished careers in the Indian army. The occasion then followed with our students' magnificent cultural performance and a beautiful awareness nukkad natak by our nss volunteer. The celebration concluded with an encouraging speech from our beloved faculty coordinator, Dr. Abhishek Kumar, marking the end of a wonderful event.



Activity 4

Republic Day

(26th January, 2024) ~ March past and Cultural Program

The NSS Unit of KSOM celebrated Republic Day at the KIIT Cricket Stadium (Campus 13) with great fervour and enthusiasm. The event commenced with the flag hoisting ceremony by our founder, Dr. Achutya Samanta, followed by the National Anthem. The highlight of the celebration was the parade by the NSS volunteers of various schools of KIIT University. Students of KSOM presented mesmerizing dance performances, patriotic songs, and skits based on the theme "Innovation, Science and Technology". The event aimed to instil a sense of pride and patriotism among the attendees, emphasizing the importance of unity and diversity. The celebration concluded with a vote of thanks, acknowledging everyone's participation and dedication towards making the event a grand success



Activity 5

Voter Awareness

(5th March, 2024)~ Voter Awareness Rally (morning) Event (afternoon)

On March 5, 2024, the NSS Unit of KSOM collaborated with the NSS

Wing of the School of Mechanical Engineering to host a successful voter awareness event.

Additionally, the unit actively participated in a voter awareness rally organized by the KIIT NSS

Bureau. In Campus 7 Auditorium, the NSS Unit of KSOM, alongside the School of Mechanical

Engineering, hosted a voter awareness event. Chirenjivi of the NSS KIIT Bureau was honored. A

speaker emphasized civic duty, and a Q&A session discussed EVM concerns. Attendees received

gifts, fostering unity, with refreshments provided by KSOM's NSS Unit. These efforts aimed to raise

awareness about our country's constitutional rights and to inspire young people to vote for a

government committed to their better future. Every vote represents a voice, and collectively, they

pave the road for a more vibrant, educated democracy. By empowering youth with knowledge and

encouraging active participation, these initiatives contribute to shaping a society where every

citizen's voice matters and where informed decisions lead to positive change.



Activity 6

Village Special Camp (15th-24th March, 2024)

DAY 1: Inauguration Ceremony and Village Cleanliness Drive.

DAY 2: Legal Awareness Camp, Dental Camp Information, Village Survey. DAY 3: Free Dental and Oral Hygiene Awareness Camp.

DAY 4: Menstrual hygiene awareness and distribution of Sanitary Napkins. DAY 5: Screening of the movie "Daman" and Voter Awareness Campaign. DAY 6: Drawing Competition and Teaching Activities.

DAY 7: Nasha Mukti Rally, Valedictory Ceremony and Matka Donation.



The NSS special village camp at Naragora, organized by the students of the NSS,

KIIT School of Management (KSOM), was a week-long endeavor filled with impactful activities aimed at community development and empowerment. The camp began with a cleanliness drive and the disinfection of public facilities, emphasizing the importance of hygiene. A legal awareness camp followed, providing villagers with information and aid on various legal matters. Volunteers also conducted a comprehensive survey to gather vital information for targeted interventions.

Furthermore, the camp included a free dental checkup camp, a menstrual hygiene awareness program, a movie screening to promote modern medical practices, and a voter awareness campaign. These activities aimed to address various social issues and empower the community. Additionally, a drawing competition was organized for children, promoting creativity and unity. The camp concluded with a Nasha Mukti Rally to raise awareness about substance abuse and a valedictory ceremony where volunteers reflected on their experiences.

The camp ended on a positive note with the donation of matkas symbolizing purity and community well-being, highlighting the NSS's commitment to service and altruism. Overall, the camp laid a foundation for positive change and community development in Naragora village.



NSS KSOM

Farewell (10th April, 2024)

The NSS KSOM recently hosted a heartfelt farewell event in the campus 7, auditorium on 10th of April to honor its graduating members. The event “Aloha 2.0” was a poignant celebration of their contributions and achievements throughout their tenure with the Unit. With speeches, awards, and nostalgic reminiscences, the evening was filled with a blend of emotions as members reflected on their growth, friendships, and shared experiences. As they bid farewell to one chapter of their lives, they were encouraged to carry the values of peace, service, and development into their future endeavors. The event served not only as a farewell but also as a reminder of the enduring bonds forged within the NSS community.



CONCLUSION

The NSS KSOM spearheaded an array of community-centric activities aimed at fostering civic engagement and social responsibility.

Participating actively in Independence Day and Republic Day celebrations, the organization demonstrated its commitment to national pride and unity. Engaging in the Swachhta Hi Seva campaign underscored its dedication to cleanliness and environmental stewardship.

Additionally, voter awareness drives were conducted to empower citizens and strengthen democratic values.

Commemorating Vijay Diwas, NSS KSOM honored the sacrifices of our armed forces, instilling a sense of respect and gratitude among its members. Furthermore, village camps were organized, facilitating direct engagement with rural communities to address their needs and promote sustainable development.

In conclusion, the diverse range of activities orchestrated by NSS KSOM reflects its holistic approach to community service and nation-building.

By instilling values of patriotism, civic duty, and social awareness, the organization has made significant strides in contributing positively to society and fostering a culture of active citizenship among its members.



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SPECIAL CAMP

ORGANISED by:-NSS SOEE PARIVARTAN

DATE:-20th April 2023

The Special Camp event's primary goal is to raise awareness in the adopted village area. Our units visited three villages for a week and organized various events to achieve this goal.

One key activity was fire safety awareness campaigns. Our volunteers conducted workshops and demonstrations to educate villagers about fire safety measures, including proper use of fire extinguishers, smoke detectors, and creating evacuation plans. These campaigns aimed to equip villagers with knowledge and skills to prevent and handle fire incidents effectively.

Other activities included health and hygiene workshops, where villagers were educated about cleanliness, personal hygiene, and disease prevention. Environmental conservation sessions were also organized to promote sustainable practices and encourage villagers to actively participate in conservation efforts. Educational sessions for children were conducted, including interactive learning activities and storytelling sessions.

Overall, the Special Camp event aimed to raise awareness and improve the well-being of the adopted villages through various educational and practical initiatives.



RECRUITMENT

ORGANISED by:- NSS SoEE PARIVARTAN

DATE:- 21st September 2023

NSS: A Voyage of Service and Development

Participating in the National Service Scheme (NSS) proved to be a life-altering journey that ingrained within me the principles of societal obligation and active involvement. Engaging in a multitude of projects and endeavours, We acquired firsthand knowledge in the domains of environmental preservation, health awareness campaigns, and rural advancement initiatives. These encounters not only broadened our understanding of social predicaments but also refined our abilities in collaboration, effective communication, and leadership. We firmly believe that the proficiency and experiences garnered through NSS will render an invaluable asset to you, and it will make further contributions to initiatives aimed at social Progress.



Mega Plogging Drive

ORGANISED BY:- NSS SoEE PARIVARTAN

DATE:- 21st November 2023

Our NSS unit organized a large-scale plogging drive on 21st November as part of our efforts to promote cleanliness and environmental responsibility. Plogging, a combination of jogging and picking up litter, proved to be an engaging and active approach to combat plastic pollution and waste accumulation within our community. Equipped with reusable gloves and bags, our enthusiastic NSS volunteers covered Bali-yatra ground, Cuttak, successfully collecting a significant amount of plastic waste, bottles, and other discarded materials.

This initiative not only contributed to a cleaner environment but also fostered a strong sense of community spirit and environmental awareness among the participants. The plogging drive concluded with a brief discussion on the significance of waste management and responsible disposal practices, further reinforcing our dedication to a sustainable future.



World Women's DAY CELEBRATION

ORGANISED BY:- NSS SoEE PARIVARTAN

DATE:- 9th March 2024(1 HOUR)

On March 9, 2024, the enthusiastic volunteers of the NSS society from KIIT University's School of Electronics Engineering organized a vibrant and entertaining flashmob and nukkad event at Nexus Esplanade Mall. The event, curated by Program Officer Sruti S. Singh, unfolded from 6 to 7 pm, capturing the attention of a captivated audience.

The program featured a diverse range of performances, ensuring a delightful evening for everyone present. From soulful singing to the engaging and thought-provoking nukkad act, the event showcased the immense talent and creativity of the participants. The stage came alive with dynamic duo and trio dance performances, each one leaving a lasting impression. A solo dance performance added an extra layer of excitement and finesse to the program.

The atmosphere was charged with energy as the volunteers skilfully blended entertainment with social awareness. The audience's enthusiastic response attested to the success of the event, making it an unforgettable evening of joy, talent, and community engagement.



RANGMANCH CELEBRATION

ORGANISED BY:-NSS SOEE PARIVARTAN

DATE:-15th March 2024

On March 15th NSS ELECTRONICS hosted an open stage event called “RANGMANCH” in the Campus 12 Auditorium. This event, curated by our Program Officers, unfolded from 5 to 7 pm.

Rangmanch was an open stage event, welcoming participants from all schools. Attendees were treated to a variety of performances, including singing, dancing, poetry recitation and instrumental music. The event provided a platform for aspiring artists to gain exposure and experience performing in front of a live audience. The participants were also provided with a certificate of participation after the successful completion of the event.

The energy in the auditorium was contagious, with the audience cheering and clapping along to the performances, making it a truly memorable experience for all involved.

Rangmanch proved to be a resounding success, drawing praise from participants and spectators alike for its vibrant atmosphere and diverse talent showcase, leaving a lasting impression on everyone.



Utkal Diwas CELEBRATION

ORGANISED by:-NSS SOEE PARIVARTAN

DATE:-1st April 2024

On April 1st 2024, NSS School of Electronics Engineering hosted a vibrant cultural program in the form of FLASHMOB at the campus 6 exhibition ground to celebrate Utkal Diwas. The event commenced at 4:30 PM and showcased a delightful medley of performances.

The program commenced with melodious singing, setting the tone for the evening. This was followed by Beatboxing, a unique and contemporary art form, adding a modern twist to the celebration. The heart of the event unfolded with a series of captivating dance performances, keeping the audience engaged. Next, a brilliantly executed skit took the audience on a journey through time. The skit creatively depicted the rich culture, historical milestones, and remarkable growth of Odisha. The program concluded with a performance to a popular Odia song adding a perfect touch to Utkal Diwas.

NSS SOEE's Utkal Diwas flashmob proved to be a resounding success, drawing praise from everyone for its vibrant blend of artistic talent and historical homage.



ORPHANAGE VISIT

ORGANISED by:- NSS SoEE PARIVARTAN

DATE:- 1st April 2024

Our NSS unit arranged a trip to Asha Kiran Orphanage, a local orphanage committed to providing care for disadvantaged children, on April 1st. The staff and children greeted us warmly, radiating enthusiasm and displaying bright smiles that truly warmed our hearts. Throughout our visit, we actively engaged the children in various enjoyable activities and games, fostering a sense of happiness and unity. Additionally, we distributed essential supplies and educational materials, contributing to their overall well-being. This visit served as a humbling experience, reminding us of the significance of social responsibility and the influential impact of community service. It left a lasting impression on both the children and the NSS volunteers, highlighting the profound effect such acts of kindness can have.



POSTER EXHIBITION

ORGANISED by:- NSS SoEE PARIVARTAN

DATE:- 6th April 2024

On the 6th of April, NSS Parivartan organized an engaging poster exhibition centred around the theme of "Tourism Leveraging Cultural Heritage". The exhibition aimed to shed light on the potential of cultural heritage sites in attracting tourists and promoting sustainable tourism practices. The posters featured in the exhibition delved into various facets of this relationship, showcasing the beauty and historical significance of architectural wonders, as well as the richness of traditional arts, crafts, and festivals. Through these visual representations, the exhibition effectively communicated the role of cultural heritage as a driving force behind cultural exchange and economic development in the tourism sector. By raising awareness about the significance of preserving cultural heritage and celebrating India's diverse traditions, this exhibition not only educated the audience but also inspired a deeper appreciation for the country's cultural tapestry. The event served as a platform for fostering a sense of pride and curiosity in exploring the multifaceted heritage of India.





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1. NSS SCA organised Panch Pran Pledge on Meri Matti Mera Desh

9th Aug, 2023

NSS Unit of School of Computer Applications organized a Panch Pran pledge . The main motive of this event was to recall people their duties, safeguarding communal Harmony and keeping our nation clean and green.



2. NSS SCA organised Speech, Recitation, Poster and Slogan writing competition on Meri Matti Mera Desh

11th Aug, 2023

NSS Unit of School of Computer Applications organised various competitions for participants on the theme of Meri matti Mera Desh. The topic for the Event was "Unsung heroes of India".The primary goal of this event was to To illuminate the overlooked narratives of India's unsung heroes and fostering a deeper appreciation for their contributions.



3. NSS SCA organised a Cleanliness Drive and provided Sramdaan for Swachh Bharat

2nd Oct, 2023

NSS Unit of School of Computer Applications organised a Cleanliness Drive on Gandhi Jayanti itself. The goal of the cleanliness drive was to promote and maintain cleanliness in the environment. It involved organizing efforts to clean up litter and waste as well as raising awareness about the importance of cleanliness and proper waste management practices.



4. NSS SCA organized a debate competition on Voter Awareness

March 13, 2024,

The debate on “whether the voting age should be reduced to 16” highlighted complex issues surrounding youth engagement, political maturity, and electoral integrity. While both sides presented compelling arguments, it is clear that further deliberation and careful consideration are needed before any decision is made on this contentious issue. With the appealing arguments the event was a big success.



5. NSS SCA organized a Quiz and slogan writing competition on Voter Awareness

March 14, 2024

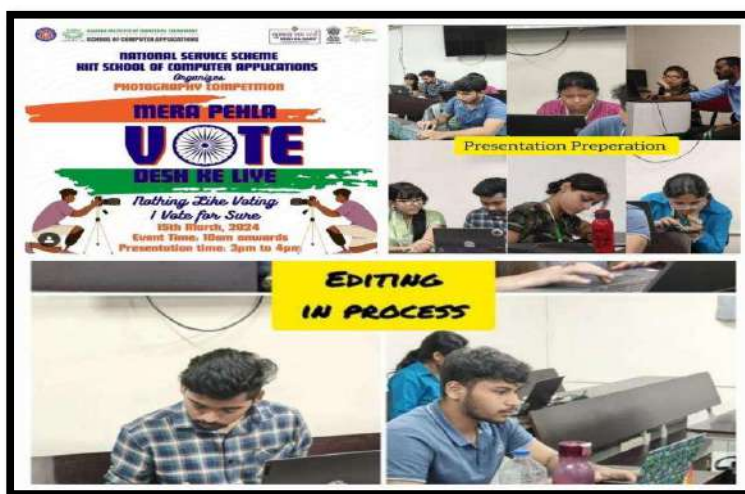
NSS Unit of School of Computer Applications organized a quiz and slogan writing competition centered around the theme "**Freedom Is Our Birthright, We Shall Have It**". It was an inspiring and thought-provoking event that emphasized individual participation and creativity. The quiz competition challenged participants to demonstrate their knowledge on historical and contemporary events related to the theme of freedom. In the slogan writing competition, participants were tasked with crafting succinct and impactful slogans that encapsulated the spirit of the theme.



6. NSS SCA organized a Reel Making and Photography competition on Voter Awareness

March 15, 2024

NSS Unit of School of Computer Applications organized a reel making and photography competition. It showcased the talent and creativity of participants. The reel making competition invited participants to create short videos that reflected the theme of youth empowerment, recognizing unseen heroes, and envisioning India's future in 2047 and the photography competition focused on capturing the essence of Our Real Heroes, vibrant colors of India, and the spirit of nation builders through compelling visual narratives.



7. NSS SCA organized a Nukkad Natak on Voter Awareness

March 15, 2024

NSS Unit of School of Computer Applications organized a Nukkad Natak. The primary goal of the event was to raise awareness about the importance of voting and to encourage citizens to exercise their democratic right responsibly in the upcoming elections. The Nukkad Natak titled "**Mera Pehla Vote Desh ke liye**" which depicted various scenarios showcasing the significance of voting in a democracy. Through compelling dialogues and relatable characters, the actors highlighted the key messages like Civic Responsibility, Impact of voting and Youth Participation.





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KINS NSS Unit Facilitated CPR-BLS Training

NSS wings of Kalinga Institute of Nursing Sciences (KINS), a constituent of KIIT-DU, organised a training program on cardiopulmonary resuscitation (and basic life support system on September 7, at Skill Lab, KINS and the programme was conducted by Daini Sunita (KINS-NSS-Project Officer) and Anita Panigrahi (KINS-NSS-PO) and 10 number of KINS NSS volunteers trained 22 NSS volunteers of School of LAW.

The aim of the training programme was to understand the CPR technique, and also make the volunteers practice in community areas. After the return demonstration the programme ended.



DENGUE AWARENESS

NSS Wings of Kalinga Institute of Nursing Sciences (KINS) organized an awareness program on the occasion of NSS Week on 20th September 2023. The program was conducted by NSS volunteers of KINS under the mentorship and guidance of Prof. (Dr.) Kajal Parasher (Programme Coordinator, KIIT NSS Bureau), Ms. Daini Sunita and Ms. Anita Panigrahi, KINS NSS Programme Officers at Harekrushna Basti and Panda Basti.

The volunteers took out a rally from Harekrushna Basti to Panda Basti followed by a Nukkad Natak on “Awareness on Dengue”. They created awareness among people about Dengue & its causes, signs and symptoms, treatment and prevention. It was a pleasant experience for NSS volunteers to interact with people in the community. The program was conducted with the cooperation of senior faculty members Ms. Jinia Kundu, NSS Program officer Law.



“WORLD DIABETES DAY 2023” AWARENESS PROGRAM ORGANIZED BY KINS NSS UNIT (KIIT DU)

NSS wing of Kalinga Institute of Nursing sciences, KIIT DU organized an Awareness Programme on “**World Diabetes Day 2023**” in the medicine demo room of KIMS PBMH on Date-14/11/2023 from 3PM to 4PM.

The awareness program was conducted by NSS volunteers of B.Sc nursing 3rd and 5th semester of KINS under the mentorship of NSS Program officers Ms. Diani Sunita (Assistant Professor, KINS) and Ms. Anita Panigrahi (Tutor, KINS). The volunteers provided health education on **definition, causes, risk factor, Diagnosis management, prevention, complication of diabetics**. It was a great opportunity and pleasing experience for NSS volunteers to interact & educate people at hospital. The Program was ended at 4 PM.





REPORT ON BLOOD DONATION CAMP ORGANIZED BY SCHOOL OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERING ASSOCIATION WITH KALINGA INSTITUTE OF NURSING SCIENCES (KINS) THROUGH NSS, BUREAU KIIT DU.

BLOOD is the fluid that circulates in the heart, arteries, capillaries, and veins of a vertebrate animal carrying nourishment and oxygen to and bringing away waste products from all parts of the body. **BLOOD DONATION** is a vital part of worldwide healthcare. It relates to blood transfusion as a life-sustaining and life-saving procedure as well as a form of therapeutic phlebotomy as a primary medical intervention. Over one hundred million units of blood are donated each year throughout the world. **BLOOD DONATION CAMPS** are those camps where blood is obtained from suitable healthy donors for people of various blood groups who are in need of blood. Many organisations conduct blood donation camps on a regular basis. Many people/patients have conditions like thalassemia, cancer or other life-threatening diseases. **THE PURPOSE OF BLOOD DONATION CAMP** is to select a suitable donor whose blood is safe to the recipients and who himself shall not in any way be harmed by blood donation. Outdoor voluntary blood donation camps in India are organized in three phases. They are pre-camp phase, camp phase, post-camp phase.

BLOOD DONATION CAMP "Be Someone's Lifeline Donate Blood " is conducted 10/02/2024, Saturday KIMS Blood Bank 10AM Onwards Organized By: NSS Unit School of Mechanical Engineering association with School of Nursing Sciences KIIT Deemed to be University, Bhubaneswar, Odisha. With the permission of Niyati Dash Mam (Principal of KINS) under the guidance of Tutor Ms. Jayashree Pradhan & Mrs. Durgesh Nandini Lenka, (NSS Program officer of KINS) with the help of NSS Co-coordinator (Ms. Bhishusmita Singh Samanta, Mr. Edwin Vipul Ming, Mr. Saswat Roll No-2186019,28& and volunteers donors also .



SUNSTROKE AWARENESS programme by KINS NSS unit

The National Service Scheme (NSS) wing of Kalinga Institute of Nursing Sciences (KINS), a constituent of KIIT-DU, organised an awareness programme on sunstroke at Harekrushna Basti, Neeladri Vihar on May 9, from 10 am to 11 am.

The awareness programme was conducted by NSS volunteers of KINS under the mentorship of NSS Program Officers Diani Sunita and Anita Panigrahi (both tutor, KINS). The volunteers provided health education on sunstroke and its prevention, demonstration of ORS preparation and homemade rehydration solution. It was a great opportunity and pleasing experience for NSS volunteers to interact and educate people on sunstroke/heatstroke at community areas. The programme was attended by the locals in large numbers.





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About KSMC NSS Unit

School of Mass Communication, KIIT Deemed to be University (KSMC) has an active National Service Scheme (NSS) unit, where all the students from the last year of Master of Communication and Journalism (MCJ) programme to 1st year of Bachelor of Communication and Journalism (BCJ) programme can be NSS volunteers. To manage the school level unit and its activities, an executive team is formed every year. For the year 2023-24, Debjani Acharya (MCJ, 2nd year) was the student coordinator, whereas Siddhi Didwania (MCJ, 1st year), Faheem Ahmed (BCJ, 3rd year), Vaishnavi Sakshi and Simranjeet Kaur (BCJ, 2nd year), Joyeeta Bej, Anjali Rathore and Anuska Mandal (BCJ, 1st year) were the student co-ordinators for respective batches. Dr Bidu Bhusan Dash, Associate Professor and Acting Dean of the school is the NSS Programme Officer of KSMC NSS Unit.



Pratham as Quiz Master in Meri Mati Mera Desh Campaign

On the occasion of on the occasion of Meri Mati Mera Desh Campaign on 12 August 2023, the KIIT NSS Bureau orchestrated a grand symphony of events that showcased the brilliance and potential of young students. Pratham Pulak Tripathy, a Master of Communication and Journalism (Convergent Journalism) student of School of Mass Communication, KIIT



Deemed to be University (KSMC) played the role of the quizmaster in the quiz competition. His acumen and flawless execution drew praise from participants, audiences, and authorities. KSMC stands tall as Pratham's success on the university stage makes us all immensely proud!

Pranil and Dishari as Best Volunteers



Two exceptional students from KSMC, Pranil Samanta and Dishari Banerjee, students of Master of Communication and Journalism (Communications Management) programme have been honoured as the best volunteers at the Unit level during the mega event organised by KIIT NSS Bureau on 24 September 2023, commemorating National NSS Day. Their outstanding dedication and contribution to the community have



been recognised and celebrated by our Founder, Dr Achyuta Samanta, at the grand auditorium of Campus-6. This achievement is a testament to their passion for service and the positive impact they have made on those around them.

Public Campaign on Civic Issues


Student volunteers of Bachelor of Communication and Journalism (BCJ) programme visited Chudanga, the NSS village of KSMC in the Khordha district for a public communication campaign on 13 October 2023. Students were divided into four groups, each focusing on a different theme such as Hygiene for Life, Anti-Drug Addiction, Menstrual Awareness, and Awareness on school dropouts. Students conducted surveys and raised awareness about these social issues using both interpersonal and group communication methods. The primary goal of this campaign is to enable students to conceptualize, strategize, create, and lead effective public campaigns. Dr Anurag Sahu facilitated the process. He guided the students in designing and spearheading the campaign.



Prof Vinod Pavarala, Professor and UNESCO Chair on Community Media, Department of Communication, University of Hyderabad joined in a conversation with Dr Bidu Bhusan Dash, Acting Dean, KSMC on Communication for Social Change in Campus 18 Auditorium at 4 pm on 19 March 2024. All the student volunteers of BCJ and MCJ programmes joined the programme. PhD scholars and faculty members also joined the programme. Prof Pavarala said that communication must be clear and convincing when the youths want to work as change agents. The programme was a great success.



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