

#### PUNE VIDYARTHI GRIHA'S

# COLLEGE OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY

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# Promoting Inclusive Environment: Institutional Efforts and Initiatives

Pune Vidyarthi Griha's College of Science and Technology strives to create an inclusive environment by promoting tolerance and harmony among students and employees, irrespective of their cultural, regional, linguistic, and communal backgrounds. It also emphasizes sensitivity towards socioeconomic diversity. The institution actively works towards sensitizing students and employees about their constitutional obligations, including the values, rights, duties, and responsibilities of being a citizen. By fostering awareness and understanding of these principles, the institution aims to cultivate a respectful and responsible community that upholds the ideals of the constitution. These efforts contribute to the overall growth and development of individuals within the institution's ecosystem.

Following activities have been conducted to promote inclusive environment in the institution:

- Blood Donation and Health Checkup Camp
- Flood Relief Donation
- Street play to Fight Depression
- Constitution Day
- Tribute to 26/11 Heroes
- AIDS Awareness Rally
- Voting Awareness Rally
- COVID Vaccination Drive
- Voter ID Registration
- Poster Making Competition (Green India Clean India)
- Face Mask Making
- Independence day
- Tribute to Sindhutai Sapkal (Social Worker- Mother of Orphans)
- E-waste Collection Drive





# **Duties and Responsibilities of Citizens**

### <u>2019-20</u>

#### **BLOOD DONATION CAMP**

Name of Activity : Blood Donation

Date of Activity : 21<sup>st</sup> August 2019

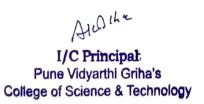
Place of Activity : College Campus

# **Description**

On August 21, 2019, the college's NSS Unit organized a blood donation camp in partnership with the Kohinoor blood bank in Mumbai. Numerous students, including NSS volunteers and college staff, enthusiastically took part in this event. The camp commenced at 10:00 a.m.

#### **Blood Donation and Health Checkup Camp**







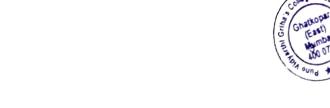
# **Health Checkup Camp**

Name of Activity : Health checkup camp
Date of Activity : 21<sup>st</sup> August 2019
Place of Activity : College Campus

# **Description**

The NSS Unit of Pune Vidyarthi Griha's College of Science & Technology, in partnership with Kohinoor Hospital in Vidyavihar, arranged a comprehensive health camp within the college premises on August 21, 2019. This camp catered to both staff and students, offering a range of medical checkups such as dental examinations, ECGs. blood pressure monitoring, and various other assessments.





# **Constitution Day**

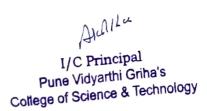
Name of Activity Constitution Day
Date of Activity 26th November 2019
Place of Activity In our college

# **Description**

On November 26, 2019, the NSS unit of our college arranged a commemoration event for Constitution Day. During this occasion, Dr. Ajay Kumar Pathak delivered an address to the students, enlightening them about the historical significance and importance of the Indian Constitution. The program was well-attended, with 48 students participating in the event.









# Tribute to 26/11 Heroes

Name of Activity : Tribute to 26/11 Heroes

Date of Activity : 26<sup>th</sup> November 2019

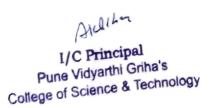
Place of Activity : In our college

### **Description**

The NSS unit of the college organized a tribute event on November 26, 2019, to honor the heroes of 26/11. Dr. Ajay Kumar Pathak addressed the students during the event, sharing insights and knowledge about the bravery displayed during the tragic events. The aim was to inspire and educate the students about the significance of the day and the heroic acts of the individuals involved, fostering gratitude, respect, and patriotism among the attendees.









# **AIDS Awareness Rally**

Name of Activity : AIDS Awareness Rally

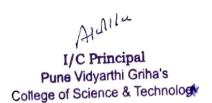
Date of Activity : 1st December 2019

Place of Activity : Ghatkopar west and East

# **Description**

The NSS unit conducted AIDS awareness programs in various locations, including the campus, adopted area, and slum areas, throughout the academic year. NSS volunteers actively participated in an AIDS awareness rally, which started from Pune Vidyarthi Griha's College of Science and Technology, reached Ghatkopar Station, and returned. The objective of this event was to raise awareness about HIV/AIDS, its causes, and preventive measures. Additionally, the rally aimed to debunk myths surrounding the spread of this disease prevalent in society. Volunteers carried posters and enthusiastically chanted slogans in Hindi and Marathi, the local languages.







# Poster Making Competition on SAVE GIRL CHILD

Name of Activity : Poster Making Competition on SAVE GIRL CHILD

Date of Activity : 24th January 2020

Place of Activity : In college

# **Description**

The NSS Unit of Pune Vidyarthi Griha's College of Science and Technology celebrated National Girl Child Day today. As part of the celebration, they organized a poster making competition aimed at raising awareness about saving the girl child. A total of 35 students actively participated in this engaging activity.

# Poster Making Competition on SAVE GIRL CHILD











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# **Voting Awareness Rally**

Name of Activity Voting Awareness Rally

Date of Activity : 25th January 2020

Place of Activity : College premises to Ghatkopar Station

# **Description**

On National Voters Day, the NSS Unit of Pune Vidyarthi Griha's College of Science & Technology organized a rally to promote Voting awareness. The aim was to educate the college students and the local community about the significance of Voting. A total of 47 NSS students actively participated in this Voting awareness rally.

# **Voting Awareness Rally**













# Street Play on Voter Awareness (In Pestam Sagar)

Sr. No.	Date of Activity	Place of Activity
1	18th January 2020	Pestam Sagar
2	21st January 2020	In College

# **Description**

NSS Unit of Pune Vidyarthi Griha's College of Science & Technology organized two impactful street plays on Voter awareness. The first play took place on January 18, 2020, in the college campus, while the second play was held on January 21, 2020. Both plays were specifically designed to educate and create awareness among college students and the local community about the significance of Voter in shaping the future of the nation. Through engaging performances, the plays effectively conveyed the importance of active participation in the democratic process and motivated individuals to exercise their right to vote. These initiatives were well-received and successfully instilled a sense of civic responsibility among the participants.

STREET PLAY ON VOTING AWARNESS (IN PESTAM SAGAR AND COLLEGE)





#### 2021-22

#### **VACCINATION DRIVE**

Name of the activity: Vaccination Drive

Date of activity: 30th October 2021 to 5th November, 2021

Place of activity: College Campus

No of Volunteers: 20

# **Description**

NSS Unit of Pune Vidyarthi Griha's College of Science & Technology students participated in the COVID vaccination drive in collaboration with MCGM as responsible citizens. The drive happened at Raja wadi hospital. Students contributed by actively spreading awareness about the importance of getting vaccinated, and encouraging their peers to get vaccinated. Additionally, they volunteered at vaccination center, helped with registration and scheduling appointments, and assisted in organizing vaccination campaign. By taking on these duties and responsibilities, college students made a significant impact in ensuring the success of the vaccination drive and promoting public health.











# Voter ID Registration

Name of the activity: Voter ID Registration

Date of activity: 29th Nov 2021

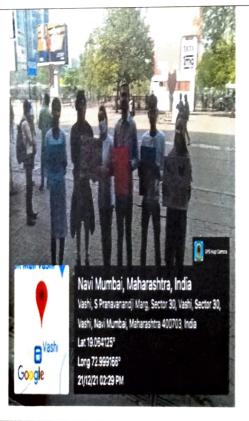
Place of activity: Pestom Sagar

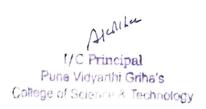
No of Volunteers: 15

# **Description**

The NSS Unit of our college organized a Voter Registration activity for residents in the Pestom Sagar area of Chembur West. Voter registration is a mandatory requirement for individuals to obtain a voter ID and be eligible to vote. This activity aimed to provide information and assistance to those who were unaware of the registration process and help them register themselves.









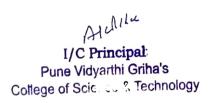
#### **POSTER MAKING**

Date of Activity	Place of Activity	No. Of Volunteers
25th November 2021	Class Room - 7	10
15th December 2021	Online (Google Meet)	10
	25th November 2021	25th November 2021 Class Room - 7

#### **Description**

The NSS Unit organized a successful Poster Making Competition with enthusiastic participation from students and NSS volunteers. The competition focused on themes like "Green India Clean India." "India of My Dreams," and "Defence Force." Winners were selected based on their creative ideas and presentation skills. In collaboration with NACO and MDACS, a social awareness campaign was launched to raise awareness about AIDS, HIV testing, and treatment. The poster making competition played a vital role in engaging students and volunteers, spreading awareness about AIDS and related issues. The collaboration between NSS, NACO, and MDACS greatly contributed to the activity's success, promoting HIV testing, treatment, and proactive measures for AIDS prevention. Together, they aim to foster a knowledgeable and socially responsible society through art and awareness campaigns.







# REPORT ON FACE MASK MAKING

Name of the activity: Face Mask

Date of activity: 16<sup>th</sup> December 2021

Place of activity: Online (Google Meet)

No of Volunteers: 6

#### **Description**

The National AIDS Control Organization (NACO) and the Mumbai Districts AIDS Control Society (MDACS) have launched a compelling social awareness campaign. As part of this initiative, they have collaborated with the NSS Unit to conduct a series of coordinated activities. The primary objective is to maximize awareness about AIDS, HIV testing, and treatment.

One of the key activities included a poster making competition with a focus on spreading awareness about AIDS, HIV testing, treatment, and related topics. In addition to the posters, theme-based face masks were also created by the dedicated volunteers. These face masks served as an innovative way to further promote the awareness campaign while ensuring safety during the ongoing pandemic.

Through their collaborative efforts, NACO, MDACS, and NSS volunteers aim to create a significant impact by raising awareness about AIDS, advocating for HIV testing, and emphasizing the importance of timely treatment. By utilizing various mediums, such as posters and theme-based face masks, they strive to engage the community and encourage active participation in the prevention and control of AIDS.









# Ek salam Un Faujio Ke Naam

Name of the activity: Ek Salam Un Faujio Ke Naam.

Date of activity: 15th August 2021

Place of activity: School auditorium

No of volunteers: 11

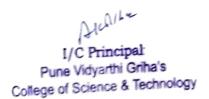
#### Description

On the auspicious occasion of 15th August 2021 as our Independence Day, the NSS Unit organized a heartfelt activity titled "Ek Salam Un Faupo Ke Naam" (A Salute to Our Soldiers). This significant initiative was conducted in collaboration with DLLE, with the participation of 6 NSS volunteers and 5 DLLE volunteers.

The primary objective of this activity was to pay a humble tribute to our brave soldiers through artistic performances. The participants showcased their talents through various forms of artistic expression, including poems, patriotic acts, musical dramas, and singing. These performances were a heartfelt way to honor and appreciate the sacrifices made by our soldiers in service to the nation.

Through this collaborative endeavor, the NSS Unit and DLLE aimed to convey a small token of gratitude and respect to the valiant soldiers who selflessly protect our country. This activity served as a touching gesture to recognize their dedication, valor, and unwavering commitment towards safeguarding our nation's integrity.







# TRIBUTE TO SINDHUTAI SAPKAL

Name of the activity: Tribute to Sindhutai Sapkal

Date of activity: 14th January, 2022

Place of activity: Google meet

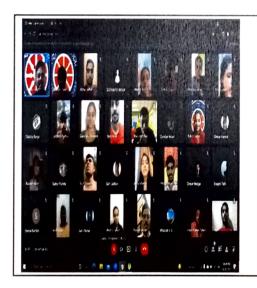
No of Volunteers: 48

# **Description**

On 14th January 2022, the NSS unit of our college arranged a remarkable Quiz Competition as a tribute to the inspirational figure, Sindhutai Sapkal. During the event, Dr. Ajay Kumar Pathak, esteemed faculty member, addressed the students and shared the remarkable life journey and struggles faced by Sindhutai Sapkal.

The program witnessed the active participation of 48 students who engaged in the quiz competition. This initiative aimed to honor and acknowledge the extraordinary achievements and perseverance of Sindhutai Sapkal, who has overcome numerous challenges and emerged as a beacon of hope for many.

By organizing this quiz competition, the NSS unit aimed to inspire and motivate students by showcasing the resilience and determination exemplified by Sindhutai Sapkal. It provided an opportunity for students to learn from her life experiences and gain valuable insights into overcoming obstacles in their own lives. The event served as a platform to celebrate the indomitable spirit of individuals who rise above adversity and leave a lasting impact on society.









#### E-WASTE COLLECTION DRIVE

Tuesday, 01st March 2022

In collaboration with the IT/CS Department, the DLLE Department of "Pune Vidyarthi Griha's College of Science and Technology" organized an E-Waste Collection Drive from 22/02/2022 to 28/02/2022 on the college campus. The drive aimed to raise awareness about the detrimental effects of improper disposal of electronic waste and encourage students to responsibly dispose of non-bulk e-waste. India is the 5th largest producer of e-waste, with Bengaluru being the 3rd largest generator. E-waste contains hazardous substances that pose health risks. Only 30% of e-waste is recycled, primarily by the informal sector, leading to poor resource recovery and environmental contamination. Students and faculty members enthusiastically participated by depositing their e-waste in designated drop boxes, which was later submitted to the BMC for proper disposal. This initiative promoted responsible e-waste management and environmental sustainability.



