

## ENGLISH REPORT 2013 -2014

On 29/06/13, 160 NSS Volunteers and the programme officers participated in the **“Food Safety Awareness”** rally conducted by the Bharathidasan University NSS cell, and the NSS units of Shrimati Indira Gandhi College. The rally was flagged off by Mr. L.Ganesan NSS Co-ordinator incharge Bharathidasan University Trichy, by 10.30 a.m. The rally started from our College went through Anna Selai and ended at Kali Kovil Street.

There was a special lecture programme conducted by the Food Protection and Medical Administration Department on **“Food Protection and Quality Assurance Act”** at Vidya Seva Ratnam K.Santhanam Auditorium after the rally. The lecture was given by Mr. David Muthu Raj Food Safety Officer to the NSS Volunteers. He explained about the customer rights, quality of products, price, manufacturing date, expiry date and how to find out the fake ones

On 13.07.13 **Orientation** was conducted by the programme officers for II year NSS volunteers. They were told about the seven days Camp. The unit leaders were chosen and duties were allotted for each unit by the programme officers.

The NSS Units and the Department of Hospital Administration conducted an awareness programme for the NSS volunteers on 17.07.2013 .The resource person Dr P. Giri spoke on the topic **“How to prevent Diabetes Mellitus”** with some examples of the food to be consumed and some simple exercises the diabetic patients must follow everyday . 250 NSS volunteers participated in the programme.

On 27.07.13 the NSS units went to the adopted villages for a one day camp to find out the drop outs there. The students went from door to door and spoke to the people in groups to collect the above data and to create awareness.

On 15.08.13 25 NSS volunteers went to the adopted village to celebrate the 67<sup>th</sup> **Independence Day**. Sirugamani town Panchayat President Mr. Sona Selvam hoisted the flag at 9.30 a.m. and gave the presidential address. The same was celebrated in the Bharathidasan University. The Syndicate Member Dr. Subbiah hoisted the flag, the NSS volunteers participated in the programme.

The birthday of Rajiv Gandhi was observed as Sadbhavana Day. On 22.08.13 – **“National Intergration”** oath was taken in the presence of the Vice-Principal Ms. M. Rema in the college premises. The NSS volunteers and programme officers took the oath under the Gandhi Tree.

Personality Development programme was conducted for the NSS volunteers on 26.08.13 in the Vidya Seva Ratnam Auditorium. Ms. Mala Jeyaprakash was the resource person.

On 28.08.2013 20 NSS volunteers and 2 Programme Officers went to Jamal Mohamed College to participate in the **ROAD SAFETY Awareness programme** jointly organized by the Trichy Traffic police and Bharathidasan University. The Programme started at 9.30 a.m. Mr. Sailesh Kumar Yadav released a book on traffic rules and regulations which was received by **Dr. Subbiah**, who addressed the gathering later.

On the occasion of the Sadbhavana Day, the NSS volunteers and programme officers went to the adopted villages and conducted competitions (speech, drawing and patriotic songs competition) in the schools there. **“National Intergration”** oath was also taken.

From 03.09.13 to 05.09.2013 250 NSS volunteers and the Programme Officers went around the nearby places in the vicinity of the college to create an awareness against Dengue fever. The students went from door to door and spoke to the people in groups to create awareness.

On 29.09.2013 in the Collector's Office a discussion for preparing the new voter identity list was held. Ambassadors were chosen from among the NSS volunteers to promote the same in the respected colleges.

World Elders Day was celebrated on 01.10.2013 at Karparachambigai Mahal, Cantonment. Trichy district collector, Ministers, higher officials and 100 NSS volunteers took part in the programme.

On 07.10.2013 competitions such as slogan writing and poster making was conducted for the NSS volunteers on the occasion of the WORLD SIGHT DAY. 30 volunteers participated in the same.

On 10.10.13 100 volunteers of NSS from Shrimati Indira Gandhi College participated in the "WORLD SIGHT DAY Human Chain" conducted by Joseph Eye Hospital, Trichy. District police officer Lalitha Kumari of Trichy spoke about the importance of safe guarding the eye to the gathering..

On the occasion of the Hand wash day on 11.10.2013 Mr. V.Ganapathy and Mrs Krishnaveni advisors of the WISH FORUM ,Bharathidasan University organized a demo of the same for the NSS volunteers and told them of its importance.50 volunteers participated in the programme.

YOUTH Awareness Camp was organized by Vivekananda Kendra for 3 days at Kanyakumari from 12.10.2013 to 15.10.013. 10 volunteers participated in the camp.

On the occasion of the Mentally Retarded day Dr. K. MEENA the former Vice Chancellor of Bharathidasan University prepared a help line video cassette for the mentally affected people and distributed the same to the nearby hospitals in Trichy. The cassette would help the parents of the mentally affected children to handle them in difficult situations. The NSS and the Department of Social Work organised the same.

On the occasion of the Hand wash day on 23.10.2013 the Principal of Saranathan Middle school spoke to the students about the importance of it. The same was done as a demo to the students of the school Trichy Municipality Commissioner Mr V.Dhandapani, Mr V..Ganapathy and Mrs Krishnaveni advisors of the WISH FORUM, Bharathidasan University and NSS volunteers participated in the programme

On the occasion of the Voters Day 100 volunteers took part in the Mini Marathon. The District Collector flagged off the Mini Marathon which started at 8.30 a.m.from R.C. school to St.Johns Vestry School.

On 26.10.2013 about 2100 filled in forms for new voters identity (given earlier to the students) was collected from the students and the same was returned to the Trichy District Collector's office.

On the occasion of the Hand wash day on 26.10.2013 the NSS volunteers went to the adopted villages and spoke to the people about the importance of hand washing and also did a demo of it to them. Mr V. Ganapathy and Mrs Krishnaveni advisors of the WISH FORUM, Bharathidasan University also participated in the programme

On 23.12.2013 25 NSS volunteers went to help the temple officials to count the Hundial money in the Rock Fort Temple.

25 NSS volunteers went to participate in the YOUTH Camp at Coimbatore held by the Kanyakumari Vivekananda Kendra on 25.12.2013 to 29.12.2013.

On the occasion of the Youth day celebration on (January 12<sup>th</sup>) 07.01.2014 a special lecture was delivered by the resource person Swami Aksharaananda Head Master of Kodaikanal High School on the topic Indian Culture. There was also an interaction session.

On 07.01 2014 The Trichy Police department conducted a one day work shop awareness programme on "Women Protection" at St. Joseph's college. Trichy .25 NSS volunteers took part in the programme.

On 24.01.2014 an oath was taken under the Gandhi tree by 150 NSS volunteers, Programme Officers and the staff members in the college campus on the occasion of the voters' day awareness.

On 25.01.2014 The Trichy Municipality conducted the Voters day awareness rally, 250 volunteers participated in it. The rally started at R.C.School and ended at Vestry School Trichy.

On 26.01.2013 The NSS units of Shrimati Indira Gandhi College went to their adopted villages to celebrate the 64<sup>th</sup> Republic Day in the Panchayat Union school there.. The village chairman Mr. Mahesh kumar hoisted the flag and delivered the Republic Day address. The NSS volunteers sang patriotic songs , and distiibuted to the gathering. The function ended with National Anthem .

On 04.02.2014 the Tamilnad Agricultural University conducted an awareness programme on the theme "Sappling Plantation to control Protect Pollution" at Trichy Kalaiarangam Mahal. 25 volunteers participated in the programme.

Hindustan Petroleum Distributors and the NSS Units of Shrimati Indira Gandhi College jointly organized a LPG Protective method awareness programme on 28.02.2014 in the college. The vice principal Ms.M.Remma and 100 volunteers were present for the occasion.

On 21.02.2013 to 27.02.2014 NSS volunteer Ms. D. Lavanya of II B.CA attended the National Integration Camp held at Karnataka Kolar ,Shree Devaraj Academy.

Ms. A.Sathya NSS programme officer attended the General Orientation at Madras School of Social from 05.03.2014 TO 11.03.2014.