

Annual Report of NSS

Academic Session -2019-2020

The annual report for the National Service Scheme (NSS) at Shree Pandharinath Arts and Commerce College Narkhed for the academic session of 2019-2020 provides a comprehensive overview of the activities and achievements of the volunteer organization. The session, which commenced in July 2019, saw the admission process for NSS begin soon after the admission process for students. A total of 100 volunteers were admitted, all eager to serve their community through various initiatives and projects. The regular activities of NSS officially began in August 2019, marking the start of a year filled with community service, leadership development, and social awareness. This report highlights the impact of NSS's efforts in promoting social responsibility and creating positive change in the local community.

The following activities were conducted during the academic session:

1. On 11 July 2019, Shree Pandharinath Arts and Commerce College in Narkhed observed World Population Day with the help of the National Service Scheme (NSS). The day was dedicated to raising awareness about the rapidly growing world population and its impact on the environment and society. The NSS unit of the college organized various activities such as awareness rallies, poster-making competitions, and informative seminars to highlight the importance of population control and family planning. The students actively participated in these events and emphasized the need for sustainable development and responsible family planning practices. The college also invited experts to speak about the various challenges and solutions related to the world population issue. This observance of World Population Day in Shree Pandharinath Arts and Commerce College was a great initiative towards creating a more informed and aware society. It served as a reminder to everyone that it is our responsibility to work towards a balanced population for a better and healthier world.
2. Independence Day was celebrated with great enthusiasm and patriotic fervour at Shree Pandharinath Arts and Commerce College in Narkhed on 15th August 2019. The National Service Scheme (NSS) unit of the college organized various events and activities to mark this significant day in the history of India. The celebration began with the hoisting of the national flag by the principal, followed by the singing of the national anthem by the students and staff. A cultural program was also organized, which included patriotic songs, dance performances, and skits that highlighted the sacrifices made by our freedom fighters. The students also took part in a march past, showcasing their unity and love for their country. The event concluded with a speech by the NSS coordinator, encouraging the students to uphold the values of freedom and work towards building a better nation. Overall, it was a memorable day that instilled a sense of pride and patriotism among everyone present at the college.
3. On 5th September 2019, Shree Pandharinath Arts and Commerce College in Narkhed observed Teacher's Day with great enthusiasm and respect. The day began with a special assembly in which students paid homage to their teachers and expressed their gratitude for their unwavering dedication towards shaping their future. The teachers were felicitated with flowers, cards, and gifts as a token of appreciation for their hard work and

commitment. Various cultural programs were organized by the students to entertain and honour their beloved teachers. The college premises were beautifully decorated with colourful banners and posters expressing heartfelt messages for the teachers. The Principal of the college delivered a heartfelt speech highlighting the importance of teachers in society and their role in shaping the future generations. It was a day filled with love, appreciation, and gratitude for the selfless educators who play a crucial role in shaping the lives of their students.

4. On 24th September 2019, the NSS Foundation Day was celebrated with great enthusiasm and spirit by the members of NSS in Shree Pandharinath Arts and Commerce College, Narkhed. The National Service Scheme (NSS) is a noble initiative by the Government of India to promote social welfare and community service among young students. On this special day, the NSS unit of the college organized various activities and programs to spread awareness about the importance of community service. The day started with a flag hoisting ceremony followed by a speech by the college principal highlighting the significance of NSS and its role in creating responsible citizens. The students then participated in a cleanliness drive in the college campus and surrounding areas. A tree plantation drive was also organized to promote environmental sustainability. Various workshops and seminars were also conducted to educate the students about important social issues like gender equality, poverty eradication, and education for all. Overall, the NSS Foundation Day was a successful event that not only brought the students together but also instilled in them the value of helping others and making a positive impact in society.
5. Fifty enthusiastic volunteers from the National Service Scheme (NSS) were carefully chosen to take part in a meaningful initiative of distributing filarial tabs in partnership with the Rural Government Hospital in Narkhed. The project, which aimed to provide access to healthcare and medication for underprivileged communities, began on 18 September 2019 and continued for two weeks, ending on 2 October 2019. The selected volunteers were dedicated to making a positive impact in the lives of those in need and worked tirelessly to ensure that the distribution process ran smoothly. This collaboration between the NSS and the Rural Government Hospital not only provided much-needed medical aid to the community, but also served as an inspiring example of how individuals and organizations can come together to bring about positive change. The efforts of these 50 volunteers will surely be remembered and appreciated by the residents of Narkhed for years to come.
6. On January 22, 2019, a blood check-up and blood donation camp was held, providing an opportunity for individuals to both check their blood health and donate blood to those in need. The camp was organized by a local community organization in collaboration with a nearby hospital. The event aimed to raise awareness about the importance of regular blood check-ups and the life-saving impact of blood donation. A team of medical professionals conducted free blood tests for various parameters such as haemoglobin levels, blood sugar levels, and cholesterol levels. The camp also offered a platform for individuals to donate blood, with proper screening and safety measures in place. The response from the community was overwhelming as many people came forward to contribute towards this noble cause. The event not only served as a means for individuals to take care of their own health but also as an opportunity to make a positive impact on the lives of others. Overall, the blood check-up and donation camp on January 22, 2019, was a successful and meaningful event that brought together the community for a greater cause.
7. On 2 October 2019, the students and staff of Shree Pandharinath Arts and Commerce College in Narkhed came together to observe Gandhi Jayanti with the National Service

Scheme (NSS). This day is celebrated every year to honour the birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi, the father of the nation. The event was organized by NSS to spread the message of peace, non-violence, and truth which were the core principles of Gandhi's philosophy. The students participated in various activities such as cleanliness drives, tree plantation, and spreading awareness about the importance of Gandhian values in today's society. The celebration was a tribute to Gandhi's teachings and his contribution towards India's independence. It also highlighted the importance of social service and community development, which were also close to Gandhi's heart. This event brought everyone together and reminded them of the impact that one individual can have on society through their actions and beliefs. Overall, it was a meaningful and inspiring observance of Gandhi Jayanti at Shree Pandharinath Arts and Commerce College.

8. On 22 November 2019, Shree Pandharinath Arts and Commerce College in Narkhed observed Weaker Section Day, a day dedicated to recognizing and celebrating the achievements of the weaker sections of society. The event aimed to raise awareness about the challenges faced by these marginalized communities and to promote inclusivity and equality in all aspects of life. The college organized various activities such as seminars, presentations, and cultural performances to highlight the importance of empowering and uplifting the weaker sections. Students and faculty members actively participated in the event, showcasing their solidarity towards creating a more inclusive society. The day was a great success, spreading the message of social justice and inspiring individuals to work towards a more just and equal society for all.
9. On 1 December 2019, the NSS department of Shree Pandharinath Arts and Commerce College in Narkhed observed World AIDS Day with great enthusiasm and awareness. Students and faculty members gathered to commemorate the day and spread awareness about HIV/AIDS. Various activities such as poster-making, slogan writing, and street plays were organized to educate people about the importance of safe sex practices and ways to prevent the spread of this deadly disease. A special lecture was also conducted by a renowned doctor to dispel myths and misconceptions surrounding HIV/AIDS. The event served as a reminder to everyone present about the need to combat this global health crisis and work towards creating an AIDS-free world. The students also took a pledge to spread awareness and support those affected by HIV/AIDS. Overall, the World AIDS Day observation at Shree Pandharinath Arts and Commerce College was a successful effort in promoting education, prevention, and compassion towards those living with HIV/AIDS.
10. National Youth Day, also known as Swami Vivekananda Jayanti, was celebrated on 12th January 2020 at Shree Pandharinath Arts and Commerce College in Narkhed. The college organized a special event to commemorate the birth anniversary of Swami Vivekananda, the great Indian philosopher and spiritual leader. The event was attended by students, faculty members, and local dignitaries. The day began with a flag hoisting ceremony followed by a speech by the college principal, highlighting the importance of youth in shaping the future of the nation. Various cultural programs were also organized, including speeches, skits, and songs, all centered around the teachings and ideologies of Swami Vivekananda. The event aimed to inspire and motivate the youth to contribute positively towards nation-building. It also served as a reminder to the students about their responsibility towards society and the nation. Overall, it was a day filled with patriotic fervour, celebrating the spirit of youth and their potential to bring about positive change in society.