



# **NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME**

**Annual Report 2021-22**



**ANAND AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY**

**ANAND 388 110**

## 1. NSS Advisory Committee

No.	University Members	
1	Vice Chancellor	Chair Person
2	Programme Coordinator	Member Secretary
3	Registrar	Member
4	Comptroller	Member
5	All College Principals	Member
6	All Programme Officers	Member
7	Faculty Representative (Chairman SRC)	Member
8	NSS Student Representative 2 (Two) Agriculture College	Member
	<b>Other Members</b>	
1	Youth Officer / Regional Head, Ahmedabad	Member
2	Representative, Indian Red Cross Society, Anand	Member
3	Higher Education Commissioner, Gandhinagar	Member
4	Representative, National Cadet Corps, Anand	Member
5	Representative, Art of Living, Anand	Member
6	Programme Officer, NSS, Gujarat Vidyapeeth, Ahmadabad	Member
7	2 Students Representatives from Colleges of AAU Anand	Member

## 2. NSS Volunteers at different institutions

No.	Name of the College	No. of Volunteers	
		Regular Activities	Special Activities
1	B.A. College of Agriculture, Anand	180	90
2	College of Agriculture, Vaso	120	60
3	College of Agriculture, Jabugam	100	50
4	College of Horticulture, Anand	120	60
5	College of Agricultural Engineering Technology, Godhra	100	50
6	College of Food Processing Technology & Bio Energy, Anand	100	50
7	College of Agricultural Information Technology, Anand	80	40
8	Polytechnic in Agriculture, Anand	80	40
9	Polytechnic in Food Science and Home Economics, Anand	80	40
10	Polytechnic in Agriculture, Vaso	80	40
11	Polytechnic in Horticulture, Vadodara	80	40
12	Polytechnic in Agriculture Engineering, Dahod	80	40
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1200</b>	<b>600</b>



### 3. NSS TEAM

1	Anand Agricultural University	Dr. Dinesh H. Patel	Programme Coordinator
2	B.A. College of Agriculture, Anand	Dr. N.D. Joshi	Programme Officer
3	College of Agriculture, Vaso	Ms. Pushpaben Parmar	Programme Officer
4	College of Agriculture, Jabugam	Dr. A.N. Rathva	Programme Officer
5	College of Horticulture, Anand	Ms. Geetaben Chaudhary	Programme Officer
6	College of Agricultural Engineering and Technology, Godhra	Mr. K. R. Jethva	Programme Officer
7	College of Food Processing Technology & Bio Energy, Anand	Dr. K.V. Vala	Programme Officer
8	College of Agricultural Information Technology, Anand	Dr. D. K. Parmar	Programme Officer
9	Polytechnic in Agriculture, Anand	Dr. J.I. Nanavati	Programme Officer
10	Polytechnic in Food Science and Home Economics, Anand	Ms. G.R. Jadeja	Programme Officer
11	Polytechnic in Agriculture, Vaso	Mr. S.R. Luhar	Programme Officer
12	Polytechnic in Horticulture, Vadodara	Mr. V. D. Rathva	Programme Officer
13	Polytechnic in Agriculture Engineering, Dahod	Mr. S.S. Chinchorkar	Programme Officer

### 4. National Service Scheme (NSS)

The Department of Youth Affairs and Sports, Ministry of Human Resources Development, New Delhi had started the National Service Scheme in 1969-70. The basic purpose of this scheme is to develop responsibility through social services and realization of work and discipline. National Service Scheme is functioning in all the UG colleges and Polytechnics of Anand Agricultural University. During the year under report, volunteers registered for regular activity and special camp are as under:

Sr. No.	Activity	No. of registered volunteers
1	Regular activities	1200
2	Special camp	600

During the spare time of academic programme the volunteers are directly involved in the activities related to the problems and requirements of the society and its development through various fields of N.S.S. They are also inspired to work for Environment, Health, Family Welfare, Hospitals and other organizations during natural calamity for the benefit of society and to work with people in the villages and slums.

The social activities carried out by N.S.S. are divided in two groups:

#### **4. (A) Regular activities**

The regular activities carried out by the university during the reporting year include:

- Celebration of the Independence day and Republic Day
- Celebration of NSS Day
- Tree Plantation Programme
- Celebration of International Day of Yoga
- Celebration of International Women's Day
- Celebration of Swaschhta Pakhwada
- Rashtriya Poshan Maah
- Fit India Freedom Run-2.0
- Celebration of Teacher's day
- Voter Awareness Programme
- Celebration of Agricultural Education Day
- Celebration of Gandhi Jayanti
- Awareness programme on Covid-19
- Celebration of vigilance awareness week with integrity pledge
- Celebration of World Soil Day
- National Voters Day
- Celebration of Shaheed Diwas
- Awareness Programme on Road Safety & Traffic
- Celebration of National Youth Day
- Celebration of Constitution Day
- Celebration of International Gita Mahotsav
- Celebration of National Science Day
- Participation in Pariksha pe Charcha
- Webinar on Water Conservation by rain water harvesting
- A poetry competition on Zaverchang Meghani
- Plastic waste free campus drive
- Blood Donation Camp
- Thalassemia Awareness-cum Screening Test Camp
- Celebration of World Sparrow Day
- Webinar on 'Disaster Management'
- Celebration of National Unity Day
- Celebration of World Environment Day
- Eye Check-up Camp

- Suvarnprashan Camp
- Covid-19 Vaccination Camp
- Orthopedic Camp
- Guest lecture on 'Land and Land Lows'
- Fire Safety Training
- Celebration of Food Safety Day
- Organ Donation Pledge
- Celebration of National Girl Child
- E-pledge against drug
- Plantation and awareness with the theme, 'Har Med Par Ped' as part of 'Celebration of India @ 75 – Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsav'
- Parthenium Awareness Programme
- Dengue and Chikungunya Awareness Programme
- Vigilance Awareness Week
- Celebration of National Milk Day
- Online Webinar on 'Catch the rain'
- A guest talk on Mental Health
- Celebration of No Tobacco Day

NSS volunteers also carried out various regular activities during the year under 'Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsav' and 'Yuva Sankalp- Shreshth Bharat ke Panch Prakalp'.

	
<p align="center"><b>Celebration of Gandhi Jayanti</b></p>	<p align="center"><b>Celebration of International Women's Day</b></p>



**Tree Plantation**



**Celebration of International Day of Yoga**



**Fit India Freedom Run**



**Blood Donation Camp**



**Celebration of Shahid Diwas**



**Campus Cleaning Programme**





**Thalassemia Testing Camp**



**Fire Safety training**

### **(1) Corona Vaccination Camp**

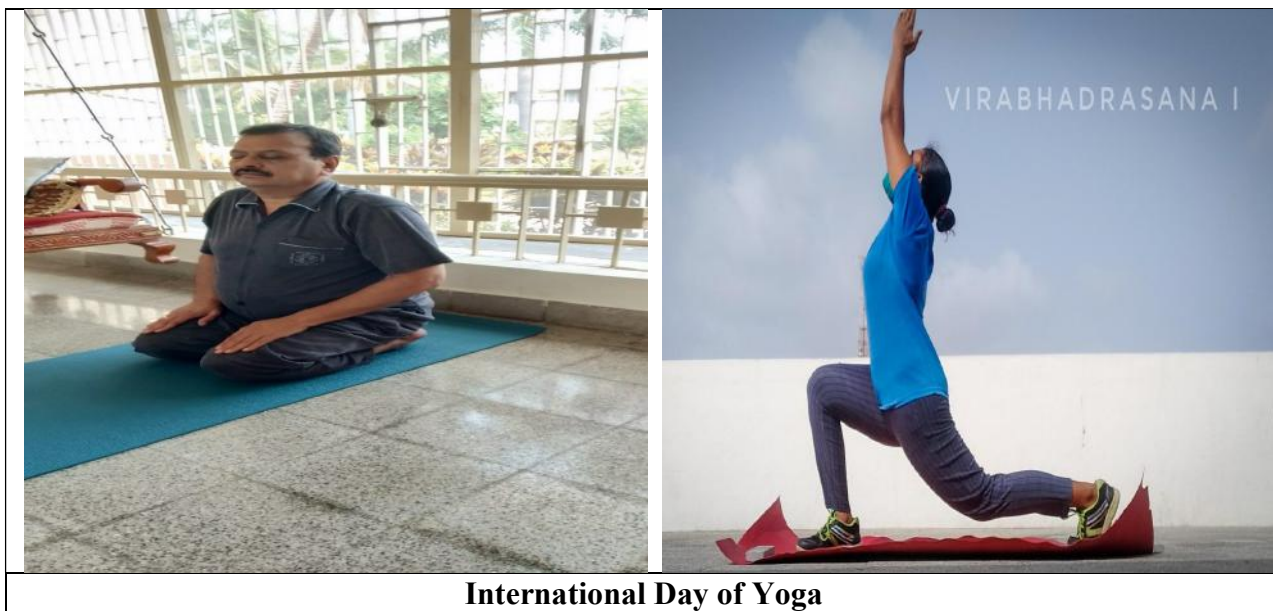
Anand Agricultural University in the collaboration with Urban Health Center, Ganesh Chokdi, Anand organized Corona Vaccination Camps during April to March at Health Center, AAU, Anand. University employees, farm labours, pensioners and students have taken first and second dose of Covishield and Covaxin Vaccine. Total 1400 persons were vaccinated during the camps. All the vaccination camps were organized by Dr. Dinesh H. Patel, Director, Students' Welfare & Programme Co-Ordinator, NSS.





## (2) International Day of Yoga

21 June is declared as 'International Day of Yoga' by the United Nations. The Ministry of AYUSH has announced to celebrate International Day of Yoga by maintaining social distancing due to the current Covid-19 pandemic. All the Colleges and Polytechnics celebrated 7<sup>th</sup> International Day of Yoga on 21 June, 2021, in which unit/sub-unit officers, employees, students, NSS volunteers and NCC cadets performed yoga at home along with their family members.



**International Day of Yoga**

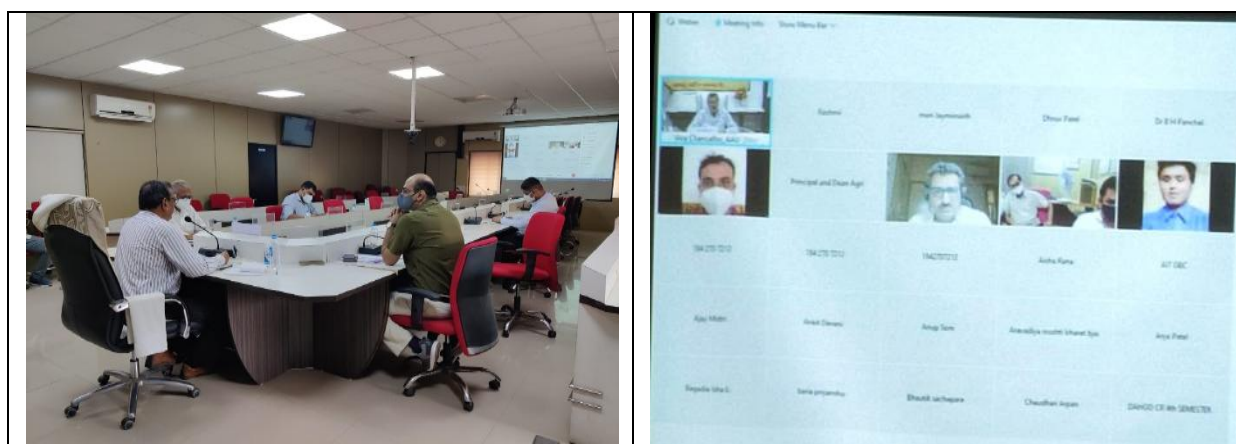




### (3) Hon. Vice Chancellor's address to students of AAU

In order to prevent and bring awareness regarding the prevailing pandemic of Covid-19, Dr. K.B. Kathiria, Hon. Vice Chancellor addressed the students of Anand Agricultural University. Total 1857 persons including University Officers, Principals / Deans, SRC Chairmen, General Secretaries (GS) and Class Representatives (CR) and students connected online through WEBEX.

In his address, Hon. Chancellor gave detailed information of the Corona Pandemic and informed everyone about the protective measures taken by the Anand Agricultural University against the Corona pandemic. He further gave an important message to stop the spread of Corona. He shared various tips on use of masks, how to wash hands, maintaining social distancing, how to boost immunity, etc. He also urged the students to be aware of the latest information of the pandemic, not to spread negative messages on social media and avoid such messages. The Students were asked to get vaccinated and motivate others to get vaccinated as well. The students should also try to console the infected people as a part of their social and moral responsibility and called on them to help as much as possible. Dr. Dinesh H. Patel, Director, Students' Welfare & Programme Co-Ordinator coordinated the programme.



#### (4) Celebration of 75<sup>th</sup> Independence Day

Anand Agricultural University celebrated 75<sup>th</sup> Independence Day on 15 August, 2021 at University Bhavan. University officers, Deans, staff and students remained present in the celebration of this National Day. Dr. K.B. Kathiria, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor hoisted the flag and delivered a speech. He commemorated the freedom fighters of our country and paid homage to them. He praised the services of Covid Warriors, who have rendered their services in the Corona Pandemic. He also urged the university officers, staff and students for further enhancement and development in the field of education, research and extension. Captain P.A. Gohil served as Parade Commandant and Dr. M.A. Makwana anchored the programme. A tree plantation programme was held in the premises of the University Bhavan. The entire programme was organized by Dr. Dinesh H. Patel, Director, Students' Welfare & Programme Co-Ordinator, NSS.



#### (5) Suvarnaprashan Camp

Anand Agricultural University in the collaboration with S.G. Patel Ayurveda Hospital, New Vallabh Vidyanagar organized Suvarnaprashan Camps for 0 to 15 years old children of all university officers, staffs, pensioners, farm labours during April to March at Health Center, AAU, Anand. Suvarnaprashan contains Gold and other various ingredients which are known to boost immunity as well as enhance memory of the children. It also increases digestion and



lifespan. 1500 children were given suvarnaprashan during the camp. All the camps were organized by Dr. Dinesh H. Patel, Director, Students' Welfare & Programme Co-Ordinator, NSS.



#### (6) Celebration of 73<sup>rd</sup> Republic Day

Anand Agricultural University celebrated 73<sup>rd</sup> Republic Day on 26 January, 2022. All University Officers, staff, students of different faculties and family members remained present to grace this yearly celebration. Dr. N. C. Patel, Hon. Vice Chancellor hoisted the flag and gave a speech. He commemorated the freedom fighters of our country and paid homage to them. He urged the university officers, staff and students for further enhancement and development in the field of education, research and extension. National Anthem 'Jan Gan Man' and National Flag Anthem 'Zanda Uncha Rahe Hamara' sang by all. The entire programme was organized by Dr. Dinesh H. Patel. Director, Students' Welfare & Programme Co-Ordinator, NSS.



### An Online COVID-19 Awareness and Prevention Campaign

As a movement to fight against Covid-19 and current pandemic conditions in Gujarat and all over India, COVID-19 awareness is the only tool to prevent corona virus by following rules and guidelines given by GOG and GOI. As a part of this movement, an “**Online COVID-19 Awareness and Prevention Campaign (#Unite2FightCorona)**” was organized by first and second year NSS volunteers of College of Agricultural Engineering and Technology, AAU, Godhra. They prepared various posters and slogans related to COVID-19 to aware students, faculties, communities, society and other peoples who suffered from this pandemic conditions.





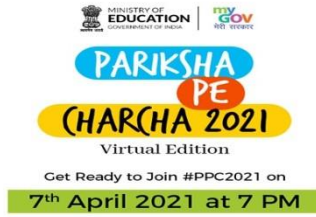
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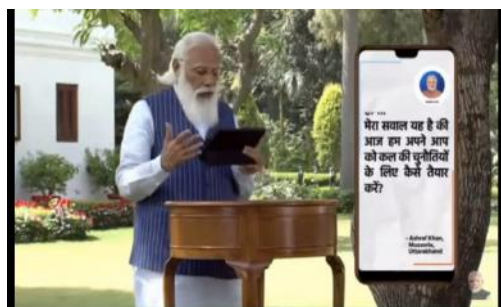
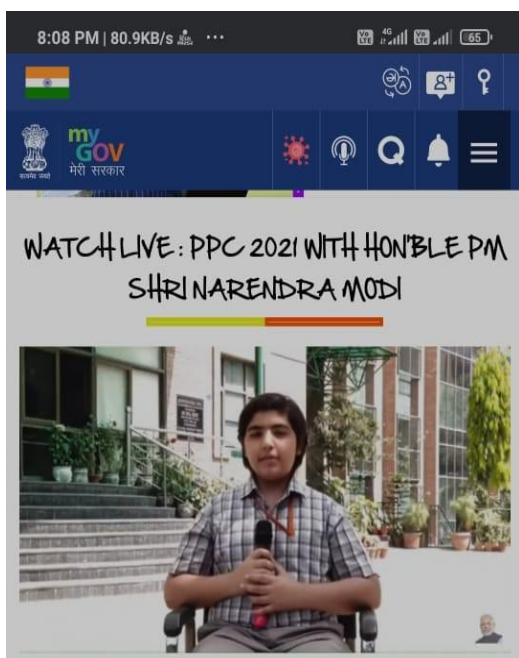
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NSS Programme Officer: Er. Kamlesh Jethva

### Pariksha pe Charcha 2021



Hon. Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi interacted with students, teachers and parents on 7<sup>th</sup> April, 2021. This year's Pariksha Pe Charcha was the fourth edition of the event and Hon. PM interacted with all of them in virtual mode due to the COVID pandemic condition. All NSS Volunteers also participated in Pariksha Pe Charcha 2021 program and get benefited with some important tips given by Hon. Prime Minister.



### Tree Plantation-cum Awareness Campaign

For better earth, planting a tree has long been a suggestion. Either it is outcry or warning of global warming, water crisis or something else. Trees offer many environmental as well as economic and social benefits. National Service Scheme unit of the College of Agricultural Engineering and Technology, AAU, Godhra celebrated online campaign on tree plantation and awareness with the theme, '*Har Med Par Ped*' as part of '**Celebration of India @ 75 – Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsav**' on 10-11 July, 2021.



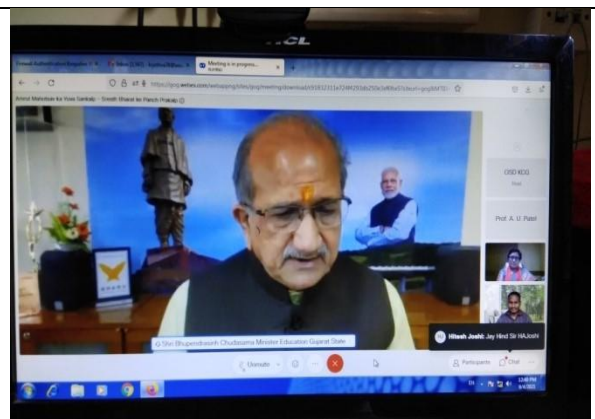
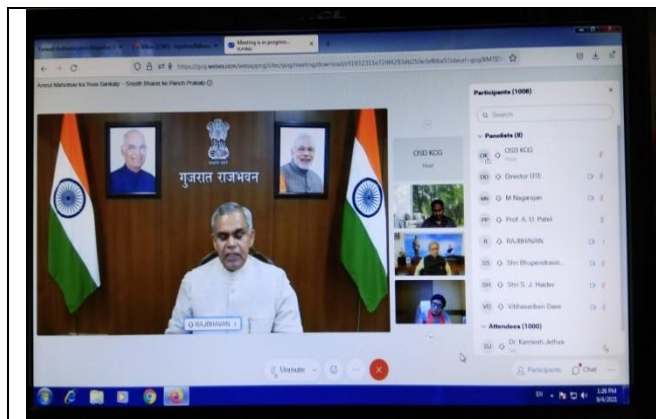




**Participation in Video Conference on  
“Amrut Mahotsav ka Yuva Sankalp- Shreshth Bharat ke Panch Prakalp” organized by  
Education Department, Government of Gujarat**

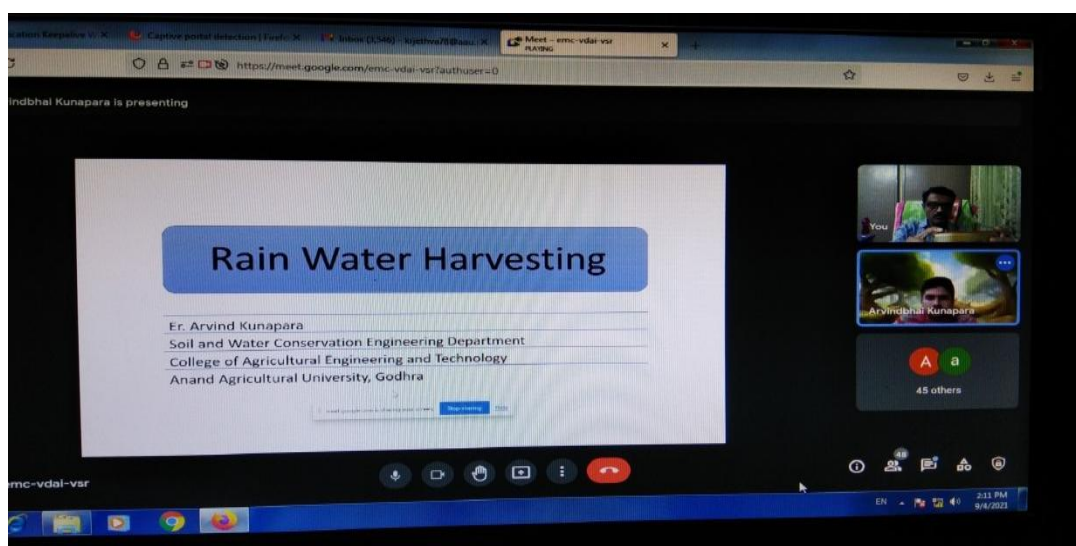
As a part of celebration of “*Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsav*”, an online meeting was scheduled on 04 Sept., 2021 at 12.30 PM under the Chairmanship of H.E. the Governor of Gujarat. The agenda of this meeting was “*Amrut Mahotsav ka Yuva Sankalp-Shreshth Bharat ke Panch Prakalp*”. All the faculty members, staffs and UG students of Anand Agricultural University participated in this video conference meeting.

Hon’ble Governor Shri Acharya Devvratji addressed the meeting and emphasized on ‘*Water conservation, Environment, Cleanliness, Nasamukti and Organic*’ farming. He highlighted the motto behind Fit India Movement run by Government of India. He also inspired the students to spread the message of *Amrut Mahotsav ka Yuva Sankalp-Shreshth Bharat ke Panch Prakalp* by preparing some Sheri-Natak, Sanvad, Goshthi at village level to aware the rural people about this mahotsav to make our country Shresth Bharat.



## Webinar on “Water Conservation by Rain Water Harvesting”

As a part of celebration of “*Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsav@75 years of Independence*”, a webinar was organized on theme of “**Water Conservation by Rain Water Harvesting**” by National Service Scheme Unit of College of Agricultural Engineering and Technology, Anand Agricultural University, Godhra on 04 September, 2021. Faculty members, NSS volunteers and students of B.Tech (Agril. Engg.) participated in the webinar. Er. Arvind Kunpara (Assistant Professor, SWCE Dept.) delivered a lecture on different water conservation techniques and rain water harvesting.



## Fit India Freedom Run-2.0

Fit India Movement was launched on 29 August, 2019 by Hon. Prime Minister with a view to make fitness an integral part of our daily lives. FIT India Mission has conceptualized **Fit India Freedom Run 2.0** to commemorate the 75<sup>th</sup> Independence Day - "Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav". A Nationwide campaign on the concept of “Physical/Virtual Run” from 13 August to 2 October, 2021 to encourage fitness and help us all to get freedom from obesity, laziness, stress, anxiety, diseases etc. The concept behind this run is that “It can be run anywhere, anytime!”. By keeping above concept in mind a Fit India Freedom Run-2.0 organized at various NSS units of AAU to encourage people to take up fitness activities such as running and sports in their daily lives and get freedom from obesity, laziness, stress, anxiety, diseases, etc.



### “Cleanliness Drive organized on the eve of Gandhi Jayanti”

On the eve of Gandhi Jayanti and part of celebration of ‘Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsav’ and ‘Clean India Movement’, a ‘Cleanliness Drive’ & ‘Swachhta Plog Run’ were organized by various NSS units of AAU on 02 October, 2021 as per the guidelines of Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Govt. of India.

The programme was started with Swachhta Pledge. Under ‘Cleanliness Drive’, various shramdan’ activities like general cleaning of various areas like hostels rooms, student mess, roads, garden and other premises of college or nearby campus etc. were cleaned by NSS volunteers.





### “Plastic Free Campus Awareness Drive”

India is set to impose a nation-wide ban on single-use plastic (including plastic bags, straws, cups, plates, small bottles and certain types of sachets) on 2 October, 2019. India generates about 9.4 million tonnes of plastic waste each year and with no effective disposal method, the plastic waste ends up the roadsides, in landfills and water bodies.

To make campus plastic free, a special ‘**Plastic Free Campus Awareness Drive**’ was organized on occasion of Gandhi Jayanti under the head of ‘*Azadi ka Amrut Mahotdav*’ and ‘*Clean India Movement*’. NSS volunteers visited various places in campus and made the campus plastic waste free by collecting plastics garbage and other plastic products.





### “Swachhhta Campaign”

As a part of celebration of ‘Azadi ka Amrut Mahotdav’ and ‘Clean India Movement’, a ‘**Swachhhta Campaign**’ was organized by various NSS units of AAU. NSS volunteers actively participated in the swachhhta campaign. Under ‘**Swachhhta Campaign**’, various spots were identified in campus and cleaning of those spots along with painting of tress were carried out by volunteers.





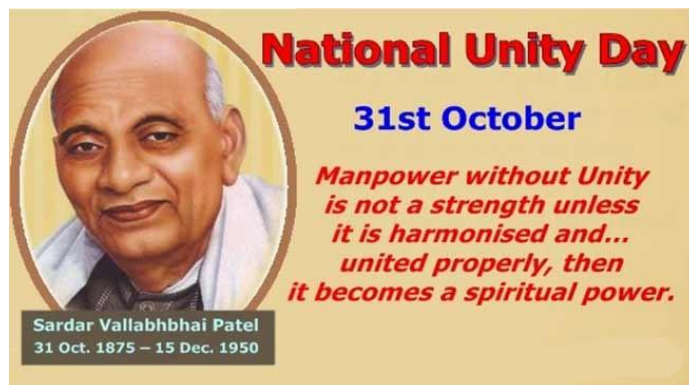
**Celebration of  
VIGILANCE AWARENESS WEEK-2021  
(26 Oct., 2021 to 1 Nov., 2021)**

On Theme of “Independent India @ 75 : Self Reliance with Integrity”

As per the directives received from Central Vigilance Commission the ‘*Vigilance Awareness Week*’ (26 Oct., 2021 to 1 Nov., 2021) celebrated by various NSS units of AAU on 27 October, 2021. To spread awareness against corruption, a mass integrity pledge on theme of “Independent India @75: Self Reliance with Integrity” (Satark Bharath, Samridh Bharath) was taken by NSS volunteers.



**Celebration of  
Rashtriya Ekta Diwas  
(National Integrity Day)**



India is a diverse country where people belong to different cultures, region, religion, caste, ethnicities and more. To commemorate the birth anniversary of Ace leader and politician Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, National Unity Day is being celebrated on October 31 across the country. '**National Unity Day or Rashtriya Ekta Diwas**' has been celebrated 31 October since 2014, in regard to the birth anniversary of the '**Iron Man of India**', **Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel**. To respect his unimaginable efforts, the Government of India introduced National Unity Day on his birth anniversary. In 2018, Prime Minister Narendra Modi unveiled the tallest statue in the world - Statue of Unity of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, which is about 182 cm tall, stating that it is the symbol of integrity and resolve. Sardar Patel played a major role in the integration of India (Ek Bharat) from over 560 princely states. To acknowledge his efforts in uniting the nation, India celebrates National Unity Day or Rashtriya Ekta Diwas on his birth anniversary.

Various NSS units of AAU celebrated Rashtriya Ekta Diwas on 27 October, 2021. In the beginning, NSS volunteers took an oath to preserve the unity, integrity and security of the nation in the spirit of unification of the county. The programme ended with Run for Unity by the students.

**Celebration of Agricultural Education Day**

Under the head of '***Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsav***', National Service Scheme celebrated an "**Agricultural Education Day**" at various colleges of AAU on 3 December, 2021 on the occasion of Birth Anniversary of **Bharat Ratna, Dr. Rajendra Prasad**, First Union Agriculture Minister in 1946 and First President of independent India, 1947.

The day was celebrated by conducting two events. In the morning session, the school students were invited to visit college. The students visited different departments of the college. The students had shown their keen interest in understanding various principles, construction



and functions of various equipment, instruments, working models, experimental set ups related to soil conservation, hydrology, irrigation, food and grain processing, renewable energy, tractor, farm machinery and basic engineering. The students visited the exhibition halls also.

In the afternoon session, UG and PG students watched an online programme held at ICAR Headquarter.



## World Environment Day

Every year June 5 is celebrated as World Environment Day. Volunteers prepared posters and planted trees at their place of residence to mark the celebration of world environment day online. Student also took part in essay competition organized by ICMR- National Institute for Research in Environment Health, Bhopal. Title of the essay was **“Ecosystem Degradation and the Need for Restoration: Through the Lens of Environment and Human Health”**.



## World Food Safety Day

The food we eat is kept safe through the dedicated efforts of everyone who grows, processes, transports, stores, sells, prepares and serves it. Safe food contributes to a healthy life, a healthy economy, a healthy planet and a healthy future.

Food safety is your business, too. Using food safety practices at home and in our daily lives will help avoid foodborne illness. To inspire the students about the healthy food World Food Day was celebrated on June 7, 2021 by preparing posters and making them aware about food safety.



## Tree plantation

Various NSS units of AAU organized tree plantation programme as per ICAR theme '*Har Med Par Ped*'. All the teachers, staff and students participated in the tree plantation programme.







### **Gandhi Quiz Competition**

The student has participated in Gandhi Quiz competition jointly by Gujarat Vidyapith and Doordarshan at Doordarshan Kendra, Ahmedabad on 14 November, 2021. Five team participated in the competition. Out of five teams one team selected for semi-final round and stood first held after final round.



### **NSS day celebration**

The NSS Day celebrated every year on 24 September with an aim to “inculcate the social welfare thoughts in the students, and to provide service to the society without any prejudice.” The NSS Day was celebrated on 24 September, 2021. A poster competition on the topic “ATMANIRBHAR BHARAT”, cleaning the college premise and tree plantation were organized.



## Organ Donation (Angdaan) Pledge

Organ Donation Pledge Awareness Programme was organized on 17 September, 2021 for the students and staff of College of FPT & BE. Before taking pledge, all the participants were briefed about the campaign, organ donation information, its importance, who can donate, how to donate willingly, etc. They were informed about the government official website [sotto.nic.in](http://sotto.nic.in) Total 79 took pledge.





### **Blood Donation Camp:**

Blood Donation Camp was organized at various colleges of AAU, Anand in collaboration with Indian Red Cross Society, Anand. Staff members and students participated in the camp.





## Celebration of Constitution day

The College of Food Processing Technology & Bio Energy, AAU, Anand has celebrated the Constitutional Day on 26 November, 2021. The objective behind celebration of the day was explained to students by Programme Officer (NSS). The preamble of the constitutional was read and explained it's gist to all the students. At the end a pledge was taken by all the volunteers.



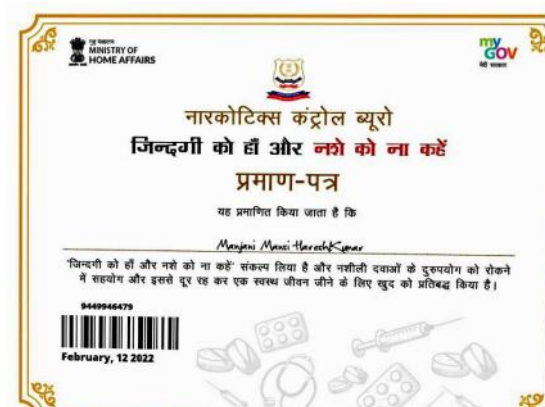
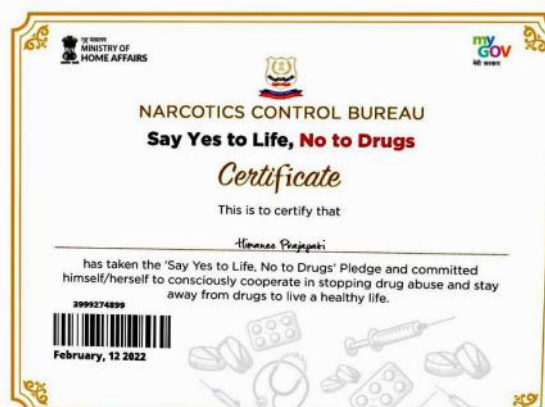
## Thalassemia Screening Test and Counseling Camp

A Thalassemia Counseling camp was jointly organized by NSS unit of AAU and Indian Red Cross Society, Ahmedabad. Students are screened for Thalassemia. A video presentation on Thalassemia awareness was shown to the students.



## Public Outreach Programme: e-pledge against drug

All the students of College of Food Processing Technology and Bioenergy took e-pledge as per the directives from Narcotics Control Bureau, Ministry of Home, GoI, New Delhi to spread awareness regarding the side effect of drugs and to make country free of drug particularly among youth with slogan “Say Yes to Life, No to Drugs”. Total 100 students took e-pledge and got certificate.





## Celebration of National Girl Child Day

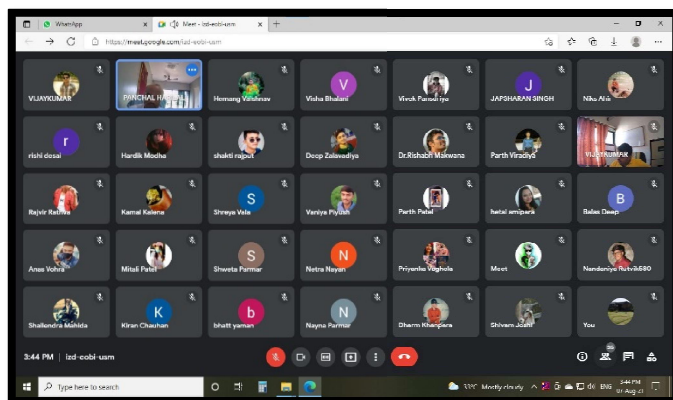
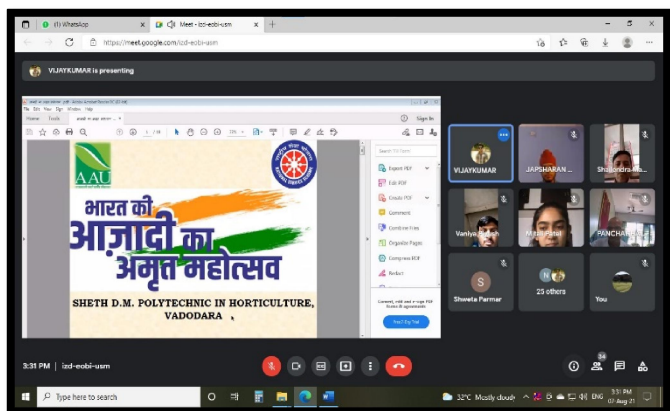
A National Girl Child Day was celebrated by NSS volunteers of College of Food Processing Technology and Bioenergy on 24 January, 2022. They prepared posters, 23 girls took part.



## Poster Presentation And Guest Lecture On The Theme "Catch The Rain" Under Azadi Ka Amrut Mahotsav

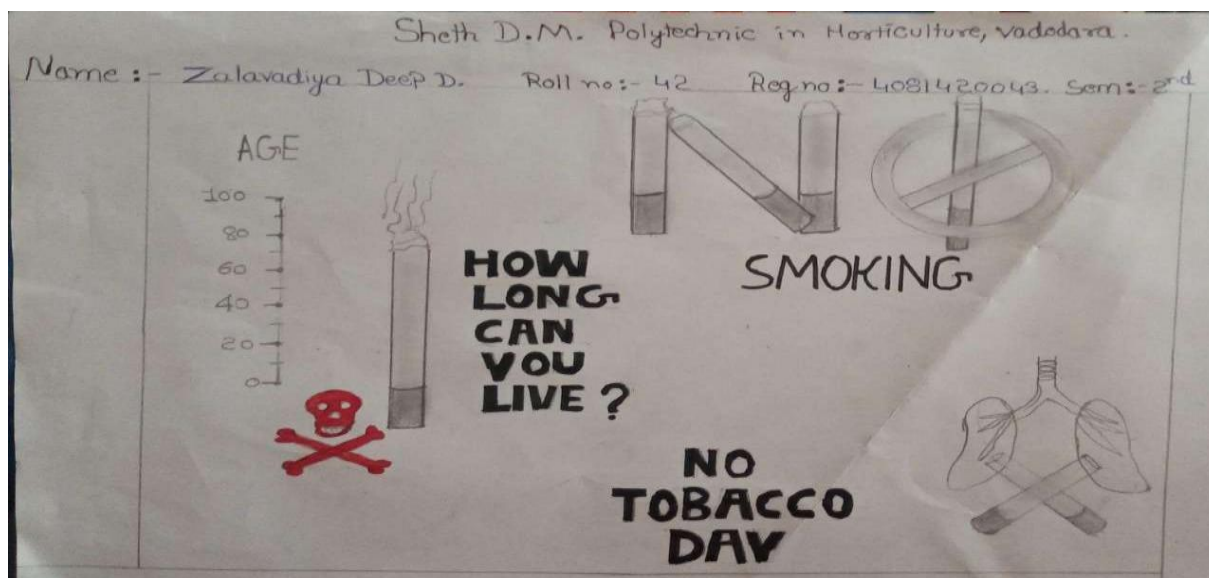
Sheth D.M.Polytechnic in Horticulture, Vadodara organized online oratory competition and poster presentation on the subject of "Catch the Rain" on 17 September, 2021 as a part of the celebration of 75 years of India's independence (Azadi Ka Amrut Mahotsava). Dr. M.L. Gaur, delivered talk on water conservation.

Poster presentation was also organized in which 31 volunteers have participated very enthusiastically. 10 students participated in the online oratory competition.



## Celebration of No Tobacco Day

Sheth D. M. Polytechnic in Horticulture, Model Farm, AAU, Vadodara has celebrated No Tobacco Day on 31 March, 2021. All the faculties and students attended the programme. Dr. B.H.Panchal, Principal and Unit Officer, Polytechnic in Horticulture gave informative talk about problems related to tobacco. A poster presentation competition was also held.



## Celebration of Gandhi Jayanti

Gandhi Jayanti was celebrated at Polytechnic in Horticulture, Model Farm, Vadodara on 01 October, 2021. Dr. B.H Panchal gave detailed information about the role of Gandhiji in the independence of India.



### **Guest Lecture on Road Safety and Traffic Regulation**

A programme on Road Safety and Traffic Regulation Guidance was organized in collaboration with Road Safety Department, R.T.O. Vadodara. Hitesh Patel, Master trainer, RTO, Vadodara gave interesting talk on an insight into the various rules of traffic as well as various directions for traffic regulation with detailed information on practical operation. He also gave important instructions on various causes of road accidents, accident prevention measures and what to do in case of an accident.

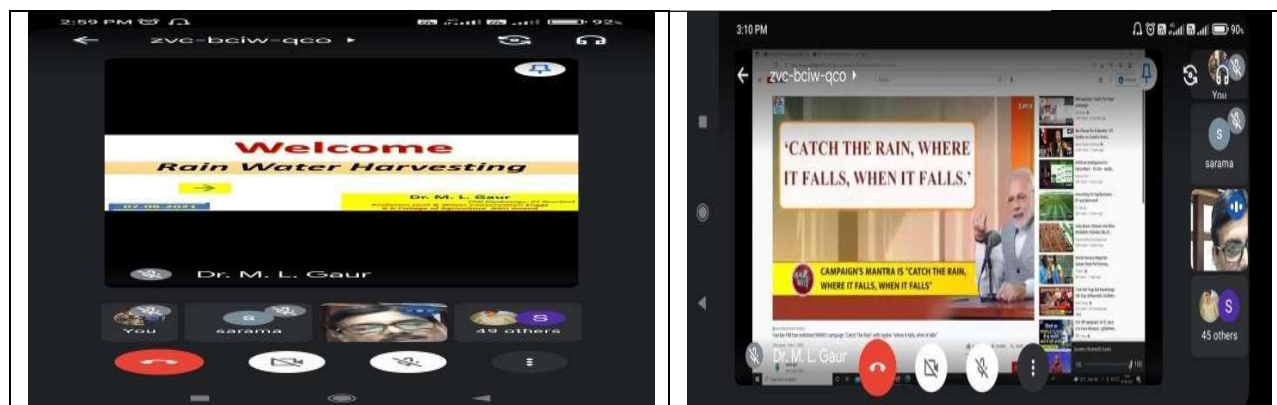






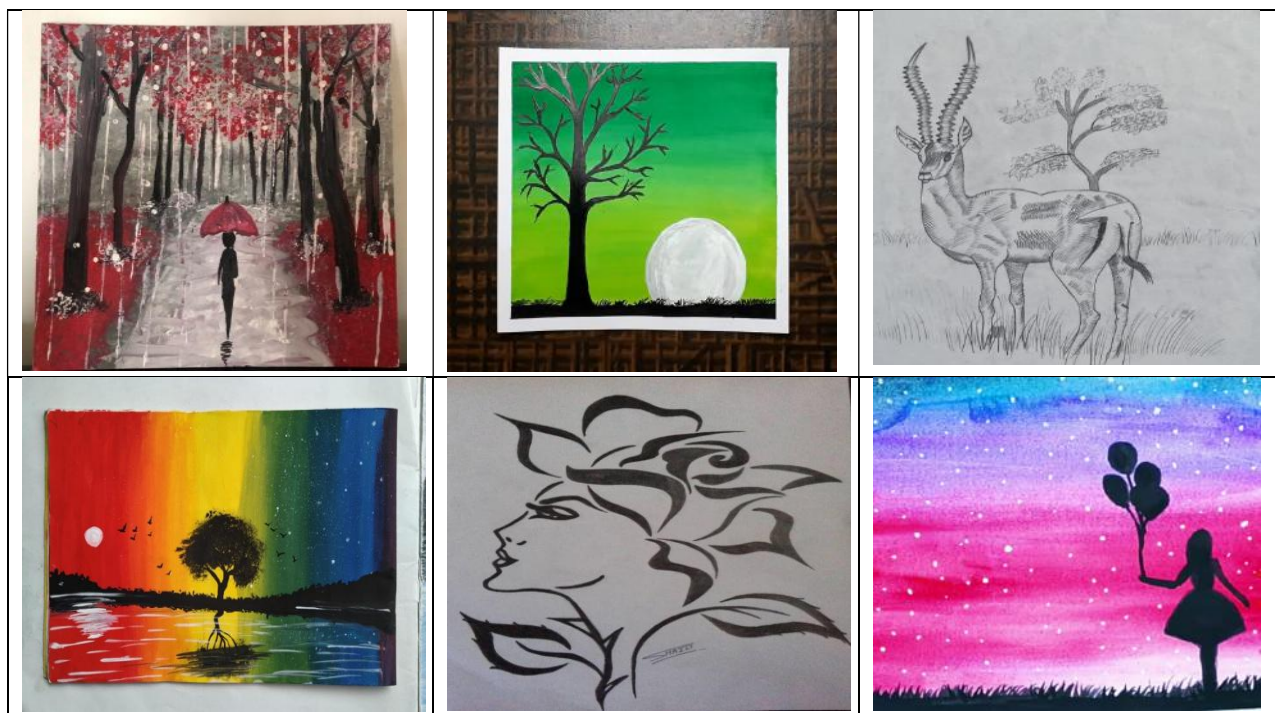
## Catch the Rain

As a part of commemoration of events for celebration of *AZADI KA AMRUT MAHOTSAV*, Sheth M. C. Polytechnic in Agriculture, AAU, Anand has arranged a special lecture on “Catch the Rain”. The Lecture was delivered by subject specialist Dr. M. L. Gaur. He has given detailed information on “Catch the Rain, Where It Falls, When It Falls”. Students have understood the importance of conservation of rain water and decided to contribute in this field.



## Painting Competition

Sheth M. C. Polytechnic in Agriculture, AAU, Anand has celebrated NSS Day on 24 September, 2021 by arranging photography and painting competition. In painting competition, Students have participated actively by preparing 20 paintings.



## Fire Safety Awareness

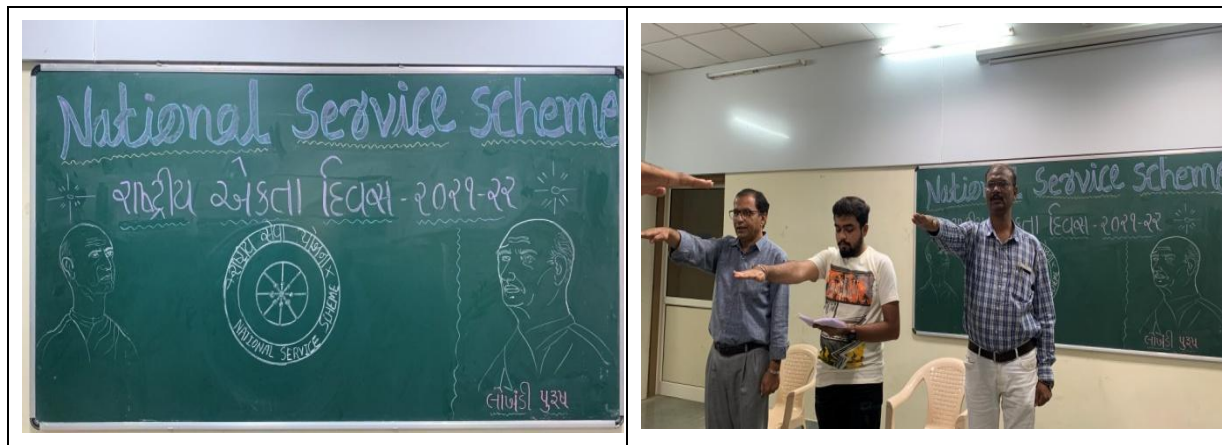
As a precautionary measure about fire incidence, Sheth M. C. Polytechnic in Agriculture, AAU, Anand has updated Fire Safety System. The fire safety technician gave training on how to use the fire safety equipments at the time of fire and what to do at the time of fire incidence.



## Rashtriya Ekta Divas

31 October is the birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel. It is a special occasion to foster and reinforces our dedication to preserve and strengthen unity, integrity and security of our nation, by reinforcing the value of a strong and united India. Considering these, Sheth M. C.

Polytechnic in Agriculture, AAU, Anand has celebrated Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel birth anniversary as “Rashtriya Ekta Diwas” by taking pledge. 112 volunteers have participated.



#### 4 (B) Special Camp

Special Camping forms an integral part of National Service Scheme. It has special appeal to the youth as it provides unique opportunities to the students for group-living, collective experience sharing and constant interaction with community. Special Camping are organized generally on various developmental issues of national importance. Every year 50 percent of the volunteers of each NSS unit are expected to participate in special camps which is of 7 days duration. Various NSS units of Anand Agricultural University adopt a village or group of villages/urban slums for intensive social development, where special camps are organized year after year to create tangible and durable community assets.

Sr. No.	Name of College	Duration	Village	Total Volunteers
1.	B. A. College of Agriculture	11-17/03/2022	Lambhvel	69
2.	College of Food Processing Technology and Bio Energy	05-11/03/2022	Gana	49
3.	College of Agricultural Information Technology	14-20/03/2022	Vadod	24
4.	College of Horticulture	02-08/03/2022	Gopalpura	60
5.	College of Agricultural Engineering and Technology, Godhra	21-27/03/2022	Doctor na Muvada	30
6.	College of Agriculture, Vaso	05-11/03/2022	Rampur	60
7.	College of Agriculture, Jabugam	07-13/03/2022	Palsanda	45
8.	Polytechnic in Agriculture, Anand	02-08/03/2022	Dharmaj	39



9.	Polytechnic in Food Science and Home Economics, Anand	14-20/03/2022	Vadod	36
10.	Polytechnic in Agriculture, Vaso	05-11/03/2022	Rampur	40
11.	Polytechnic in Horticulture, Vadodara	21-27/03/2022	Varanama	30
12.	Polytechnic in Agricultural Engineering, Dahod	03-09/03/2022	Moti Sarsi	30

Several activities were carried out during Special camps, viz.

- Different kinds of Shram-yagnas
- Surveillance of villagers to know their social, educational, economical and health status along with the epidemiological surveillance of important diseases in animals
- Writing of slogans on walls
- Creative painting by NSS Volunteers
- Volunteers participated in indoor and outdoor games
- Prabhatpheri in the morning at 6.00 hrs
- Tree plantation at village
- Distribution of sparrow nest
- Collection of Plastic & Gutka pouches for plastic free village
- Drama on Andhashradha & Nashabandhi
- Bhajan Sandhaya in village
- Village Cleaning Programme
- Visit of progressive farmer's field, green house, poultry farm and anganvaadi
- Rangoli, Poster making, Musical chair, Quiz, Cartooning etc.
- School sports programme to motivate students for regularity and sports activity
- School cultural programme
- Jagruti Abhiyan Rally
- Demonstration for preparing of Bakery products like biscuits and other products
- Demonstration of dairy products
- Panel discussion on 'Women Empowerment' among NSS volunteers
- *Beti Bhachavo, Beti Padhavo Rally*
- *Vyasan Mukti Rally*
- Food Rally on World Food Day
- Awareness for cashless transaction, Net banking
- A lecture on 'Gandhian Philosophy and NSS
- Help to homeless people by volunteers
- Lecture on Disaster management
- Eye check-up camp of school students

- Distribution of mineral mixture powder to needy people
- Demonstration of Deworming in animals
- Lecture on Water conservation

The villagers also actively participated and got benefited from these programmes. Students participated and gained knowledge on various aspects like health, development of spiritual and cordial relationship, preservation of natural resources and conservation of cultural /historical heritage, animal health, dairy products, etc and strengthened their creativity.

NSS volunteers also carried out various activities during special camp in villages under 'Azadi ka Amrut Mahotsav' and 'Yuva Sankalp- Shreshth Bharat ke Panch Prakalp'.







Volunteers at Lambhvel during the camp







Visit to Mahisagarvan, Vaherakhadi



Visit to Mahisagar River



Poster Exhibition



Play at School





Street Play



Street Play





Interaction with the Students at School



Cleaning Campaign at School-Campus



Activities with School-children





Interaction with Senior Citizen



Cleaning Campaign at School-Campus



# બી.એ. કોલેજ ઓફ એગ્રીકલ્ચર, આણંદ કૃષિ યુનિ. ખાતે વૃક્ષારોપણ

આણંદ, તા. ૧૬

ભારત અમૃત મહોત્સવ અંતર્ગત ભારતીય કૃષિ અનુસંધાન પરિષદના સ્થાપના દિન નિમિત્તે આણંદની આણંદ કૃષિ યુનિવર્સિટીના બંસીલાલ અમૃતલાલ કૃષિ મહાવિદ્યાલય ખાતે પર્યાવરણના જતનની જાગૃતિને ધ્યાનમાં લઈને રાષ્ટ્રીય સેવા યોજનાની પ્રવૃત્તિ હેઠળ મહાવિદ્યાલયના બાગાયત વિભાગ અને વિદ્યાર્થી પરિષદના સહયોગથી વૃક્ષારોપણ કાર્યક્રમ યોજવામાં આવ્યો હતો.

આ પ્રસંગે આણંદ કૃષિ યુનિ.ના કુલપતિ ડૉ. કે. બી. કથીરીયાએ ભારતીય કૃષિ અનુસંધાન પરિષદના મિશન “હર મેડ પર પેડ”ની વાત સાથે આજના સમયમાં પર્યાવરણના જતનની આવશ્યકતા સમજાવી હતી.

કોલેજના આચાર્ય અને કૃષિ વિદ્યાશાખાના અધ્યક્ષ ડૉ. વાય.



એમ. શુક્લાએ વૃક્ષારોપણ અભિયાનની વિશ્વવ્યાપી જરૂરિયાત સમજાવી હતી.

આ વૃક્ષારોપણ કાર્યક્રમમાં ડૉ. એમ. કે. ઝાલા (ડિરેક્ટર ઓફ રીસર્ચ), ડૉ. એચ. બી. પટેલ (ડિરેક્ટર ઓફ એક્સ્ટેન્શન એજ્યુકેશન), ડૉ. ડી. આર. કથીરીયા (ડિરેક્ટર ઓફ ઈન્ફર્મેશન ટેકનોલોજી), ડૉ. ડી. એચ. પટેલ,

(ડિરેક્ટર ઓફ સ્ટુડન્ટસ વેલફેર) સહભાગી થયા હતા. કાર્યક્રમનું આયોજન બંસીલાલ અમૃતલાલ કૃષિ મહાવિદ્યાલયના બાગાયત વિભાગના વડા ડૉ. એમ. જે. પટેલ, વિદ્યાર્થી પરિષદના ભૂતપૂર્વ અધ્યક્ષ ડૉ. એસ. જે. પટેલ અને રાષ્ટ્રીય સેવા યોજનાના પ્રોગ્રામ ઓફિસર ડૉ. એન. ડી. જોશી દ્વારા કરવામાં આવ્યું હતું.

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# આણંદ કૃષિ યુનિવર્સિટી ખાતે 'પ્લાસ્ટિક ફ્રી કેમ્પસ' અભિયાન



આણંદ, તા. ૧૨

આણંદ કૃષિ યુનિ. ખાતે બી.એ. કોલેજ ઓફ એગ્રીકલ્ચર, કોલેજ ઓફ હોર્ટીકલ્ચર, કોલેજ ઓફ ફૂડ પ્રોસેસિંગ તેમજ પોલીટેકનીક ઈન એગ્રીકલ્ચર તથા પોલીટેકનીક ઈન ફૂડ પ્રોસેસિંગ આ બધી સંસ્થાઓના એનએસએસ અને એનસીસી યુનિટ દ્વારા સંયુક્ત રીતે કેમ્પસનું સફાઈ અભિયાન યોજવામાં આવ્યું હતું.

આ અભિયાનનો મૂળ હેતુ યુનિવર્સિટી કેમ્પસને 'પ્લાસ્ટિક ફ્રી

કેમ્પસ' બનાવવાનો હતો.

આ અભિયાનમાં સ્વયંસેવકોએ બહોળી સંખ્યામાં ભાગ લીધો હતો. આણંદ કૃષિ યુનિવર્સિટીના કુલપતિ ડો. કે.બી. કથીરીયા, વિસ્તરણ શિક્ષણ નિયામક ડો. એચ.બી. પટેલ, વિદ્યાર્થી કલ્યાણ નિયામક ડો. ડી.એચ. પટેલ અને કુલસચિવ ડો. જી.આર. પટેલ વિદ્યાર્થીઓને પ્રોત્સાહિત કરવા માટે ઉપસ્થિત રહ્યા હતા.

યુનિવર્સિટીની દરેક કોલેજના

આચાર્ય અને એનએસએસ તથા એનસીસી યુનિટના કન્વીનરે આ અભિયાન માટે જહેમત ઉઠાવી હતી. વિદ્યાર્થી પરિષદના સભ્યો અને જનરલ સેક્રેટરીએ પણ આ અભિયાનમાં સહયોગ આપ્યો હતો. કુલપતિએ વિદ્યાર્થીઓ સાથે પ્લાસ્ટિકનો ઉપયોગ ટાળવા માટે ગોષ્ઠી પણ કરી હતી અને વિદ્યાર્થીઓના 'પ્લાસ્ટિક ફ્રી કેમ્પસ અભિયાન'ના આ પ્રયાસને બિરદાવ્યો હતો.



# આણંદ કૃષિ યુનિવર્સિટી ખાતે 'પ્લાસ્ટિક-ફ્રી કેમ્પસ અભિયાન' યોજાયું



આણંદ, તા.૧૨  
તારીખ ૧૨ ડીસેમ્બરના  
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હોર્ટીકલ્ચર, કોલેજ ઓફ ફૂડ  
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આ બધી સંસ્થાઓના  
એન.એસ.એસ. અને  
એન.સી.સી. યુનિટ દ્વારા  
સંયુક્ત રીતે કેમ્પસનું સ્વચ્છ  
અભિયાન યોજવામાં આવ્યું  
હતું. આ અભિયાનનો મૂળ હેતુ

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બહોળી સંખ્યામાં ભાગ લીધો  
હતો. આણંદ કૃષિ  
યુનિવર્સિટીના માનનીય કુલપતિ  
ડો. કે. બી. કધીરીયા, વિસ્તરણ  
શિક્ષણ નિયામક ડો. એચ. બી.  
પટેલ, વિદ્યાર્થી કલ્યાણ  
નિયામક ડો. ડી. એચ. પટેલ  
અને કુલસચિવ ડો. જી. આર.  
પટેલ વિદ્યાર્થીઓને પ્રોત્સાહિત  
કરવા માટે ઉપસ્થિત રહ્યા હતા.  
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આચાર્ય અને એન.એસ.એસ.  
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કન્વીનરે આ અભિયાન માટે  
ઘણી જહેમત ઉઠાવી હતી.  
વિદ્યાર્થી પરિષદના સભ્યો અને  
જનરલ સેક્રેટરીએ પણ આ  
અભિયાનમાં સહયોગ આપ્યો  
હતો.

માનનીય કુલપતિએ  
વિદ્યાર્થીઓ સાથે પ્લાસ્ટિકનો  
ઉપયોગ ટાળવા માટે ગોષ્ઠી પણ  
કરી હતી અને વિદ્યાર્થીઓના  
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અભિયાન'ના આ પ્રયાસને  
બિરદાવ્યો હતો.