

UNIVERSITY OF PUNE
NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME (N.S.S.)

National Service Scheme :

Higher and technical Education Maharashtra state has sanctioned 32,813 volunteers strength to Pune University for the year 2003-2004. Which has been distributed in 184 colleges situated in Pune, Ahmednagar and Nashik district.

NSS activities have been divided in two major groups. These are regular activities and special camping programme.

The units in Colleges were allotted as 50, 100,150,200 & 250.

1. Common Programmes :

During the year for creating awareness amongs the volunteers following programmes were undertaken by most of the colleges some programmes are mentioned below.

a) Orientation to Volunteers :-

All most all colleges have taken orientation programme for NSS Volunteers to impart information of NSS and know about badge, logo, motto, setup etc.

b) Hiroshima day, Kranti Abhiyan, Teachers day, Independence day, Blood donation, Nirmalya Sankalan, Andhashraddha Nirmulan were some of the programmes.

2. Special Camp :

Special camps were organised by colleges between 15th November to 10th February 2004 in villages with a theme of 'Youth for Cleanliness.' Dr. Sanjay Chakane, NSS Co-ordinator visited different camps along with State Liaison Officer, Assistant Programme Adviser and District Co-ordinators etc.

The camps were organised for making bunds for water harvesting, water literacy, constricting roads etc.

Below table shows organization of camps.

District	No. of Colleges	Organization of Camps	No. of colleges not arranges camps
Pune City	47	43	04
Pune Rural	34	32	02
Ahmednagar	53	52	01
Nashik	50	49	01
Total	184	176	08

The value of 'Shramadan' work established in camps comes out to be 97 lakh and kind of work done is

1. Bunds – 87
2. Construction of Roads – 44 km
3. Tree Plantation – 18180
4. Village lakes – 16
5. Blood donation – 1698
6. Medical Checkup – 3155
7. Animal Medical checkup – 1440
8. Survey of Houses – 12324
9. Cleaning of Gutters – 11 km

3. Celebration of Youth Week :

NSS celebration youth week from 12th January to 19th January 2004. In each college in this week different competition were held, such as elocution, debate, singing, dancing, drama etc.

4. Pulse Polio Immunization Campaign :

National pulse polio immunization days were observed on 4th January and 22nd February. NSS volunteers in all colleges worked on awareness about the need of polio immunization and helped to implement this campaign.

5. **State Level Convention :**

State level convention was organised on 3rd and 4th August 2003, at Mohal, district Solapur 188 Programme Officers along with Prof. Tej Nivalikar and Mr. Vithal Sathe.

6. **Pre R. D. Training Camp :**

Two Pre R. D. Training camps were held one at Arts, Commerce & Science college, Lonawala, Pune during 9th – 13th October 2003. Mr. Jambhule of R.D.O, Prof. Tej Nivalikar, Principal Raosaheb Shinde and a famous film actress Tanuja visited the camp and delivered lectures at the camp 100 volunteers participated in the camp.

The other camp was organised at Arts, Science, Commerce college, Rajur District Ahmednagar 65 volunteers from Ahmednagar and Nashik district participated in the camp. SLO Hon. Nilufar Ahmed, Asst. Advisory Hon. Captain Subhash Chand, Principal Nandakumar Nikam, Prof. Tej Nivalikar and Shri Vithal Sathe visited the camp and delivered lectures at the camp.

7. **Principals and Programme Officers Workshop :**

One day workshop was organised for principals and Programme Officers of the colleges to which new units of NSS are granted on 16 Dec. 2004. 47 – persons participated in this workshop. Prof. Raosaheb Shinde, Dr. Arun Adsool, Prof. Nandakumar Nikam, Principal C. N. Rawal conducted sessions in this workshop.

8. **Programme Officers Workshop :**

Pune University NSS Department and Arts, Commerce, Science, college Ghodegaon jointly organised 3 day workshop at holy place Bhimashankar on 22nd , 23rd and 24 March 2004. CCT was theme workshop was inaugurated at auspicious hands of Shri. Ratnakar Dada Kodilkar, trustee of Bhimashankar Trust by lighting lamp. Forest Conservator Shri. Vasantrao Takalkar, Dr. Arun Deshpande, Shri. Mirajgaonkar, Shri. Kolap were present 100 Programme

Officers of Pune University participated in the workshop. I was explained Topics like, water management with the help of lectures, practical, demonstration by guests Discussions with experts, question answers session.

9. **CCT workshop for NSS Programme Officers :**

Programme Officers workshop at Bhimashankar was organised at Bhimashankar in collaboration with Ghodegaon from 22nd to 24th March 2004 college 120 Programme Officers were present Dr. Ashok Kolaskar, Vice-Chancellor Pune University addressed the gathering. Maharashtra Knowledge Corporation Personalities such as Prof. B. K. Dhonde, Dr. Arun Deshpande, Prof. Vasant Takalkar imparted the training, other dignitaries present were Dr. Arun Adsool, Dr. Gajanan Ekbote, Dr. Sambhaji Pathare, Dr. Sanjeev Sonwane, Mrs. Kolaskar, Prof. M. S. Jadhav, etc.

The teachers were trained for Continuous Contour Trenches in order to percolate water inside the soil.

10. **State Level Awards :**

Shardabai Pawar College and Prof. Mohan Nimbalkar has been awarded With best college and best NSS Programme Officers award at state level. Miss Triveni Bhonde bagged best volunteer award.

11. **University Level Camp :**

NSS Pune University has organised university level camp organised in collaboration with K. J. Somaiya College, Kopargaon at Jalage Dhondewadi. Popatrao Pawar Inaugurated the camp on 22nd Feb. on 28th Feb. Prof. Nilufer Ahmed, Capt. Subhash Chand and Dr. Chakane visited the camp 200 volunteers participated in the camp.

12. **Environment Awareness Programme :**

The Environment Awareness Programme was organised from 21st to 25th Jan. 2004 in the university campus for the student who never visited campus .

The camp was inaugurated with the hands of Hon. Dr. Ashok Kolaskar. During the camp 50 'Chinch' plantation was done. Cleaning of Shivaji statue area and Sevak Vihar was also done.

13. **District Level Camps :**

Three camps at district level were organised.

Sr. No.	College	Place	Dates	No. of Students
1	Hutatma Rajguru college, Rajur	Satkhede	11 th to 15 th Feb 04	90
2	Arvind Telang college, Nigdi	Sadumbare	11 th to 15 th Feb 04	110
3	Babuji Ahwad college, Pathardi	Mohatadevi	20 th to 24 th Feb 04	85

14. **Mahatma Gandhi Vichar Parishad :**

Gandhi Vichar Parishad was organised in 'Dnyaneshwar Sabhagruha' on 30th to 31st Jan. 2004 in collaboration with students welfare department 159 volunteers participated in the Parishad who has written 'Research Papers' on different issues related to Gandhi. 40 participants were given chance to read their research papers. The convention was inaugurated by M. P. Mangudkar, Dr. Ram Takwale. During the convention Dr. Ashok Kolaskar, Dr. D. D. Deshmukh, Dr. Arun Adsool, Dr. Gajanan Ekbote, Dr. Sadanand More, Prin. Raosaheb Shinde, Prof. Dilip Kadam visited and shared their views. Dr. Chakane, Prof. Tej Niwalikar and Mr. Vithal Sathe organised the parishad.

15. **State Level Camp :**

Two State Level Camps were organised. NSS, Pune University participated in following camps.

- i. Bharsingi (Nagpur)
- ii. Amravati

16. National Integration Camp :

- I. **Ludhiyana** – Team of 10 girl volunteers participated in NIC under the leadership of Prof. S. Tayade of Symbiosis College and bagged three different prizes at National Level.
- II. **Banglore** – Team of 10 Volunteers participate in National Peace Programme at Bangalore for life style education under the leadership of Prof. Awasthi.

III. Inter Exchange Programme –

a. Baburaoji Gholap College, Sangvi, Pune :

10 Volunteers alongwith Prof. Rama Pawar visited Bangalore University for Inter-Exchange Programme.

b. Haribhai Desai College, Pune :

10 Volunteers alongwith Prof. S. Hande visited Mallavalli, Mysore Karnataka for 10 Days Inter–Exchange

17. Common Action Programme :

15 Colleges organised Common Action Programme on Family organisation in different parts of Pune University Jurisdiction.