

World Water Day



Date of the Event: 23 March, 2023

Venue of the Event: Adpoted Village Chandala, Gadchiroli

Organizing Department: National Service Scheme

Objectives of the Event:

01. To know the importance of water.
02. To preserve the water for the future.
03. To encourage the students not to waste water.
04. to inspire individuals to manage freshwater resources sustainably and take necessary actions to address these issues.

Brief Report:

The focus of World Water Day 2023 is on the theme of ‘**Accelerating the change to solve the water and sanitation crisis,**’ underlining the vital importance of taking decisive action to address the global water crisis. According to the UN, there are billions of people, as well as numerous schools, businesses, healthcare centers, farms, and factories, who lack access to safe water and sanitation facilities. Therefore, it is imperative to move beyond the status quo and take swift measures to accelerate change and address this pressing issue.

The volunteers of NSS observed International World Day on 23 March 2023 at the adopted village, Chandala. The day is used to advocate for the sustainable management of freshwater resources. World Water Day is significant as it raises awareness about the global water crisis and emphasizes the importance of preserving freshwater resources. The day promotes the achievement of Sustainable Development Goal 6, which aims to provide access to clean water and sanitation for everyone by 2030. World Water Day highlights the challenges related to water scarcity, water pollution, inadequate water supply, and lack of sanitation facilities. The NSS volunteers including female students in the village were playing a drama on the street (Path Natya) of the village. Dr. M. J. Meshram (Off. Principal) NSS program officers and other students and teachers were also present at the event. The villagers' males and females eagerly observed the Path Natya performed by our volunteers. They also understood the importance of pure water and its perseverance.

Event Outcomes:

The students and villagers, including males and females, understood the water's importance because it is an elixir on the earth.

International Earth Day



Date of the Event: 24 April, 2023

Venue of the Event: Shivaji Mahavidyalaya Gadchiroli Gadchiroli

Organizing Department: Department of NSS

Objectives of the Event:

01. To know the importance of the Earth.
02. To protect the Earth
03. To encourage the students to keep the Earth unpolluted.
04. To promote renewable energy

Brief Report:

The students of the Geography department observed International Earth Day on 24 April 2023 in the college. The day is used to advocate for the sustainable management of maintenance of clean and unpolluted Earth. ORG announced the theme for Earth Day 2023 - "Invest in Our Planet." The campaign will focus on engaging governments, institutions, businesses, and

individuals in the fight against the climate crisis and the transition to a green, prosperous, and equitable future. Composting is an easy way to reduce waste and create nutrient-rich soil for your garden. Use reusable bags, water bottles, and containers to reduce the amount of plastic waste your family produces. Dr. M. J. Meshram (Off. Principal) chaired the function and was head of the Geography Department, students and teachers were also present at the event.

Event Outcomes:

The students and the teachers understood the importance of Earth Day to protect the planet from things like pollution and deforestation. By taking part in activities like picking up litter and planting trees, we're making our world a happier, healthier place to live.

'Cleanliness Drive Campaign' under the Swachha Bharat Mission



Date of the Event: 18 September, 2022

Venue of the Event: Shivaji Mahavidyalaya Gadchiroli

Organizing Department: National Service Scheme

Objectives of the Event:

- 1) To eliminate open defecation and improve solid waste management in India.
- 2) To address sanitation issues and promote cleanliness across the country
- 3) To make India Open Defecation Free (ODF).

Brief Report:

The cleanliness drive campaign was organized by the NSS unit of our college on 18 September 2022. The campaign was inaugurated by the Principal of our college, Dr. M. J. Meshram. In his inaugural speech, he emphasized the importance of cleanliness in our daily lives and urged the students to take an active part in the campaign.

The campaign was divided into two parts. In the first part, the students cleaned the college campus. They swept the classrooms, corridors, and gardens. They also picked up the litter and garbage lying around. In the second part of the

campaign, the students cleaned the nearby locality. They swept the streets and lanes. They also picked up the litter and garbage lying around.

The campaign was a huge success. The students worked with great enthusiasm and dedication. They cleaned the college campus and the nearby locality thoroughly. The campaign also helped to raise awareness about the importance of cleanliness among the students.

Event Outcomes:

The campaign helped to raise awareness about the importance of cleanliness among the students. It also helped to promote social responsibility among the students.

**“Plastic Free Cleanliness Drive at the Bus stop and Tahsil area” under
Sadbhavna Pandharwada**



Date of the Event: 24 September, 2022

Venue of the Event: Bus Stop and Tahsil Area

Organizing Department: National Service Scheme

Objectives of the Event:

- 1) To create awareness among the people on the hazards of single use of plastic and to motivate them towards the use of paper or fabric (Cotton or Jute) bags.
- 2) To create a plastic-free environment in the adjoining areas of SMG. To make India Open Defecation Free (ODF).
- 3) To foster a sense of national unity and promote positive interactions among various faiths and cultures.

Brief Report:

The Plastic Free Cleanliness Drive was organized on 24 September 2022 with the “Awareness Campaign and Collection of Plastic Waste in the area of Bus Stop and Tahsil Area” at the adjoining areas of SMG. Under the leadership of Dr. M. J. Meshram (Off. Principal), the program has been organized. NSS

Unit has arranged a Swachha Bharat Mission Rally from college premises to the Bus Station and Tahsil Office to create awareness among people, Volunteers have collected plastic waste from bus station areas, commercial shops, tahsil places, etc. and the collected Plastic Waste is being sent to the (Waste to Energy) plant, Nagarparishad Gadchiroli. They are also educating people on the use of paper or fabric (Cotton or Jute) bags instead of plastic bags which create many health and environmental hazards. As the main motive of the “Plastic Free Cleanliness Drive” is to seize the plastic waste from the adjoining areas of SMG so defaulters were also penalized during this event.

Event Outcomes:

Everyone understands that eliminating single-use plastic from society the removal of plastic will remove the problem of cancer through the consumption of goods packed in plastic.

Organized a one-day workshop on, 'CANCER' and Its impact on human life



Date of the Event: 25 July, 2022

Venue of the Event: Shivaji Mahavidyalaya Gadchiroli

Organizing Department: Department of NSS

Objectives of the Event:

- 1) To help educate people about cancer prevention, early detection, and screening, and how to remove the stigma and fear around the disease
- 2) To address the fears and barriers people face when talking about cancer
- 3) To reduce health inequalities and improve cancer outcomes.

Brief Report:

To spread awareness and aid in early diagnosis of cancer among our students, the Department of NSS conducted a workshop on Cancer Awareness and its Prevention on July 25, 2022. World Cancer Day is celebrated on February 4 every year. The theme 'I am and I Will' is a celebration of the resilience of cancer patients and healthcare workers. The guest speakers for this event were Dr. Lata Hasule (STOP Cancer Mission Multipurpose Society, Arogyadham Lifestyle Private Limited Nagpur), Dr Vilas Khune (Associate

Professor, Department of Marathi), and NSS Programme Officers. The common theme in the speeches was the urgent need to curb misconceptions related to cancer. As Dr. Lata Hasule advised, “Do not panic or delay treatment.”

According to Dr. Hasule, cancer does not necessarily mean death, “remission is common if symptoms receive speedy treatment. Further, a healthy lifestyle will drastically reduce cancer risks,” she advised. “Drink a lot of water, as water washes out all the free radicals from our body” added Dr. Khune. Dr. Khune talked about his vision of how to eradicate cancer from the nation by promoting an active and healthy lifestyle.

The session ended with a question-answer session which was very informative for the students.

Event Outcomes:

The students and the teachers understood how to educate themselves about this condition and support early detection or prevention of the disease.

Organized a one-day workshop on, 'MENTAL HEALTH': Problems and Satisfaction



Date of the Event:

14 September, 2022

Venue of the Event:

Shivaji Mahavidyalaya Gadchiroli

Organizing Department:

Department of NSS

Objectives of the Event:

- 1) To increase awareness and understanding of mental health issues, reducing stigma and fostering an open dialogue around mental well-being.
- 2) to raise awareness of mental health issues around the world and to mobilize efforts in support of mental health.

Brief Report:

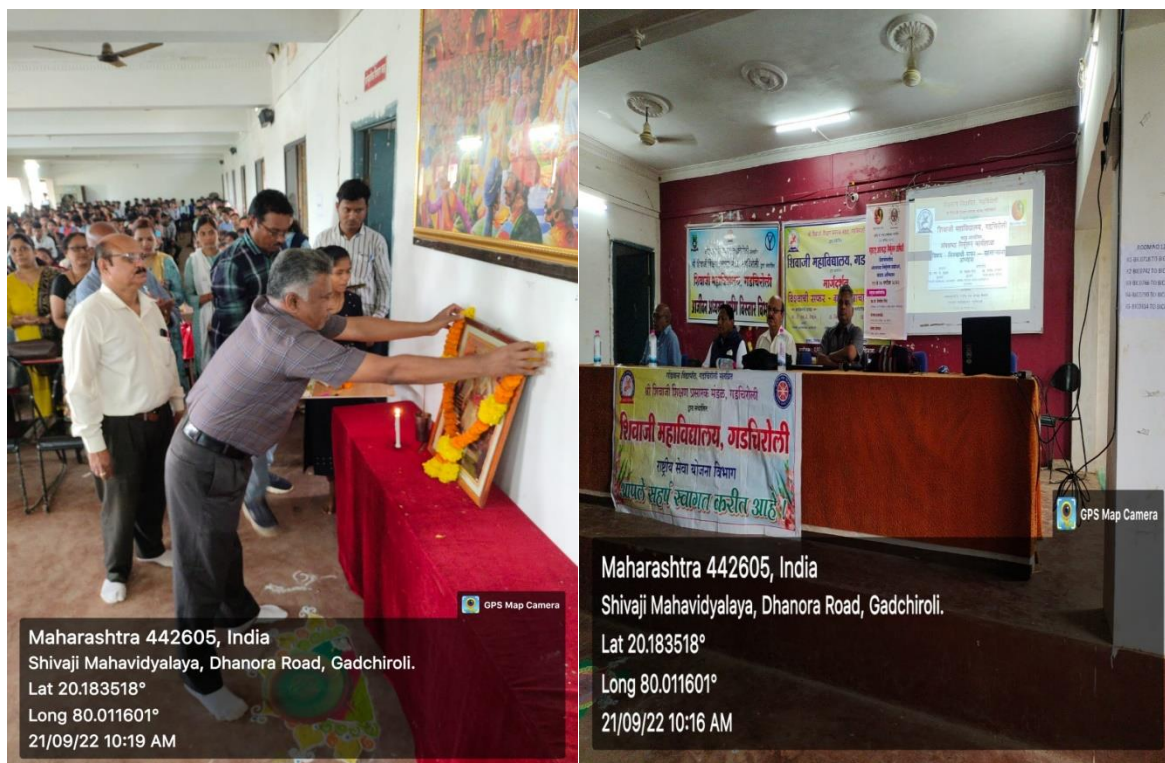
Department of NSS of Shivaji Mahavidyalaya, Gadchiroli held a one-day workshop, 'MENTAL HEALTH': Problems and Satisfaction on 14th September 2022. The workshop was conducted to review progress under various schemes of A non-governmental organization (NGO) like SEARCH in Gadchiroli region and the status of community-based mental health services. Dr. Mental Shrof, Mental Health Councilor in SEARCH, Chatgaon was invited to participate in the workshops. Dr. Vilas Khune, Dr. Kailas Bhandarkar, and Dr. Rajendra Gore participated in these workshops along with other teaching and non-teaching

staff of this college. Mr. Swapnil P. Dhokane Asst. Professor, Dept. of English welcomed all the delegates. The workshop was inaugurated with the opening remarks by Shri. Sanjay Raut, NSS Program Officer, wherein he introduced the purpose of the workshop and the agenda therein. Dr. Mental Shrof, Mental Health Councilor in SEARCH, Chatgaon briefed on the objectives of the program and the situation of cities in India. The workshop was initiated with a presentation by her and then handed over the dais to states for further presentations and discussion.

Event Outcomes:

Cope with the stresses of life.

Organized a one-day workshop on, 'ERADICATION OF SUPERSTITION'



Date of the Event: 21 September, 2022

Venue of the Event: Shivaji Mahavidyalaya Gadchiroli

Organizing Department: Department of NSS and Culture

Objectives of the Event:

- 1) Develop anti-prejudicial thinking in students
- 2) Inform students about constitutional and humanistic principles toward life
- 3) Initiate scientific, social, and constitutional wisdom and responsibility toward society

Brief Report:

The department of NSS and the Cultural Department of the college have jointly organized one-day workshop on the Eradication of superstition on 21 September

2022. Dr. M. J. Meshram, (Off. Principal) has presided over this event. For this workshop, the employees of 'Andhasraddha Nirmulan Samiti', Gadchiroli, Hon. Dr. Nitin Shinde, and Hon. Sanjay Bansod guided the students through the workshop in the form of demonstrations. Various demonstrations helped to inculcate a scientific attitude in the students. This workshop will greatly help in creating awareness among the students as well as all the concerned people regarding the elimination of superstitions. Principal Dr. M. J. Meshram guided to complete this workshop. National Service Scheme Programme Officer Mr. S.C. Raut, Dr. Rajendra Gore, Mr. Swapnil Dhokane, Asst. Professor, Dept. of English, other teaching and non-teaching staff played an important role in the completion of this workshop.

Event Outcomes:

Everyone knows that to overcome any superstition is to do some research on the history of superstition including the era in history when it emerged.

**Organized a one-day workshop on, 'OVERVIEW OF SCHOLARSHIP
AND EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES'**



Date of the Event: 1 October, 2022

Venue of the Event: Shivaji Mahavidyalaya Gadchiroli

Organizing Department: Department of NSS

Objectives of the Event:

- 1) To empower students with a set of employability skills that would make them more competitive in the job market.
- 2) To aim is welfare and motivation to the students of these categories by providing financial assistance at the higher secondary educational stage.

Brief Report:

On the campaign of 'Seva Pandharwada', which was going from 17 September to 2 October 2022. The Department of NSS of Shivaji Mahavidyalaya, Gadchiroli, and the Social Justice & Special Assistance Department, Gadchiroli have jointly organized a one-day workshop on, "OVERVIEW OF SCHOLARSHIP AND EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES" dated

1st October 2022. Mr. R. K. Pote, Social Welfare Officer, Gadchiroli. They emphasized that, Equal opportunity policies ensure that employees are treated fairly and with respect, regardless of their characteristics. They can also help create a positive work environment where everyone feels valued and supported. Dr. M. J. Meshram (Off. Principal) has presided over this program. They proclaimed that Scholarships can be an important source of financial assistance for college students. Unlike loans, scholarship funds are free money that students don't have to pay back. By ensuring equal opportunities, we can build a society that is inclusive, and diverse and provides a level playing field for all its members. From a moral standpoint, equal opportunities are essential for promoting social justice and equity. The chief guests were Ms. Rupali Aparajit, Mr. Nilesh Kirange, Gurudeo Kusram, Mr. Lomesh Darde, Prof. Rupesh Kolhe, By the succeeding of this event, Dr. Vilas Khune, Dr. Kailas Bhandarkar, and Dr. Rajendra Gore and other teaching and non-teaching staff were participated in these workshops.

Event Outcomes:

Equal opportunities are given to all students to develop their skills.

“Plastic Free Cleanliness Drive at Reliance Trends Moll to Forest Office Gadchiroli” under, ‘Swachha Bharat 2.0’



Date of the Event: 11 October, 2022

Venue of the Event: Reliance Mart, Dhanora Road to Forest
Department Gadchiroli

Organizing Department: Department of NSS

Objectives of the Event:

- 1) Discouraging open defecation by constructing toilets nationwide.
- 2) Making all cities “garbage-free” by the end of its five-year period (1st October 2021 to 1st October 2026).
- 3) Contribute to the achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) 2030.

Brief Report:

Department of NSS of Shivaji Mahavidyalaya, Gadchiroli, Nehru Yuva Kendya, and Nagar Parishad, Gadchiroli have jointly organized, “Plastic Free Cleanliness Drive at Reliance Trends Moll to Forest Office Gadchiroli” under, ‘Swachha Bharat 2.0’ dated on 11 October 2022. To achieve the vision of a “Garbage Free” Urban India – more focus on issues such as source segregation, collection & transportation, and processing, including effective management of

Construction & Demolition waste, plastic waste management including a reduction in single-use plastic, and remediating all legacy dumpsites. NSS volunteers raised awareness through a rally with placards and a street play on a plastic-free campus. The initiative was conducted under the national campaign Swachh Bharat Mission 2.0, with the steadfast guidance of College Principal Dr. M. J. Meshram.

Led by Dr. Rajendra Gore and Mr. Sanjay C. Raut, NSS Programme Officers, along with the support of Mr. Swapnil P. Dhokane and Dr. R. P. Karodkar, the event kicked off with an insightful extension lecture on the importance of maintaining a healthy environment and the core values of cleanliness. NSS volunteers enthusiastically participated in cleaning Reliance Trends Moll to Forest Office Gadchiroli, diligently collecting waste materials, especially plastic and polythene, from every corner. Dr. Rajendra Gore enlightened the students about the challenges posed by solid waste generation and imparted knowledge on its safe disposal methods. Additionally, a campaign advocating 'Say No to Plastic' was launched, stressing the imperative to make the campus plastic-free.

The initiative saw the active involvement of approximately 200 students, reflecting a strong commitment to environmental stewardship and civic responsibility.

Event Outcomes:

Equal opportunities are given to all students to develop their skills.

Organized program on, “Implement an anti-substance awareness campaign”



Date of the Event: 13 October, 2022

Venue of the Event: Shivaji Mahavidyalaya Gadchiroli

Organizing Department: Department of NSS

Objectives of the Event:

- 1) Empower students to make informed decisions related to the use of alcohol and other drugs.
- 2) Emphasize an awareness of choice, personal responsibility, and understanding of consequences. in deciding to use alcohol and other drugs.

Brief Report:

An Anti-drug awareness program was conducted in the institute under NSS UNIT. Sri. Rashtrapal Savaitul, Anti-Terrorism Pathak Nodal Officer, Nagpur was invited as a chief guest to create an awareness on the ill-effects of drug and alcohol consumption, in a comprehensive manner. Sri. Rashtrapal Savaitul in his motivational speech, informed that every day India sees 10 suicides related to drug abuse. He also added that a report by the central government

demonstrated that the vast majority of youth are receiving drug and alcohol prevention messages from sources such as TV, radio, posters and pamphlets, Movie ads, and campaigns such as this. Furthermore, the report on its special analysis showed that those who have been exposed to such messages are significantly less likely to abuse drugs. The Government of India is making every visible effort to prevent teen drug use via the National Youth Anti-Drug Media Campaign, especially for those making the difficult transition from schools to colleges via their National-level Anti-Drug Policies. Dr. M. J. Meshram, Principal, Shivaji Mahavidyalaya, Gadchiroli in this event stated that youth are the largest force in our nation and it must be directed positively for their happy, healthy, and holy living. He expressed that youth only can save themselves by conducting a large number of events campaigning anti-drug messages to make a significant impact in society. He said the Government of AP has been taking all necessary measures to bring awareness to the public via TV, radio, posters, pamphlets, movies, and advertisements on anti-alcohol and drug prevention messages in the past 2 years rigorously. The chief guests of this program were Dr. Vilas Khue, Mr. Vilas Sidam, and Mr. Bahadur Sidam. In this event, Dr. Rajendra Gore and Mr. Sanjay C. Raut, NSS Programme Officers, faculty members along students were present as the decent audience.

Event Outcomes:

Drug awareness campaigns are important because they help to reduce the prevalence of drug abuse and addiction in society. By educating students about the risks associated with drug abuse, these campaigns can help students and teachers make informed decisions about their substance use.

Celebrated 'Vachan Prerna Din'



Date of the Event: 15 October, 2022

Venue of the Event: Shivaji Mahavidyalaya Gadchiroli Gadchiroli

Organizing Department: Department of NSS

Objectives of the Event:

- 1) To inculcate the preserve a reading culture among students.
- 2) Guided Reading- Students focus on their goal before beginning reading.

Brief Report:

Vachan Prerna Din, or Reading Day, is celebrated on October 15th to honor former Indian President Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam's birth anniversary. The day is celebrated to promote reading culture and encourage students to read and learn. Some colleges and schools celebrate Vachan Prerna Din with programs such as Guest lectures, E-quizzes, Display of Marathi literature books, Book donations, and "No Gadget Day. Dr. M. J. Meshram (Off. Principal) chaired the function. A guest lecture by Mr. Rupesh Kolhe, Asst. Professor, Dept. of Economics on "Online Educational Sources of Learning" and "Improving reading habits and skills", students and teachers were also present at the event.

Event Outcomes:

Students understood that reading is the complex cognitive process of decoding symbols to derive meaning. It is a form of processing. Success in this process is measured as reading comprehension. Reading is a means for language acquisition, communication, and sharing information and ideas.

Krantijyoti Savitribai Phule Birth Anniversary Celebration



Date of the Event: 3 January, 2023

Venue of the Event: Shivaji Mahavidyalaya Gadchiroli

Organizing Department: Department of NSS

Objectives of the Event:

- 1) To make students aware of the educational work of Savitribai Phule.
- 2) To help students to understand Savitribai Phule.

Brief Report:

On the occasion of the 192 Birth Anniversary of Mata Savitribai Phule, a talk was organized by the Convenor, Dr. K. R. Bhandarkar, Department of History of college on 3rd January 2023, at 11:00 am in the Cultural Hall. Principal Dr. M. J. Meshram delivered a lecture on the topic "Relevance of Reform by Krantijyoti Savitribai Phule in the 21st Century" where he elaborated on how

Savitribai Phule is not relevant only in the 21st century but in centuries through her words and works for society. The event was completed and about a hundred and twenty people attended the event including committee members, volunteers, faculty members, and students from diverse streams. The event was ended with a vote of thanks by Mr. Rupesh Kolhe

Event Outcomes:

Students understood that, Krantijyoti Savitribai Phule's life is heralded as a beacon of women's rights in India.

Organized a one-day workshop on, the 'Powerful and Inspiring Nasha Mukti Poster Competition'



Date of the Event: 6 October, 2022

Venue of the Event: Shivaji Mahavidyalaya Gadchiroli

Organizing Department: Department of NSS

Objectives of the Event:

- 1) To address substance abuse issues in India.
- 2) To reach through this campaign, every citizen in the country and move towards a healthier and happier society.

Brief Report:

On the campaign of 'Nasha Mukti', The Department of NSS of Shivaji Mahavidyalaya, Gadchiroli, and the Social Welfare Department, Gadchiroli and Nasha Bandi Mandal have jointly organized a one-day workshop on, 'Powerful and Inspiring Nasha Mukti Poster Competition' dated 6th October 2022. Mr. R. K. Pote, Social Welfare Officer, Gadchiroli. The Minister for Social Justice & Empowerment Shri Thawarchand Gehlot launched the website for the Nasha Mukti Bharat Abhiyaan (NMBA) on the occasion of International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking on 26 June 2021, which is observed worldwide to strengthen action and cooperation in achieving the goal of a

sustainable world free of substance abuse. The entire world is facing the menace of drug addiction which has a devastating impact on the addict, individual, family, and a large section of society.

The launch of Nasha Mukta Bharat Abhiyaan (NMBA) is for 272 Districts across 32 State/Union Territories that have been identified as the most vulnerable in terms of usage of drugs in the country. These vulnerable districts were identified based on findings from the Comprehensive National Survey and the inputs provided by the Narcotics Control Bureau (NCB). Dr. M. J. Meshram (Off. Principal) has presided over this program. They proclaimed that we should be actively involved in the implementation of the Drug-Free India campaign. Nearly 8000 youth volunteers and outreach workers of these institutions/organizations have gone from door to door, village to village, and nearby localities, etc. to educate the people about the ill effects of drug abuse and have assisted in the rehabilitation of victims of substance abuse. The chief guests were Mr. Shrikant Dhote, Shri. Bandopant Bhonekar, By the succeeding of this event, Dr. Vilas Khune, Dr. Kailas Bhandarkar, Dr. Rajendra Gore, and other teaching and non-teaching staff have participated in these workshops. At last, students have taken a pledge about Nasha Bandi, "Accepting this challenge of the country, today we unite under the Nasha Mukta Bharat Abhiyan and take a pledge that not only the community, family, friends but also ourselves will be drug-free because change should start with ourselves."

Event Outcomes:

Reach out to students and staff for awareness about the ill effects of drug use.

Organized, 'Mahaparinirvan Din'



Date of the Event: 6 December, 2022

Venue of the Event: Shivaji Mahavidyalaya Gadchiroli

Organizing Department: Department of NSS

Objectives of the Event:

- 1) To remember the memory of Dr Babasaheb Ambedkar on his Death Anniversary.
- 2) To help students to understand Dr Babasaheb Ambedkar.

Brief Report:

Dr. B. R. Ambedkar's Mahaparinirvan Diwas 2022: He passed away on December 6, 1956. The day is also observed as Mahaparinirvan Diwas. He is popularly known as Babasaheb and is the chief architect of India's Constitution. Dr. Ambedkar, who was born on April 14, 1891, was a jurist, economist, politician, and social reformer who played a key role in the upliftment of the oppressed sections of society. He was the first law minister of independent India and the principal architect of the Indian Constitution. He also campaigned against social discrimination against Dalits. On December 6, 2022, the 66th

Mahaparinirvan Din, Dr. M. J. Meshram, principal, Shivaji Mahavidyalaya, Gadchiroli paid floral tributes to Dr. Ambedkar.

Event Outcomes:

Students learned that to honor Ambedkar's contributions to society and the nation and to renew his commitment to his principles of equality, social justice, and human rights.

Organized a Campaign on, 'Chala Januya Nadila'



Date of the Event: 16 January, 2023

Venue of the Event: Shivaji Mahavidyalaya Gadchiroli

Organizing Department: Department of NSS

Objectives of the Event:

- 1) To remember the memory of Dr Babasaheb Ambedkar on his Death Anniversary.
- 2) To help students to understand Dr Babasaheb Ambedkar.

Brief Report:

The river conservation campaign “Chala Januya Nadila” (Let us know our Rivers) was initiated by the Tourism and Cultural Affairs Department under ‘Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav’ with the theme to conserve nature, and conserve life. Various activities and competitions were conducted in college as part of the awareness campaign. Embankment Department Deputy Executive Engineer, Jalnayak Shri. Ganesh Pardeshi was the resource person. The program commenced with the felicitation of Embankment Department Deputy Executive Engineer, Jalnayak Shri. Ganesh Pardeshi by the Principal Dr. M. J. Meshram. The Principal sir welcomed the guest and appreciated the college NSS Cell for making efforts to address the issue. He added that it is high time to take up such issues to save our nature. Shri. Ganesh Pardeshi briefed the students about the Chala Januya Nadila Campaign. He extensively talked about the environmental

challenges and how it desperately need serious attention. Through the interactive way, Shri. Wakade explained his experiences and efforts to save the rivers from pollution. The students actively participated in the competitions and made efforts to create awareness among the people for maintaining the cleanliness and beauty of the rivers and the surrounding areas, ensuring sustainable conservation.

The talk gradually progressed into providing detailed mitigation strategies that he had adopted over time and that were meant to equip people living in the ecosystem. Shri. P. M. Ingole explained about the Kathani River. He evaluated the importance of bio-enzymes in breaking down waste material or different sorts of pollution. The talk ended with a Q&A session. The event addressed the issue of river pollution and the various threats it placed before the ecosystem in various ways, while simultaneously sensitising the students about the impending danger for humanity if river pollution is not addressed in time. The vote of thanks was proposed by NSS Coordinator Dr. Rajendra Gore.

Event Outcomes:

Everyone needs to be river literate.

World Aids Day and Rally



Date of the Event: 1 December, 2022

Venue of the Event: Shivaji Mahavidyalaya, Gadchiroli

Organizing Department: National Service Scheme

Objectives of the Event:

- 1) To raise awareness about HIV/AIDS and demonstrate international solidarity in the face of the pandemic.
- 2) To spread awareness about the status of the pandemic and encourage progress in HIV/AIDS prevention, treatment, and care around the world.

Brief Report:

1st Dec. World AIDS Day is celebrated everywhere in India the main objective of this program is to create awareness about the symptoms, causes, and preventives of the pandemic disease HIV/AIDS that has taken an unprecedented number of lives. NSS Unit of Shivaji Mahavidyalaya, Gadchiroli participated in an AIDS awareness drive program. In this program, all NSS

volunteers of Colleges in Gadchiroli were gathered at Women Hospital Gadchiroli, and counseling sessions and Rally was organized under the presidency of Dr. Rajendra Gore and Mr. Sanjay C. Raut, NSS Co-Ordinator, District Civil Hospital, Gadchiroli. Dr. Rude (CS and HIV Awareness, District Program Officer), Dr. M. J. Meshram, (Off. Principal, Shivaji Mahavidyalaya, Gadchiroli, Prof. Vilas Khune, Dr. K. R. Bhandarkar, Mr. Swapnil Dhomane, Mr. R. K. Nandagawali, and other teaching and non-teaching staff. All the dignitaries from different colleges and all present students took the pledge of HIV AIDS AWARENESS. To arrange an awareness drive about HIV in society, our college an appreciation certificate. After the awareness rally, the program ended by singing the National Anthem in the presence of all Staff and students.

Event Outcomes:

Students dedicated to raising awareness of the Aids pandemic caused by the spread of HIV infection.

NSS Special Camp



Date of the Event: 6 to 12 February, 2022

Venue of the Event: Adpoted Village Chandala, Gadchiroli

Organizing Department: National Service Scheme

Objectives of the Event:

- 1) It provides unique opportunities to the students for group living, collective experience sharing, and constant interaction with the community.
- 2) Providing opportunities for NSS volunteers to implement development programs.
- 3) Helping campers develop a sense of discipline and devotion.

Brief Report:

National Service Scheme (NSS) camp was organized by Shivaji Mahavidyalaya, Gadchiroli, funded by Shri Shivaji Shikshan Prasarak Mandal, Gadchiroli during the period of 6th Feb to 12th Feb 2022 at Chandala, Gadchiroli. NSS was established in 1969 with a vision of the personality

development of students through community service and well as the development of rural areas in India.

NSS Unit has been introduced in colleges with the optimism of establishing a sense of social responsibility amongst students and inculcating values of self-discipline and selfless dedication towards community development. As a part of NSS Activities, a 7-day camp was held by the NSS Unit of Shivaji Mahavidyalaya, Gadchiroli at Chandala Village, Gadchiroli between 6th Feb to 12th Feb 2022. Various social activities were held with a sole view of rural development and value education. We, being a part of the cultural committee, undertook various cultural activities in the village to promote interaction with the villagers and used the NSS platform to spread awareness about different social issues. This special camp was inaugurated by Shri. Anil Patil Mhashakhetri, President of Shri Shivaji Shikshan Prasarak Mandal, Gadchiroli. The Chief guest of this program was Dr. Shyam Khandare, Director, Department of NSS, Gondwana University, Gadchiroli, Shri. D. N. Chaple, member, Shri Shivaji Shikshan Prasarak Mandal, Gadchiroli, Shri. Bambole, member, dispute arbitration in Chandala. Two Hundred NSS Volunteers participated in this special camp.

Event Outcomes:

NSS helps the student to grow individually and also as a group. Volunteering for various tasks under NSS activities allows students to become confident, develop leadership skills, and learn about different people from different walks of life.

NSS Foundation Day



Date of the Event: 24 September, 2022

Venue of the Event: Shivaji Mahavidyalaya, Gadchiroli

Organizing Department: National Service Scheme

Objectives of the Event:

- 1) To encourage young volunteers to develop their personality through community service.
- 2) To motivate volunteers to continue their selfless service towards community work.
- 3) To identify the needs and problems of the community and involve them in problem-solving.

Brief Report:

On 24 September 2022, the NSS Foundation Day was celebrated with great enthusiasm by the NSS Department of Shivaji Mahavidyalaya, Gadchiroli. Students celebrated this day by voluntarily cleaning the grounds and premises of the college spreading the message of cleanliness. Program Officer of NSS

Department Dr. Rajendra Gore and Mr. Sanjay Raut and all NSS volunteers participated in this cleanliness drive. A special lecture on “Role of NSS in Development of Social and Human Ethical Values” was organized for the students on this occasion. Dr. Vilas Khune Former Co-Ordinator of the NSS Department was invited as the guest speaker. Principal Dr. M. J. Meshram graced the occasion with their presence. On the occasion of the NSS Foundation, He motivated the students for social work. Mr. Sanjay Raut compared the program and in his address, explained the importance, concept, and motivation behind NSS Day to the students. Chief Guest Dr. Vilas Khune, while interacting with the students, introduced the concept of the ‘National Service Scheme’ as ‘Education and Service’. He explained the significant role of social work done through NSS in the all-round development of a student by giving different examples. He explained in detail what a volunteer should learn through various surveys and activities conducted in NSS and how one must apply these things in day-to-day life. He also briefed the students about various activities, schemes, and camps conducted by the NSS department at the college, and university level. Dr. Rajendra Gore presented the Vote of Thanks.

Event Outcomes:

Students understood that NSS Foundation Day’s central mission revolves around bridging the gap between educational institutions and local communities, with a special emphasis on rural areas.

