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**NSS SPECIAL CAMP 2024 REPORT**

**UNIT-6**

**21.10.24, 22.10.24 & 24.10.24**





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### **NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME UNIT -6**

#### **DAY 1**

**DATE : 21.10.2024 (Monday)**

**VENUE : MYLERIPALAYAM VILLAGE, COIMBATORE**

| <b>Timing</b>     | <b>Events</b>                          |
|-------------------|--|
| 10.00 to 11.30 am | Inauguration ceremony                  |
| 11.45 to 1.00 pm  | Cleaning the school premises           |
|                   | Preparation of land for Kitchen garden |
| 2.00 to 4.00 pm   | Events for school students             |
|                   | Preparation of land for Kitchen garden |

NSS special camp of NSS Unit 6 of Amrita School of Agricultural Sciences was inaugurated on 21.10.2024 at Government High School, Myleripalayam. Totally 57 students from 2022 batch attended the NSS special camp. The inaugural programme began with a prayer song by Ms. M.P. Sreedevi of 2022 batch and the programme was convened by Ms. Monika Reddy and Ms. Prathiksha of 2022 batch. Dr. K. Murugasridevi, NSS Programme Officer, NSS Unit 6 welcomed the gathering and delivered the plan of work of NSS special camp. After this, the Dean of Amrita School of Agricultural Sciences, Dr. Sudheesh Manalil delivered the presidential address and inaugurated the NSS special camp. He insisted the NSS students to actively participate in the NSS camp. He also elaborated the various features of our

agricultural farm in which exotic fruits and vegetables are grown. He also assured that agricultural based services will be rendered for the Myleripalayam village through our School. In addition, Our Dean felt very happy to collaborate with the Govt. School in future activities. Following this, the special address was delivered by Mrs. S. Umagowri, Headmistress, Government High School, Myleripalayam. She gladly welcomed our students to do service for the school. She also encouraged the students to work happily during the camp. Following this, Mr.Thirumoorthy, Village President delivered the special address. Finally, Vote of thanks was given by Ms. Thanalekshmi NS of 2022 batch. The inauguration programme ended with a National Anthem. After the inaugural programme, NSS student volunteers were involved in the collection of plastic garbage within the school premises. Another group of NSS student volunteers were actively engaged in cleaning the weeds in the kitchen garden area and prepared the land for cultivation. This event was facilitated by Dr. K. Murugasridevi and Dr. K. Sivasabari. On the first day of the camp, events for school students such as Lemon in Spoon, Balloon bursting, Music chair and Running race competition were organized by NSS student volunteers.

## **DAY 2**

**DATE : 22.10.2024 (Tuesday)**

**VENUE : MYLERIPALAYAM VILLAGE, COIMBATORE**

| <b>Timing</b>       | <b>Events</b>   |
|---------------------|---|
| 9.00 to 9.30 am     | Yoga session for school students  |
| 10.00 to 11.00 Noon | Preparation of land for Kitchen garden  |
| 11.00 to 12.00 pm   | Rally on Anti-drug abuse for school students  |
| 12.00 to 1.00 pm    | Orientation session on methods to derive data from newspapers, Radio and Television |
| 2.00 to 4.00 pm     | Events for school students  |
|                     | Plastic waste removal at Village  |

As a part of NSS special camp, Yoga session was conducted for school students by NSS student volunteers. Asanas such as Taadasana, Vrikshasanam, Thrikonasana, Bhadrasana, Dandasana, Vajrasana and Surya namaskaram were taught by NSS students. A group of NSS student volunteers started pulverizing the land for

kitchen garden and made raised beds for planting seedlings. In order to create an awareness on ill effects of drug abuse, NSS student volunteers of Amrita School of Agricultural Sciences and students of Govt. High School, Myleripalayam collaboratively conducted a “Rally on Anti-drug abuse awareness”. Before starting the rally, students took a pledge against the drug abuse both in Tamil and English. The rally started from Govt. High School, Myleripalayam and passed through the streets of the village and crossed the main areas of the village and culminated at GHS, Myleripalayam. During the rally slogans on ill effects of drug abuse were raised and placards cautioning the younger generation against drug abuse were displayed. This event was facilitated by Dr. K. Murugasridevi, Dr. K. Manonmani and Dr.P. Naveen Kumar. This event was followed by “Orientation session on methods to derive data from newspapers, Radio and Television”. In the view of preparing for the competitive examinations, NSS student volunteers taught the methods to efficiently filter and categorize the news content as National, State, Science and technology, Economics and Sports. Students were also guided to differentiate polity and politics news in competitive exam point of view.

Following this, A group of students were involved in cleaning the plastic garbage in Myleripalayam village premises. The collected plastic wastes were taken and discarded in public dustbins of the village. Events such as Tamil speech, Quiz competition and Creative art were conducted for the school students.

### **DAY 3**

**DATE : 24.10.2024 (Thursday)**

**VENUE : MYLERIPALAYAM VILLAGE, COIMBATORE**

| <b>Timing</b>    | <b>Events</b>  |
|------------------|--|
| 9.00 to 9.30 am  | Yoga session for school students                             |
| 9.30 to 11.30 am | Transplantation of seedlings in Kitchen garden               |
|                  | Awareness session on Disaster Management for school students |
| 12.00 to 1.00 pm | Awareness session on personal hygiene for school students    |
| 2.00 to 4.00 pm  | Valedictory function and prize distribution                  |

The day initiated with Yoga session for school students by NSS student volunteers. The asanas done on the previous day were again repeated by the NSS student volunteers. With a great interest, a group of NSS student volunteers tirelessly completed the kitchen garden preparation and transplanted vegetable seedlings such as tomato, brinjal, cabbage, cauliflower and chilli. Also, seeds of beetroot, radish and lab-lab were sown in the raised beds. Fruit crops including citrus, papaya seedlings and jack saplings were raised around the borders of the kitchen garden. Another group of NSS student volunteers enthusiastically conducted the “Awareness session on Disaster Management”. NSS students demonstrated the School students on rescuing a person during disaster, how to carry an injured person during disaster, how to tie the injured hands with available clothes, usage of first aid kit and first aid to be done after a snake bite. This event was facilitated by Dr. K. Murugasridevi and Dr.V.R. Mageshen. Simultaneously, NSS student volunteers delivered an awareness session on personal hygiene for the school students.

Valedictory function of NSS special camp was conducted on 24.10.2024 at Government High school, Myleripalayam. The valedictory programme commenced with a prayer song by Ms. MP Sreedevi of 2022 batch. The programme was compered by Ms. Anjana and Ms. Prathiksha of 2022 batch. Ms. Adhya AK of 2022 batch welcomed the gathering.

After this, the Valedictory address was delivered by Dr. Sudheesh Manalil, Dean, Amrita School of Agricultural Sciences. He remembered the Rural Agricultural Working Experience of our college students at Myleripalayam village and insisted that students should always be prepared to learn the strategies of cultivation from the growers. He appreciated the eminent service done by the NSS student volunteers especially the establishment of kitchen garden, rally on anti-drug abuse and plastic waste removal. He also wholeheartedly invited the school students to visit our Instructional farm and explore the different crops. He also listed the various significance of our farm which has exotic fruits such as Dragon fruit, Olive and Litchi etc. Dean compared the significance of agriculture and our life, in which both needs consistent efforts to attain great success. He also happily highlighted that Our school have secured ICAR accreditation both at School and Institutional level. Finally, he felt very happy with our NSS student volunteers for undertaking this service in the school. Following this, a Special address was delivered by Mrs. Gomathi Thirumoorthy,

President, Myleripalayam, followed by Mrs. S. Umagowri, Head mistress, Government High School, Myleripalayam. After this, prize distribution was done by the dignitaries for the winners of various events. Dr. K. Murugasridevi, NSS Programme Officer delivered the vote of thanks. On behalf of Amrita School of Agricultural Sciences, Plastic chairs for computer laboratory and Rose cans for watering the kitchen garden were presented by our Dean to Govt. High School, Myleripalayam as a token of memory. The programme ended with a National Anthem.

**Day 1**

**Date : 21.10.24**

**Inauguration of NSS special camp by our Dean**



**Plastic waste removal at School premises**

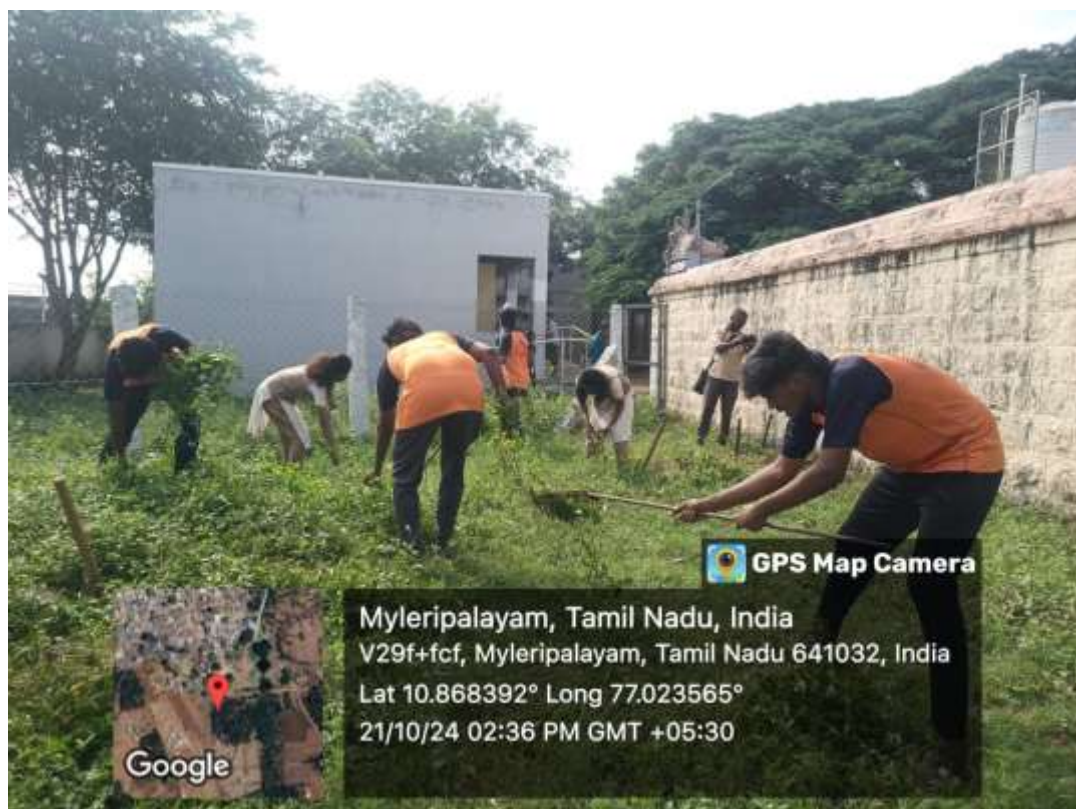




**Balloon bursting event for school students**



**Preparation of land for kitchen garden**





**Day 2**

**Date : 22.10.24**

**Yoga session for school students**



**Preparation of land for Kitchen garden**



**Raised beds ready for transplanting**



**Students taking pledge on Anti-drug abuse**





## Rally on Anti-drug abuse



## Orientation session on methods to derive data from newspapers, Radio and Television



## Tamil Speech competition



## Plastic waste removal in the Village





**Day 3**

**Date : 24. 10. 24**

**Yoga session for school students**



**Transplantation of Seedlings in Kitchen garden**





### Planting citrus seedling in Kitchen garden



### Awareness session on Disaster Management for school students



**NSS students demonstrating how to rescue a person during a disaster**



**Awareness session on Personal hygiene for school students**





## Valedictory function and Prize distribution



