

NSS Cell
Dravidian University
REPORT- 2012-13

NSS Cell conducted several programmes keeping in view of Community Service, student empowerment, awareness with the motto 'NOT ME BUT YOU'.

This academic year the following programmes were conducted.

1. **Plantation Programme** was organized on the occasion of **Independence Day** i.e. on 15.08.2012. It was inaugurated by **Honorable Vice Chancellor Prof. Kankanala Rathnaiah**. **Watering programmes** for care of plants took place in which volunteers of different Units enthusiastically participated and took care of the plants subsequently.
2. **Sadbhavana Diwas** on 21.08.2012, a Rally was conducted on this day, in which Dean Academic Affairs Prof. G. Balasubramanian, was the Guest of Honour. In order to recognize the new talents and encourage the student community of our University several competitions were conducted and prizes were distributed to the winners.
3. **Gandhi Jayanthi** on 02.10.2012 was celebrated. **Peace March** was organized from the campus to Yamanur (near by village). A meeting was organized on this occasion in the Bhasha Bhavan remembering and paying tributes to the great soul. In this meeting **Honorable Vice Chancellor Prof. Kankanala Rathnaiah** delivered a message on the importance of Gandhism. Prof. P. Adinarayana Reddy, Registrar, Dravidian University paid his tributes to Mahatma Gandhi. Several other faculties gave their messages.
4. **Blood Donation Camp** on 08.11.2012 conducted in collaboration with Red Cross Society Chittoor. Volunteers, Scholars, Teachers and Non Teaching Staff earnestly participated in this programme.
5. **Tree Plantation Programme** on 17.11.2012 was held at Boys Hostels, Girls Hostels and Harappa Bhavan. This was inaugurated by Prof. P. Adinarayana Reddy, Registrar, Dravidian University. In this programme about 500 trees were planted.
6. **World AIDS Day** on 01.12.2012, conducted. On this occasion a Street Play was performed by the NSS Volunteers. Elocution and Poster Writing Competitions were held for the students and prizes were distributed during the programme. Dr. Suresh Babu, a Medical Practitioner from Kuppam was the guest of honour in this programme.
7. **Blood Donation Camp** on 19.02.2013, our volunteers participated in the **Blood Donation Camp** held at the office of Mandal Development Office (MDO), Kuppam.
8. **State Level NSS Youth Festival** at Andhra University, Visakhapatnam held from 21st February to 23rd, February 2013. 19 of our volunteers participated. Mr. Balaji Naik got

consolation prize for Poster painting Competition, Best exhibition Presentation for the Unit and Active Coordinator for Dr.Aravind Kumar, NSS Coordinator, Dravidian University.

9. With the vision of Vice Chancellor and guidance of Registrar NSS was facilitated with its Office at Silpavani. It was inaugurated on 08.10.12. At present there are total six units with six hundred volunteers. Dr.P.C.VenkataSubbaiah served as Coordinator and Programme Officer for Unit-1 from July 2012 to January 2013. From February onwards Dr. Aravind Kumar took charge as Coordinator and Programme Officer for Unit-1. Dr. M. C. Kesava Murty, Dr. M. S. Durga Praveen, Ms. Mercy Jyothi, Dr. P.S. Ganesh Moorthy and Dr. D. Sripriya are serving as Programme Officers for Units 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 respectively.

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