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NSS Regular Activities 2025-26

Tree Plantation

The Department of National Service Scheme organized a Tree Conservation Campaign on 13th June 2025, on the occasion of the College Foundation Day. Hon. Dr. Bharatkumar Lad, Trustee of Vidya Mandir Mandal, graced the event with his presence. Under this initiative, nearly 75 saplings were planted, contributing towards environmental sustainability and spreading awareness about the importance of greenery among students and society.



International Yoga Day

On 21st June 2025, the Department of National Service Scheme celebrated International Yoga Day by organizing a yoga session for students. The session focused on promoting physical and mental well-being through various yoga postures (Asanas), breathing exercises (Pranayama), and meditation techniques. Students actively participated, learning practices such as Surya Namaskar and Anulom Vilom, which helped them relax and de-stress. A total of 52 students attended, fostering awareness about the holistic benefits of yoga and promoting a healthy lifestyle.



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Birth Anniversary of Sahu Maharaj

On 26th June 2025, the Department of History and the Department of National Service Scheme jointly celebrated the birth anniversary of Rajarshi Shahu Maharaj. Prof. Anant Gharat delivered a lecture on the social contributions of Shahu Maharaj. The program was attended by 72 students, inspiring them to understand the importance of social reform and leadership.

International Day against Drug Abuse and illicit trafficking

To mark this day on 26th June 2025, a guidance lecture was organized at our college. Prof. Anant Gharat, NSS Program Officer, addressed students about the harmful effects of drug abuse and the importance of awareness in preventing substance addiction. Students took a solemn pledge, "We will not consume drugs." A total of 68 students participated in the program.

Personality Development Programme

On 15th July 2025, the Department of the National Service Scheme organized a workshop on "Personality Development." Representatives from Gillette Guard Company guided students on proper attire, body language, and confident behavior during interviews. The program was attended by 54 students, helping them enhance their personal and professional skills.

Tree Plantation Activity

On 28th July 2025, in collaboration with the Department of National Service Scheme and the Usha Krushna Foundation, Neral, a tree plantation activity was conducted. A total of 106 saplings were planted, emphasizing environmental protection and encouraging students to actively participate in afforestation efforts. The event was graced by Hon. Mr. Vivek Potdar, Joint Secretary of Vidya Mandir Mandal, Principal Dr. Nandkumar Ingale, Miss Usha Pardhi, Mr. Krushna Pardhi, and Mr. Raju Zugare. Their presence motivated students to understand the importance of greenery and environmental sustainability. The activity successfully promoted ecological awareness and student involvement in community-driven environmental initiatives.



Nature Conservation Day (Tree Plantation)

On 19th July 2025, in celebration of Green Day, a tree plantation campaign was jointly organized by the Department of Self-Finance and the National Service Scheme. Hon. Mr. Vivek Potdar, Joint Secretary of Vidya Mandir Mandal, presided over the event. Approximately 63 saplings were planted to promote environmental conservation and ecological balance.



NSS Orientation program

On 31st July 2025, the Department of National Service Scheme conducted an orientation program, attended by 87 students. Prof. Anant Gharat, NSS Program Officer, and Prof. Sonam Gupta presented an overview of NSS objectives and activities through a PowerPoint presentation. The session motivated students to actively participate in community service and developmental programs organized by NSS, fostering a sense of social responsibility and civic engagement.



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Essay Competition

On 1st August 2025, the Department of History, Marathi, and the Department of National Service Scheme jointly organized a program to commemorate the birth anniversary of Annabhau Sathe and the death anniversary of Lokmanya Tilak. Prof. Anant Gharat delivered an inspiring lecture on their contributions to the Indian National Movement. As part of the program, an Essay Competition encouraged students to express their thoughts on the legacy of these great personalities.



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My Bharat Portal Registration Drive

On 2nd August 2025, the Department of National Service Scheme organized a Registration Drive on the My Bharat Portal. A total of 56 students successfully registered their names on the portal, promoting awareness about government services and digital participation among students. The drive encouraged students to actively engage with online platforms and utilize digital resources for civic and social initiatives.

Financial Awareness Programme

The Department of NSS, Economics and Commerce organized a Financial Awareness Programme on 6th August 2025 with the objective of enhancing students' understanding of financial literacy and responsible money management. The programme was conducted by Raj Malvade, who served as the key speaker for the session. He delivered a lecture covering important topics such as budgeting, saving habits, investment options, digital banking awareness,

and financial planning for students. The programme witnessed active participation, with a total of 92 students in attendance.

Cyber Security Awareness Programme

On 7th August 2025, the Department of National Service Scheme and the Department of DLLE jointly organized a Cyber Security Awareness Programme. Prof. Santosh Turukmane explained various types of cybercrimes, their consequences, and preventive measures through a PowerPoint presentation. The session provided students with practical knowledge about online safety, data protection, and responsible digital behavior.



Rakhi Making Workshop and Exhibition

On 2nd September 2025, the Department of National Service Scheme organized a Rakhi Making Workshop and Exhibition. Hon. Mr. Vivek Potdar, Joint Secretary of Vidya Mandir Mandal, was the Chief Guest. Students actively participated in creating beautiful Rakhis, showcasing creativity and teamwork. The exhibition displayed their handmade Rakhis, promoting cultural values and artistic expression.



Nirmalya Collection and Awareness Drive

On 2nd September 2025, the Department of National Service Scheme volunteers collected Nirmalya at Ganesh Ghat, Neral, contributing to community waste management efforts. Volunteers also spread awareness about cleanliness through the “Swachhata Hi Seva” initiative. A total of 27 students participated in this drive.



Quiz Competition on Cyber Security

On 7th September 2025, the Department of National Service Scheme organized an online quiz competition on cyber security. A total of 102 students participated, demonstrating their knowledge of online safety, cyber threats, and preventive measures. The event promoted responsible digital habits and enhanced students’ understanding of the digital world.

Har Ghar Tiranga Drive

From 8th to 15th August 2025, the Department of National Service Scheme organized the ‘Har Ghar Tiranga Drive’ to celebrate the patriotic spirit and national pride. Activities included:

- Essay Competition
- Elocution Competition
- Poster Making Competition
- Singing Competition
- Rangoli Competition
- Rally
- Flag Hoisting Programme

The drive encouraged students to actively participate in promoting national unity, cultural values, and civic responsibility.

Har Ghar Swachhata Drive

From 11th to 15th August 2025, under the direction of Raigad Zilla Parishad, the Department of National Service Scheme conducted the 'Har Ghar Swachhata Drive' to promote cleanliness and civic responsibility.

- Essay Competition
- Poster Making Competition
- College Cleanliness Drive
- Oath for Cleanliness

This initiative sensitized students to the importance of hygiene, environmental awareness, and personal responsibility, inspiring them to contribute actively to a cleaner and healthier campus and society.

Workshop

On 11th September 2025, the Department of History and the Department of National Service Scheme jointly organized a workshop on "How to See Forts." Prof. Anant Gharat delivered an informative lecture through a PowerPoint presentation, explaining the historical, architectural, and cultural importance of forts. A total of 78 students were present for this programme. The session enriched their knowledge and inspired them to appreciate and preserve India's historical heritage.

Swachhata Hi Seva

From 17th September 2025 to 02 October 2025, the Department of National Service Scheme (NSS) organized the "Swachhata Hi Seva" campaign on the occasion of the birth anniversary week of Mahatma Gandhi to celebrate patriotic spirit and promote national pride. The programme aimed to spread awareness about cleanliness, civic responsibility, and community participation, aligning with the vision of a clean and healthy India.

Activities included:

- Oath on Cleanliness
- Cleanliness Drive
- Essay Competition
- Waste Out of Best (Best-out-of-Waste Activity)

- Celebration of NSS Foundation Day
- College Cleanliness Drive
- College Library Cleanliness Drive
- Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi (Quiz Competition)

Diamond Jubilee of Pandit Deendayal Upadhyaya's philosophy of Integral Humanism

The Department of History and the National Service Scheme (NSS) jointly organized various programmes on the occasion of the Diamond Jubilee of Pandit Deendayal Upadhyaya's philosophy of Integral Humanism.

- Essay Competition on Din Dayal Upadhyay life
- Eloucation Competition on Din Dayal Upadhyay
- Lecture on Journey of Din Dayal Upadhyay

Garba Dance

The Department of National Service Scheme (NSS) and the Cultural Committee jointly organized Garba – a cultural dance programme on 30 September 2025, in which around 150 students participated enthusiastically.

Strishakti Registration Drive

The Department of National Service Scheme (NSS) conducted a Strishakti Registration Drive on 07 October 2025 with the objective of promoting women empowerment, awareness, and active participation among students.

Vachan Prerna Din

On 15 October 2025, the Department of History and NSS jointly celebrated Vachan Prerna Din on the occasion of the birth anniversary of Dr. A. P. J. Abdul Kalam. Prof. Anant Gharat delivered a lecture highlighting the contribution of Dr. A. P. J. Abdul Kalam to nation building. A total of 72 students were present for the program.

Birth Anniversary of Saradar Vallabh Bhai Patel

On 31 October 2025, the NSS Department organized an Ekta Daud and a Quiz Competition on the occasion of the Birth Anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel.

Samuhik Vande Mataram

The Department of History and the National Service Scheme (NSS) jointly organized a singing of Samuhik Vande Mataram on 7 October 2025 on the occasion of the completion of 150 years of the song “Vande Mataram.” A total of 92 students were present for the program.

Birth Anniversary of Pandit Jawaharlal Neharu

On 14 November 2025, the Department of History and NSS jointly celebrated the birth anniversary of Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru. Prof. Vaibhav Borade delivered a lecture highlighting the contributions of Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru to nation building. The lecture provided valuable insights into his vision and role in shaping modern India. A total of 61 students were present for the program.

Anti Drugs Awareness Program and Pledge

The Department of National Service Scheme (NSS) organized an Anti-Drugs Awareness Program and Pledge on 18 November 2025. The program aimed to create awareness among students about the harmful effects of drug abuse and to encourage a healthy, drug-free lifestyle. Prof. Sandip Shah delivered an informative and insightful lecture on drug awareness, highlighting the physical, psychological, and social consequences of drug addiction. He also emphasized the importance of self-discipline, positive peer influence, and social responsibility in preventing substance abuse.

At the end of the session, students actively participated in taking an Anti-Drugs Pledge, reaffirming their commitment to stay away from drugs and to spread awareness in society. A total of 72 students were present for the program, making it a successful and impactful event.

Constitution Day

On 15 October 2025, the Department of History and NSS jointly celebrated Constitution Day. Prof. Ashok Bhoir delivered a lecture on the Indian Constitution, highlighting its importance, values, and key features. The lecture enhanced students’ understanding of constitutional principles. A total of 69 students were present for the program.

Death Anniversary of Mahatma Jyotiba Phule

The Department of National Service Scheme (NSS) and the Department of History jointly organized a programme to observe the Death Anniversary of Mahatma Jyotiba Phule on 28 November 2025. Prof. Anant Gharat delivered a lecture on the contribution of Mahatma Jyotiba Phule to social development, highlighting his efforts in the fields of education, women empowerment, eradication of caste discrimination, and social equality. A total of 102 students were present, making the programme meaningful and successful.

World Aids Day

On the occasion of World AIDS Day, Matoshree Sumati Chintamani Tipnis Arts and Commerce College, Mamadapur–Neral, in collaboration with the Health Department, Neral (Karjat), organized an awareness program and free HIV testing camp on 01 December 2025. The resource persons included Dr. Medi Madam (Primary Health Centre, Neral), Mrs. Asha Balshankar (Counsellor, Kashele Health Centre), Mrs. Snehal Doodsagar (Laboratory Technician, Kashele Health Centre), Mrs. Poonam Sawant and Mrs. Pooja Patil (LWS Organization, Karjat Division), and Mr. Satyawan Sir (MPW). They guided students on the difference between HIV and AIDS, causes of AIDS, mental health, personal hygiene, nutrition, and preventive measures. A total of 90 students participated in the awareness program, and 50 students and staff members benefited from the free HIV testing camp.

Birth Anniversary of Hutatma Veer Bhai Kotwal

On 1 December 2025, the Department of History and NSS jointly celebrated the Birth Anniversary of Hutatma Veer Bhai Kotwal. Prof. Anant Gharat delivered a lecture highlighting the significant contributions of Hutatma Veer Bhai Kotwal in the Quit India (Chale Jao) Movement. The lecture provided valuable insights into his vision and role in shaping modern India. A total of 61 students were present for the program.

Death Anniversary of Dr. Baba saheb Ambedkar

On 6 December 2025, the Department of History and NSS jointly organized a programme to observe the Death Anniversary of Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar. Prof. Santosh Turukamane delivered a lecture highlighting the significant contributions of Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar in the establishment of the Indian Constitution. On this occasion, an essay competition was also organized to encourage students to express their views on the life, work, and constitutional vision of Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar. A total of 78 students were present for the programme.

NSS Camp

The Department of National Service Scheme (NSS) organized a 7-Day Residential Camp from 15 December 2025 to 21 December 2025 at Hambarpada Village. The camp was organized with the objective of developing social responsibility, leadership, and community service among students. A total of 52 students actively participated in the camp. The camp was inaugurated by Mr. Nilesh Vaidya, President of Vidya Mandir Mandal. The inaugural ceremony was also graced by Mr. Anun Dharap (Vice President, Vidya Mandir Mandal), Mr. Vivek Potdar (Joint Secretary, Vidya Mandir Mandal), Mr. Raju Jadhav (Member, Vidya Mandir Mandal), and Dr. Nandkumar Ingale, Principal of the college. Various social, educational, and community-oriented activities were organized during the seven-day residential camp.

Death Anniversary of Sant Gadge Baba

On 21 December 2025, the Department of History and NSS jointly organized a programme to observe the Death Anniversary of Sant Gadge Baba. The programme began with the garlanding of his portrait. Prof. Anant Gharat delivered a lecture highlighting the significant contributions of Sant Gadge Baba, especially his efforts towards social reform, cleanliness, and eradication of social evils. Faculty members and students actively participated in the programme.

On the same day, a cleanliness campaign was organized at Hambarpada village to spread awareness about hygiene and community service, reflecting the ideals of Sant Gadge Baba. A total of 52 students participated in the programme.

Veer Bal Din

The Department of History and NSS observed Veer Bal Din with great respect and patriotism. The programme was organized to commemorate the bravery and supreme sacrifice of the Sahibzadas, the four sons of Guru Gobind Singh Ji. On this occasion, a film based on Veer Bal Din was screened for students and faculty members. The film portrayed the courage, faith, and sacrifice of the Sahibzadas and helped students understand the historical importance of the day. It inspired everyone to uphold the values of bravery, dedication, and righteousness. A total of 43 students and faculty members were present for the programme, making the event meaningful and informative.

Death Anniversary of Hutatma Veer Bhai Kotwal and Hutatma Hiraji Gomaji Patil

On 2 January 2026, the Department of History and NSS observed the Death Anniversary of Hutatma Veer Bhai Kotwal and Hutatma Hiraji Gomaji Patil with great respect and patriotism. The programme began with the garlanding of their portraits as a tribute to their sacrifice. Prof. Vaibhav Borade was the key speaker of the programme. He delivered a lecture highlighting the bravery, dedication, and supreme sacrifice of both martyrs in India's freedom struggle. A total of 60 students were present for the programme.

Birth Anniversary of Savitribai Phule

The Department of History, NSS, and WDC jointly celebrated the Birth Anniversary of Savitribai Phule with great enthusiasm and respect. The programme was organized to commemorate her remarkable contribution to women's education and social reform. Prof. Sonam Gupta was the key speaker of the programme. She delivered an insightful lecture highlighting Savitribai Phule's pioneering role in promoting women's education, fighting social discrimination, and working for the upliftment of marginalized sections of society. On this occasion, an elocution competition was also organized, where students expressed their views on the life and work of Savitribai Phule. A total of 96 students were present for the programme, making the event meaningful and successful.

Birth Anniversary Rajmata Jijau and Swami Vivekanand

On 12 January 2026, the Department of History and NSS organized a programme to celebrate the Birth Anniversary of Rajmata Jijau and Swami Vivekanand with great enthusiasm and respect. Prof. Vikas Ghare was the key speaker of the programme. He delivered an enlightening lecture emphasizing the vision, leadership, and moral values of Rajmata Jijau, as well as the inspirational message of Swami Vivekanand for the youth of the nation. A total of 83 students attended the programme, making the event meaningful and inspiring. On this occasion, an essay competition on Swami Vivekanand was also organized, where students actively participated and expressed their thoughts on his life and teachings.

Birth Anniversary of Hutatma Hiraji Gomaji Patil

On 19 January 2026, the Department of History and NSS organized a programme to celebrate the Birth Anniversary of Hutatma Hiraji Gomaji Patil with great respect and patriotism. Prof. Vaibhav Borade was the key speaker of the programme. He delivered a lecture highlighting the life, bravery, and sacrifice of Hutatma Hiraji Gomaji Patil in the freedom struggle. A total of 68 students were present for the programme.

Blood Donation Camp and Thalassemia testing camp

On 21 January 2026, the Department of History and NSS organized a Blood Donation Camp with great enthusiasm and social commitment. During the camp, a total of 32 units of blood were collected from voluntary donors. On the same day, a Thalassemia testing camp was also conducted. A total of 69 students underwent the Thalassemia test, helping to create awareness about genetic blood disorders and the importance of early detection.



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Birth Anniversary of Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose

On 23 January 2026, the Department of History and NSS organized a programme to celebrate the Birth Anniversary of Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose with great patriotism and enthusiasm. Prof. Vaibhav Borade was the key speaker of the

programme. He delivered a lecture highlighting the life, leadership, and immense contribution of Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose to India's freedom struggle. He emphasized Netaji's courage, determination, and the famous slogan "Give me blood, and I will give you freedom," which continues to inspire the youth of the nation. A total of 56 students were present for the programme.

Report on Celebration of National Voters Day (21–25 January 2026)

The Department of NSS celebrated National Voters Day with a series of activities from 21 January to 25 January 2026 to create awareness among students about the importance of voting and democratic values.

On 21 January 2026, an **Essay Writing Competition** was organized, where students expressed their views on the significance of voting in a democracy.

On 22 January 2026, a **Poster Making Competition and Elocution Competition** were conducted. Students actively participated and creatively highlighted themes related to voter awareness, electoral rights, and responsibilities.

On 24 January 2026, a **Rally** was organized to spread awareness about the importance of voting among the local community. Students enthusiastically participated and shared messages encouraging citizens to exercise their right to vote.

On 25 January 2026, a lecture was organized as part of the concluding programme. Prof. Santosh Turukmane was the key speaker. He delivered an informative lecture emphasizing the importance of voting, ethical participation in elections, and the vital role of youth in strengthening democracy. A total of 56 students were present for the programme.

Death Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi

On 30 January 2026, the Department of History and NSS observed the Death Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi with great respect and solemnity. Prof. Amol Sonawane was the key speaker of the programme. He delivered a thoughtful lecture highlighting the life, principles, and contributions of Mahatma Gandhi to India's freedom struggle. A total of 52 students were present for the programme.

Report on Union Budget 2026–27: Highlights and Analysis (Video-Based Learning Activity)

On 2 February 2026, the Department of Commerce and NSS organized a video-based learning activity on the Union Budget 2026–27: Highlights and Analysis.

The programme aimed to create awareness among students about the key features of the Union Budget and its impact on various sectors of the economy. During the session, students watched an analytical video explaining major budget announcements, government priorities, taxation

policies, and allocations for sectors such as education, health, infrastructure, and rural development. A total of 59 students were present for the programme.

Shivjayanti Celebration Programme

The Department of National Service Scheme (NSS), Cultural Department, and Department of History jointly organized a Shivjayanti programme on 19th February 2026 in the college premises. The key speaker for the programme was Mr. Avinash Bhoir. He delivered a speech on the life, vision, administration, and military strategies of Shivaji Maharaj. A total of 89 students were present for the programme. The event concluded with a vote of thanks, expressing gratitude to the speaker and all participants for making the programme successful.

Shahid Samagam – “Hind Di Chadar”

The Department of National Service Scheme (NSS) organized a series of programmes on the occasion of **Shahid Samagam – “Hind Di Chadar”** from **21st February to 26th February 2026** to pay tribute to the great sacrifice of **Guru Tegh Bahadur**, who is known as *Hind Di Chadar* for protecting religious freedom and humanity.

Various activities were conducted throughout the week to spread awareness about his life, sacrifice, and teachings.

Programme Details:

- **21st February 2026 – Essay Competition**
Students expressed their views on the life and sacrifice of Guru Tegh Bahadur through essay writing.
- **23rd February 2026 – Elocution Competition**
Participants delivered speeches highlighting his bravery, values, and contribution to Indian history.
- **23rd February 2026 – Group Singing Competition**
Patriotic and devotional songs were presented by students, creating an atmosphere of respect and inspiration.
- **24th February 2026 – Video-Visual Programme**
Informative documentaries and short films based on Guru Tegh Bahadur’s life were shown to the students.
- **25th February 2026 – Guest Lecture**
The keynote speaker, **Prof. Anant Gharat**, delivered an enlightening lecture on the importance of sacrifice, unity, and religious tolerance. The session motivated students to follow the path of courage and humanity.

- **26th February 2026 – Quiz Competition**

A quiz competition was organized to test students' knowledge about Guru Tegh Bahadur and Indian history. Students actively participated with enthusiasm.

The week-long programme was conducted successfully with active participation from NSS volunteers and students. The event helped in spreading the message of unity, peace, patriotism, and selfless service among the students.

Birth Anniversary of Sant Gadge Baba

The Department of National Service Scheme (NSS) organized a Birth Anniversary Programme on 23rd February 2026 at the college campus. The keynote speaker for the programme was Prof. Anant Gharat. He delivered an informative and motivating speech highlighting the life, achievements, and social message of the great leader. He encouraged students to develop social responsibility and actively participate in community service activities. A total of 68 students were present for the programme.

After the completion of the birth anniversary programme, NSS volunteers organized a cleanliness drive in the Mamdapur area. The students actively participated in cleaning public places and spreading awareness about hygiene and environmental cleanliness among local residents.