

## **1. Maharashtra Krishi (Agriculture) Day:**

On July 1, 2018, Maharashtra celebrated Krishi Din (Agriculture Day) with a series of events aimed at highlighting the significance of agriculture in the state. The day's activities were organized by the National Service Scheme (NSS), which facilitated an interactive session between the NSS officers and students, fostering a deeper understanding of the agricultural sector.

As part of the celebration, students were encouraged to visit farms in their respective villages, where they worked alongside local farmers. This hands-on experience provided the students with valuable insights into the daily challenges and efforts involved in farming. Through direct participation in agricultural tasks, students gained a profound appreciation for the hard work and contributions of farmers to the national economy.

The program successfully raised awareness among students about the difficulties farmers face in producing crops, such as unpredictable weather, financial constraints, and resource limitations. By witnessing these challenges first-hand, the student volunteers developed a greater respect for farmers' perseverance and their pivotal role in sustaining the nation's agricultural productivity.

Furthermore, the event strengthened the bond between students and farmers, fostering a sense of unity and mutual respect. The interaction not only educated the students about the realities of agricultural life but also instilled in them a sense of responsibility and commitment towards supporting the agricultural community.

## **2. Disaster management Workshop:**

On Friday, September 30, 2022, a Disaster Management Workshop was organized by the District Administration of Jalgaon, Kavayitri Bahinabai Chaudhari North Maharashtra University Jalgaon, NDRF Pune, and the NSS unit of Nanasaheb Yashvantrao Narayanrao Chavan Arts, Science & Commerce College, Chalisgaon. The workshop was held from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM and aimed to educate participants on the importance and strategies of disaster management.

The workshop was inaugurated by the honorable Principal Dr. S. R. Jadhav. Inspector G.D. Group Commander A.K. Jena presented disaster management materials to the students and provided an in-depth explanation of the necessity and significance of disaster management.

Assistant Group Commander Mr. S.G. Ingle, Havaldar Mr. Sharad Pawar, Mr. Rupesh Agam, Mr. Santosh Jagtap, Mr. Rajendra Patil, Mr. S.S. Gaikwad, Constable Mr. Santosh Shinde, Mr. Vaibhav Raut, Mr. Ravindra Kassar, Mr. Ganesh Mahajan, Mr. Madhav Jha, and Road Safety Patrol-Civil Defense Commandant Mr. Sukdev Rathod demonstrated practical

techniques for overcoming various emergencies and crises. These demonstrations involved active participation from the students, who learned valuable skills for disaster management.

The workshop was attended by 250 NSS student volunteers, as well as faculty members, non-teaching staff, and other dignitaries from the college. Vice Principal Dr. G.D. Deshmukh, Dr. U.R. Magar, Sports Department Head Dr. G.B. Shelke, NSS Program Officer Prof. Dr. R.P. Nikam, Assistant Program Officer Prof. Dr. V.R. Lakwal, and Women's Program Officer Prof. Dr. Mangala Suryawanshi played crucial roles in ensuring the success of the workshop.





### 3. Seed Ball:







#### 4. Water Foundation Workshop:

On January 18, 2019, a workshop was organized at Nanasaheb Y. N. Chavan College in collaboration with the Water Foundation and the college's National Service Scheme (NSS) department. The workshop saw participation from 123 NSS students, who enjoyed the event and gained new knowledge.

The workshop featured contributions from several key figures: NSS officers Prof. Dr. A. L. Suryawanshi, Prof. Dr. A. S. Mahajan, and Prof. Dr. S. R. V. Patil, as well as senior volunteers including Adarsh Misal, Ganesh Beldar, Pratik Mahajan, Khemchand Kumawat, Akash Dhumal, and others.

Officials from the Water Foundation, such as Sunil Patil, Master Trainer Kailas Jadhav (Aurangabad), Srikanth Sahastrabuddhe (Mumbai), Social Trainer Pratibha Puri, and Technical Trainers like Kalpesh Patil (Parola), Jitendra Kurkure (Jalgaon), Maheshwari Masule (Malegaon), Suraj Kadam (Dindori), Nikhil Pawar (Dhule), Nikhil Avhad

(Pathardi), Atul Nikam (Nandgaon), and Dhiraj Padalkar (Mumbai), also participated and provided guidance.

The inauguration ceremony began at 9:00 AM in the college's multi-purpose hall, with Dr. S. R. Jadhav, the principal of the college, presiding over the event. The ceremony was attended by NSS officers, Water Foundation officials, senior volunteers, and a large number of volunteers. Notable attendees included Prof. Dr. R. P. Nikam, Prof. H. R. Nikam, Prof. V. P. Shirsath, Prof. Dr. Ujwal Magar, Prof. Mrs. Parvati Padvi, Prof. Dr. Ravi Chavan, Prof. K. P. Rameshwar, and Mr. Bawiskar.

Prof. Dr. A. S. Mahajan provided the introductory remarks, emphasizing the seriousness of water issues and the need for public awareness and movements for water conservation. He encouraged the volunteers to take up constructive responsibilities. Prof. Dr. A. L. Suryawanshi clarified the intensity of the water problem and expressed expectations for complete dedication from the volunteers.

In his presidential speech, Dr. S. R. Jadhav highlighted NSS as a powerful platform for social awareness and the opportunity for volunteers to fulfill their social responsibilities. He congratulated the participating volunteers and wished the workshop success. Senior volunteer Adarsh Misal delivered the vote of thanks. The workshop concluded with various activities and wrapped up at 5:30 PM.