



Community Service Report: Tagore Government Arts & Science College's COVID-19 Relief Initiatives (2020)

Year: 2020

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- Adhered to strict safety protocols, including hand sanitization, gloves, face masks, and face shields.

V. Acknowledgments:

- Dr. Dash expressed gratitude to family, encouraging relatives, motivating Facebook friends, alumni, and dedicated college staff who played a pivotal role in the success of the initiatives.



VI. Social Media Presence:

- Day-wise activity reports were posted on the college's social media page, ensuring transparency and keeping the community informed.

VII. Conclusion: Tagore Government Arts & Science College's voluntary work during the COVID-19 pandemic not only addressed immediate needs but also showcased the resilience and compassion of the college community. Dr. Sasi Kanta Dash's leadership and the collective efforts of volunteers made a significant impact, providing a beacon of hope during these challenging times. The community service initiatives will be remembered as a period of learning, service, and solidarity, reflecting the college's commitment to social responsibility.





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EXERSISE NCC YOGDAN

In the wake of a sudden lockdown due to the pandemic COVID 19, which was spreading all over the world, National Cadet Corps has to take a firm decision how to join the fight against COVID 19. The decision was taken by the higher-level committee headed by the Director General and sanction of Ministry of Defence for employment of Volunteer NCC Senior cadets in COVID situation was sought.

I **PY19SDA901073 Cadet Munisamy P.** was one of the volunteers for the EX NCC YOGDAAN. There were altogether 20 Cadets from 1 (P) Indep. Coy.

When I was contacted by my ANO Captain Dipak Uchampalli, myself and my parents were little reluctant for the Yogdaan. When all of a sudden, the central Government announced the Lock Down on March 23rd 2020, we were really scared of the situation. But my ANO was successful to convince me and my family about the security measures and also asked to get through the online Covid Volunteer course available.

As per mandate, only volunteer SD/ SW cadets can be employed for disaster management and tasks of National importance. Keeping in view the age profile, exposure and maturity level of the Cadets, NCC must be prepared to make its contribution, on works of National Importance. The ongoing fight of nation against COVID 19, provides an ideal platform to volunteer youth from NCC, to contribute in this National emergency.

Keeping in view the young age, level of maturity and experience, NCC cadets were employed as a cohesive group (eight to 20 cadets), under the supervision of ANO and /or PI staff. Where ever girl cadets are employed, there were GCI.

On requisition from Commanding Officer Col. P. Vinayagam, two SD sub-units, TGASC and PKAC responded to volunteer for the Yogdaan. ANO Captain Dipak Uchampalli of TGASC and CTO Dr. Kathirvel from PKAC, begun the collection of willingness certificate from the volunteer cadets. This was compiled and sent to DG through proper channel for the permission. The Group Commander Col. K. Jayachandran, had a meeting with District Collector for the deployment of the cadets in COVID situation.

After clearing all the formalities on 6th of April 2020, all the Cadets of all units were given basic training by the SSP (Law and Order) and Health Personal.

Cadets were divided into four contingents, Army (Boys), Army (Girls), Navy and Air force and deployed under four SP (North, South, West and East). Army Cadets were given the area Villiannur under SP West. Army cadets were from two sub units - TGASC and PKAC.



Captain Dipak Uchampalli was the Nodal ANO and HAV Vengateshan was the Nodal PI and a total for 24 Cadets. Our Cadets were deployed under Villaianur PS and Thirukannur PS, to monitor the crowd in various banks and ATMs, from 9.00 am to 1.00 pm. They were employed under guidelines laid down by the DG NCC.

On 7th April 2020, Mr Ranganathan Devi SP (West) gave directions to the cadets for proper queue management in Banks and markets for social distancing. Cadets were deployed in Indian Bank, SBI, UCO Bank, Puduvai Bharathiyar Co Op Bank, Syndicate Bank, at Villiannur, Indian Bank - Koodapakkam, Indian Bank - Thirukkanur, Central Bank Of India - Vaadhanur. Cadets were also asked to assist the Police at the Markets and Junctions.

On 8th April 2020, as cadets were deployed for yogdaan, ANO F/O Mahadevan distributed refreshments to cadets. Cadets performed their duty with full Josh. On 10th, 11th and 12th yogdaan duty was suspended due to Bank Holidays.

One NGO, with the leadership of Smt. Lakshmi Murganandham L. were distributing lunch to our cadets. They were issuing, Tomato Rice, Egg Biryani, Lemon Rice, Sambar Rice, with appalam and banana in different days.



Apart from managing queues in Banks, Cadets also engaged in covid awareness activities like - Street speech, Placard Rally, demonstration of using Hand Sanitizer, Using of Mask in public places and also assisted the Police in maintain social distancing.

Every day, Captain Dipak Uchampalli along with the PI staff, Hav Vengateshan, Hav Nagaraj and Hav John Peter, came in a Mini PRTC Bus to pick us from our home and dropped us in the markets and Banks. The PI staffs and the police personal were very positive and assisted the team with full cooperation.



Performing Ex Yogdaan Duty at SBI Villiannur

iGOT Certificate

The Central Government has designed an online app by iGOT. The Diksha App can be downloaded in the mobile and join the course for "Volunteer Training for COVID 19 for NCC cadets". At the end a certificate has been issued who have successfully completed. All volunteer Cadets of TGASC and PKAC has done the course successfully. Cadets also downloaded and installed Arogyasethu App.

Cadets were very enthusiastic to perform volunteer duty. They were in proper dress and in proper discipline. They took the job very seriously and executed it with utmost politely. The Public were always in a defensive manner, to obey social distancing and wearing of mask.



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But the cadets tried to educate them about the seriousness of the situation. Cadets were given refreshments and lunch at the end. They were properly briefed about the protocol to be followed after reaching home. They were provided with Mask and sanitizer. From 7th of April 2020 till 14th May 2020, there were no problems from any corners.



NSS VOLUNTEERS PARTICIPED IN COMMUNITY WORK DURING EPIDEMIC

NSS (Unit I & II) ACTIVITIES

Coordinators: Dr. Jenni Balasubramanian, Dr. N. Balaji

Month of May 2020

The NSS Volunteers of Tagore Government Arts and Science College, Puducherry, demonstrated commendable commitment and enthusiasm throughout the month of May 2020 by actively engaging in various community service initiatives in collaboration with the NSS Nodal officer, Dr. Jenni Balasubramanian, and Dr. N. Balaji.

Community Work Locations: Lawspet, Muthialpet, Mudialarpet

Community Surveillance:

NSS volunteers actively participated in community surveillance programs in Lawspet, Muthialpet, and Mudialarpet. Their efforts were directed towards monitoring and addressing community health issues, with a focus on raising awareness and preventive measures.

Data Entry Support:

Volunteers played a crucial role in data entry tasks related to community health. This included compiling and organizing information relevant to the health status of the community members. The data entry work aimed at creating a comprehensive database for effective analysis and future reference.

Support for Healthcare Workers:

NSS volunteers served as valuable support to healthcare workers in the respective health centers. They actively assisted in various tasks to ensure the smooth functioning of healthcare services. Their contributions ranged from logistical support to aiding in administrative tasks, thereby easing the workload of healthcare professionals.

Highlights:



- The NSS volunteers demonstrated a strong sense of civic responsibility by actively participating in activities that directly contribute to community welfare.
- Their involvement in community surveillance showcased a proactive approach towards identifying and addressing health concerns at the grassroots level.
- The efficient handling of data entry tasks underscored the volunteers' dedication to creating organized and accessible information for future healthcare planning.

Acknowledgments:

The success of these initiatives would not have been possible without the coordination and guidance provided by Dr. Jenni Balasubramanian and Dr. N. Balaji. Their leadership played a pivotal role in ensuring the smooth execution of NSS activities.

In conclusion, the NSS volunteers of Tagore Government Arts and Science College have made significant strides in contributing to community well-being. Their efforts not only reflect the ethos of NSS but also exemplify the spirit of selfless service and community engagement among the youth.





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NCC EXERCISE YOGDAN – TREE PLANTATION

Date: 25.07.2020

Report

On the occasion of Kargil Vijay Day, a tree plantation initiative was organized to commemorate the sacrifices made by our armed forces. Cadets actively participated in this green endeavor, contributing to the broader goal of environmental conservation. This report highlights the significant tree plantation activities carried out on the 25th of July 2020, with a special mention of 10 cadets who planted trees at their home premises.

Cadets participated in planting trees at designated locations, focusing on public spaces, schools, and other community areas. This collective effort aimed to enhance the green cover and promote a sustainable environment.

Ten cadets took the initiative to extend the impact of the tree plantation drive to their immediate surroundings. Each cadet planted trees at their homes, contributing to a greener and healthier local



environment.



Webinar workshop - “FIT INDIA MOVEMENT” – 10th Sept – 14th Sept 2020

Introduction:

From 10th September 2020 to 14th September 2020, a group level webinar on the "FIT INDIA MOVEMENT" was successfully conducted, with the aim of promoting physical fitness and well-being among participants. The event also included a comprehensive five-day training program on "YOGA for Sound Mind and Sound Body," facilitated by ANO T/O Kumar. This report outlines the details and outcomes of the webinar and yoga training program.

Objectives:

To promote awareness and participation in the Fit India Movement.

To provide participants with insights into the benefits of yoga for mental and physical health.

To facilitate a five-day yoga training program under the guidance of ANO T/O Kumar.

Webinar Details:

Title: Fit India Movement Webinar

Duration: 10th September 2020 to 14th September 2020

Coordinator: DEEPAK UCHAMPALLI

Yoga Training Program:

Yoga Master: ANO T/O Kumar

Duration: Five days

Theme: Yoga for Sound Mind and Sound Body

Participants:

A total of 150 participants from Puducherry and Tamil Nadu actively took part in the training program. The participants represented diverse age groups and backgrounds, contributing to the inclusive nature of the initiative.

Activities and Sessions:



The webinar featured a series of interactive sessions, workshops, and practical demonstrations focusing on the Fit India Movement and the practice of yoga. ANO T/O Kumar led the participants through a structured five-day yoga training program, emphasizing the holistic benefits of yoga for mental and physical well-being.

Certificates:

All 150 participants were acknowledged for their active participation and commitment to the Fit India Movement and the Yoga training program. Certificates were distributed to recognize and appreciate their dedication to promoting a healthier lifestyle.



Conclusion:

The Group Level Webinar on "FIT INDIA MOVEMENT" and the accompanying Yoga Training Program conducted from 10th September 2020 to 14th September 2020 were well-received by the 150 participants. The event successfully achieved its objectives of promoting fitness awareness and providing practical insights into the benefits of yoga. The certificates awarded served as a token of appreciation for the participants' commitment to a healthier lifestyle.



Webinar – Fit India Movement on 15 th Sept 2020

Report on the Second Webinar: "Fitness at Home"

Introduction:

On 15th September 2020, a one-day webinar titled "Fitness at Home" was successfully coordinated by [Your Name]. The training session was led by ANO S/O K. Kumar and attracted the active participation of 54 individuals in and around Puducherry. This report provides a detailed overview of the webinar, including participation statistics, feedback summary, and the distribution of E-Certificates.

Webinar Details:

Date: 15th September 2020

Coordinator: [Your Name]

Trainer: ANO S/O K. Kumar

Topic: Fitness at Home

Duration: One day

Participants:

A total of 54 participants from the Puducherry region took part in the one-day training program. The Google Meet link for the webinar was distributed a day before the event to all units individually and by the Group HQ to ensure seamless participation.

Total Attendance:

The webinar witnessed a total attendance of 165 cadets from all groups, with an average of 120 participants throughout the session.



Program Logistics:

The Google Meet link was efficiently distributed, contributing to the smooth connectivity of participants. The program video link was shared at the conclusion of the session for reference purposes.

E-Certificates:

E-Certificates were generated and promptly sent to all participants who submitted the feedback form. These certificates serve as tokens of appreciation and recognition for their active engagement in the webinar.

Conclusion:

The "Fitness at Home" webinar held on 15th September 2020 was a success, with the active involvement of 54 participants in and around Puducherry. The substantial attendance of 165 cadets from all groups underscored the significance of the topic. The feedback received is instrumental for refining future sessions and ensuring continued participant satisfaction.

This report expresses gratitude to the collaborative efforts of the coordinator, ANO S/O K. Kumar, and all participants. It encourages the continuation of such initiatives to promote fitness and well-being within the community.





Swachh Pakwada - Cleaning of Leaders Statues

In adherence to the Swachh Pakwada initiative, a commendable program unfolded on the 14th of December 2020, where NCC cadets, embodying the spirit of civic responsibility, took a cleanliness pledge and engaged in the cleaning of the surroundings of the Mahatma Gandhi Statue at Beach Road, Puducherry. This event stood as a testament to their commitment to community service and the promotion of cleanliness.

Significant Events:

1. Mahatma Gandhi Statue Cleaning (14th December 2020):

- NCC cadets participated in a cleanliness drive, focusing on the Mahatma Gandhi Statue at Beach Road, Puducherry.
- The event not only contributed to the physical cleanliness of the area but also fostered a sense of pride and responsibility among the cadets towards preserving the legacy of Mahatma Gandhi.

2. Marquis Joseph Francois Dupleix Statue Cleaning :

- As part of the celebrations for the 75 years of independence, 30 SD cadets of 1 (P) Indep. Coy undertook the cleaning and maintenance of the Marquis Joseph Francois Dupleix Statue in Beach Road, Puducherry.
- The cadets commenced the cleaning activities early in the morning, dedicating themselves to restoring the surroundings by removing wall stickers and maintaining the greenery.
- Dr. Sasikantha Dass, Principal of TGASC, Dr. Sandeep Kumar Dassary, Associate Professor of History, and Thiru Srinivasan, Deputy Collector (Rtd.), graced the occasion, boosting the morale of the cadets through their presence.

Historical Significance of Marquis Joseph Francois Dupleix Statue:



- Situated in the southern end of the park on Beach Road, the statue commemorates Marquis Joseph Francois Dupleix, who served as the governor of Puducherry between 1742 and 1754.
- Dupleix, a significant figure in Pondicherry's colonial history, played a vital role in its governance during the mid-18th century.

About Marquis Joseph Francois Dupleix:

- Born in Landrecies, France, Dupleix embarked on a voyage to India in 1715. His contributions were recognized with the commissioning of two statues - one in Puducherry and the other in France.
- The 2.88m tall statue portrays Dupleix in court dress, holding a plan of Puducherry in his right hand, and his left resting on the hilt of his sword.

Legacy and Recognition:

- Dupleix's legacy is commemorated in various ways, including the naming of French warships, a road in New Delhi, and the former name of Nehru Street in Pondicherry - Rue Dupleix.

In summary, the Swachh Pakwada initiative, particularly the cleaning of leaders' statues, served as a bridge between historical legacy and contemporary civic responsibility. The NCC cadets, with their proactive involvement, not only contributed to the physical cleanliness of the statues but also imbibed a sense of pride and responsibility towards preserving the cultural and historical heritage of their community.





NSS Campus Cleaning Drive (UGC Swachhta Pakhwada)

January 22, 2020

Introduction: On January 22, 2020, as part of the UGC Swachhta Pakhwada initiative, Tagore Government Arts and Science College, Puducherry, organized a Campus Cleaning Drive. The NSS Unit I and II, under the guidance of Dr. M. BALAJI and Dr. JENNI BALASUBRAMANIAN, actively participated in this event, aiming to promote a clean and healthy campus environment.

Highlights:

- NSS volunteers came together in significant numbers to clean the campus premises.
- The cleaning drive served as an opportunity to educate students on the importance of maintaining cleanliness.
- Dr. M. BALAJI and Dr. JENNI BALASUBRAMANIAN provided guidance and encouragement throughout the event.

Outcome: The Campus Cleaning Drive not only contributed to the physical cleanliness of the college premises but also raised awareness among students about their responsibility towards maintaining a clean environment. The event fostered a sense of community engagement and instilled a commitment to cleanliness among NSS volunteers.





Talk on Waste Management and Environment Protection

January 24, 2020

Introduction: On January 24, 2020, Tagore Government Arts and Science College, in collaboration with Keep Pondicherry Clean NGO, organized a talk on waste management and environment protection. The NSS Unit I and II actively participated in this event, with Mr. Kannan and Ms. Bhawna addressing students on the significance of waste management and environmental consciousness.

Highlights:

- Mr. Kannan, an expert from Keep Pondicherry Clean NGO, emphasized reducing plastic usage and the impact of plastic on the environment.
- Ms. Bhawna highlighted the ill effects of plastic on marine life and encouraged students to adopt eco-friendly practices.
- NSS volunteers, along with other students and faculty, took the Swachhatha Pledge on the same day.

Outcome: The talk served as an eye-opener, educating students about the consequences of improper waste disposal and the role they can play in creating a cleaner and greener environment. The Swachhatha Pledge reinforced the commitment of students towards maintaining cleanliness.





Save the Girl Child Human Chain

January 24, 2020

Introduction: On January 24, 2020, in conjunction with a talk on waste management, NSS volunteers from Tagore Government Arts and Science College actively participated in a Save the Girl Child Human Chain. This event aimed to raise awareness about the importance of protecting and empowering the girl child in society. The NSS Programme Officer delivered a impactful speech, underlining the significance of the cause.

Highlights:

1. **Formation of Human Chain:** NSS volunteers came together to form a human chain, symbolizing unity and solidarity for the cause of saving the girl child. The formation of the human chain visually represented the collective commitment of the participants towards gender equality and empowerment.
2. **Compelling Speech by NSS Programme Officer:** The NSS Programme Officer delivered a compelling speech, emphasizing the critical role of the girl child in society. The speech encouraged students to actively contribute to the cause and promoted a sense of responsibility towards gender equality.

Outcome: The Save the Girl Child Human Chain had several positive outcomes:

1. **Demonstration of Solidarity:** The formation of the human chain showcased the solidarity of NSS volunteers towards the cause of saving the girl child. It highlighted the importance of collective efforts in addressing societal issues.
2. **Message of Gender Equality:** The event conveyed a strong message about the significance of gender equality. It emphasized the need to protect and empower the girl child, fostering an environment that values and supports the well-being of every individual irrespective of gender.
3. **Awareness and Sensitization:** The human chain and the speech by the NSS Programme Officer contributed to raising awareness about the challenges faced by the girl child. It



sensitized the participants and the broader community to the importance of protecting and nurturing every girl child





NSS Leadership Camp (RYLA)

February 1-2, 2020

Introduction: Thirteen students from Tagore Government Arts and Science College were selected to participate in a two-day leadership camp conducted by RYLA (Rotary Club of Pondicherry) at Acharya Arts and Science College, Villianour.

Highlights:

- The leadership camp focused on developing leadership skills among students.
- Motivational speakers and dignitaries addressed the participants, providing insights into successful leadership.

Outcome: The NSS Leadership Camp empowered students with essential leadership skills, fostering a sense of responsibility and initiative. Participants received certificates, recognizing their active engagement in the program.





NSS Sports Meet and Swachhatha Cleaning Drive

February 4-8, 2020

Introduction: From February 4 to 8, 2020, NSS volunteers from Tagore Government Arts and Science College actively participated in the Sports Meet organized by the Higher Education Department, Pondicherry. The Sports Meet comprised various events, including a rally, hockey matches, and a marathon. Concurrently, NSS volunteers also engaged in a Swachhatha cleaning drive, contributing to cleanliness initiatives at the beach and the stadium.



Highlights:

- 1. Rally Participation:** NSS volunteers took part in a rally that commenced from the Gandhi statue, adding vibrancy to the opening ceremony held at India Gandhi Stadium. The rally not only promoted the spirit of sportsmanship but also showcased the unity and enthusiasm of NSS volunteers.
- 2. Organizing Hockey Matches and Marathon:** NSS volunteers demonstrated active involvement in organizing and assisting in various events, particularly hockey matches and the marathon. Their proactive participation contributed to the smooth conduct of these sports activities.



3. **Contribution to Swachhatha Cleaning Drive:** NSS volunteers actively participated in the Swachhatha cleaning drive, focusing on both the beach and the stadium. Their commitment to cleanliness initiatives was evident as they dedicated time and effort to promote a cleaner environment in public spaces.

Outcome: The NSS Sports Meet and Swachhatha Cleaning Drive yielded several positive outcomes:

1. **Promotion of Physical Fitness:** The Sports Meet not only promoted sportsmanship but also encouraged physical fitness among NSS volunteers, emphasizing the holistic development of participants.
2. **Community Engagement:** Active involvement in organizing events showcased the commitment of NSS volunteers to community engagement, fostering a sense of unity and teamwork.
3. **Cleanliness Initiatives:** The Swachhatha Cleaning Drive significantly contributed to promoting cleanliness in public spaces. NSS volunteers actively participated in maintaining and improving the cleanliness of both the beach and the stadium.
4. **Enhanced Visibility:** The participation of NSS volunteers in these events enhanced the visibility of Tagore Government Arts and Science College, reflecting positively on the institution's commitment to community service.



Marathon for Anti-Drugs Campaign

February 16, 2020

Introduction: On February 16, 2020, NSS volunteers from Tagore Government Arts and Science College actively participated in a Marathon organized in support of the anti-drugs campaign. This event aimed to raise awareness about the detrimental effects of drug abuse and foster a sense of social responsibility among the participants.

Highlights:

- 1. Active Participation:** NSS volunteers wholeheartedly registered for the anti-drug campaign and enthusiastically took part in the Marathon. The strong participation reflected the commitment of the NSS community to contribute actively to social causes.
- 2. Student Achievements:** Several students showcased exceptional performance during the Marathon, earning themselves medals. This recognition not only rewarded their physical efforts but also served as an encouragement for further community engagement.
- 3. Certificates and Refreshments:** All participants, including those who completed the Marathon, were acknowledged for their dedication with certificates. Refreshments were provided to replenish energy, creating a positive and rewarding experience for the volunteers.

Outcome: The Marathon for the Anti-Drugs Campaign proved to be a resounding success with multiple positive outcomes:

- 1. Raising Awareness:** The event effectively raised awareness about the detrimental effects of drug abuse, reaching a broad audience through the participation of NSS volunteers.
- 2. Community Engagement:** NSS volunteers showcased a high level of dedication and enthusiasm, emphasizing the active role they can play in addressing societal issues.
- 3. Recognition and Encouragement:** The distribution of medals, certificates, and refreshments served as recognition for the participants, encouraging them to continue actively participating in social causes.



4. **Building a Sense of Responsibility:** The Marathon instilled a sense of social responsibility among the volunteers, emphasizing the role they can play in promoting a healthy and drug-free community.
5. **Community Visibility:** The participation of NSS volunteers in the Marathon enhanced the visibility of Tagore Government Arts and Science College within the community, showcasing the institution's commitment to social causes.





Three-day workshop for women Volunteers on the topic of “Puducherry Girls lead Girls”

Tagore government Arts and Science college in collaboration with TYCL Puducherry (Trust for youth and child leadership) organized a three-day workshop for women Volunteers on the topic of “Puducherry Girls lead Girls” Holistic women’s self-defense workshop. 100 women volunteers and college students have participated in this program. The women students were inducted into various workshops ranging from self-defense to women’s legal rights, reproductive rights, mental health etc... Various experts were invited to give specialized lectures on various above-mentioned topics. A certificate was issued to all the regular participants. Throughout the workshop, students were served nutritious food and snacks by TYCL and all the girls appreciated the program very well. Many expressed the change they could feel in them regarding self-defense and self-awareness about women’s rights.



Posters elucidating the program’s schedule and content to students



The famous supreme court lawyer Kiruba Munussamy explained to the students about women's rights in the Constitution.



Trained self-defense police Personnel teaching student's self-defense moves



Report on Swachhta Pakhwada Cycle Rally

Introduction: This report provides an overview and analysis of the Cycle Rally conducted by NCC Group HQ, Puducherry, in collaboration with the Indian Coast Guard, Puducherry, on September 17, 2020. The rally was organized in observance of Swachhta Pakhwada, a nationwide cleanliness campaign. Ten dedicated cadets from Tagore Govt Arts and Science College, Lawspet, actively participated in this event.

Objective: The primary objective of the Cycle Rally was to promote awareness about cleanliness and hygiene as part of the Swachhta Pakhwada initiative. Additionally, the event aimed to encourage active participation and engagement among the cadets in fostering a cleaner and greener environment.

Event Details:

- **Date:** September 17, 2020
- **Organizers:** NCC Group HQ, Puducherry, in association with Indian Coast Guard, Puducherry
- **Participants:** 10 cadets from Tagore Govt Arts and Science College
- **Route:** The specific route details for the Cycle Rally.

Key Highlights:

1. **Collaborative Effort:** The collaboration between NCC Group HQ, Puducherry, and the Indian Coast Guard demonstrated a unified effort towards the larger goal of promoting cleanliness and hygiene in the region.
2. **Participation:** The active involvement of 10 cadets from Tagore Govt Arts and Science College showcased a strong commitment to social and environmental responsibility.
3. **Swachhta Pakhwada Focus:** The event successfully aligned with the objectives of Swachhta Pakhwada by raising awareness about the importance of cleanliness and encouraging positive behavioral changes.
4. **Environmental Impact:** The use of cycles as a mode of transportation highlighted the eco-friendly aspect of the rally, contributing to the promotion of sustainable practices.





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VI. Social Media Presence:

- Day-wise activity reports were posted on the college's social media page, ensuring transparency and keeping the community informed.

VII. Conclusion: Tagore Government Arts & Science College's voluntary work during the COVID-19 pandemic not only addressed immediate needs but also showcased the resilience and compassion of the college community. Dr. Sasi Kanta Dash's leadership and the collective efforts of volunteers made a significant impact, providing a beacon of hope during these challenging times. The community service initiatives will be remembered as a period of learning, service, and solidarity, reflecting the college's commitment to social responsibility.



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- Mudaliyarpet
- Villyanur
- Reddiarpalayam



- Dubrayanpet
- Light House
- Iyankuttipalayam
- Thenggaithittu
- Harbour
- Industrial Estate
- 100 Feet Road
- Kamraj Salai
- Anna Salai

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