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EYE CAMPSaratha Hr.Sec.School , Tirunelveli



With a great commitment to encourage and assist the school students with vision problems, in association with Aravind Eye Hospital an Eye Camp was organized at Saratha Hr. Sec School, Tirunelveli on 21.02.2018.

Many students along with their parents attended the camp and got benefitted. The students identified with vision problems were given spectacles. The amount for the spectacles was contributed by Students of the First Year 2017-2018.

Distributing Spectacles
Vivekanadha Matric.Hr.Sec.School ,Valliyur



Envisaging the importance of good Eye- Vision, on 21.02.2018, the Student- volunteers from the first year, visited Vivekanandha Matric. Hr. Sec school and assisted the staff in distribution of spectacles.

CAREER GUIDANCE PROGRAM

Veerapandya kattabomman Hr.Sec.School,Kayathar

With regard to career guidance to be carried on effectively for the

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academic year 2017-2018 for the school students ,the career guidance team of Francis Xavier Engineering college visited various schools in and around Tirunelveli. Mrs.Rejina Paul, Placement officer, gave a speech on career guidance and tips on how to take up the examination well and score good marks. The students of all the schools visited were well pleased and asked for more classes in the future.

Name of the School : Veerapandya kattabomman Hr.Sec.School,Kayathar

Date: 12.02.2018

Number of students attended: 78



Other schools Schaffter Hr.Sec.School, Town on 07.02.2018



Karungulam Hr.Sec.School on 25.10.2017



Kallanai Hr.Sec.School on 11.11.2017



EYE CAMP

Vivekanadha Matric.Hr.Sec.School ,Valliyur

Francis Xavier Engineering College with a great pledge to identify the school-going students with eye problems, and provide Medical Assistance and Spectacles for the needy, organized a one-day Eye Camp at Vivekanada Matric School, Vallioor on 31 Jan 2018 in association with Aravind Eye Hospital, Tirunelveli.



Nearly 50 school students participated in the Eye Camp. The students of Science and Humanities of our college visited the place and volunteered themselves for the conduct of the programme.

FX-NIRMAN CAMP Reddyarpatti - 24.02.2018

Focusing on the importance of Hygiene and sanitation, the First Year students visited the nearby village – Reddyarpatti on 24.02.2018 and created awareness on keeping the surroundings clean. Also, The student volunteers

- **★** EYE Camp
- **★** FX NIRMAN Camp
- **★** Distributing Spectacles
- * Anbu Illam
- **★** Village Visit
- **★** Ockhi Cyclone
- **★** Career Guidance Program
- **★** Dengue Awareness
- Mission Cleanup Thamirabarani

actively involved themselves in cleaning the garbage and collected the plastic covers and other materials which pave way for the breeding of mosquitoes which spread 'Dengue' and other diseases.



Further, the volunteers raised slogans highlighting the dangers caused by the mosquitoes.

The students with a sense of verve and vigour in building a hygienic village visited the members of the family and talked to them on the dangers of open defecation and insisted the need of constructing a toilet in every house.

VISIT TO ANBU ILLAM – FIRST YEARS
SCAD ANBU ILLAM (Special school for mentally challenged),
Cheranmahadevi - 24.01.2018



Acknowledging the significance of the quote "Service to Humanity is Service to God", the students visited Anbu Illam at Cheranmahadevi on 24.01.2018. The students distributed note books and study materials and contributed a sum of Rs 2000/- to the inmates. Further, the students performed various cultural shows to make the inmates happy and excited.

VILLAGE VISIT – MANAL VILAI BY FIRST YEARS 24.01.2018



Realizing the necessity in keeping the environment clean and plastic-free, the First Year students visited Manal Vilai village near alangulam and carried out a mega clean-up mission on 24.01.2018. Also, the students raised slogan on the importance of living in a hygienic environment and threats posed by dumped garbage and plastics.

The students were very much appreciated by the villagers.

EYE CAMP Scaffter Hr.School,Town - 05.01.2018



An Eye- Camp was organized at Schaffter School on 05.01.2018 The students who had been suffering from eye problems were identified and were given spectacles. The students who received the glasses felt very happy and gave assurance that they will concentrate on the studies and bring glory their family and institution.

SCAD Group gives away Rs.1700000 to Ockhi Cyclone affected people in kanyakumari District on 30-12-2017



With a great mind towards supporting the underprivileged lot and the needy, the student volunteers visited the families at Colachal.

Dr. Cletus Babu, Chairman, SCAD Group, contributed Rs 1700000/- (Rs 1 Lakh each for 17 families) to the families who lost the sole bread-winner of the family in the sea when the















unprecedented catastrophe -"Ochi Cyclone" hit the southern part of Kanyakumari District.

The amount was handed over to the identified families on 30.12.2018. Er. C. Arun Babu, Maging director, SCAD, Rev. Fr. Edwin Vincent, Fr. Selvam and Fr Jeremiah were present.

EYE CAMP St.Peter Hr.Sec.School, Ukkirankottai



An Eye- camp was conducted at st. Peter Hr. Sec. School on 12.11.2017 and spectacles were distributed.

FXEC-NIRMAN CAMP at ANBU ILLAM - by MBA



With a great desire to work for the common good, the students of MBA visited Anbu Illam on 15.10.2017 The students distributed some of the basic amenities required by the members of the Illam and performed various cultural shows to make them joyful.

VILLAGE VISIT SENGULAM BY MBA - 21.10.2017





To create awareness among the villagers of Sengulam village, the Students of MBA along with the members of the staff, visited the village on 21.10.2017. The students distributed pamphlets highlighting the importance of segregating the waste materials like dry waste and wet waste. Further, they talked on how vegetable wastes can be used to produce cooking gas.















PARTICIPATION IN "MISSION CLEAN UP THAMIRABARANI 2017" - PHASE II ON 23.9.2017



In a bid to make India a Clean Nation, Swachh Bharat Abhiyan campaign was launched officially by the Prime Minister of India on the 145th birthday anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi on 2nd of October 2014. It was launched at the Rajghat, New Delhi. The government of India has aimed to make India a clean Nation by 2nd of October 2019 (150th birth anniversary of the Mahatma Gandhi) through this campaign

To make this initiative come true, Mr. Sandeep Nanduri, the District collector has been instrumental in organizing the mega project titled "Mission Clean Up Thamirabarani 2017" to clean the banks of the river Thamirabarani. The first phase of this project was carried out on 16.7.2017 & the second phase was organised on 23.9.2017 (Saturday)

To support this great cause and acknowledging the importance of sanitation, and cleanliness (Swatchata Hi Sewa) more than 100 NSS volunteers of Francis Xavier Engineering College actively participated and cleaned the allotted area – Vellakoil, Vannarpettai. The clean up drive commenced at 7 am and ended by 11 am. The volunteers initiated the rally and raised slogans to create awareness among the public for the need of keeping the Thamirabarani River clean and hygiene which is the main source of drinking water and irrigation in Tirunelveli and its neighbouring places. Then, the volunteers picked up the garbage like plastic wastes, polythene bags etc., dumped in the surroundings and also cleaned the area by cutting the bushes. Later, all the volunteers performed

various cultural events like Dance and

Singing. Dr. Ilangovan, Principal visited the place and appreciated the students for having volunteered for this great task. The team was co-ordinated by Mr. Sathish Kumar. J, Programme Officer, National Service Scheme.

The volunteers were appreciated by the Dr. Cletus Babu, Chairman, SCAD Group of Institutions. Mr. Krishnakumar, motivated the students for their whole hearted participation.

REPORT ON PARTICIPATION IN "MISSION CLEAN UP THAMIRABARANI 2017"ON 16.7.2017.



To save the water source of Tirunelveli and transform it into a clean city, Mr. Sandeep Nanduri, the District collector took up initiative in organizing the mega project titled "Mission Clean Up Thamirabarani 2017" to clean the banks of the river Thamirabarani. The first phase of this project was carried out on 16.7.2017.

To support this great task, more than 50 NSS volunteers of Francis Xavier Engineering College actively participated and cleaned the allotted area - left side of Karpanthurai river bank, Melapalayam. The clean up drive commenced at 7 am and ended by 11 am. The volunteers initiated the rally and raised slogans to create awareness among the public for the need of keeping the Thamirabarani River clean and hygiene which is the main source of drinking water and irrigation in Tirunelveli and its neighbouring places. Then, the volunteers picked up the garbage like plastic wastes, polythene bags etc., dumped in the surroundings and also cleaned the area by cutting the bushes.

Later, all the volunteers assembled for valedictory function arranged by the collector's office and performed various cultural events like Dance, Singing and silambam. The team was co-ordinated by Mr. Sathish Kumar. J, Programme

Officer, National Service Scheme.

The volunteers were appreciated by the Dr. Cletus Babu, Chairman, SCAD Group of Institutions. Dr.Ilangovan, Principal and Mr. Krishnakumar, Administrative Officer visited the allotted area and motivated the volunteers.

VILLAGE VISIT LEPROSY COLONY BY FIRST YEARS





First year students visited the leprosy colony on 10.07.2017. Realizing the necessity in keeping the environment clean and plastic-free, they carried out a mega clean- up mission along with the village people.

Also, the students raised slogan on the importance of living in a hygienic environment and threats posed by dumped garbage and plastics.

The students were very much appreciated by the villagers.

VILLAGE VISIT GYPSY COLONY BY FIRST YEARS







The students of the Department of Science and Humanities visited the Gypsy Colony on 10.07.2017. The students distributed writing materials to the children of the area.

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