

**Jayaraj Annapackiam College for Women (Autonomous)  
Periyakulam**

**National Service Scheme**

**Special Camp Report**

The National Service Scheme of Jayaraj Annapackiam College for Women (Autonomous), Periyakulam organized special camp at Indra Colony of Saruthupatti Panchayat Union from 17.11.2015 to 23.11.2015. The theme of the special camp was 'Involvement of youth towards Prosperous India'. 200 NSS volunteers from the NSS **units 5, 6, 7 & 8**, NSS Programme Officers and NSS Staff Advisors participated in the camp. The NSS Coordinator of J.A College Dr.Sr.Fatima Mary Sylvia planned and coordinated the special camp

**17.11.2015**

**The special camp was inaugurated by Dr.Sr.T.Nirmala, Principal, J.A College, Dr.Sr.P.Helen Chandra, Secretary, J.A College, Dr.Sr.A.Maria Alphonsal, Mother Superior, J.A College Community, Mr.Chellamuthu, Periyakulam Panchayat President and Mr.Kaluvan, Sarathupatti Panchayat President by lighting the kuthuvilaku.** The inaugural function was presided by Mr.Kaluvan, Saruthupatti Panchayat President and Mr.Sathya Nallayaraj, Vice President, Saruthupatti Panchayat and Mrs.Nagajothi Selvam , Saruthupatti Panchayat Union Counsellor. J.A College NSS coordinator Dr.Sr.Fatima Mary Sylvia welcomed the gathering. The principal explained the programmes of the special camp. The Secretary, Mother Superior and Periyakulam Panchayat Union President rendered their felicitations. The NSS volunteers presented cultural programmes on the theme 'Importance of Education'. Mrs.S.Sophia Rani, Assistant Professor in Computer Science and NSS Programme Officer proposed the vote of thanks.

Everyday activities started with the prayer followed by field work. The volunteers cleaned the surroundings of Community Hall at Indra Colony.

The activity of the first day camp was the **motivational lecture on the topic 'Importance of Education' by Dr.Sr.B.J.Queensly Jeyanthi, Vice Principal, J.A College** to the Saruthupatti Panchayat Union School Children. This was followed by the lecture on 'Natural Medicine' by Dr.Parthiban, Siddha Medicine unit, Aundipatti. Free Siddha

medicines were distributed to the public and 160 public were benefitted. Games were conducted for the children of age group 6-12 and prizes were distributed

### **18.11.2015**

The theme of the second day was the '**Conservation of Natural Resources**'. **Dr.Mrs.Arockiam Thaddeus, HOD, Department of Zoology, J.A College** motivated the NSS volunteers and public on the above topic. She highlighted the measures to protect natural resources and the consequences of natural resources depletion.

In the afternoon a team from **Theni Skin Hospital headed by Dr.Naveen Paul and Dr.Jeevitha conducted free Dermatology checkup**. 120 public people were benefitted. **Dr.Ramakrishnan Ph.D, Principal,Theni Skin Hospital Nursing College** addressed on the '**Skin Problems and Remedial measures**'. Free medicines were distributed. In the evening **Tree Plantation ceremony was presided by Mr.Arputharaj, Proprietor, Annai Book Stall, Periyakulam** and he sponsored the saplings. Saplings were planted around the community hall and also were distributed to the public. Games were conducted for girls of 13-20 age group and prizes were distributed. **Mr.Shanmugavel, Saruthupatti Panchayat Union member presided the evening function. Dr.Mrs.S.Catherine .P.Alexander, Associate Professor in Zoology and NSS Programme Officer** addressed on the topic '**Natural resources Conservation**'. NSS volunteers presented cultural programmes on the theme of the day.

### **19.11.2015**

The third day programme started with the **free veterinary camp conducted by Dr.P.Madhan, Veterinary doctor Lakshmipuram**. 550 Cattles were benefitted. Free medical advice and medicines were distributed. He also addressed the volunteers and motivated the volunteers to make use of their education for the betterment of the society. In the afternoon **Mrs.Jasmine Selvapackiam, HOD, Department of BBA and Advocate gave a lecture on "Women Rights and laws to protect women"**. Games were conducted for boys of 13-20 age group and prizes were distributed. The evening programme was presided by Saruthupatti Panchayat Union member G.Gunasekaran. **Dr.Mrs.N.M.Francis Mercy, NSS Programme Officer and Associate Professor in Commerce** addressed on the topic "**Women towards development**" and Cultural Programme on the topic of the day was presented by the NSS volunteers.

**20.11.2015**

On the fourth day **Mr.Manoharan and his team from Theni Fire station demonstrated Fire disaster management** and addressed how to protect and safeguard ourselves from fire accidents. In the afternoon **AIDS awareness, Child Marriage and Sexual Harassment awareness programme was conducted by Rev.Sr.Anasthesia and team, Jeevan Jothi rehabilitation centre, Theni.** She also gave lecture and screened documentary film. This was followed by competitions for married women and prizes were distributed.

**21.11.2015**

The theme for the fifth day of the camp is 'Self employment'. Lecture cum demonstration was given by Mrs.Chandra Prabha, Organic Farmer, Cumbum, Mrs.S.Little Flower Assistant Professor in Tamil and Dr.Mrs.Sudha Assistant Professor in Chemistry on the topic 'Manuring the kitchen waste', 'Candle preparation' and 'Phenoyl and Detergent preparation'. The NSS volunteers and the public were benefitted.

General Medical check up was conducted by Dr.Selvaraj, Shankar Clinic, Vadugapatti and Rev.Sr.Jenifer, nurse, J.A College. Mr.Rajendren, Rotary Club, Periyakulam sponsored the free medicines. 160 Public were benifitted. Games were conducted for married men. Saruthupatti Panchayat Union member Mr.Velraj presided the evening Programme. Ms.T.Nithya NSS Programme Officer and Assistant Professor in Physics addressed on 'Opportunities and importance of self employment' and cultural programme were presented by the volunteers.

**22.11.2015**

The sixth day programme started with the free eye camp by Aravinth Eye Hospital, Theni. Dr.P.P.Hasini, Ophthalmologist, L.Radha, Eye camp Coordinator and a team of 12 members conducted the camp . 100 People were benefitted. In the afternoon Dr.Mrs.Jesintha Vilveena, Associate Professor of History and NSS Programme Officer and Rev.Sr.Fatima Mary Sylvia, NSS coordinator addressed on the topics 'Family Welfare' and 'Alcoholism and abuse' respectively. Games were conducted for women and prizes were distributed.

**23.11.2015**

On the final day of the special camp 'Youth personality development and job opportunities' programme was effectively conducted. This was organised by Junior chamber International, Sivakasi. Mr.P.Vembar, Jeyakar Offset Press, Sivakasi and Dr.M.Ezhilarasan, Associate Professor, Department of Commerce and Management, ANJAC, Sivakasi conducted the programme as two interactive sessions. Volunteers were given prizes now and then. The NSS volunteers and youth of Saruthupatti village participated in the programme.

The valedictory function was held in the evening and was presided by Mr.P.Vembar, Jeyakar offset press, Sivakasi. Mrs.Dr.S.Regina , NSS PO and Assistant Professor in Tamil addressed the gathering . Dr.Mrs.S.Catherine. P.Alexander, NSS PO and Associate Professor in Zoology presented the special camp report.

This was followed by a debate on 'Essential for better livelihood - education or wealth?' by NSS volunteers, Dr.M.Ezhilarasan, Associate Professor, ANJAC, Sivakasi was the judge and briefed the deliberation. The NSS volunteers gave the feedback of the NSS special camp.

Mr.P.Vembar delivered the presidential address. Saruthupatti Panchayat union member, Mr.Ramesh and Rev.Sr.A.Maria Alphonsal, J.A College Community Mother Superior rendered their felicitations. Dr.Rev.Sr.P.Helen Chandra, Secretary was also present for the valedictory function.

Two NSS volunteers from each unit were selected for their outstanding performance during the camp and prizes were distributed.

J.A College NSS coordinator Dr.Rev.Sr.Fatima Mary Sylvia proposed the vote of thanks.