

SEVADHARMA EDUCATION AND MULTIPURPOSE SOCIETY

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SEVADHARMA EDUCATION AND MULTIPURPOSE SOCIETY (Sevadharma NGO), AKOLA is a society working with the passion for providing in the service of mankind, Social welfare, rural development, Employment of Youth and Health awareness of the society. Since the inception in 1992, our organisation is contributing in Social work

We sincerely foresee that the youth / women of our country have tremendous potential and hence they should be availed with maximum possible opportunities for their success. Along with this, the society also aims at mobilizing social welfare and protecting public interest.

Our Society has been functioning independently for social causes, Health, Educational, Legal awareness, Agriculture as well as multifaceted objectives of rural reform. The Society's endeavours in the past year i.e. 2019 – 2020 are remarkable. Some of them are as follows.

DE-ADDICTION CAMPAIGN

Drug de-addiction Campaign was inaugurated in the city on 31st May 2019, 'No Tobacco Day' is also celebrated. The One-day campaign run, in which more than 3 trained volunteers offered services.

The volunteers layer their focus on schools and colleges. The younger generation, particularly teenagers, is the worst victim of evils of drug addiction. Hospitals have a special department "Mind Body Medicine" that deals with the control of drug de-addiction and rehabilitation.

Dr S. Patil said tobacco had become the gateway to drugs in youth. Youngsters start with smoking and then gradually shift to even more harmful drugs out of various socioeconomic and family reasons.

Dr Kelkar also highlighted the on-going campaigns of Sevadharma NGO wherein a large number of volunteers are offering their selfless services across the Akola district to help innocent youth fallen in the evil trap of drugs.

While emphasising on the importance of meditation, Shri M. Ingle said with meditative practice and good dietary habits, drug de-addiction process automatically sets in. The patient doesn't have to leave it forcefully and most importantly there are minimal or no withdrawal symptoms.

During meditation, certain hormones are secreted in the body that are responsible for cheerfulness, happiness and increase in tolerance power. These services from Sevadharma NGO are available without any cost, totally free of charge.

SANITATION CAMPAIGN

Our organisation arranged Gram Swachhta Abhiyan on 02 Oct. 2019 on the eve of Gandhi Jayanti at Masa. With the help of local administration. Sarpanch and Grampanchayat members and school teachers were present.

HEALTH AWARENESS

The Organisation conducted a Health camp in the villages , Malkapur, Khadki and Yeota in Akola tehsil on 17 Jun. 2019 camp include speeches on protecting the family from various waterborne diseases like Cholera, Jaundice etc. as well as contagious diseases like Pneumonia and scabies etc.

The basic objective of this camp was to make the rural women as well as citizen about the prominent and contagious diseases that hamper health conditions and bring misery & death and provide remedial measures for preventing the same.

As a part of social welfare activities, the organisation also held an AIDS Awareness activity for the Truck drivers and labour class working in the industrial area of Akola city. These people were given information in respect of Sexually Transmitted Diseases (STD) and Reproductive Tract Infections (RTI) and its use to pervert themselves from diseases. Rehabilitation courses for those suffering from any sexual disorders were conducted in order to save their lives from the deadly diseases. Inputs regarding HIV / AIDS and the ways to prevent it were emphasized.

BETO PADHAV BETI BACHAV CAMPAIGN

The Beti Bachao Beti Padhao Campaign arranged in Kannya Vidyalayam Wadegaon on 21st January, 2019. Head Master Shri Kurai sir planted the saplings on the occasion of the celebration of Beti Bachao Beti Padhao. Some parents of the students also participated in the same. Students were sensitized about the relevance of a girl child. The pledged to honour the girl child and contribute towards the education of the girl child.

Good Touch & Bad Touch

Talk on Good Touch & Bad Touch an interactive talk session was done on 22nd January, 2019 to aware students of class 7th to 10th. All the required things related to the topic were discussed among the target group. All the students participated in the discussion will be full zeal. After then videos related to this were also shown as to give them more clarity towards the issue. Famous Educational Videos such as of Satyamev Jayate – Child Sexual Abuse, Educational movie – KOMAI shown. In the starting students were feeling shy to talk about it but later after encouraging then they slowly opened up. In the question answer round was done as to clear the doubts of the students and send them home was a positive impact of the topic.

ROAD SAFETY CAMPAIGN

According to the guidelines of the Ministry of Road Transport and Highways the 30th Road Safety Week Campaign from 4th to 19th February, 2020. The theme for this year is Sadak Suraksha – Jeevan Raksha to aware the public about road safety, driving rules and cautions.

Road safety week is a national event aimed at raising public awareness about traffic and ultimately to reduce casualties due to road accidents. Millions lose their life and millions get injured in road accidents, mainly due to lack of awareness about traffic rules or behaviour of ignoring them. Therefore to make people more aware of Traffic rules and to persuade them. Akola Driving School Director Shri Mahadeorao Ingle given 7 key Road safety practices during the Road Safety week is, 1. Don't over speed. 2. Non violation of Traffic rules 3. Don't use mobile phone while driving 4. Usage of Seatbelt 5. Don't drink and drive 6. Discouraging under age driving. 7. Pedestrian safety.

BUSINESS MENTORING CAMPAIGN

Organisation had conducted Business Mentoring camp for the youth and women of rural area of Balapur tehsil of Akola district at Wadegaon on 28 March 2020 with a view to enrich and strengthen the economic position of the youth. So the organisation has arranged this campaign. The youth and women were taught Computer application, Computer typing, Carpentry, English and Marathi Shorthand, Tailoring and cutting and Dress designing with an intention to make them self-sufficient and self-reliant.

ENVIRONMENT AWARENES

Jalkranti Abhiyan is implemented by our organisation to know the value and asset of water. This Abhiyan is being run the guidance of Shri Suhas Sohoni Jaltandnya, Amravati. Rainwater harvesting is important because we are facing water scarcity. Rainwater is an economical way to save water and prevent rainwater wastage. The Rainwater harvesting is done using two methods. One is surface runoff harvesting and the other is rooftop rain water harvesting.

We are also associate with Help Institute for Natural Development (HIND), Neknoor, and Bhir.

SELF HELP GROUP AWARENESS

Our organisation arranged the Sheti Shala for the Kharip Crops at Dongargaon on 02 Jun 2019 on the farm of Vithal Bole. Agriculture Expert Shri Gajanan Garole guided the farmers regarding the crops like cotton, soybean, Jowar, Udid and Mung.

Our organisation is working with 100 Self Help Groups of Farmers promoted by NABARD. Mini Dal Mill demo was arranged for the farmers

And for the members of SHG, 25 members of SHG and 11 farmers from the nearby Akola city were present.

FARMERS AWARENESS ACTIVITY

The society arranged a Farmers guidance camp at Vyala on 15 Jun 2019 for the farmers in and around Akola. The objective behind this camp was to create awareness among the traditional farmers regarding the use of modern techniques in farming and the upcoming trends in modern farming. Agriculture Office Shri Gajanan Garole sir explained the importance of scientific means of farming and methods of getting higher yields. The Experts also emphasized on the information & implementation of the various Central and State Government schemes of National Horticulture Boards, Floriculture, Vermiculture, Organic farming and Medicinal plant cultivation. Even techniques of green manure and compost manure preparation were explained.

MIGRANT LABOUR

The outbreak of COVID – 19 and problems out of it , CEO, NITI Aayog, AFARM Pune and Our organisation worked to combat COVID -19 on war-foot and help the helpless and peoples in distress.

Our organisation distributed tea and snacks and dry food grains to 70 families of Jagjivanram nagar, the outskirts area of Akola city on 04, 08, 09 March 2020.

COVID – 19 pandemic several labours were migrated from one place to another, from cities to their native places, among them are skilled, semiskilled, unemployed youth, small business man. The survey was done by AFARMA Pune with our organisation in Akola and Washim districts.