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Presents Discussion Series

Re-envisioning the Role of Youth in Building Sustainable and Resilient Society



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PENALISTS:

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Coordinator POs, NSS Cell, RGU



World Environment Day 2020

5 June 2020

Theme:

'Together we can act #ForNature'

&

'Celebrate Biodiversity'

Tree Plantation

@ Rajiv Gandhi University

(A Central University)

Rono Hills, Doimukh, Arunachal Pradesh

Jointly Organised by

NSS Cell,

Rajiv Gandhi University Teacher's Association (RGUTA)

12th Bn National Disaster Response Force (NDRF), Doimukh

Rajiv Gandhi University observed the World Environment Day 2020 on 5 June 2020 with tree plantations at Rajiv Gandhi University, Doimukh, Arunachal Pradesh. The theme of the event was 'Together we can act #ForNature' & 'Celebrate Biodiversity', which was jointly organised by NSS Cell, Rajiv Gandhi University Teacher's Association (RGUTA) and 12th Bn National Disaster Response Force (NDRF), Emchi. On the occasion, Dr Maila Lama welcomes the dignitaries and participants for the plantation drive. Prof. Saket Kushwaha VC expressed 'the importance of involvement peoples in conserving our rich biodiversity'.



World Environment Day at Rajiv Gandhi University, Doimukh on June 5, 2020

VC said that he was saddened with recent death of pregnant elephant. Around the globe, ‘people and animals are increasingly coming into conflict over living space and food as human populations expand and natural habitats shrink’. He stressed on developing the RGU eco-park as part of conservation project. Prof. A. Mitra, Pro-VC appreciated the efforts of NSS Cell, RGUTA, and NRDF for observing the WED. On the other hand, Prof. Tomo Riba Registrar of RGU highlighted the genesis and significance of WED and Environmental Education. He said that ‘our discussion and learning on environment must be action oriented’.



Hon'bel VC Prof. Saket Kushwaha and Staffs Planting Trees at NSS Park, Rajiv Gandhi University

During the event 130 sapling were planted. Inspector Ravi Kant spoke that 'trees are vital for survival, stabilised soil and give life to the planet'. The event was participated by RGU fraternity and 25 NDRF personals led by Inspector Ravi Kant. Mr. Nagram Tuglik Deputy Registrar, Prof. Jumir Basar President of RGUTA, Shah EE, NSS Programme Officers, Faculty, Administrative Staffs, and volunteers, attended the plantation drive. During the event faculty members, staff and students planted 130 saplings in the campus. NSS PO John Gangmei thanks all the dignitaries, RGU fraternity, 12th NDRF Commandant and Personnel present for the occasion.



Pro-VC, Registrar, Joint Registrar, and NDRF Officers attending the Programme

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World_Environment_Day_at_Rajiv_Gandhi_University_Doimukh_20200606](http://e-pao.net/epSubPageExtractor.asp?src=education.Education_Announcements.Edn_Ann_2020.World_Environment_Day_at_Rajiv_Gandhi_University_Doimukh_20200606)

RGU NSS CELL CONDUCTED ONLINE WORKSHOP ON SWACHHTA AND JAL SHAKTI

The NSS CELL of Rajiv Gandhi University (A Central University) Rono Hills, Doimukh, Arunachal Pradesh organized One Day Online Workshop for NSS volunteers on ‘Swachhta & Jal shakti’ on 4th July 2020 in collaboration with Mahatma Gandhi National Council of Rural Education, Department of Education, Ministry of Human Resource Development, GoI. The aim of the programme to introduce the aspects of the Swachhta and Jalshakti campus and to enable Higher Educational Institutions to work with the people of rural and urban India in identifying development challenges and evolving appropriate solutions for accelerating sustainable sanitation and water management. It also aims to create a virtuous cycle between society and an inclusive academic system by providing knowledge and practices for emerging professions. The inaugural programme was graced by Hon’ble Vice Chancellor Prof. Saket Kushwaha and Pro-Vice Chancellor Prof. Amitav Mitra. The NSS volunteers from all the four units of NSS Cell, RGU took active participation in the online program.



Dr. Anil Mili, NSS Programme Coordinator introduced the aim and objective of the workshop. As the whole world is celebrating the 150th Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi this year, he remembered what Gandhi had said, “Sanitation is more important than independence”. In the address, Prof. Amitav Mitra, Pro-VC spoke on sustainable development goals and highlighted the three key points namely clean and green environment, energy conservation and water conservation. In the inauguration speech, Hon’ble Vice Chancellor Prof. Saket Kushwaha shares the vision and mission of the universities on waste management and water conservation. He stressed on creation of teams and ‘Standard

Operating Procedures' that can fix responsibility on the persons (including NSS volunteers) and stress on the processes of waste management and water conservation in our campus. The VC also discussed on collaboration and engagement with the community and the government for reducing carbon footprints for clean and green environment. The first technical session has been taken by Dr. Kaushalendra Pratap Singh, Head(i/c) of the Department of Social Work, RGU on Swachh Campus. In his session, he emphasized making Swachh Campus initiative possible through a systematic approach by including different stakeholders keeping students specially NSS volunteers. In the technical session, resource person Mr. John Gaingamlung Gangmei discusses on the formation of Swachhta and Jalshkti group, this will consist of five groups namely Greenery Group, Water management Group, Energy Conservation Group, Liquid and Solid Waste Management Group, Sanitation and Hygiene Group. Resource person Dr. Ravi Ranjan Kumar, Assistant Professor, Department of Social Work on his technical session on Jalshakti mentioned that the World Health Organization states that on individual requires around 25 liters of water daily for meeting ones' basic hygiene and food needs. He also added that the Composite Water Management Index (CWMI) report released by NITI Aayog in 2018 highlighted that 21 major Indian cities are racing to reach zero groundwater level by 2020. In the concluding remarks, Bhaskar Jyoti Chutia, NSS PO said NSS Cell, RGU would form groups and conduct online sessions on various issues in coming days. At the same time, he thanked all the volunteers, resource persons and NSS POs for their active participation and support.

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BLOOD DONATION CAMP

A voluntary blood donation camp was organised by the women of Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU) on Thursday, in collaboration with university units of NSS, NCC, Arunachal Voluntary Blood Donor's Organisation (AVBDO) and Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat, to commemorate the month-long celebration of international women's day.



Faculty Donating Blood on the Occasion

RGU VC Prof Saket Kushwaha lauded the women the varsity for the successful event and emphasised on the need to motivate them towards good deeds. NSS coordinator Dr Anil Mili emphasised on the importance of women while, Assistant Professor Champa Tanga, Coordinator of the camp, narrated how the ABVDO with the motto of 'Give Blood Save life' came into being in 2008. She further enumerated the details of programs successfully conducted in the past 12 years including 846 voluntary blood donation camps, 36 mega blood donation camps and 10866 awareness camps. So far, a total of 2,32,000 blood units have been collected through these camps and the AVBDO has a count of 2000+ voluntary blood donors and the number is ever increasing. The programme was followed with the felicitation of Ramesh Jeke, founder of AVBDO, Dr Tashi Pale, Pathology Medical Officer, Chongneithem Lhouvum, State Coordination Officer, State Blood Transfusion Council (SBTC) and also the medical team. Ramesh Jeke recounted how he chose service to humanity over his career in 2008 when he decided to form the organisation rather than continuing his course in NDA, Pune. He cited two stories wherein the importance of blood donation was emphasised. RGU Pro vice chancellor professor Amitava Mitra requested everyone to pledge themselves as blood donor. Registrar Dr N T Rikam congratulated the women and all other stakeholders of the program. He motivated everyone to donate blood and emphasised on the teachers' role in this.

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