

# ANDHRA LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS)

## VIJAYAWADA - 8

### NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME

### ANNUAL REPORT ON REGULAR ACTIVITIES

### 2024-2025

#### WORKSHOP:

1. Dr. K. Sekhar, P.O., NSS Unit-2 participated in the “Training of Trainers Programme on Engaging Youth and Adolescents in DRM and CCA” workshop organized by Child Centric Disaster Risk Reduction(CCDRR) Centre National Institute of Disaster Management, South Campus (Ministry of Home Affairs, Govt. of India) at NIDM South Campus, Agiripalli,Gannavaram on 27 to 31 May 2024.



#### BLOOD DONATION CAMP:

2. To celebrate the feast day of St. Ignatius Loyola on 31-07-2024, Andhra Loyola College NSS and Red Cross Society, Vijayawada Branch jointly organized a blood donation camp in the college on 30-07-2024. The NSS UNIT-2 Volunteers participated enthusiastically and donated 112 units of blood. The Principal Father encouraged the students that donating blood is a very good habit and this is the only great opportunity to save a fellow human being. Fr. P. R. John congratulated all the blood donors and presented them with certificates.



### YOGA DAY:

3. On June 21, 2024, a special Yoga Day event took place at the Gogeneni hostel grounds, bringing together 180 enthusiastic NSS Volunteers. The event was guided by the watchful eye of Rev. Fr. Kiran SJ, the Vice Principal of the UG College. His inspiring words encouraged the students to incorporate yoga into their daily routine, promoting not only physical well-being but also inner peace and tranquility. He emphasized that by dedicating time to yoga each day, it could enhance their ability to focus on their studies and exercise better self-control.



### YOGA DAY RALLY:

4. On June 21, 2024 at 3:00 PM, a special Yoga Day Rally event took place at the College nearby, bringing together 180 enthusiastic NSS Volunteers. The event was guided by the watchful eye of Rev. Fr. Kiran SJ, the Vice Principal of the UG College.



### SWACHA BHARAT PROGRAM:Planting Samplings:

5. 22-7-2024, our College NSS Units volunteers held a Swachh Bharat program near the South Block of our campus, focusing on cleaning the area and Planting samplings. NSS Program Officers Mr. R. John and Dr. K. Shekar joined the volunteers in this effort.

Volunteers worked hard to pick up litter and plant various saplings, making the campus greener and cleaner. This event aimed to promote environmental responsibility and community service among student Volunteers. The program ended with everyone feeling committed to keeping the campus clean and green.

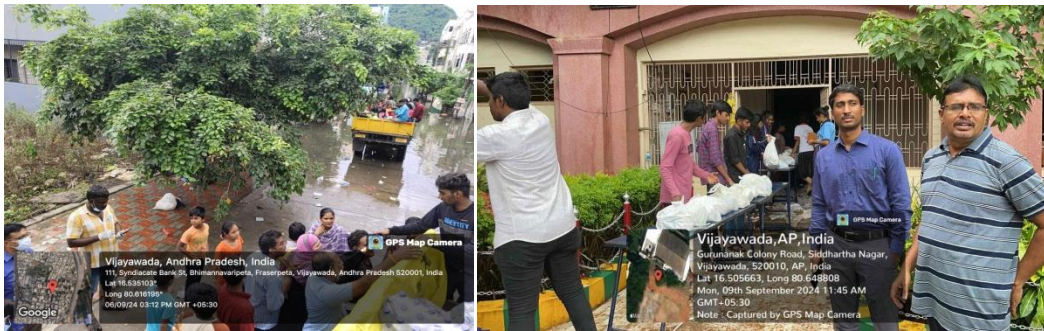


### FLOOD RELIEF CENTER:

6. The Budameru canal in Vijayawada suddenly overflowed, inundating low-lying areas of Vijayawada. Many areas in Vijayawada were submerged in water. All the houses were submerged in water for more than 15 days. As per the instructions of NTR District Collector, Dr. K Sekhar, PO, NSS Unit-2 reported to Sri P. Raja Babu IAS Officer at Chitti Nagar Flood Relief Center on the 4<sup>th</sup> September 2024. Went to flooded houses in Chittinagar, Vijayawada and provided water, food and milk for a week along with 15 NSS volunteers on 4<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> September 2024. Dr. K. Sekhar, actively participated alongside the dedicated NSS volunteers.







## JENASEVA SOCIETY – EXCELLENCE CIVIL FELICITATION:

7. Recently, the Budameru canal in Vijayawada flooded and the Chittinagar area was submerged. Many Andhra Loyola College, NSS Unit-2 volunteers participated in the relief activities service camp being conducted under the auspices of Sri Rajababu IAS. A Civil Felicitation ceremony was held under the auspices of the Janaseva Society. The Chief Guest of the program was Sri Satyakumar Yadav, Health Minister, Andhra Pradesh, and the special guest was Sri Kamineni Srinivas, MLA, Andhra Pradesh. NSS volunteers and NSS Program Officer Dr. Kolla Shekhar were felicitated by the Sri Satyakumar Yadav, Health Minister, Andhra Pradesh, on 24<sup>th</sup> October 2024.



## SWACHH BHARAT CLEANLINESS DRIVE:

8. In alignment with the Swachh Bharat Abhiyan initiative, students enrolled in the 1st year of the Degree program actively participated in a Campus Cleanliness Drive on Third Saturday of the month 2024 as part of their regular NSS activities. This undertaking not only infused renewed enthusiasm among the participants but also fortified their dedication to the cause. The initiative effectively conveyed a pivotal message: the pressing need to uphold cleanliness in our surroundings and refrain from polluting the environment with plastic and dry waste. Beyond their cleaning efforts, volunteers went the extra mile by trimming bushes to further elevate the overall tidiness of the campus. The NSS program officers, Dr. K. Sekhar actively participated in the program, alongside the engagement of NSS volunteers.





## WORLD AIDS DAY RALLY:

9. The Red Ribbon Club and NSS organized an awareness Rally on the eve of WORLD AIDS DAY on 30<sup>th</sup> November 2024. Rev.Fr.G. KIRAN KUMAR SJ, Vice Principal and Dr. N. Srinivasa Rao, Vice Principal inaugurated the rally. To raise awareness about HIV, Volunteers explained the precautions to be taken against HIV to their fellow students and neighbors. Totally 180 students, including NSS volunteers and Programme officers of all the six NSS units of Andhra Loyola College participated in the Rally.



NSS COORDINATOR