



National Service Scheme (NSS) – Special Camp Day 5

Date: - 7th January 2024

Time: - 06:00 AM to 10:30 PM

Place: - Tandulwadi Village

Platform: - Offline

January 7th, 2024, Saphale.

The NSS Council of Fr. Conceicao Rodrigues College of Engineering organized the NSS camp. The fifth day started with a fun and exciting yoga session. We practiced multiple different exercises to free our muscles and freshen up our bodies. After a fun and eventful yoga session, we gathered in the kitchen area to have some lovely breakfast prepared by the volunteers. Another group of volunteers was already cleaning the area and had made the space spic and span. We then had our principal visit us with two other teachers.

After a wonderful breakfast, everyone had a short break to go and freshen up and get ready for a very important event in the village. By 10:30, we had reached the village accompanied by our principal and other teachers. We had volunteers going out to spread the word about our volunteers present at the sarpanch's office ready to help the villagers set up their AYUSHMAN Card for any medical emergencies. We had half the volunteers helping the villagers with their registrations, and the other half spreading awareness and bringing them to the office.

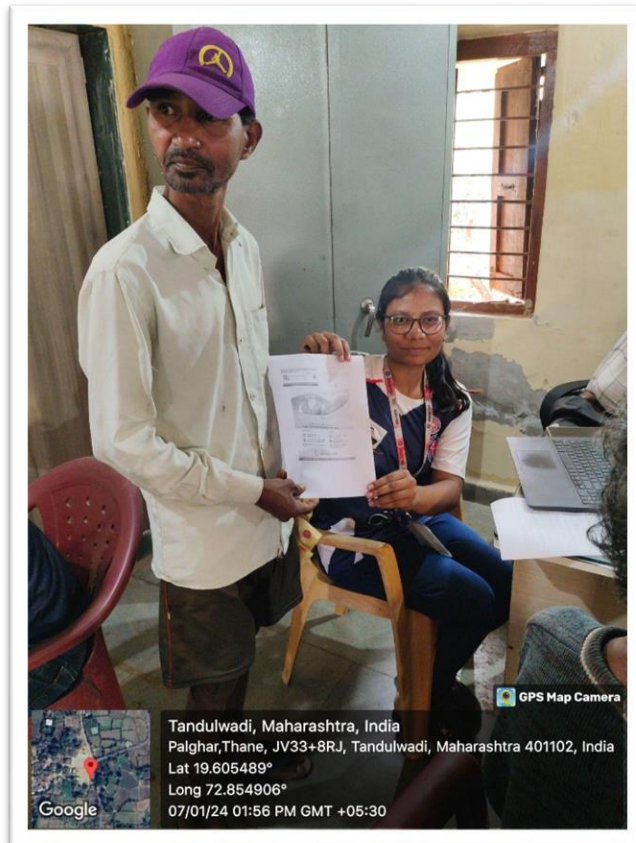
The Ayushman card allows a family member to avail up to 5 lakhs in case of any medical emergency. This greatly helps the villagers in case of any life-threatening or expensive surgeries or medications. The first group of volunteers then went for lunch as a second group came to relieve them of their post. The villagers were all quite happy, knowing that even in an accident their lives wouldn't be lost because they didn't have money and were happy to come and register.

Soon another group of volunteers who had finished their lunch came to help with the registrations. Soon we packed up and returned to our lodging where we had some tea and went to have a quick rest period. The volunteers worked until 5 pm. Following this, we returned to our lodgings. The students then relaxed after the long day. Shortly after the rest time was over, everyone was called to attend the briefing for the trek on the next day. We were told our route and the different provisions we would be having. After this short meeting, we had our dinner and then proceeded back to our rooms to tuck in for the night.

In conclusion, Day 5 was the most important as we had a major job to help out the villagers with something that would help save their lives in desperate times. The villagers were happy as they left with their medical cards. The volunteers also felt satisfied having helped the villagers.

A Report by Andronicus Lall, Event Coordinator.

An Insight into the Program:





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