

NSS, TU rally on the Anti-Tobacco movement

Date: 16th February 2019

Summary: The National Service Scheme (NSS) squad of Tezpur University organized and successfully carried out a foot rally on 16th of February 2019 on the anti-tobacco motion. In this rally, 55 NSS volunteers marched for a distance of about 1.8 KM, Paruwa bus stand, Tezpur to the Darang College, Tezpur. Throughout the rally they were trying to interact with the locals, spreading awareness against the health hazards that the abuse of tobacco, drugs, cigarette, alcohol and other such elements can bring.

Detailed report:

Traveling to the site- The 55 NSS volunteers left the University at about 10:00 AM. Most of them took the University bus that started at 10:00 AM. Due to the shortage of seats, however, some of them had to travel by autorickshaws from outside the University gate. They got off the bus at the Paruwa bus stand, from where the rally was to begin.

Preparing the troop for the rally- The NSS team gathered in the side of the road and the NSS coordinators gave them general instruction as to the slogans to be raised, the distance to be covered, and other general instructions. After that, the NSS volunteers got arranged in three files, side by side. Those in the front carried the NSS poster on the movement and some others held banners displaying different slogans on the same. After that, the rally commenced.

The execution of the rally- The NSS troop marched ahead in the given arrangement, raising slogans like “Jab tambaku ko doge tum chor, Jeevan ko milegi nayi mor”, “Say no to Tobacco”, “Tambaku choro, Guthka choro, cigarette choro”, and so on. In between, they went on interacting with the local people whom they found in the way. They talked with shopkeepers, construction workers, and pedestrians about the movement and requested them to avoid the abuse of these drugs. They also distributed posters which contained shocking facts about drugs, tobacco, alcohol, etc. Some of the volunteers clicked photos to capture the moments of the rally. Some of the people they talked with appreciated our initiative and promised that they will never indulge in the consumption of drugs and will also spread awareness at their level. This way, after about half an hour of walking, the team reached the

Darang College. There, they talked with some students and urged them to oppose drug abuse in every way.

Conclusion of the rally- The NSS team, slightly tired but still full of spirit, stopped to catch their breaths in a nearby shed at a construction site. There, they talked with the workers. Then, they were given juice packets for refreshment. After that, the NSS team reserved a few auto rickshaws and returned to the University at about 1:30 PM. There, a lunch was arranged for the group at a restaurant in the University premises. This way, the NSS rally for the social cause got concluded.





Date: 17th February, 2019

Summary: The National Service Scheme (NSS) squad of Tezpur University organized and successfully carried out a foot rally on 13th of April 2019 on the anti-tobacco motion. In this rally, 50 NSS volunteers marched on the Tezpur University road from the village Harigaon to Paruwa bus stop (a distance of about 2.3 KM). Throughout the rally they were trying to interact with the locals, spreading awareness against the health hazards that the abuse of tobacco, drugs, cigarette, alcohol and other such elements can bring.

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Traveling to the site- The 50 NSS volunteers left the University at about 10:00 AM. Most of them took the University bus that 10:00 AM started at 10:00 AM. Due to the shortage of seats, however, some of them had to travel by autorickshaws from outside the University gate. They got off the bus (and auto-rickshaws) in the village Harigaon which is about 2.3 KM behind the Paruwa crossing.

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Conclusion of the rally- After reaching the Paruwa Crossing, the team, slightly tired but still full of spirit, rested to catch their breaths in a nearby shed. There, they were given juice packets for refreshment. After that, the NSS team reserved a few auto rickshaws and returned to the University at about 1:30 PM. There, a lunch was arranged for the group at a restaurant in the University premises. This way, the NSS rally for the social cause got concluded



