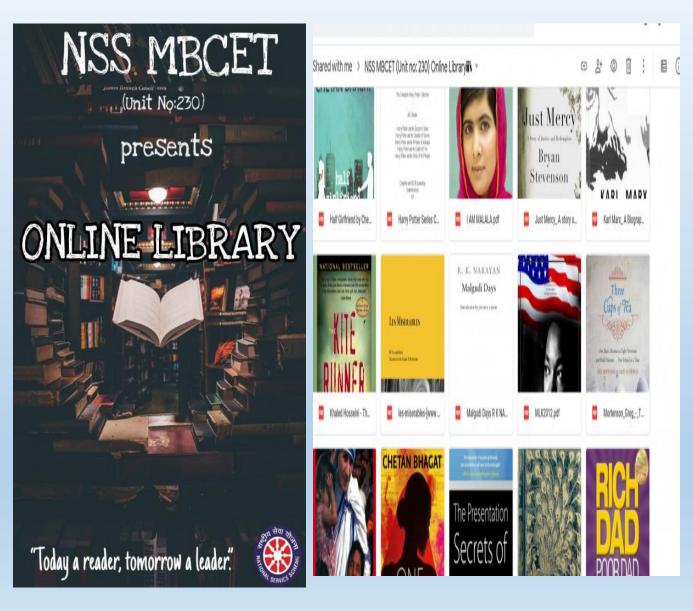


ONLINE LIBRARY

Date: 19/06/2020 Venue: Online (Google Drive) Beneficiaries: The volunteers of NSS unit 230 of Mar Baselios College Of Engineering And Technology, Trivandrum.

Outcomes: As we all know, every year, the government of Kerala observes June 19th as Reading Day. It is observed as a tribute to PN Panikkar. As a part of this, NSS MBCET opened an online library for all to encourage the habit of reading among people, especially the youth.

Highlights: We started this venture with a collection of 50 books as the first stage and decided to increase the collection of books with different genres gradually which will be accessible at any time. Reading time was fixed for the students as an encouragement to form a habit of reading.



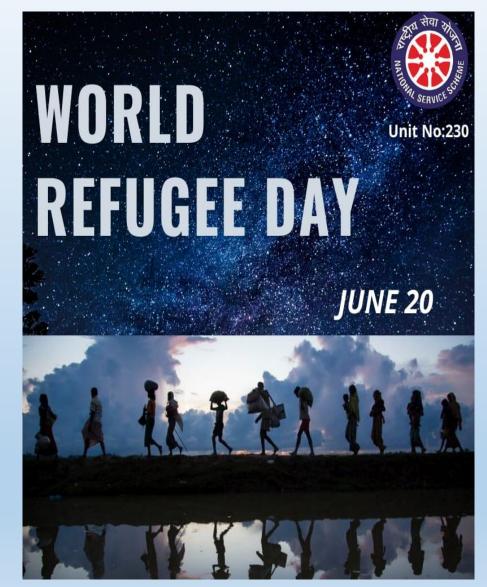
WORLD REFUGEE DAY

Date: 20/06/2020

Venue: Online

Beneficiaries: The volunteers of NSS unit 230 of MBCET, Trivandrum. Outcomes: The volunteers of NSS unit 230 observed World Refugee Day on 20th of June, 2020. The theme of World Refugee Day this year was "every action counts. "It made us understand the responsibility of each of us to make sure that no one is left behind. Highlights: We identified many things that each one of us can do to help refugees like:

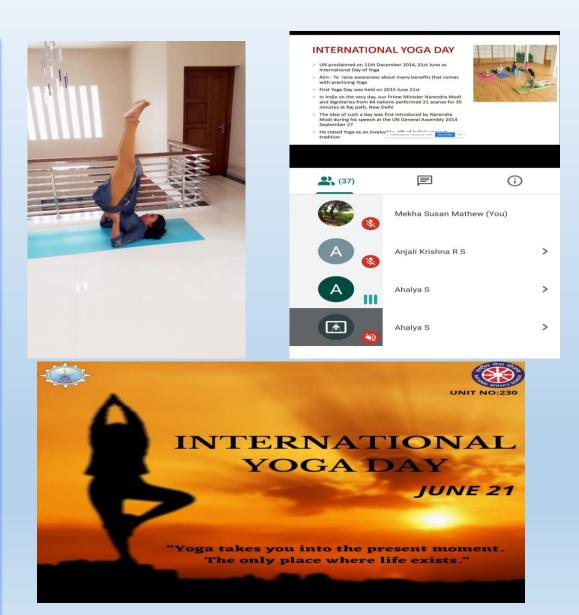
- 1. Host refugees and asylum seekers in your home.
- 2. Offer opportunities for refugees to volunteer.
- 3. Encourage our university to offer refugee scholarships etc.



WEBINAR: INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY

Date: 21/06/2020 Venue: Online (Google Meet) Beneficiaries: The volunteers of NSS unit 230 of MBCET, Trivandrum. Outcomes: On the occasion of World Yoga Day, the volunteers of NSS Unit 230 organized a Webinar via Google meet. The session was taken by Ahalya S, an NSS volunteer of our unit. Highlights: Ahalya had the experience of practicing yoga for the last 3 years. Her shared experiences of getting relieved from many health issues through yoga really motivated us.

With the help of other volunteers, she prepared the videos of different Asanas and Surya Namaskar. She had presented those videos and gave us a step by step explanation for doing each of the asanas and its benefits. It was a good session and a motivating one to start doing yoga and being healthy.



WORLD DRUG DAY

Date: 26/06/2020

Venue: Online

Beneficiaries: The volunteers of NSS unit 230 of Mar Baselios College Of Engineering And Technology,

Trivandrum.

- **Outcomes:** The volunteers of NSS unit 230 observed the International Drug Day on 26th of June, 2020. Awareness posters and messages which encourages to break the cycle of drug abuses were spread among the students via social media.
- **Highlights:** The goal of the day was to strengthen global action and cooperation towards creating a society that is free from drug abuse and unlawful drug trade.





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BREAK THE CYCLE OF DRUG ABUSE.

STOP DRUG ADDICTION.

NSS AWARENESS QUIZ FOR VOLUNTEER SELECTION

Date: 05/07/2020

Venue: Online (Google Form)

Beneficiaries: The volunteers of NSS unit 230 of Mar Baselios College Of Engineering

And Technology, Trivandrum.

Outcomes: The selection process for NSS volunteers of 2020-21 batch was started. The first task given to the applicants was an `Awareness Quiz. The objective of the quiz was

to make the applicants aware of 'What Is NSS' and 'What Are The Responsibilities Of An NSS Volunteer'.

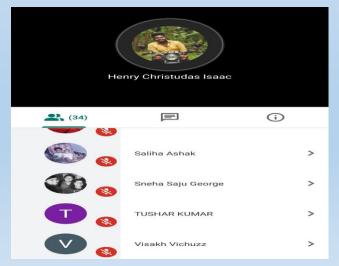
Highlights: Materials were provided and experiences as an NSS volunteer were shared by the senior volunteers. There were about 95 applicants and about 77 of them responded on time. After the quiz the doubts regarding the questions were cleared and the answers were discussed in the WhatsApp group.



MONTHLY MEETING

Date: 06/07/2020

- Venue: Online(Google Meet)
- **Beneficiaries**: The volunteers of NSS unit 230 of Mar Baselios College Of Engineering And Technology.
- **Outcomes**: A meeting was held on 6th of July evening via online platform Google Meet. The objective of the meeting was to discuss and plan regarding the NSS blood cell duties. **Highlights**: Awareness was made among the volunteers about the duties assigned for each volunteer on that day. We were assigned to collect maximum number of contacts of blood donors. We initiated the active participation of each volunteer on the duty day.



POSTER MAKING: WORLD POPULATION DAY

Date: 14/07/2020

Venue: Online

Beneficiaries: The volunteers of NSS unit 230 of Mar Baselios College Of Engineering And Technology, Trivandrum. **Outcomes**:The current world population is 7.8 billion as of June 2020. The day celebration focused on making people aware about the necessity of controlling population for a healthy and sustainable living. **Highlights**: As a part of this each volunteer made posters incorporating the details and importance of The World Population Day.

During this lockdown period, we made the posters individually and the photos holding the posters were shared via different social media platforms.

This activity was also given as the second task for the applicants of 2020-21 batch of NSS as a part of the selection

process.





NSS BLOOD CELL: DUTY DAY 1

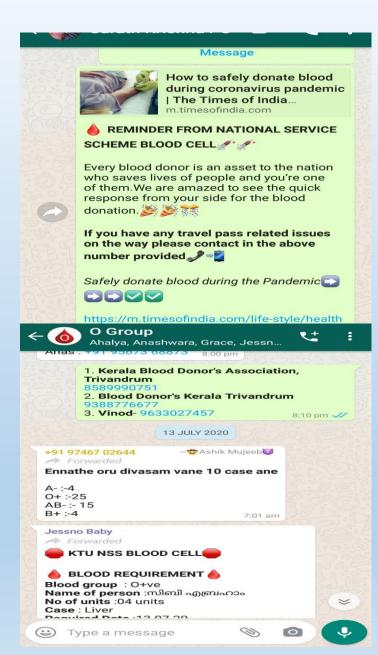
Date: 13/04/2020

Venue: Trivandrum (Assigned duties were completed online)

Beneficiaries: The volunteers of NSS unit 230 and the donors, the patients and others related to this life saving mission. **Outcomes**: July 13, 2020 was the first duty day of NSS blood cell activities for NSS unit 230. The volunteers were grouped based on their respective blood groups.

Different cases were assigned to us at around 9 am. The given cases were verified by contacting the bystanders. Due to the prevailing triple lockdown situation in Trivandrum, the task for finding and convincing the donors was not an easy task.

Highlights: By the end of the day, 10 cases were closed, finding about 41 donors. Travel pass was made available for the required donors and the awareness regarding 'safe donation of blood during the pandemic' was also done. The day gave us a really great experience and we felt the happiness of being a lifesaver of someone.



PROBLEM SOLVING

Date: 15/07/2020

Venue: Online (Google Form)

Beneficiaries: The volunteers of NSS unit 230 of Mar Baselios College Of Engineering And Technology, Trivandrum.

Outcomes: One of the main objectives of an NSS volunteer is to identify the needs and problems of the community and involve in **problem-solving.** So during this pandemic, NSS unit 230 conducted a session to think of such problem solving ideas. It worked as a brainstorming.

Highlights: Three questions were given to the volunteers in the objective of making them observe the present situation and think for better solutions. It encouraged the volunteers to come up with creative ideas for lockdown NSS activities and the ways to help the society during this crisis. It was also given as Task No: 3 for the applicants of 2020-21 batch NSS, as a part of the selection process.

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	LET'S SOLVE IT!!!
	Problem Solving Assessment for NSS Volunteers!!
	* Required
	Name *
	Your answer
	Email *

1. During this quarantine most schools opt for online sessions but not all parents are capable of accessing net or such online sessions. People who are economically backward find it difficult and disappointing that they cant help their kids in such a situation ... Our generation is facing trouble.. talented students who have such poor background will find it difficult to reach their dreams ...we are losing potential people who could change the world to be better.. Now here is the question - As an NSS volunteer how can you contribute in solving this problem to an extent?

Your answer