

**BHARATI VIDYAPEETH DEEMED TO BE UNIVERSITY
COLLEGE OF ARCHITECTURE, PUNE**

EXTENSION ACTIVITIES

2017– 2018

NSS WINTER CAMP 2017-2018

NSS SPECIAL WINTER CAMP 2017-2018

Day and Date (Friday 02/02/2018) to (Thursday 08/02/2018):

Venue: Bahirjichiwadi village Walhe, Taluka Purandar, Pune Pandharpur road, District Pune

Events: **Road safety, Socio economic and housing survey, Road survey**

Theme: Rural survey, volunteering, cleanliness Plastic free wadi/village

Faculty In charge: Ar. Sudarshan Bodhankar, NSS Program officer 2017-2018

Students In charge: Yash Singh, Rutuja, Saurabh, Sanchita etc (First year B-Arch students)

Total NSS volunteers:- 13 boys + 12 girls=25 NSS volunteers from 1st year B-Arch.

The NSS special Winter camp was organized by the Bharati Vidyapeeth Deemed To be University, College of Architecture, Pune at village Bahirjichiwadi, Taluka Purandar, District Pune. The NSS unit of 25 volunteers all from the first year B-Arch course ably guided by NSS programme officer-Ar. Sudarshan Bodhankar. non teaching staff Mr. Sham Yadav accompanied the group. Respected Principal Sir Dr. B. H. Sutar Sir visited the camp.

NSS special winter camp 2017-2018 by College of Architecture, Pune in the village Bahirjichiwadi, Village Walhe, Taluka Purandar, District Pune.

On the occasion of birthday celebrations of Honorable founder & Chancellor of BVP Respected Dr. Patangrao Kadam Saheb and birthday celebrations of Honorable Secretary of BVP Dr. Vishwajeet Kadam commencing first week of January 2018.

This village is located approximately 60kms from college on Pune Pandharpur road. This village consists of nearly 150 population. A Zilla Parishad school for primary education is functioning in the village. The land near village is heavily contoured.

This main participants in NSS sp. winter camp were 25 boys and girls (NSS Volunteers) from first year B-Arch course of college of Architecture.

The NSS Program officer in consultation with respected Principal Prof. Dr. Bajrang Sutar, had decided to conduct a live on site field work for subject survey and leveling sem IV near this village in addition to sp. winter camp.

The NSS volunteers were accompanied by respected Principal Prof. Dr. Bajrang Sutar, NSS Program officer Prof. Sudarshan Bodhankar who is also core subject teacher for subject survey and leveling sem IV, teaching staff (visiting) Prof. Rajendra

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Hire subject teacher for subject survey and leveling sem IV, and non-teaching staff as per duty assigned.

The activities which were conducted for the NSS special winter camp from 02/02/2018 to 08/02/2018 were:-

1. Inauguration ceremony at beginning of the camp announcing schedule of events. Mr. Popat Nana Pawar Sarpanch (Wadi) spoke about the existing condition in the village.



2. Survey of village-social surveys, physical survey. Interaction with villagers. Respected Principal Sir Prof. Dr. B. H. Sutar Sir guided the students groups so that a house to house survey could be conducted.
3. Measurements of structures in wadi by groups of students coordinated by Prof. S. Bodhankar and Prof. Rajendra Hire.



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The students both divisions 25 Nss volunteers also visited this village during this period. On site field work road survey for subject survey and leveling was conducted by the expert visiting subject teacher Prof.Rajendra Hire.



4. Road survey to determine slopes and rainwater flow and drainage problems along roads. This is useful for determining water collection, rainwater harvesting and proper drainage disposal.
5. Cleanliness drive for plastic waste free village.



Plastic waste free rally and cleanness movement



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Principal Dr.B.H.Sutar Sir interacting with villagers
Mr.Mahesh Pawar from village provided local support with help of chirkaal tarun mandal in Bahirjichiwadi.The villagers actively participated in the student events and also provided sumptuous lunch and other facilities for the student group

6. Nss volunteers helped in tree planting in ZP school campus in village.Prof.Dr.Avinash Mhetre NSS coordinator University visited this camp and interacted with the villagers and the students.



Prof.Dr.Avinash Mhetre



The tree plantation program was carried out in presence of Prof.Sudarshan Bodhankar and Prof.Dr.Avinash Mhetre NSS coordinator University.

7. Organizing cultural/social events for villagers in the school



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Prof.Rajendra Hire in consultation with respected Principal Prof.Dr.Bajrang Sutar Sir framed an assignment for students to measure slopes,widths and alignment of approach roads and internal roads in BahirjichiWadi. Prof.Rajendra Hire (civil engineer) was assisted by Prof.Sudarshan Bodhankar (architect) and students of 1st year B-Arch sem II and (NSS students visiting) 2nd Year B-Arch sem IV .

The outcome of this survey work by students of 1st year B-Arch is in form of measurements of roads and buildings alongwith photographs and filled up survey forms by groups of students.This data can be used to provide solutions for the drinking water problems and design of drainage system for this wadi.



A rally for road safety was conducted along main road leading to the village.This rally helped students to increase awareness about the need for safe driving practices A newspaper article has been published about the activities in this winter camp.

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From left Mr.Mahesh Pawar,Prof.Rajendra Hire, Principal Dr.B.H.Sutar,Non teaching staff Mr.Sham Yadav.

This innovative activity by NSS volunteers and staff event has inspired all the students and staff to undertake programs for rural areas for benefit of villagers.

- **Ar.S.S.Bodhankar**
- **NSS Programme Officer**

Prof.Dr.B.H.Sutar
Principal