

## **Annual Report for the Academic Session 2024-5**

### **National Service Scheme (NSS)**

The NSS Unit of the college has played a pivotal role for holistic development of its volunteers through engaging them in community-centric projects and creating the crucial awareness of ecological balance by planting and preserving trees. The activities for the academic session 2024-5 are mentioned below:

#### **College Community Embraces Green Initiative**

On Tuesday, July 30, 2024, the NSS Unit and Eco Club of Government Degree College Sugh-Bhatoli actively participated in the Government of India's "Ek Ped Maa ke Naam" campaign by planting 25 diverse saplings within the college's newly established 'vatika'. The vatika, meticulously prepared by volunteers and with the assistance of a JCB machine, now serves as a nurturing ground for the young trees.



#### **Swachhta hi Sewa Abhiyan at GDC Sugh-Bhatoli**

On 30 September 2024, the NSS Volunteers along with Rovers and rangers participated in Swachhta hi Sewa campaign. In this they cleaned and weeded out college campus. As this is crucial to remove the hiding place of reptiles like snakes and the breeding areas of mosquitoes.



### One-day NSS Camp on November 7, 2024

In one day NSS camp, volunteers pruned trees and bushes to clean the College campus on November 7, 2024. As after the rain flora around the campus could become the potential hideouts for insects and reptiles. Therefore, our volunteers trimmed them to clear the pathway and surroundings of the institution.



### Cleaning and Maintaining of College Vatika

On November 11, 2024, our NSS volunteers gathered to rejuvenate the newly developed College Vatika, transforming it into a cleaner, greener space. With great enthusiasm, they weeded out unwanted grass and scrubs, and watered the plants, showcasing their dedication to preserving the environment. This initiative highlights the spirit of teamwork and responsibility towards nature that our students embody.





## Two-day Training on Disaster Management

A two days basic course for a task force of youth volunteers on “Disaster Preparedness and Response” was organised by the District Disaster Management Authority, Kangra (HP) in our college. The first day (27 November 2024) of the course aimed to equip youth volunteers with essential skills to effectively respond to disaster situations. On the inaugural day, participants underwent rigorous training in crucial search and rescue techniques. The training module included:

**Casualty Search Methods:** Volunteers learned systematic approaches to locate individual strapped or injured in disaster-stricken areas.

**Stretcher Making:** Practical demonstrations and hands-on training were provided to construct improvised stretchers using readily available materials.

**Victim Rescue Techniques:** Participants were instructed on safe and efficient methods to evacuate victims from hazardous environments.

**Fire Fighting Demonstration:** Experts showcased firefighting equipment and techniques, highlighting the importance of early intervention in controlling fires.





## Seven Days Special Annual Camp (24, 25, 26, 29, 30, 31 of December 2024 and 1 January 2025)

The NSS Special Camp, a week-long initiative aimed at fostering community service and cultural exchange was organised in the college campus during 24, 25, 26, 29, 30, 31 of December 2024 and 1 January 2025. The days began with the yoga and physical exercises. In the first half of the day students performed constructive works like shramdan, safai abhiyan, maintaining and repairing the college vatika and local roads. In the second half of the day they performed cultural programmes and guest lectures were also organised to enrich their understating on international relations, disaster management, cyber security, nationalism, personal hygiene and job opportunities in armed forces.

The NSS Special Camp was a resounding success, leaving a lasting impact on the participants and the community. It served as a platform for fostering a sense of social responsibility, cultural appreciation, and camaraderie among the youth.











## Participation and Contribution of NSS Volunteers in the Organisation of the National Seminar (22 February 2025)

On February 22nd, 2025, the college successfully hosted a National Seminar titled “Synergizing Sustainability: Integrating Environmental, Economic, and Social Development for a Resilient Future”. The National Service Scheme (NSS) volunteers played a crucial role in ensuring the smooth and efficient execution of the event, contributing significantly to its overall success.

They demonstrated exemplary dedication and commitment throughout the seminar, participating in a wide range of support activities like in pre-seminar preparations. Volunteers actively cleaned and decorated the college campus, creating a welcoming and conducive environment for the seminar. On the day of Seminar, volunteers assisted guests with registration; they provided support during food service, ensuring smooth distribution and catering to the needs of the attendees. Also, they assisted in guiding the guests to their seats. In the post-seminar support, volunteers assisted the faculty with post-seminar-related tasks, including organizing materials, tidying up the venue, and other logistical support.



## One-Day NSS Camp - Cleanliness Drive

Date: 10<sup>th</sup> March 2025

A successful one-day National Service Scheme (NSS) camp was organized today, the 10th of March 2025. The camp focused on a comprehensive "Safai Abhiyan" (cleanliness drive), engaging dedicated NSS volunteers in various activities to improve the environment and serve the community. The day commenced with enthusiastic participation from the NSS volunteers, who undertook the following activities; College Campus Cleanliness: Volunteers diligently cleaned the college campus, removing litter and debris ensuring a cleaner and more hygienic environment for students and staff. College Vatika Maintenance: The college's garden (Vatika) received special attention, with volunteers tending to the plants, weeding, and ensuring its overall upkeep. Plant Watering: Volunteers ensured the hydration of the campus flora by watering the plants, contributing to the greenery and health of the environment. Shiva & Durga Temple Cleanliness: Extending their efforts beyond the campus, the volunteers visited the Shiva Durga temple in the nearby village and thoroughly cleaned the temple premises, demonstrating their commitment to community service. Lunch was provided to the volunteers within the college campus, offering a moment of respite and fostering camaraderie among the group.

