

List of the NSS Programmes Carried out in January 2023

S.No.	Date	Programme	Activity	Place
1	04.01.2023 to 10.01.2023	NSS Annual Special Camp 2023	Kumaraguru Institute of Agriculture, Nachimuthupuram, Sakthinagar, Erode organized seven days NSS Special at Oricheri village near Bhavani from Jan. 4 – 10, 2023. All the 120 II B.Sc. (Hons.) Agri. Students actively involved in the camp. Major focus was given on Environment cleanliness, Tree planting, Soil sampling, Organic farming principles. Besides hands on training was given on Mushroom cultivation, Bee keeping and Kitchen garden. School children's were involved in cleaning and wall painting. Health campaign and Eye camp were organized as a part of the programme. Veterinary Camps, Rally on drug abuse, eradication of polythene were also conducted. All the Scientists of KIA, Government Department Officials, Panchayat members, local Police personnel, Sakthi Sugars Ltd Staff, and School Teachers are involved in seven days NSS Special Camp.	Oricheriputhur
2	25.01.2023	National Voters Day Celebration	On January 25, 2023, at 11:30 AM, Kumaraguru Institute of Agriculture (KIA), Nachimuthupuram, Erode, observed "National Voters Day 2023" to inspire young people to get involved in politics.	Kumaraguru Institute of Agriculture

NSS ANNUAL SPECIAL CAMP 2023

The NSS Special Camp was held from January 04 to 10, 2023 in the adopted village viz., Oricheriputhur, Bhavani Taluk, Erode District with the motto of "Not for me, but for you". All the II B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture students (100 nos.) participated in the camp under the guidance of the programme officers Er.L.Mohan and Dr.V.Karthika. We undertook various cultural activities in the village to promote interaction with the villagers and used the NSS platform to spread awareness about different social issues.

DAY : 1

4th January 2023

The Function was inaugurated by collage principal Dr.B.J.Pandian .The day began with Tamil Thaivazhthu. On the 1st day, the collage principal addressed the Volunteers on the Importance of NSS Programme. The Chief Guest Mr.T.Ashok Kumar, DGM of Sakthi Sugars Private limited gave a message motivating the volunteers to give their best during the camp days. Mr.A.Balasubramaniam, Executive Officer KIA gave a short message encouraging the volunteers to give their best during the camp days. Guests of the day, Panchayat President Mrs.M.Chitra addressed the gathering. Mrs.Regina Rani, Headmistresses of P.U.M.S, Oricheri, Mr.S.Rajendran, Union Vice-chairman of Bhavani, Mr.S.Thangamani, Ex-Panchayat President, Mr.P.Mani, Village Pannadi was the other dignitaries who were present for the inaugural ceremony.



In afternoon session, the NSS Volunteers undertook the Cleaning of Government School premises. The NSS Volunteers are interestingly participated in school wall painting, to provide Learning environment to students through painting. In the evening session, lecture on Integrated farming system and their management was given by Dr.S.Selvakumar, Assistant Professor (AGR) of KIA and a lecture on Azolla Cultivation was given by Dr.N.Arunkumar, Assistant Professor (AGM) of KIA. More than 50 peoples were attended the session and benefited from these lectures. The volunteers are participated in Cultural Programmes and make the people enthusiastic.



DAY : 2

5th January 2023

On 2nd day, The Medical Eye camp check up was conducted by Dr.K.Poornima Anandh from VKM Hospital. More than 100 village people were benefited from this Eye Camp. The NSS Volunteers Organized a Rally on Anti drug usage awareness programme. In evening session, the lecture on Importance of organic farming was given by Dr.P.Baskar, Associate Professor (AGR) of KIA and a lecture on SRI Cultivation Practices was given by Dr.S.Selvakumar, Assistant Professor (AGR) of KIA were conducted. Many people benefited and asked their questions to the Specialist.





DAY : 3

6th January 2023

The 3rd day started with General Medical Camp by Dr. Shanmugam Vadivu from VKM Hospital. Many of the village people were benefited by this medical camp. In the afternoon session, the Volunteers were conducted Games for Government School Students. The Students are actively participated and enjoyed those games. In Evening session, there was a lecture on Horticultural Technology and its benefit was given by Mr.A.Jeyakumar, AAO, Bhavani. In addition, the Volunteers Organized a talk on Kitchen Garden Basics (How to start Growing Food today) was given by Dr.R.P.Jagatheeshkanth. It aimed to grow your own food in a healthy way.





DAY : 4

7th January 2023

On 4th day, Dr.C.Sangeetha, Assistant Professor (AGR) and the NSS volunteers were organised a campaign on Parthenium Eradication and Creating awareness on Plastic eradication and waste management and also cleanliness and hygiene through rallies in the streets of the village were conducted. The Volunteers actively participated in the campaign. All the NSS Volunteers are provided with Tree Saplings. They planted in free space in the Government Schools headed by Dr.K.Gopalakrishnan, Assistant Professor (FOR). In evening session, the Volunteers Organized training on Honeybee rearing to Village people was given by Dr.P.Pavithradevi, Assistant Professor (AEN). People were trained & benefited from this session.





DAY : 5

8th January 2023

On the 5th day, all the volunteers were organised a technical session on Mushroom cultivation and practices guided by Mrs.M.Maheshwari , Assistant Professor of KIA. The training aimed at increasing their income and overall economy of Oricheri village people. "Mushrooms can be consumed and sold at the household level. It can be cultivated in a plastic bag which requires less space and is a good source of livelihood for small farmers with less investment," said Mrs.M.Maheshwari. In evening session, a brief talk on Sericulture practices were delivered by Mr.V.Dhanasekar, Assistant Professor, KIA. The volunteers are participated in Cultural Programmes and make the people enthusiastic.



DAY : 6

9th January 2023

On the 6th day, Mrs.Jammuna Rani, Agriculture Officer from Mobile Soil Testing Labs from erode demonstrated the soil and water testing procedure and more than 60 number of village farmers were benefitted. The Young Entrepreneur of Dairy Farming, Jambai Mr.Surya gave a entrepreneurial talk on commercial Dairy Farming business to the NSS Volunteers and village people. In the evening session, lecture on Integrated pest management was given Dr.K.Elango, Assistant Professor of KIA and a lecture on Rural Management and agricultural extension information technology was given by Ms.S.Indumathi, Assistant Professor of KIA.





DAY : 7

10th January 2023

On the final day, a training on Yoga and Art of Living for School students were organised by the NSS Volunteers headed by Manavalakalai mandra arakattalai, Gobichettipalayam. School childrens from P.U.M.S and Oricheri village people were actively participated in the yoga programme. Valedictory function was held by 3.00 pm. Dr.B.J.Pandian, Principal gave a short message congratulating the volunteers for giving their best during the camp days. Mrs.Regina Rani, headmistresses of P.U.M.S, Oricheri described her experiences and lighted up the minds of the volunteers with the true spirits of all the NSS Volunteers and congratulated them. The School childrens were awarded with various prizes and certificates for competitions conducted during the camp. Mr.S.Rajendran, Union Vice-chairman of Bhavani, Mrs. Kanaga Sakthivel, women secretary, Mr.P.Mani, Village Pannadi were the other dignitaries who were present for the valedictory ceremony. Finally, NSS representatives proposed the vote of thanks.





National Voters Day Celebration 2023- 25.01.2023

On January 25, 2023, at 11:30 AM, Kumaraguru Institute of Agriculture (KIA), Nachimuthupuram, Erode, observed "**National Voters Day 2023**" to inspire young people to get involved in politics. The goal of National Voters Day 2023 Theme is to encourage more people to vote in elections, regardless of their age, gender, ethnicity, or other characteristics. In her opening remarks, NSS Programme Officer (Girls) Dr.V.Karthika reminded the audience of the importance of the day. Dr. S. Hemalatha, a staff advisor for the forum, recited the National Voters Day pledge aloud. The pledge was recited by each student and staffs.



NSS Programme Officer (Girls) Dr.V.Karthika began the function addressing the students and staff members about the concept of the National Voters Day and the pledge of the National Voters Day was read by Staff Advisor Dr.S.Hemalatha, KIA to the forum.

NSS Volunteers of Kumaraguru Institute of Agriculture (KIA), Nachimuthupuram, Erode, were participated in the National Voters Awareness Campaign (Wall Magazine in Poster forms Competition and Song Contest).The details of winners from 1st year NSS

Volunteers are S.Keerthana, S.Keerthivarshini, M.Vishupriya. They depicted the importance of voters awareness in their wall posters.

Winners List - Wall Magazine in Poster forms Competition



Winner - Song Contest



R.Thanu sri of 1st year secured Erode District level Second place and cash prize Rs.1000/- in the 13 th National Voters Day 2023 events.