VPM'S B. N. BANDODKAR COLLEGE OF SCIENCE (AUTONOMOUS), THANE (W)



NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME

Report of the activity: - SADBHAVANA DIWAS (WEBINAR)

Date: 20th August,2021.

Time: 4 PM to 5:30 PM.

Sadbhavana Diwas is celebrated as the birth anniversary of congress leader and the former Prime Minister of India, Late Rajiv Gandhi. He was born on 20th August, 1944. 20 August 2021, marks the 77th birth anniversary of Late Rajiv Gandhi. The word 'Sadbhavana' indicates having a good feeling for everyone around us. The objective of Sadbhavana Diwas is to maintain communal harmony and integrity among the people .Our nation celebrate this diwas with great enthusiasm by conducting various programmes. This day spreads the message of Peace, Harmony and Goodwill among people of India

On the occasion of Sadbhavana Diwas, NSS UNIT of VPM's B. N. Bandodkar College of Science, organised the webinar. The webinar started at 4 PM on Google Meet.

All the dignitaries were welcomed and addressed by the anchors, NSS Volunteers, Mr. Om Pardeshi (SY BSc Student of CZ Department) and Ms. Vaishnavi Kharande (SY BSc Student of Microbiology Department). NSS theme song (Lakshya Geet) was played after welcomed speech. NSS Volunteer Ms. Shital Patil (SY BSc Student of CB Department) sang Saraswati Vandhana praying to the goddess of knowledge, Devi Saraswati.

I/C Principal Dr. Moses Kolet addressed to all the Volunteers, and also talked about the importance of Sadbhavana Diwas. Then, one short video clip was played (by technical committee) to know about the motive of this day. NSS Programme Officer Dr. Ujjwala Gokhe welcomed the Chief Guest Mr. Archis Hemant Joshi. He is a Commercial Head- Director of Dr. Reddy's Lab. He has completed his B Pharma, MBA, EPBM, IIML, MA Psychology. He is author of two books (Manorekhit and Arjun in Corporate Mahabharata). His two articles on Pharma Industry published in "Economic Times".

The Chief Guest started his speech by talking about the word Sadbhavana, the real meaning of this word, and also talked its importance in character building and leardership building at global level. He had ended his speech by saying fews important key point for students, like, be thirsty for your success and work hard to achieve your goals with great character and be a good person before a successful person.

After Chief Guest's speech, NSS Volunteer, Ms. Pranjal Dalal (SY BSc Student of MS Department) presented the Power Point Presentation. She shared a very detailed information about the history of Sadbhavana Diwas. After this, one short video clip (about activities of our NSS Unit) was played. Then, The Secretary of our NSS Unit, Mr. Rohit Rathod, proposed the vote of thanks. The webinar ended by playing our National Anthem.

Total 67 NSS Volunteers were present in the webinar among which 43 were girls Volunteers and 24 were boys Volunteers. The webinar ended at 5:30 PM.







