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PLASTIC FREE AREA

On the eve of India's 75th year of Independence and Mahatma Gandhi's 152nd birth anniversary, the government launched an innovative month-long campaign to collect and remove 75 lakh kilograms of single-use plastic waste from across the country. Announcing the "**Clean India Campaign**", Minister of Youth Affairs and Sports, said the programme will begin tomorrow - the eve of Gandhi Jayanti.

In this regard, self-help groups, clubs, organisations, individuals, and institutions have to join us from October 1 to 31 in this Clean India programme to make India free of plastic waste. Earlier Prime Minister Narendra Modi has regularly urged people to join the Swachh Bharat Mission. The post also carried a quote by Mahatma Gandhi - "Sanitation is more important than independence."

There is a need for educational institutions to actively contribute to the effort of banning the use of single use plastics. The awareness encourage universities to adopt policies and practices towards cleaner and plastic free campuses. Students and faculty must work towards this in mission mode. Students may not be permitted to bring non-bio- degradable plastic items to the institution.

National Service Scheme (NSS Unit) of Sapthagiri College of Engineering in association with ECO club and Health club organized a Plastic Awareness Campaign on 25th October 2021. The campaign started at 10.30 am by our beloved Principal Dr. Ramakrishna H, in the presence of conveners of health club and ECO club, NSS Program Officer Dr.Tulsidas D, with NSS volunteers of Sapthagiri College of Engineering, Bangalore. Firstly our Principal addressed the volunteers about the health and environmental issues in using the plastics in the daily life. Also highlighted on social service activity points. Ensure presence of alternative solutions like cloth bags etc., to plastic bottles, covers and other goods on campuses. The volunteers collected the plastics near the college in three different areas like Chikkasandra, Kirtoskar layout and Hesaraghatta Main road. 110 students were present for this activity.

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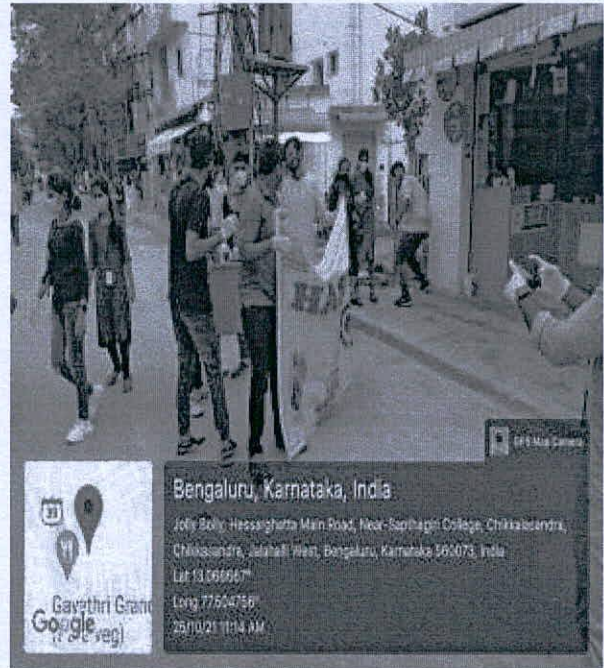
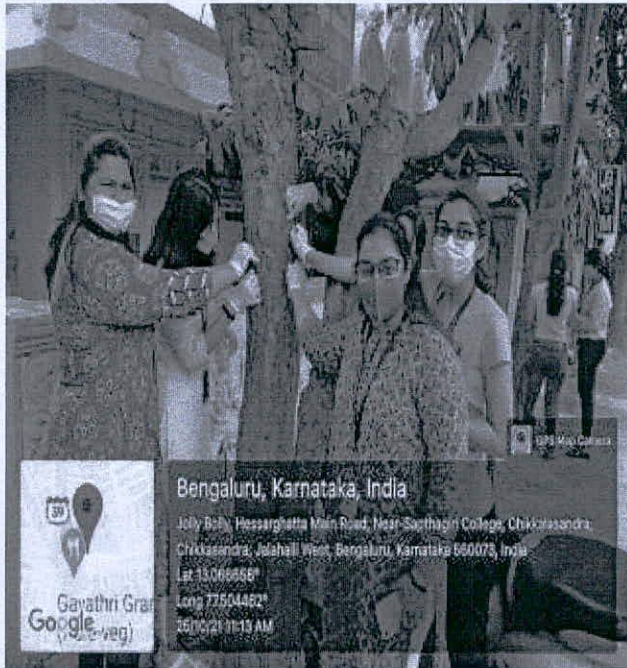


Address to Volunteers by Principal and NSS Convener

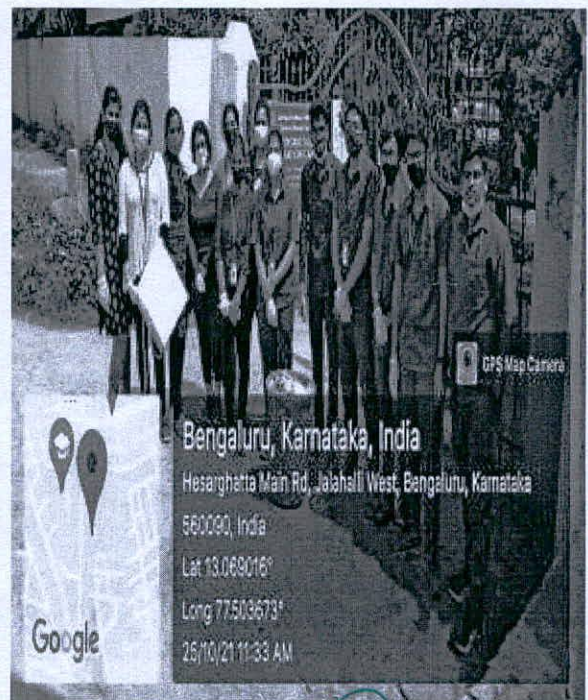
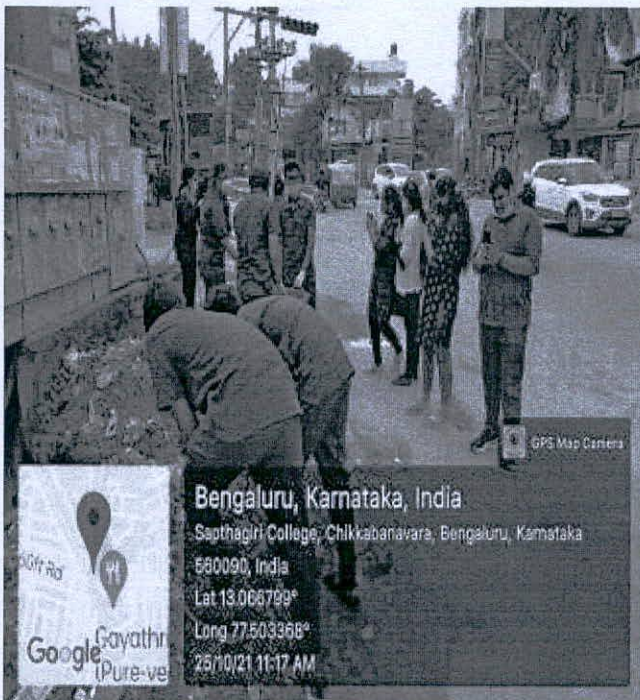


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Removing pins from tree and collecting plastics in Chikkasandra Road



Volunteers collecting Plastics on Hesarghatta main road

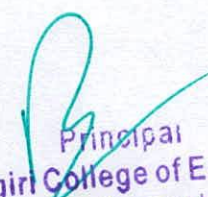
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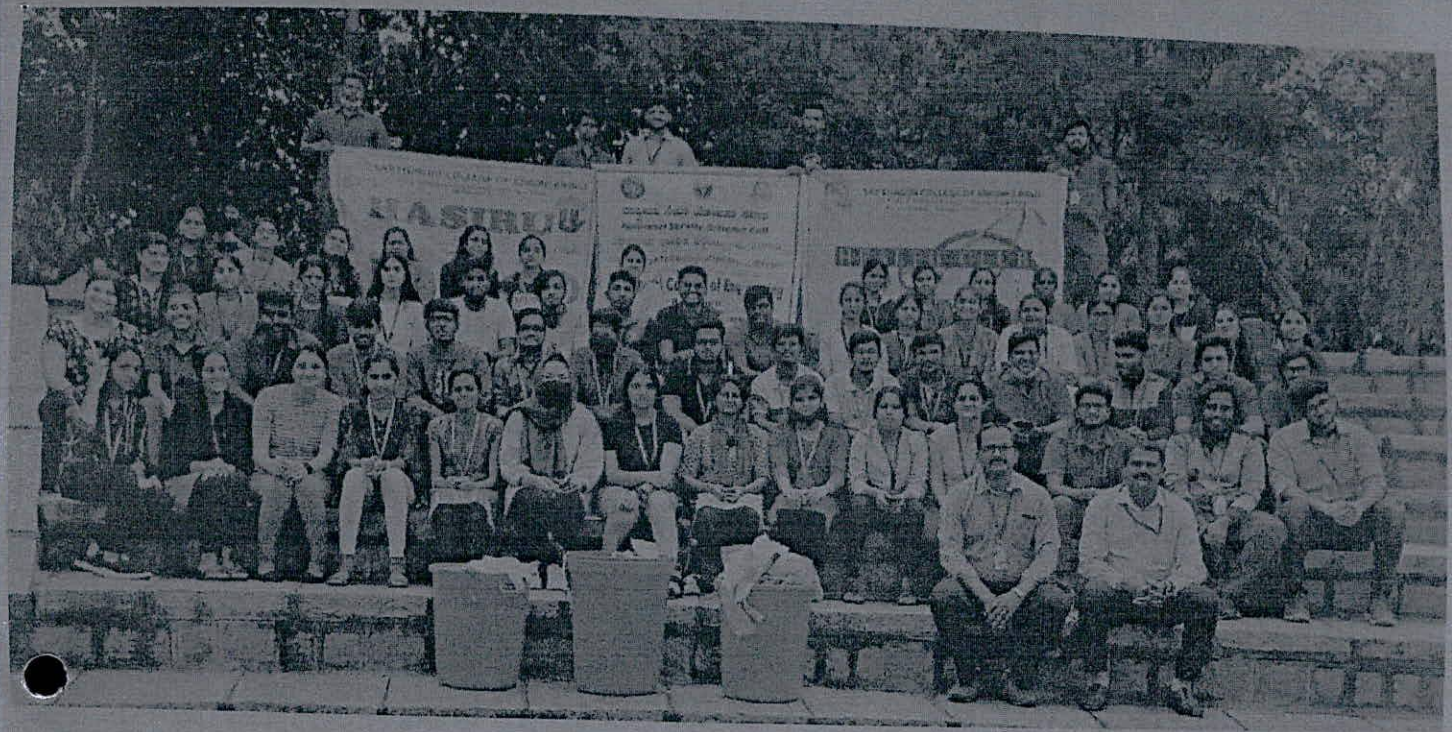


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