



LOYOLA COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE, METTALA

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1. Anti-Drug Awareness Rally

- **Date:** 26.06.2023
- **Participants:** 50 Volunteers

On the occasion of World Anti-Drug Day, NSS volunteers organized an awareness rally to educate the public about the dangers of drug abuse.

The rally was flagged off by a police official and covered important areas of Mettala. Volunteers raised slogans and carried placards promoting a drug-free society.

The programme successfully created awareness among the public and encouraged youth to stay away from harmful substances.

2. Anti-Leprosy Day Pledge

- **Date:** 30.01.2024
- **Participants:** 40 Volunteers

NSS volunteers observed Anti-Leprosy Day by creating awareness about the disease. They shared information that leprosy is curable and early treatment can prevent disability.

Volunteers took a pledge to spread awareness and eliminate stigma associated with the disease.

3. Leprosy Awareness Programme

- **Date:** 07.02.2024
- **Participants:** 80 Volunteers

A detailed awareness programme was conducted in collaboration with Primary Health Center, Mangalapuram. Health officials served as resource persons and explained the causes, symptoms, and treatment of leprosy.

They clarified misconceptions and emphasized that the disease is not hereditary and can be cured with proper medication.

The programme helped students gain accurate knowledge and encouraged them to spread awareness in society.

4. Blood Donation Camp

- **Date:** 09.02.2024
- **Participants:** 91 Students
- **Units Collected:** 91 Units

A blood donation camp was organized in association with Government Hospital, Rasipuram. A large number of students participated voluntarily, demonstrating humanitarian values.

Proper medical screening was conducted before donation. Refreshments were provided, and certificates were issued to donors.

The collected blood units were used to support emergency medical needs and save lives.

Conclusion

The NSS Unit continued to uphold its commitment to community service through awareness programmes, health initiatives, and life-saving activities, shaping socially responsible students.