



# ST. FRANCIS DE SALES COLLEGE

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## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CELEBRATIONS AND COMMEMORATIVE EVENTS

### **INTERNATIONAL YEAR OF MILLET:**

On 22/07/2023, NCC Cadets of SFS College conducted awareness activity on International Year of Millet 2023. The event took place with a total cadet of 45. The main highlight of the event was the Talk Show and PPT presentation conducted by cadets. The classroom activity was interactive with the students about the International Year of Millet 2023 declared by UNO. It helped in educating the students about millet, its importance and benefits. A rally was also conducted to spread awareness about the millet with a strength of 45 cadets to showcase the importance of millet by presenting pluck cards and slogan. The activity was a great success.

### **KARGIL VIJAY DIWAS:**

26/07.2023, NCC cadets of SFS college visited the Amar Jawan Memorial in Anekal. A total of 10 cadets took part in this ceremony. We presented a Wreath of flowers in the memory of Kargil Warriors. This memorial invoked a spirit of patriotism and a sense of respect towards our Nation. We also reminisced the gallant efforts and sacrifices of Indian Armed Forces.

### **GANDHI JAYANTHI:**

On 02/10/2023, NCC cadets of SFS degree college took part in the Gandhi Jayanti celebration conducted by NSS volunteers. We had a small program briefing us about the importance of Gandhi Jayanti. we had a dance performance by our cadets. It also taught cadets to embrace Gandhi's teaching of peace, unity and love for all. We had a group song competition where Students took part with great zeal and enthusiasm. We also had a Swachh Bharath activity. This activity helped in building a sense of cleanliness and responsibility among cadets and an awareness among locals. The event was well organised and it created a sense of pride and respect towards the nation among cadets. The event was a successful one.

### **CONSTITUTION DAY:**

On 27/11/2023, NCC cadets of SFS degree college celebrated Constitution Day of India. A total of 20 cadets took part in this activity. Cadets spread awareness about the Constitution Day which signifies the day Constituent Assembly of India adopted the Constitution of India, which came into effect from 26th January 1950, besides highlighting and reaffirming the ideas and principles it upholds and honour the contribution of our Founding Fathers. A class-to-class awareness was given by cadets in the first part of the activity. The session conducted was informative to all students. This session reminded students and cadets of their duty towards their nation, their fundamental rights and duties. Cadets learnt that Constitution Day reflects on the enduring principles that form the bedrock of our nation. The Constitution stands as a testament to our shared values, guaranteeing rights, liberties, and a framework for governance. Its principles, crafted with foresight, guide us through challenges, fostering a society built on justice, equality, and freedom. We also held a quiz on the constitution and reading of the Preamble to the

Constitution which is a reflection of the core constitutional values that embody the Constitution also we received E-certificate for the same. It declares India to be a Sovereign Socialist Secular Democratic Republic committed to Justice, Equality and Liberty for the people. The day was spent in a fruitful manner. Cadets took part with great zeal of enthusiasm.

### **INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY**

Yoga day, Cadets from SFS degree college belonging to 1/1 COY ARMY WING of 1 KAR BN NCC celebrated yoga day in the college premises.

International Yoga Day, celebrated annually on June 21st, was established by the United Nations in 2014 to raise awareness worldwide of the many benefits of practicing yoga. Each year, International Yoga Day is marked by a specific theme to highlight different aspects of the practice.

### **WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY**

On 5th June 2024, 35 cadets from SFS Degree College, 1/1 COY ARMY WING of 1 KAR BN NCC, participated in World Environment Day activities in the localities of Kammasandra and Hebbagodi. The cadets organized an awareness rally through the streets to educate residents about environmental protection. Following the rally, they actively took part in a tree plantation drive, planting saplings at designated locations within the communities. The cadets also distributed saplings to local residents, encouraging them to plant them in their homes or common areas. This initiative helped raise environmental awareness and fostered a sense of community responsibility for ecological preservation. We express our gratitude to Col. MR Suresh, Lt. Col. Ravindra Singh, Rev. Fr. Binu, Rev. Fr. Jijo Jose, and Captain Sampath Kumar R for their invaluable support.

Principal