REPORT (2015-2016)

RESURVEY

On June 19, 20, 22 and July 4,5, 2015, Our NSS volunteers visited villages Kandarkulamanickam and Aandipatti and conducted detailed survey in collaboration with Centre for Social Responsibility Initiatives(CSRI). About 50 volunteers participated in this survey. Volunteers started surveying by 2:30p.m. Volunteers collected details about family members, sanitary facilities, employment details, farmland usage, reach of government facilities and such other 50 details. About 250 houses were surveyed by volunteers. The details were submitted to CSRI. Our volunteers returned to college by 5:30p.m.





ORPHANAGE VISIT-I

On 11th July 2015, Our Sona NSS wing organized an orphanage visit to **Anbu Illam, Thalavaipatti and Thai Anbu Illam, Yercaud adivaram**. Our volunteers reached the orphanage by 1.00 p.m. On behalf of our management four systems and two racks were provided to the orphanages by our NSS Programme officers Mr. P.Iyyanar and Mr.Jayaprakash. Our volunteers had an interactive session with the children. We returned to the college by 4.00 p.m.





ORPHANAGE VISIT-II

On August 2nd 2015, Our Sona NSS wing organized an orphanage visit to the **Thai Illam, Don Bosco and Thai Anbu Karangal.** Around 84 volunteers participated in the event. We started from our college by 9.30a.m and reached the orphanages by 10.00a.m. Our NSS volunteers interacted with the children and conducted various events and distributed stationery items, snacks and floor mat for the children. Our NSS volunteers returned to the college by





FRESHER'S DAY

On 3rd August 2015, Fresher's day program was held in Sona Auditorium to welcome the emerging engineers of Sona. The inauguration program commenced by 10.00a.m. The Guest of honour for the function was Thiru. "Marabin Mainthan"Muthaiya, Writer& Speaker, Coimbatore. The Chief Guest was Mr. Rahul Kadri, Principal Architect & Partner, IMK Architects, Mumbai. Around 150 NSS Volunteers participated in the event. Our volunteers were also involved in serving lunch and helped in maintaining the crowd. The program was successfully ended by 3 p.m.





INDEPENDENCE DAY

On 15th August 2015, Our NSS volunteers participated in **69th INDEPENDENCE DAY** celebration held in our College premises. The function started at 8:45 a.m. with the hoisting of our tricolored National flag by our Principal DR.V.JAYAPRAKASH. Around 70 volunteers participated in this event and also NCC Cadets, Students and faculty members took part in this function. Flag hoisting was followed by National Anthem. Many patriotic songs were sung by our students as a tribute to our freedom fighters. Principal delivered a thought provoking speech which inspired the students. The function ended at 10.00 a.m.





CHILD AWARENESS SEMINAR

On 18th August 2015, Our Sona NSS wing organized an awareness seminar. The topic was about giving quality education to child labour. Around 20 NSS volunteers and 300 first year students participated in this event. The event started by 10:45 a.m. The representative of "JAYAM ARAKATTALAI" played the movie of "PERIYAR" on the theme of "SAMUDAYA MARUMALARCHI THITTAM". The movie concluded by 12:30 p.m.





TREKKING

Our Sona NSS wing organized trekking to Yercaud on 23.08.2015 to eradicate plastic and maintain green environment. About 100 volunteers actively participated in the event. General instructions were given to the volunteers. NSS volunteers departed at 6:45 a.m. from the college and reached yercaud foot hills by 7:30a.m. We started to trek by 7:40a.m. and reached Kundoor village by 10:40a.m. Refreshments were provided to the volunteers. Volunteers conducted events for the children in the village. Our volunteers reached the hill top by 1:15p.m. and reached college by 2:45p.m.





ROAD SAFETY PATROL

On 25th August 2015, Our Sona NSS Volunteers invited by Tamilnadu Police Traffic Wardens Organization attended "ONE DAY CAMP" for Road Safety Patrol. About 16 Volunteers participated in the event at "Holy Cross Matriculation Higher Secondary School", Salem. The event commenced by 9.45a.m. Mr. Amalraj (IPS) Commissioner of Police was the Guest of Honour. Mr. Amalraj (IPS) appreciated all the volunteers by the certificates. In Afternoon Session, Dr.V.P.Chandrasekaran, the Head of Emergency Department, VIMS Hospital addressed the gathering and gave the awareness about First Aid.





STAMP

On 14th September 2015, Indian Association for Blind asked our volunteers to help them in selling the stamps. Our volunteers in coordination with **Blind Association** sold the stamps in order to help the blind students. Our volunteers met college students and professors and sold **1500 stamps for Rs.5 per stamp**. Finally the total amount of Rs.7500 was handed over as DD by our college principal Dr.V.Jayaprakash to Indian Association for Blind as a contribution from our Sona NSS Wing.

PEN

On 19th September 2015, Ms. Sumathi, the Head of Physically Challenged Organization asked our volunteers to help them in selling the pens. Our volunteers sold the pens in order to help the physically challenged students. Our volunteers met college students and professors and sold 267 pens for Rs.10 per each pen. Finally the total amount of Rs.2670 was handed over to Ms. Sumathi by our college principal Dr.V.Jayaprakash as a contribution from our Sona NSS Wing.





FIRST YEAR SELECTION

On 11th and 12th September 2015, Our Sona NSS wing conducted selection test for the first year students. Around 300 first year students took part in the event. The event started by 4.30p.m. The First year volunteers were interviewed by the programme officers. The event ended by 6.30p.m. Finally 150 first year students were selected as NSS volunteers by our programme officer.





CLEAN INDIA-I

On 19th September, 2015 Our Sona NSS Volunteers Participated in "CLEAN INDIA" in accordance to Swachh Bharat Abhiyan which was launched by Our honourable Prime Minister Mr.Narendra Modi at Salem Junction Organized by Southern Railway. The Event started by 10.00 a.m. About 26 Volunteers took part in the event along with Salem Division, Southern Railway. Our Volunteers removed Plastics and unwanted things that were present near the car parking, inside and outside the junction and distributed pamphlets which contained various cleanliness messages. The event ended by 12.15p.m.





NSS DAY EVENTS

As a part of NSS day celebration our SONA NSS wing conducted events for 1^{st} and 2^{nd} year volunteers from 21.09.15, 22.09, 2015, 25.09.2015, 26.09.2015

DAY 1:

On Day 1,the events started by 4.30p.m. NSS wing organized event "**Just A Minute**" for 1st years. Participants should express their views about the given topic within time of 1 minute. Around 93 students participated in the event. Simultaneously "**Think out of box**" event was also conducted on the same day as prelims for Debate for 2nd years. Award was given to participants and were asked to talk in different view about the word. The ended by 6.30p.m.

DAY 2:

On Day 2, the events started by 4.30p.m. "**Photography**" event was conducted for students based on theme "BEAUTY OF NATURE" for 1sy years. Around 25 students participated in the event. Simultaneously, "**Debate**" finals was held on the topic of "**IS MEDIA TELLING THE NEWS OR MAKING THE NEWS?**" for 2ndyears. Participants spoke in very intellectual way and exposed their talents. The events ended by 6.30 p.m.

DAY 3:

On Day 3, the events commenced by 4.30p.m. "Picture Perception" event was conducted for 1st years. The participants were shown a picture and was asked to write a story based on the picture. 34 participants took part in the event. "Quiz prelims" was also conducted to the students in which 34 students participated for 1st years. Out of 34, 12 students were selected for finals. Simultaneously "Paper presentation" and "Multimedia" was conducted for 2nd years. Participants presented their presentation and multimedia with their topics based on Social Concern. 18 actively participated in the event. The events ended by 6.30p.m.

DAY 4:

On Day 4, "**Quiz finals**" was conducted for 1st years. The event started by 4.00 p.m. 4rounds were conducted for participants and the winners were selected. The ended by 6.00 p.m.







ONE DAY CAMP

On 24.9.2015, Our Sona NSS wing celebrated NSS DAY at Kandarkulamanickam and Aandipatty village. The volunteers reached the college by 9.30 a.m. The event started at 10.00 a.m. Around 93 volunteers involved in this event. Our NSS volunteers along with Maruthi Blood Bank and Sri Chellappa Blood Bank conducted "BLOOD GROUP IDENTIFICATION CAMP" for village people. Also around 200 trees were distributed to village people for "TREE PLANTATION" as a part of tree plantation awareness and also fence was laid in front of the school by our volunteers as protection of the school children. The event ended by 1.00 p.m.







CARDIAC CAMP

On 27.09.2015,Our Sona NSS volunteers participated in "MEGA FREE CARDIAC CAMP" which was organized by Manipal Hospital. The camp was held at Reliance Mall, CSI Church Ground and Manipal Hospital. Around 30 volunteers participated in the event. The camp started at 9.00 a.m. The volunteers were involved in crowd management, directing the patients and helping the technicians. In the camp, tests such as height, weight, blood pressure, diabetes, ECG and ECHO were taken. The camp ended at 3.00 p.m.





BLOOD DONATION SEMINAR

On 1st October 2016, Our NSS volunteers took part in "**BLOOD DONATION SEMINAR**" jointly conducted by Sona College of Technology and Sivaramji Blood Bank as a part of "**National voluntary Blood Donation Day**". The event started by 9.00a.m. Around 40 volunteers participated in the event. Our Volunteers also helped in food serving. The event ended by 1.30p.m.





CUDDALORE MISSION

From December 6th-8th,2015, Our NSS volunteers were involved in **collection and distribution of Relief materials for Cuddalore people.** Our NSS volunteers collected amount of Rs.5500 and other basic need materials. 11 NSS volunteers along with college management reached Cuddalore on 9th December 2015 by 8 a.m. We distributed materials like **Blankets**, **Breads, Rice, Red gram, Dhal, Sugar, Sambhar Powder, Sarees, Lungi, Towels, Napkins, Oil, Cooking Utensils, Mud blisters, Medicines** for areas – Bharathi Nagar-B Block, Naiyanaar Kuppam, Kalkulam on Day 1 and Manchakuppam on Day 2. After distributing the relief materials our volunteers returned to college on 11th December 2015.





SONABREEZE'15

On December 19, 2015, Our NSS volunteers helped in organizing Interschool Dance competition "SONABREEZE 2k15" held at Sona Auditorium conducted by "Fine arts association" of Sona College of Technology. The event started by 9:30 a.m. Around 55 NSS volunteers participated in the event. Competitions were conducted for school students in both senior and junior category on Drawing, Skid, Solo dance and Group Dance. And also our NSS volunteers involved in Food serving, Crowd management, Registrations. The event ended by 4:15p.m.





CLEAN INDIA-II

On 19th and 20th January 2015, our NSS volunteers involved in cleaning "SALEM RAILWAY JUNCTION". Around 100 NSS volunteers of our college coordinated with the members of Young Indians and along with the volunteers of Nehru Yuva Kendra took part in the event. The Campaign was part of the "National Volunteering week of the Young Indians" and was launched as Salem Railway Junction Beautification Campaign. The event started by 9:30a.m. Our volunteers cleaned the junction wall near the bus stop and White washed it and displayed the Social Messages. The event ended by 1.00p.m.





POLIO CAMP PHASE-I

On 17th January 2016, Our NSS volunteers participated in pulse **Polio Immunization Camp** organized by salem municipality. Around 24 volunteers actively participated in the event. Our volunteers reached the main booth in Subramaniya nagar, Medical and Child care centre by 8a.m. Dr.Keerthi, incharge of the booth, gave instructions to the volunteers about vaccine via monitoring. Our volunteers were split into batches and went for door marking & also gave dosage to children of 0-5 years in that area accompained by a Government staff. More than 3100 children were vaccinated. The event ended by 5.00p.m.





REPUBLIC DAY

On 26th January 2016, **67th Republic day** celebration was held in Sona College Sports ground. Our NSS wing participated in Republic day parade. The Event started by 8.15 a.m. Around 50 volunteers took part in the Republic day parade. Our National Flag was hoisted by Dr.Thyagu Valliyappa, Vice chairman, Sona College of technology. Our college Principal Dr.V.Jayaprakash addressed the gathering with patriotic thoughts and the function ended with cultural programme by students of Sona College of Technology and Thiyagarajar Polytechnic College. The event ended by 11a.m.





DRUG AWARENESS

On 4th February 2016, a Drug Awareness programme was conducted by "Alcohol and Drug Awareness" wing of Police Department on "Effects of Liquor and Methanol consumption". Around 50 volunteers took park in the event. The Event started by 11.00a.m. Our NSS volunteers took part in the event. In this session, Department Officers gave the awareness speech about solution for drug addiction. At the end of the session, the Prizes were distributed for the winners of Oratorical and Essay Competitions. The event ended by 1.00p.m.





SPECIAL CAMP

The important event of NSS is the **7 DAYS SPECIAL CAMP**. It reveals the real service from our volunteers. The main purpose of the camp is to create medical awareness among the village people who doesn't have proper medical knowledge and also provide with them free general check up and medicines.

YEAR 2015-2016	VILLAGE ADOPTED
	KANDARKULAMANICKAM
	AANDIPATTI

From 17th February 2016, the special camp was organized by our NSS Wing of Sona College of Technology, Salem. We adopted 2 villages **Kandarkulamanickam and Aandipatti.** The camp was held in order to promote awareness among the people and to uplift them self by self employment, the way to benefit in their own agricultural lands, their medical health and also provided latest medical facilities available.

DAY 1:

On the first day of the camp, volunteers reached the campsite by 10.00am. Volunteers started interacting with the people by 10.45 a.m. in both the villages (Kandarkulamanickam and Aandipatti). **Volunteers distributed pamphlets** and explained about the various events that were about to be conducted during seven days of the camp to the village people and asked about their various needs. The session ended by 4.30 pm and the volunteers reached college by 6 pm.





DAY 2:

On the second day of the camp, the volunteers reached the campsite by 10.00 am. The volunteers involved in "SWACHH BHARAT". Volunteers cleaned 8 spots (post office, around Kandarkulamanickam School, playground, Aandipatti, Ariyampalayam, veterinary hospital, mariyamman kovil, VAO office) of the villages and TREE SAPLINGS were planted in and around the Kandarkulamanickam village and saplings were also given to the people who requested for it during the survey. The volunteers reached the college by 6 pm.









DAY 3:

On the third day of our camp, the volunteers reached the campsite by 9.30am. "EYE CAMP" was conducted by Aravind Eye Hospital, Salem in Kandarkulamanickam village. About 105 people were benefitted by the eye camp. Simultaneously, "First Aid demonstration" was given in Aandipatti primary school by VIMS hospital to villagers. The volunteers reached the college by 6 pm.





DAY 4:

On the fourth day, the volunteers reached the campsite by 9.30am. London Ortho Hospital conducted "ORTHO CAMP" in Aandipatti. Meanwhile, Library recreation and gardening was conducted in Kandarkulamanickam. In gardening 50 trees was planted in Kandarkulamanickam School premises and Library recreation was done with 82 books. "One day farmer" was held through which 24 of our volunteers learnt about farming pattern. Meanwhile, 52 volunteers visited Sona Valliapa Textile Mill private limited and learnt about fabrication of cotton, stitching process of shirt and various stages of yarn production. The volunteers reached the college by 6.30pm.





DAY 5:

On the fifth day of the camp, the volunteers reached the college by 8.30 am. "GENERAL CAMP" was conducted by Sri Gokulam Hospital, Salem in Kandarkulamanickam. Around 210 people of Kandarkulamanickam and Aandipatti villages were benefited by the camp. Simultaneously, awareness seminar on "Open Defecation System" was conducted in Kandarkulamanickam. Meanwhile, fun events were conducted in 3 main places of Kandarkulamanickam. The villagers actively participated in fun events. The events ended by 4:30 pm and the volunteers returned to college by 5:30 pm.









DAY 6:

On the sixth day, the volunteers reached the campsite by 8.30am. "Ortho Camp" was conducted by London Ortho Hospital, Salem in Kandarkulamanickam. Around 70 people in and around Kandarkulamanickam were benefited by this camp. Simultaneously in Aandipatti, "Yoga Demonstration" was conducted by Dr.Malathi from Blue lotus nature cure hospital in Aandipatti primary school to school children. An interactive session was conducted between NSS programme officer and volunteers for improving our volunteer's soft skills and career development skills. The volunteers reached the college by 6.30pm.'









DAY 7:

On the seventh day, the volunteers reached the campsite by 9.00 am. Our volunteers were engaged in conducting events like essay writing, storytelling, quiz, missing letters, mathematical calculations, drawing, speech for school students in both the villages and general knowledge charts were also displayed. Simultaneously 10 volunteers were involved in rejuvenation activities and the 40 of our volunteers were involved receiving feedback about our camp from the villagers. Our NSS volunteers created awareness about child labor, the effects of alcohol conception and social responsibility through skit, dance and patriotic songs in Kandarkulamanickam village. The volunteers reached the college by 6.30pm.









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SONATSAV'16(INTERCOLLEGE CULTURAL FEST)

On 27th and 28th February 2016, "Sonatsav'16", the inter college cultural fest was organized by our college. Around 200 colleges in and around Tamil Nadu participated in many events conducted. The events started by 9:00a.m. Around 40 NSS volunteers actively involved in Crowd Management and Participants Assistance. The event successfully ended by 11.00 p.m.





ORPHANAGE VISIT-III

On 20th March 2016, Our Sona NSS wing organized Orphanage visit to **Thai Anbu illam, Thai Anbukarangal and Karunya Illam.** Around 125 volunteers actively participated in the event. We started from our college by 9:00am and reached the orphanages by 9:30a.m. Our volunteers interacted with the children in Orphanages and conducted various events for the children. Our NSS programme Officers distributed Stationary Items, Snacks, playing items for the children. NSS volunteers returned to college by 12:50 p.m.





GRADUATION DAY

On 26th and 27th of March 2016, Our NSS volunteers helped in organizing "GRADUATION DAY" event conducted by our college at Sona Auditorium. Around 100 NSS volunteers took part in the event. The Event started by 9.30.a.m. Our NSS volunteers participated in the precession along with the chief guests Mr.Ramakrishnan, Chairman Mr.Sri Valliyappa, Principal Mr.Jayaprakash, Sona College of technology and other management members from College campus to Sona Auditorium. Our volunteers managed the crowd by guiding the parents and graduates. The event ended by 3.00.p.m.





NEST'16 (NATIONAL LEVEL SYMPOSIUM)

On 31st March 2016, Our Sona Wing organized a National level symposium **NEST'16** on the theme "**AVID FOR NOVELTY**". Around 82 NSS volunteers organized the symposium. The inauguration function started by 9.30 a.m. in the PG auditorium. Around 60 participants actively participated in events organized by our volunteers like **Paper presentation, Idea presentation, Project presentation, Poster presentation, Debate, Quiz and Photography.** The valedictory function started by 4.45p.m. The Vice Principal of our college "Dr.M.Usha" and the Secretary of Maruthi Blood Bank "Mr. Venkatachalam" distributed the prizes to the winners of the events. The symposium successfully ended by 6.00p.m.





