

# REPORT ON CELEBRATION OF VAN MAHOTSAV WEEK UNDER THE THEME MAKING A GREEN WORLD: ONE TREE AT A TIME

**Date:** 3 – 7 July 2023

**Venue:** KRMU, Ghamroj, Garhi Wazidpur, Lakhuwas and Abheypur Village, Sohna

Event Type: Extension Activity

Mode of Activity: Offline Target Group: Villagers

Coordinators: Dr Neeraj Kumari, Dr Monika Yadav and Dr Komal Yadav

Organized by: NSS, K R Mangalam University, Gurugram

#### Introduction:

Van Mahotsav Week, also known as the Forest Festival Week, is an annual celebration in India aimed at raising awareness about the importance of trees and forests. In 1950, plantation drive was declared as national activity by Kanaiyalal Manekla Munshi, Minister of Food and Agriculture. Later, Munshi renamed it as Van Mahotsav which is observed during the first week of July.

### **Objectives:**

- To promote afforestation and conservation activities.
- To motivate the students/ villagers to keep their surroundings green and clean by undertaking plantation of trees.

#### Content:

As a part of planting campaign – Green initiative, NSS K R Mangalam University took honor in planting the sapling to observe and commemorate the Van Mahotsav Week. During Van Mahotsav Week, several tree planting activities were organized in collaboration with Smiling Tree Foundation at K R Mangalam University and nearby villages (Ghamroj, Garhi Wazidpur, Lakhuwas and Abheypur Village). During plantation drive, different plants like Areca palm. Rabbis palm, Nagchampa, Karene, Ashwagandha, Harsingaar and many other plants were planted. The people were educated about the significance of trees, their role in mitigating climate change.

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and their environmental benefits.

Public awareness campaigns were conducted to educate people about the significance of trees, their role in mitigating climate change, and their environmental benefits. During the plantation drive, villagers and school students also participated where they took oath to care about the trees and importance of their role in nurturing the planted trees.

**Conclusions:** Villagers, school students, teachers and NSS volunteers actively participated in plantation drive where total 200 saplings were planted.

Government Initiatives:

## **Outcomes:**

The tree planting activities carried out during Van Mahotsav Week showcased the collective commitment to environmental sustainability and conservation. The engagement of villagers, school students and NSS volunteers was instrumental in creating a greener and healthier environment. These efforts will contribute to improving air quality, conserving biodiversity, and mitigating the effects of climate change.

## **Future prospects:**

This type of event always reminds us of our responsibility to take care of the earth and protect it for future generations. Therefore, a sustainable and environmentally friendly world can be created by spreading awareness and working together.



Photo 1: NSS volunteers planting the trees in Govt School, Garhi Wazidpur

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Photo 2: NSS volunteers planting the trees in Lakhuwas village



Photo 3: NSS volunteers planting the trees in Chamroj village

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