

**NSS:** Various activities are organizing under National Service Scheme

- District Youth Parliament
- Special Camp for NSS Volunteers
- Participation in Human Chain
- Celebration of NSS Day
- 150<sup>th</sup> Gandhi Jayanti
- Constitution Day
- Agriculture Education Day
- National Girl Child Day
- National Youth Day
- National Voting Day

## 2018-19

**Organization of District Youth Parliament:** District youth parliament was organised on 28<sup>th</sup> January 2019 at this college as per the direction of Regional Directorate of National Service Scheme, Jaipur in which Dean, College of Agriculture was nodal officer for the programme. In this programme 54 participants were screened through walk in interview as well as digital portal and judged by jury of 5 judges including Dr. M. C. Jain (As Nodal Officer of Zone), Dr. Pratap Singh (As Expert Specialist), Dr.

L. K. Dashora (As Retired Academician), Dr. Anuj Williams (As Social Activist) and Sh. Hem Raj Gurjar (As News Editor, Dainik Navjyoti). In this programme total 28 candidates participated from the various colleges of the district and presented on the theme. Ms. Mamta Nagar from JDB Girls College, Kota & Ms. Purva Bhatnagar, from Modi Institute, Kota awarded first & second prize respectively.

**Organization of Special Camp for NSS Volunteers:** As part of course curriculum a Special Camp of one week duration was organized from 25 to 31 Jan. 2019 for all NSS volunteers. This camp was organised in adopted village Dhakarkheri in which 58 volunteers (49 boys & 09 girls) of B.Sc. (Hons.) Ag. Part 1<sup>st</sup> actively participated. The theme of the camp was “Swachhata” and during the camp volunteers given the message of cleanliness and “Swachhata” by organising rallies in the village under the guidance of Dr. C. B. Meena and Dr. R. K. Meena.

**Participation in Human Chain :** As per direction received by District Collector, Kota and vide University circular no. F.(34)/AU/Kota/2019/706-20 dated 25<sup>th</sup> April, 2019, 65 Students of this college have participated in “Human Chain with balloon” organised by District Administration at Umed Singh Stadium, Kota at 5.30 am on 26<sup>th</sup> April, 2019 for awareness of voting among the youth.

**NSS Day** was celebrated on 24<sup>th</sup> September, 2018 by all NSS volunteers. On this occasion Dean of the college Dr. M. C. Jain addressed the NSS volunteers and expressed the motto and responsibilities of NSS volunteers to fulfil objective and celebration of foundation day. In this programme Dr. L. K. Dashora, Ex-Dean & Professor Emeritus also addressed the volunteers. Dr. C.B. Meena, Programme officer expressed his views on foundation day and thanked all teachers, guests and students assembled on this occasion.

## 2019-20

### ➤ **NSS Special Camp:**

A Special Camp of one-week duration from 25<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup> January, 2020 was organized for first year NSS volunteers as a part of course curriculum. The main activities were held in adopted village Umedganj, Kota near College Campus. This camp was comprising of various activities including Awareness Campaign on “Swachhata” general survey of the area, Inter group activity, Motivation of rural Youth and Review and impact of programme organised. This camp was organized under the guidance of Dr. C.B. Meena, Programme – Officer, Dr. R.K. Meena, Assistant Professor, Agronomy and Ms, Deepika Meena, Lab-Assistant assisted. In the Inaugural function on 25th January 2020, Dr. M.C. Jain, Dean,

COA addressed the volunteers While in concluding session on 31<sup>st</sup> January Prof. D. C. Joshi, Vice Chancellor, Chief Guest and Prof. G.L. Keshava, Ex-Vice Chancellor, Agriculture University, Kota, Special Guest were present to grace the function.

- **NSS Day:** NSS day was celebrated on 24<sup>th</sup> September, 2019 by all NSS volunteers. On this occasion Dean of the college, addressed the NSS volunteers and explained the motto and responsibilities of being a good volunteer and motivated them to become a responsible citizen to fulfil the objective and celebration of foundation day. Symbolic plantation was done in the college premises on this occasion by the Dean. The Programme officer, NSS expressed vote of thanks to all teachers, guests and students assembled
- **150<sup>th</sup> Gandhi Jayanti:** On 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2019, “Swachhata Hi Seva” Programme was organised on the 150<sup>th</sup> birth anniversary of Father of Nation, Mahatma Gandhi at Agriculture college, Kota. On this occasion, Dr. H. R. Choudhary addressed the gathering and explained the principles and thoughts of Gandhi Ji and administered oath to ban single use plastic to all participants present in the programme. Shri. Chirag Gautam, ADSW, organised painting/drawing and Essay Competition on Cleanliness for students on this occasion. At the end of the programme, all the volunteers of NSS worked for cleaning of college campus

**Constitution Day** 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Indian Constitution was celebrated as 'Constitution Day' at this college on 26<sup>th</sup> November, 2019. Students and staffs of the college participated in this program. Dr. C. B. Meena (Programme Officer, NSS) explained the purpose of the Indian Constitution day and fundamental rights and duties of an Indian citizen. On this occasion Dean of the College, addressed the audience and read out the preamble of the constitution to acquaint the audience with the thoughts and ideas enshrined in the Constitution of India

**Agricultural Education Day:** Agricultural Education Day was celebrated on 3<sup>rd</sup> December, 2019 by College of Agriculture, Umedganj-Kota at Government Secondary School, Dhakadkhedi. On this occasion, Dr. M. C. Jain, presiding over the program said that the Agricultural Education Day is celebrated on the birth anniversary of first President and first Agriculture Minister of independent India, Dr. Rajendra Prasad. He said that India being an agricultural country, there is a wide scope of career for the youth in the agricultural sector here and gave detailed information about the entire process of the admission in the Agriculture and various scholarships by the government to the students studying in agriculture. The guest of the program Dr. N. L. Meena, ZDR, Mrs. Meenakshi Dhabhai, Principal, Government Secondary School, Dhakadkhedi and Dr. C.B. Meena, Programme Officer, NSS also addressed the students about agricultural entrepreneurship. In the program quiz and essay competition was organized for the students and who secured first and second position were awarded with certificate and medal by the guests. At the end of the programme vote of thanks was proposed by Dr. R. K. Meena, Programme Co-ordinator.

- **National Girl Child Day:** “National Girl Child Day” was celebrated

on 24<sup>th</sup> January, 2020 by all the students of this College. On this occasion a huge rally was organized in the village Dhakkhedi, Ummedganj and other nearby villages showing slogan “Beti Bachao Beti Padhao” to aware the people about the rights and equalities of girls. The rally was flagged off by Dr. M. C. Jain, Dean while Dr. C. B. Meena and Dr. R. K. Meena were accompanied the students during this rally. Dr. Lokesh Meena, Dr. Kirti, Mr. Vinod Yadav, Ms. Deepika Meena, Mr. Mukesh Pankaj and other college staff were also present during this programme.

2020-21

➤ **National Service Scheme Day:**

On 24<sup>th</sup> September, 2020 NSS day was celebrated online by NSS Unit of the college. On this occasion, Dr. M.C. Jain, Dean of the college, addressed the NSS volunteers and cited the importance of the National Service Scheme with a spirit of serving the society and the nation. Also, he said that the students need loyalty, concentration, determination and will power to fulfill their dreams. The chief guest of the program Dr. Jitendra Singh, Director Student Welfare, Agricultural University, Kota while addressing the students, motivated the students to do the work related to the National Service Scheme with commitment by staying in discipline and congratulated the college for allotment of new National Service Scheme unit funded by the state government funded by the State Government on National Service Scheme Day. Shri Vinod Kumar Yadav, Programme Coordinator, while initiating the program said that the volunteers should work with the spirit of “I am not you” according to the objective of the National Service Scheme. Volunteers Udit Prakash and Shreya Sharma also expressed their views in the program. all the volunteers of the second-year undergraduate students of this college took part in this program and assured to fulfill the purpose of the program by planting a sapling in their surrounding area. At the end of the program, Dr. Lokesh Kumar Meena, expressed vote of thanks to everyone present online.

➤ **151<sup>th</sup> Gandhi Jayanti:**

On 02 October 2020, 151<sup>th</sup> birth anniversary of the Father of the Nation, Mahatma Gandhi was celebrated online by the Agricultural College, Ummedganj Kota. On this occasion, Dr. M. C. Jain, Dean of the college, addressed and inspired the students by his presidential speech. The chief guest of the program, Dr. Jitendra Singh, Director Student Welfare, Agricultural University, Kota, marked the official start of “**No Mask No Entry**” **Jan Jagran Pakhwada**, and inspired the students to follow it strongly by giving detailed information about its importance. Programme Coordinator Dr. Lokesh Kumar Meena, Programme Officer, NSS started the program through a poem based on the life of Gandhiji. Dr. B.L. Dhaka expressed his views and advised the students to be disciplined. Students of the college namely Kulwant Singh Hada, Udit Prakash, Kiran Yadav etc. also expressed their views. In this program all the staffs and students of the college participated and took an oath to adopt the principles of Gandhiji and save the life of themselves and others by wearing masks always during the Covid pandemic. Shri Vinod Kumar Yadav proposed the vote of thanks to everyone present in the programme.

➤ **Constitution Day:**

71<sup>st</sup> Anniversary of Indian Constitution was celebrated as Constitution Day at this college on 26<sup>th</sup> November, 2020. Students and staffs of the college participated in this program. Dr. L.K. Meena (Programme Officer, NSS) explained the purpose of the Indian Constitution Day and fundamental rights and duties of an Indian citizen. On this occasion Dean of the College, addressed the audience and read out the preamble of the constitution to acquaint the audience with the thoughts and ideas enshrined in the Constitution of India.

#### ➤ **Agricultural Education Day:**

Agricultural Education Day was celebrated on 3<sup>rd</sup> December, 2020 by College of Agriculture, Ummedganj, Kota through online mode. It is celebrated every year on the birth anniversary of first President of independent India and the first Agriculture Minister Bharat Ratna Dr. Rajendra Prasad. More than 300 students of various coaching institutes of Ganesh Bal Vidya Mandir, Jaipur and Kota city and college students, other students, teachers, employees participated in this program. On this occasion, Dr. M. C. Jain, Dean, COA, emphasized on agricultural education and explained in detail about the courses of agricultural education and various dimensions of agriculture and agriculture related self-employment such as organic farming, bee keeping, poultry farming, value addition and food processing agriculture entrepreneurship. He also acquainted all the participants with complete information about the state level joint entrance examination and the national level entrance examination system organized by the Indian Council of Agricultural Research to take admission in the Faculty of Agriculture and told that there is also a provision of various scholarships for the students studying in agriculture. Dr. Jitendra Singh, Director, Students Welfare, Agricultural University, Kota, explained in detail about government and non-government employment-oriented measures in agriculture to the students. During the programme program, Dr. Lokesh Kumar Meena, Programme Officer, NSS threw light on the history of agricultural education and the purpose of Agriculture Education Day and Dr. RK Meena, proposed a vote of thanks to all at the end of the program.

#### ➤ **National Youth Day:**

On 12<sup>th</sup> January, 2021, 37<sup>th</sup> "National Youth Day" was celebrated online in the College of Agriculture, to commemorate the birth anniversary of Swami Vivekananda. On this occasion, Dr. M. C. Jain, Dean of the College, presiding over programme said that since 1985, the birth anniversary of Swami Vivekananda has been celebrated as National Youth Day as well narrated that youth have an important role in nation building, according to Swami Vivekananda, we should try to keep doing the work till it is completed successfully. The chief guest of the programme, Dr. Pratap Singh, Director Research, AU, Kota said that Vivekanand ji got the Indian culture and Sanatan way of life recognized all over the world and while highlighting the role of youth in the development of the country. Students including Kulwant Singh Hada, Udit Prakash, Kusum Sharma and Sushil Sharma as well as teachers of the college narrated many incidents related to Swami Vivekananda's life through online medium. Dr. Lokesh Kumar Meena, Program Officer, National Service Scheme, while coordinating and coordinating the program, told the purpose of the program to infuse positive energy for a bright future by increasing self-confidence among the youth. At the end of the program, Mr. Vinod Kumar Yadav, ADSW, proposed a vote of thanks to all present in the program.

➤ **National Voting Day:**

The 11<sup>th</sup> National Voters' Day was celebrated on 25<sup>th</sup> January, 2021 through online mode by the Agricultural College, Kota. The students and staff of the college participated in this program. Presiding over the program, Dr. M. C. Jain, Dean of the college while highlighting the importance of National Voters' Day, emphasized the two main themes of this programme i.e inclusive and qualitative participation in view of the declining trend of youth voting in the largest democratic country like India in the world. The guest of this programme Dr. Jitendra Singh, Director, Students Welfare, Agricultural University, Kota, in his address to national volunteers of the college informed that all the voters should contribute in forming the government by giving their vote and should use their vote properly. Dr. Lokesh Kumar Meena, Programme Officer, NSS, while conducting the program, threw light on the purpose and history of National Voters' Day. Dr. R. K. Meena, proposed a vote of thanks to all present at the end of the programme.