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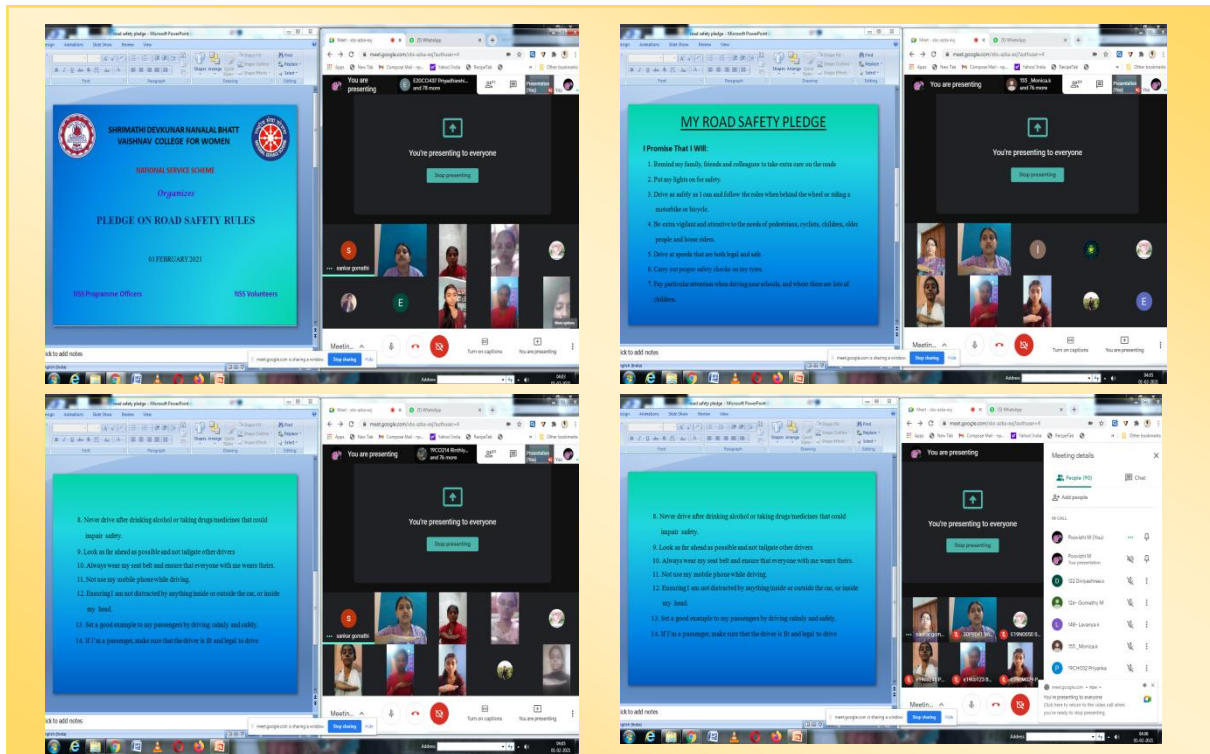
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ROAD SAFETY AWARENESS MONTH 2021

The NSS units of SDNB Vaishnav College for Women observed Road Safety month from 18th January 2021 to 17th February 2021. This year instead of "Road Safety Week", a month-long campaign "National Road Safety Month" is observed. The theme of this year is, "Sadak Suraksha- Jeevan Raksha". In order to proclaim the importance of road safety rules our NSS volunteers took pledge, created posters regarding "Road Safety Awareness" and also we conducted a webinar on the topic "Building and Sustaining Best Road Safety Practices".

1) Pledge Taking:

Our NSS Volunteers took pledge on 01st February 2021 regarding road safety rules. Our volunteers gave the assurance to follow these rules while driving and travelling.



2) Road Safety Awareness Posters:

Our NSS Volunteers compiled a cluster of posters regarding “Road Safety Awareness” into a video.

Link: https://drive.google.com/file/d/1oAs9pt-Sdrgdh95O_J0gcYrpgWR6p1-/view?usp=sharing

Some of the posters in the video are collaged here.



3) Webinar:

We conducted a webinar on the topic “Building and Sustaining Best Road Safety Practices” on 06th February 2021. This webinar is hosted by our NSS Volunteer Vrisha Prasad B.Sc Plant Biology and Plant Bio Technology. She explained the importance of road safety and

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PLEDGE

I Support Her
 Minister of Road Safety for
 Pledge to safety 2011-2020

As a road user,
I pledge

Read to use my cell phone while driving.
 Read to drive under the influence of alcohol or drugs.
 Do not drink and drive.
 Do not use your cell phone while driving.
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JUST PASSING THRU

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FINAL STEPS FOR PREVENTING ROAD ACCIDENTS

Steps to be taken for preventing Road Accidents

90 % of accidents can be avoided by strict enforcement of speed limits.

- Existing speed limits should be brought down further.
- Heavy Penalty should be imposed on all those who cross speed limits. If this is strictly implemented, nobody will dare to go at high speed.
- Helmet should be made compulsory by law in every state. Helmet should be made compulsory for back seat riders also.
- Ensure that the money recovered as Road Tax is fully utilized for the construction /maintenance of roads.

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ROAD ACCIDENTS WERE LOW DURING THE PANDEMIC TIME.

There is an proverb that

EVERY BAD SITUATION HAS SOMETHING POSITIVE(GOOD) IN IT

Same as that in this pandemic situation road accidents had decreased.

- India has recorded a significant drop in road crashes and deaths in the first three quarters of calendar 2020 against same time in 2019. This is partly due to COVID-19 pandemic-promoted lockdowns and people voluntarily not venturing out to prevent transmission.
- On an average, nearly 2,48,000 road accidents were reported between January and June each year between 2014 and 2019.
- The number of road accidents in the first six months of the year (January to June) were around 1,60,000, 35% less than the average number of accidents reported in the corresponding period in the previous six years, an obvious result of a nationwide lockdown imposed in March to slow the spread of the Covid-19 infection. The number of people who died also dropped by 30% this year.
- This pandemic situation (CORONA) has reduced the road accidents.

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DON'TS

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- Do not use horns unnecessarily; use it only to avert danger. Noise level goes up, driving becomes tiresome with hardly any difference to your progress
- Do not over speed or jump traffic lights. The time that you gain is not worth the risk to life and limb
- Don't haste. Show courtesy and consideration to the less fortunate - the pedestrians, the cyclists and two wheelers.
- Don't push your way forward through any opening in the traffic at traffic signals.
- Don't view through traffic stick to your lane.
- Never over take on the left.

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