

## S.S.T College of Arts & Commerce

# NATURE CLUB

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**Cleanliness Drive** 

#### Report

College is a place where the students learn, grow and become responsible citizens. Toinculcate the moral and social values among the students, the Nature Club organized a cleanliness program on 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2016 in the college to keep college premises clean and to create hygiene awareness among the students.

The program was initiated by the Principal, Dr. J.C. Purswani with his invigorating speech on cleanliness and hygiene. Students and teachers were divided into four groups in orderto cover all areas of the college. Few students were involved in the dusting of the rooms, while others picked up wrappers lying scattered over the college premises.

After the collection, the waste was segregated in three different containers labelled as 'wet waste', 'dry waste' and 'recyclable waste' respectively. Students and all the staff members cleaned the college devotedly.

The program ended with a motivational speech followed by a vote of thanks.







Students taking part in a cleaning campaign



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To promote awareness regarding environmental issues and to flourish the creativity and skills of the students, a poster competition was held on 5<sup>th</sup> January, 2017. 50 students participated in the competition who were asked to make posters on environmental issues. The students presented vibrant, appealing, as well as moral-driven posters. Few posters were made on the topics such as save water, save wild life, save the earth, etc.

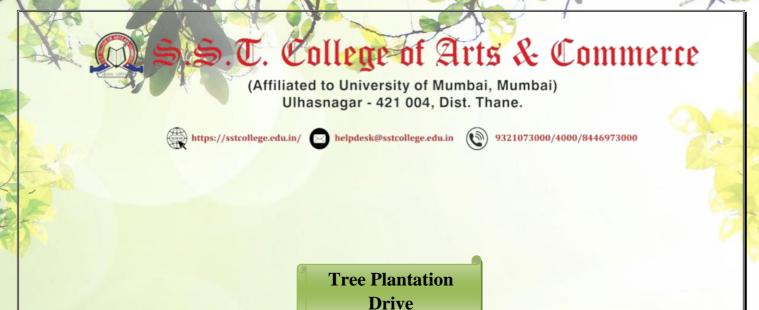
Dr. Gunjeet Kaur Madam and Mr. Deepak Dubey Sir were invited as judges. They appreciated the posters made by the students. Later the winners were declared, who were thenfelicitated by the judges. And just like that, the poster competition inculcated a sense of awareness in the students.







Students making posters about various environmental challenges



#### Report

Due to the increase in the use of technologies and other human activities, we are losing the huge diversities of plants on our land. The time has come to protect the plants beforeeverything vanishes.

It is the need of the time that tree plantation drives should become a regular activity in our lives. Following the same vein, a tree plantation program was organized at the Ashilapada Village on 8<sup>th</sup> August, 2016 by the Nature Club, SST College of Arts and Commerce, Ulhasnagar. The students participated enthusiastically in the drive along with accompanying teachers. Saplings were arranged by the college authorities. Air-pollutant-tolerant trees such as Banyan, Gulmohar, Ashoka and Guava and the other trees such as Mango, Neem, peepal, Terminalia (Indian almond) were also planted by the students.

The students experienced a day of fieldwork and felt happy with their hard work as well as the fact that they had contributed at least a bit towards nature gave them a sense of pride.

