

Seva Parv 2025: KU organises cleanliness drive, field visits, literacy programme



Srinagar, September 23: To mark the ongoing Seva Parv 2025 celebrations, the University of Kashmir (KU) organised a series of community outreach initiatives, reflecting its commitment to social responsibility, inclusivity, and civic awareness. The events were coordinated by varistry's Department of Students' Welfare.

Weeklong cleanliness drive

The National Service Scheme (NSS) unit of KU launched a weeklong Cleanliness Drive across the main and satellite campuses. The programme was flagged off by Prof. Shazia Manzoor, Head, Department of Social Work KU, who underlined the importance of collective responsibility in maintaining hygiene and sustainability. Dr. Waqar Amin, Coordinator NSS KU, highlighted the role of such initiatives in nurturing civic sense and environmental consciousness among students. KU NSS Programme

Officers, Dr. Humaira Showkat and Dr. Aijaz Ahmad, also motivated the volunteers. A large number of NSS volunteers and staff of the varsity's Environment and Hygiene wing actively participated in the drive.

Field visits to senior citizen home, SOS village & ICDS centres

The Department of Social Work organised a field visit to Ahati Waqar Senior Citizen Home, SOS Children's Village and ICDS Centres. Students engaged with elderly people and children through life skills activities, storytelling, and interactive sessions, aiming to spread joy and instil compassion through meaningful interactions.

Adult literacy and career counselling programme

The Directorate of Lifelong Learning (DLL), in collaboration with Phaag Development Forum, organised an Adult Literacy Programme and Career Counselling Session for Youth at Darbagh, Harwan. The programme aimed to empower local adults with basic literacy skills while guiding young people on career opportunities, skill development, and future prospects.

The series of initiatives under Seva Parv 2025 showcased KU's ongoing efforts to promote education, social responsibility, environmental awareness, and community care.