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Report of the Road Safety and Traffic Awareness

National Service Scheme (NSS) Unit of the College organised a one-day workshop on Road Safety and Traffic Awareness on 21st December, 2022 in collaboration with the J&K Traffic Police Department (Sector Kulgam and Qazigund). The event started at 11:30 am sharp and was conducted in the College Conference Hall. Around 55 NSS volunteers participated in the workshop, besides faculty members of the College and Traffic Police officers.

The event was moderated by NSS Programme Officer, Dr Safeer Ahmed Bhat. Principal of the College, Prof (Dr.) Manzoor Ahmad Lone who was the chief guest on the occasion presented the Welcome Address and formally inaugurated the proceedings of the event. He discussed about the responsibility of the youth towards following the traffic rules diligently and inspiring others to do the same. DTI Kulgam, Mr Javaid Ahmad was the keynote speaker on the occasion. In his address, the learned speaker deliberated on the broader aspects of Road Safety and Traffic Awareness. He elaborated on the New Motor Vehicles Amendment Act, 2019 with the enhancement of fines in offences by the Ministry of Road Transport and Highways (MORTH) and requested NSS volunteers to spread the awareness among their friends, family members and society about these rules and regulations. Students were made aware of the various Road signs- Mandatory, cautionary and Informatory signs and were suggested to ensure the use of helmets and seat belts. He also stressed on raising consciousness for compliance with traffic rules, cautious movement of the pedestrians on the streets and carrying the accident victims to the hospitals at the earliest possible time.

DSP Traffic, Mr Tariq Ahmad Tak also charted out traffic rules that should be followed by drivers as well as pedestrians. He added that the main causes of accidents were over speeding, overtaking, overloading and others. An interactive session was also held during which students raised various issues faced by them. Students requested for a smoothening of public transportation in Kulgam to which DSP Traffic assured to take up the matter with concerned officers through proper channel. He also expressed gratitude to the participants for their interest and active involvement in the event.

The event concluded with a vote of thanks presented by Dr Safeer who requested the Traffic Police Department to collaborate with the College in organising more such awareness programmes for the students so that a better law-abiding society is created for the good of all.

Dr. Safeer Ahmad Bhat



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