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<u>A Short Write Up</u> <u>about</u> GGSIPU NATIONAL CADET CORP (NCC) CELL

ABOUT - NATIONAL CADET CORP (NCC)

The NATIONAL CADET CORP (NCC) was formed on 29 Sep 1946 with Pt. Dr. Hriday Nath Kunzuru as the chairman of the committee. The Cadet Corps Committee carried out exhaustive study of the problem of youth in India.

BIRTH OF THE NATIONAL CADET CORPS

The Kashmir War of 1948 taught a very important lesson to India, that freedom needs to be protected by strong Armed Forces. Its immediate manifestation was that the recommendations of Kunzuru committee were placed before the Constituent Assembly (Legislature) on 13 Mar 1948. The Central Govt. accepted the opinion of the Provincial Govts and the Standing Committee's recommendations for the formation of a Cadet Corps which was to be named as "National Cadet Corps", as recommended by the Kunzuru Committee.

The first step in the process of raising of the NCC was setting up of the NCC Secretariat now called Headquarters Directorate General NCC situated at Rohini, New Delhi. The Ministry of Defence had set up the nucleus of the NCC Secretariat, with Col (later retired as Chief of Army Staff) Gopal Gurunath Bewoor as first Director of the NCC. He took over as Director of NCC on 31 Mar 1948. The NCC which has now 13 lac cadets on its rolls, had started with 20,000 cadets in 1948.

MOTTO:

"Unity and Discipline" is as motto for the NCC was taken in the 12th CAC meeting held on 12 Oct 1980.

"एकता और अनुशासन" एनसीसी के लिए आदर्श वाक्य है जोकि 12 अक्टूबर 1980 को आयोजित 12 वीं सीएसी की बैठक में लिया गया था।

CORE VALUES OF NCC

The NCC is a responsive, learning and continuously evolving organization. Its activity is guided by certain **Core Values** that we endeavour to instill among all ranks of the NCC. These include the following:

- a) A sense of patriotic commitment to encourage cadets to contribute to national development.
- b) Respect for diversities in religion, language, culture, ethnicity, life style and habitat to instill a sense of National unity and social cohesion.
- c) Abiding commitment to learn and adhere to the norms and values enshrined in the Indian Constitution.
- d) Understanding the value of a just and impartial exercise of authority.
- e) Ability to participate in community development and other social programme.
- f) A healthy life style free of substance abuse and other unhealthy practices.
- g) Sensitivity to the needs of poor and socially disadvantaged fellow citizens.
- h) Inculcating habits of restraint and self-awareness.
- i) Understanding the values of honesty, truthfulness, self-sacrifice, perseverance and hard work.
- j) Respect for knowledge, wisdom and the power of ideas.

AIM OF NCC

The 'Aims' of the NCC laid out in 1988 have stood the test of time and continue to meet the requirements expected of it in the current socio-economic scenario of the country. The NCC aims at developing character, comradeship, discipline, a secular outlook, the spirit of adventure and ideals of selfless service amongst young citizens. Further, it aims at creating a pool of organized, trained and motivated youth with leadership qualities in all walks of life, who will serve the Nation regardless of which career they choose. Needless to say, the NCC also provides an environment conducive to motivating young Indians to join the armed forces.

- a) To Create a Human Resource of Organized, Trained and Motivated Youth, To Provide Leadership in all Walks of life and be Always Available for the Service of the Nation.
- b) To Provide a Suitable Environment to Motivate the Youth to Take Up a Career in the Armed Forces.
- c) To Develop Character, Comradeship, Discipline, Leadership, Secular Outlook, Spirit of Adventure, and Ideals of Selfless Service amongst the Youth of the Country.

ABOUT GGSIPU (NCC) CELL

GGSIPU NCC Cell was formed in the month of September, 2020 with Prof. B.V. Ramana Reddy, Professor, USIC&T, Ex-Dean as the coordinating officer in developing NCC Division/Wings at GGSIPU Campus and further raise similar units at 127 Affiliated Colleges of the University. NSS cell of the university was instrumental in hand holding and setting up of NCC operations in the University

NCC units are classified as regular or Fully Self Financing Units (FSFUs). The FSFUs are entitled to all the benefits of the scheme at par with Government-funded (Regular) NCC units. For detailed information, please refer to the NCC website https://indiancc.nic.in/ & University website www.ipu.ac.in.

Till date, one female Senior Wing FSFU and one male Senior Division FSFU are established having 160 Cadets in each company at GGSIP University campus

Lt. Dr. Anitha G., Associate Professor and Lt. Dr. Suhail Atesham, Assistant Professor, teaching faculty of the University are appointed as ANOs to handle the unit/s. Efforts are made to set up NCC units in other rest Affiliated Institutes and make a bigger family of NCC officers and Cadets to serve the nation.

MAJOR ACTIVITIES UNDER NCC:

- 1. National Integration Camp (NIC)
- 2. Adventure Camps
- 3. Training Camps

- 4. NCC Pre-Republic Day Parade Camp
- 5. NCC Republic Day Parade Camp
- 6. National Youth Festivals
- 7. National Cadet Corp (NCC) Award etc.,

Under NCC, GGSIPU NCC Cell conducted the following activities:

- 1. **Orientation Programme**
- 2. **Physical / Standard Screening Test for Females/Males**
- NSS/NCC activities were made compulsory <u>one credit course</u> in all Engineering & B.VoC Courses across all affiliated colleges in the year 2013-14 and 2014-15.
- 4. It is proposed to make NSS/NCC/YOGA/SPORTS/CLUBs as Mandatory <u>two credit course</u> across all courses being run under GGSIP University. Main streaming such courses as a reflection of the New National Education Policy (NEP-2020).

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