#### **Sarvajanik Education Society**

# Sarvajanik College of Engineering & Technology, Surat (Affiliated to the Gujarat Technological University, Chandkheda, Ahmedabad)



## राष्ट्रीयसेवायोजना (NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME)



#### Celebration of Meaningful Diwali – A Visit to Old Age Home

Getting **OLD** means **gaining more experiences**. The **Old age** is often referred to as second childhood. Elderly people are considered as backbone of the family and it's the time when one needs utmost care and affection from their loved ones. But in today's busy world the youths have forgotten their moral duties towards elders. Instead of taking care of their parents during old age they often prefer to send them to old age homes

**Old Age Homes** Life is a process during which one initially gets less and less dependent, independent, and then more and more dependent."

"Old Age homes are civilization's dumpsites for human beings who it cannot exploit further."

The NSS Unit of Sarvajanik College of Engineering and Technology decided to celebrate the meaningful Diwali this year. The SCET-NSS unit visited Old **Age Home** in **Bhatha** gam **26**<sup>th</sup> **October 2019** as **pre -Diwali celebration** with elderly people.

We reached there at around 9 in morning. The manager of the old age home was there to guide us. The home was divided in three different section, first section was for men, second section was for women and third section was for couples. There were various facilities like wide open area for entertainment, library, dining area and a beautifully carved temple inside the campus itself.

We first went to the kitchen area where all the ladies were chopping vegetable. They were compatible and very friendly and also shared their journey of life with us. All were having different stories and there were some who came here by their choice just in search of peace. Some ladies were chanting prayers in their rooms. Different places, different castes but still

they all lived as a family .they treated us with their beautiful smiles and didn't reflect their problems even for a second.

The NSS team of SCET along with Prof. Payal Gamit (Chemistry Sec ,ASH Deptt.) distributed the packet of sweet and farsan with them as token of celebration. The joy on faces of elderly people were sweeter than any sweet.

The experience of sharing happiness with them was very nice. It's our responsibility to pay them back during their old age.

### Preparation before to visit:























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