

INTERNATIONAL YOUTH DAY

12th August 2016

This world demands the qualities of youth: not a time of life but a state of mind, a temper of the will, a quality of imagination, a predominance of courage over timidity, of the appetite for adventure over the love of ease. The theme of the 2016 International Youth Day was “**The Road to 2030: Eradicating Poverty and Achieving Sustainable Consumption and Production**”. It focuses on the leading role of young people in ensuring poverty eradication and achieving sustainable development through sustainable consumption and production. Moreover, the foundation of every state is the education of its youth. A rally was organised by the student volunteers of NSS KIIT University followed by ‘Swachh Bharat Abhiyaan’ around the university campus. Volunteers showcased their slogan writing skills and spread awareness on Youth empowerment and related issues. Good habits formed at youth make all the difference and only through action do words take meaning. Our volunteers motivated the public to keep their surrounding clean and use biodegradable stuffs as carry bags and reuse them as far as possible.

A debate competition was organised by the NSS Volunteers in the university in which participants gave their views on “**Regulating or limiting the maximum wealth an individual can possess**”. Prominent points were made by participants on this issue. In a nutshell, The International Youth day was celebrated in the university with full swing and dedication of NSS Volunteers and Programme officers on this issue was appreciated by all.

