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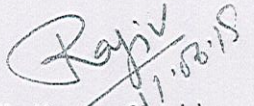
Shastri Bhawan, Dr. R.P. Road,  
New Delhi, dated the 11<sup>th</sup> June, 2019

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

Subject: Monthly Summary of activities conducted by the Department of Youth Affairs for the month of May, 2019.

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The undersigned is directed to circulate herewith a copy of the unclassified portion of monthly summary of Department of Youth Affairs for the month of May, 2019 for information.

  
(Rajiv Kumar Singh)

**Encl.: As above.**

Under Secretary to the Government of India  
Tel.: 011-23387616

**All members of the council of Ministers.**

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1. Member, NITI Aayog, NITI Bhawan, New Delhi.
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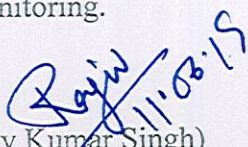
1. Addl. Secretary & Financial Adviser (Youth Affairs and Sports)
2. Sr. Technical Director, NIC (MoYAS) – with the request to upload the monthly summary on the Ministry's website.

**Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports**  
**Department of Youth Affairs**

The following are the salient programmes and activities performed by the Department of Youth Affairs, Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports during the month of May, 2019 :-

2. **Nehru Yuva Kendra Sangathan (NYKS):** During the month, NYKS observed the Anti-Terrorism Day on 21<sup>st</sup> May, 2019 across the country to generate awareness among all sections of people about the effects of terrorism on our society and country. NYKS also observed World No Tobacco Day on 31<sup>st</sup> May, 2019 throughout the country highlighting the health risks associated with tobacco. The theme of the observance was 'Tobacco and Lung Health'. NYKS also observed Menstrual Hygiene Day on 28<sup>th</sup> May, 2019 highlighting good menstrual hygiene management. NYKS also helped the local administration across the country in administering pulse polio drops to children; motivating pregnant mothers for immunization and institutional deliveries and organizing blood donation camps.
3. **National Service Scheme (NSS):** During the month, 5,52,528 NSS volunteers were enrolled and 49 Special Camps were organised in the country. The NSS volunteers planted 7,644 saplings and donated 3,936 units of blood. NSS Volunteers extended their services to post Fani Cyclone relief activities in affected areas and also assisted the election officials and voters during the Lok Sabha Elections, 2019. During the month, the volunteers participated in various activities/programmes such as Voter Awareness, Swachhta Activities, Water Conservation, Medical Camps and Free Medicine Distribution, Disaster Management, Health Awareness, etc.
4. **Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Youth Development (RGNIYD):** The Institution organised Capacity Building Programmes/workshops on various subjects such as 'Leadership and Team Building'; 'Employability Skill'; etc. The Institute also observed World No Tobacco Day on 31<sup>st</sup> May, 2019. In all, RGNIYD organised 3 programmes with total participation of 98 participants.
5. **International Cooperation:** A 2-member Indian Youth Delegation visited Japan from 26<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> May, 2019 to attend Y20 Summit, 2019.
6. **Minimum Government, Maximum Governance:** A Group known as 'Youth for Nation Building' has been created on MyGov.in platform. Feedback from citizens on important issues concerning youth is received on this platform. The Department is also active on Social Media platform.

7. **Utilisation of Space Technology based Tools and Applications:** RGNIYD, as a partner organisation of ISRO, has taken up a Project jointly with National Remote Sensing Centre, Hyderabad, for mapping the assets of 40 village panchayats in Tamil Nadu under the EPRIS (Empowering PRIs Spatially) Project of ISRO to empower the PRIs with space-based inputs towards resource-based and integrated spatial development planning of rural areas. Besides this, NYKS has also signed an MOU with ISRO and National Remote Sensing Centre (NRSC), under which a Bhuvan-NYKS Mobile Application has been developed. The objective is to enable NYC volunteers and youth club members to upload details of programmes/ activities undertaken by them to facilitate close monitoring.

  
(Rajiv Kumar Singh)  
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