

SHANKARRAO CHAVAN LAW COLLEGE

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LEGAL AID CENTRE REPORT FOR THE AY 2019-20

The Legal Aid Society is built on one simple but powerful belief: that no Indian should be denied the right to equal justice. We seek to be a beacon of hope Indians who feel neglected—regardless of who they are, where they come from, or how they identify.Being an important stakeholder in the legal field, we owe a duty towards society to shoulder the responsibility of providing legal aid to the masses at large. The institutional support provided through Legal Aid Centre of the College will help the society to have access to justice through expertise without any expenses. The students on the other hand will benefit from the practical exposure and knowledge which they will gain and explore being a part of this Centre and while working on various projects and activities undertaken by the Centre. For the academic year 2019-20 total 166 students registered for the legal aid center.

The Centre conducted the following activities throughout the academic year 2019-20



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1. MOU with Schizophrenia Awareness Association (SAA)

Schizophrenia Awareness Association (SAA) is not for profit organization based in the city of Pune, in Maharashtra state SAA is working since from 1997for the persons with mental illness and their families. SAA is run and managed by user survivors, family caregivers. SAA believes in their capacities and encourages them to take responsibility. As per

the prior discussion in order to give official recognition to the collaboration between SAA and the Legal Aid Cell of our college executed Memorandum of Undertaking on 11/10/2019. At the same date Mr.AbhayKele, President of SAA, Mr. Anil Vartak, Mrs. Smita Godse, Mr. Anand Godsefrom SAA conducted their first introductory session for all the students who are registered with Legal Aid Centre. The lecture was conducted in the back drop of the national level on 11th October every year. The introductory lecture covered the activities conducted by SAA and the co-operation of student's volunteers required from college.

2. Visit to Prison

Student of Legal Aid Centre had an opportunity to visit yerawade central jail which is in Pune on Saturday September 28, 2019. Total 100 students along with four faculties of ShankarraoChavan Law College, visited jail. This visit gave us a great opportunity to wander across the jail. we also visit open prisoners in other area which includes that the prisoners were kept in open space and provide to meet their family members for an hour. These prisoners are those who are convicted and about to finish their term in jail.



3. Participation as Volunteers in Maha Lok Adalat



The Maharashtra Legal Aid Services Authority has organized MahaLokadalat on 8th February 2020 at every District Court of entire state of Maharashtra. Legal Aid Centre of ShankarraoChavan

Law College organized visit to National Maha-Lokadalat. Law College along with 50 students and the faculty member were attended this National Maha-Lokadalat.

5. Participation asVolunteers for CET -

The state common entrance test cell has been conducted Regionalinteraction program for improvement in centralized admission process of the professional course for the academic year 2020-2021. The Students who are registered for the center were voluntary rendered the services during the Regional interaction program. Our students were helping the participants fromvarious city, the volunteer was enrolling the college participants who attending this program. Our total number of students were 11 volunteers for this program. The Volunteers were taking part in this program, by support the CET cell. The CET Cell had given certificate of Appreciation to the volunteers from GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA.



6. Legal aid and Legal Literacy Camp I

The students of B.A.LL. B V year organized the legal aid camp to ZilhaParishadPrathmik School, Kalyan, Pune on 10 February 2020. We as a member of legal aid center gave a short introduction to the head master and teachers of the school and then to the students in the form of skit for which students were eagerly waiting for the skit. The students gave information on the following topic through their skits,

- I. Acid attack
- II. Importance of Education
- III. Laws relating to Domestic violence
- IV. The Right to Information Act, 2005



7. Legal aid and Legal Literacy Camp II

With the purpose of legal rights awareness on 18th February 2020 the students of LL. B III yearorganized One Day Legal Aid Camp at SenapatiBapatVidhyalay, in Male Village, Mulshi. The students gave information on the following topic through their skits,

- I.Consumer Rights Awareness
- II. Right to education and equality
- III. Property Distribution
- IV. Fundamental Duties

It was also interesting and an interactive session.



8. Legal aid and Legal Literacy Camp III

On 2nd March 2020 we students of Legal Aid Center of MarathwadaMitra Mandal ShankaraoChavan Law College, Deccan, Pune organised One day Legal Aid Camp at Akole village, Mulshi, on awareness of legal knowledge and legal rights. All the students of B.A.LL. B V as well as LL. B III registered with legal aid center took actively participate in activities.

The students gave information on the following topic through their skits,

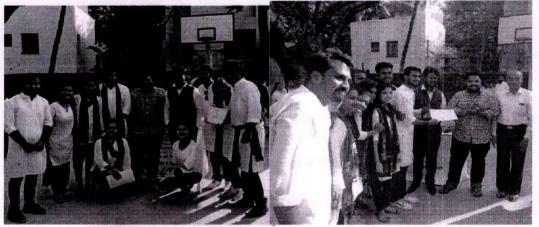
- On awareness of consumer rights
- Social media addiction,
- Importance of Equality
- Importance of education,
- Ancestral property distribution, etc.

Colorful posters were made by students through which different messages like Girl child birth, Pollution, Avoid Plastic, save earth, etc. through this colorful poster the message was given by students to the villagers.



9. Participation of students in Skit Play

The students of Legal Aid Centre participated in legal Aid nukkadnatakstreet play competition held by ILS LAW COLLEGE on 25th January 2020.All 15 teams all around Pune participated in the street play competition. The idea of nukkadnatak competition is basically to create awareness about the current social awareness through Street play. The students of the legal aid centre decided to perform on social awareness on the topic "**Social Media Addiction**". From this street play they want to create the awareness about how the addiction of social media is increasing day by day. The students won the first price of the NukkadNatak competition with cash prize ofRs. 5000/-.



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