

## Flood relief activities of NSS CEP UNIT 539

All the NSS Volunteers of College of Engineering Perumon actively participated in the flood relief activities despite of all circumstances. Everyone took part in different activities like collection of materials, packing, loading, visiting relief camps, volunteering etc. Different committees were formed with immediate effect in order to make the flood relief campaign of our unit efficient. The timely coordination of the program officers made the volunteers inspired and motivated to do all those possible helps which they can do for the victims.

One of the major relief activities took place in Munroe Island, a highly populated island near our college. There were 2000 people in about 8 relief camps in different regions near the college. Team of six volunteers were assigned to each camp and enquire about the basic needs. Volunteers in the leadership of Pro. Mr Jasim Jalaludeen (Program Officer) and Pro. Mr Sidhik visited the camps in Munroe Island and Kulathupuzha on 16 August 2018. Many more volunteers visited different camps in subsequent days and rendered their helping hands.

Every volunteer was asked to donate the money which was to be given for the Onam celebration and the unit was able to collect a sum of 25,000 rupees from the volunteers. College Union also arranged many activities and donated all its fund for Onam celebrations to the Chief Ministers Distress Relief Fund. Our unit handed over 10000 rupees to the college union for the same and rest of the fund was used for arranging basic necessities in relief camps.

As the flood had its devastating effects on Pathanamthitta and Allapuzha districts near our Kollam districts, every volunteer was assigned to give service in camps of people from this districts. Some of our volunteers visited Chengannur and directly took part in rescue and rehabilitation process of the affected victims. A load of necessary items for the people in Chengannur was arranged and transported to the camps on 17 August 2018. A campaign including fund raising and material collection from houses near the college was carried out on 16 th and 17 th August 2018. Volunteers purchased the needy products including biscuits, clothes, napkins, bedsheets, grocery items and all other products which are requested from camp sites through our volunteer network across different camps. There were lot of NGOs and other volunteer teams working in camps and providing services, our NSS volunteers



also incorporated with them to get a better result.

This is the materials collected on 16 th and 17 th August from the natives of Perumon.



All the natives supported our campaign and provided us with handful of items required at camp sites. All NSS volunteers met in college on 17 th August and this was delivered to two camps. The materials were handed over to Mr. Venu, a Famous social worker and he took it to camps.

On the next day(18 th August 2018) our volunteers purchased more items as per the request



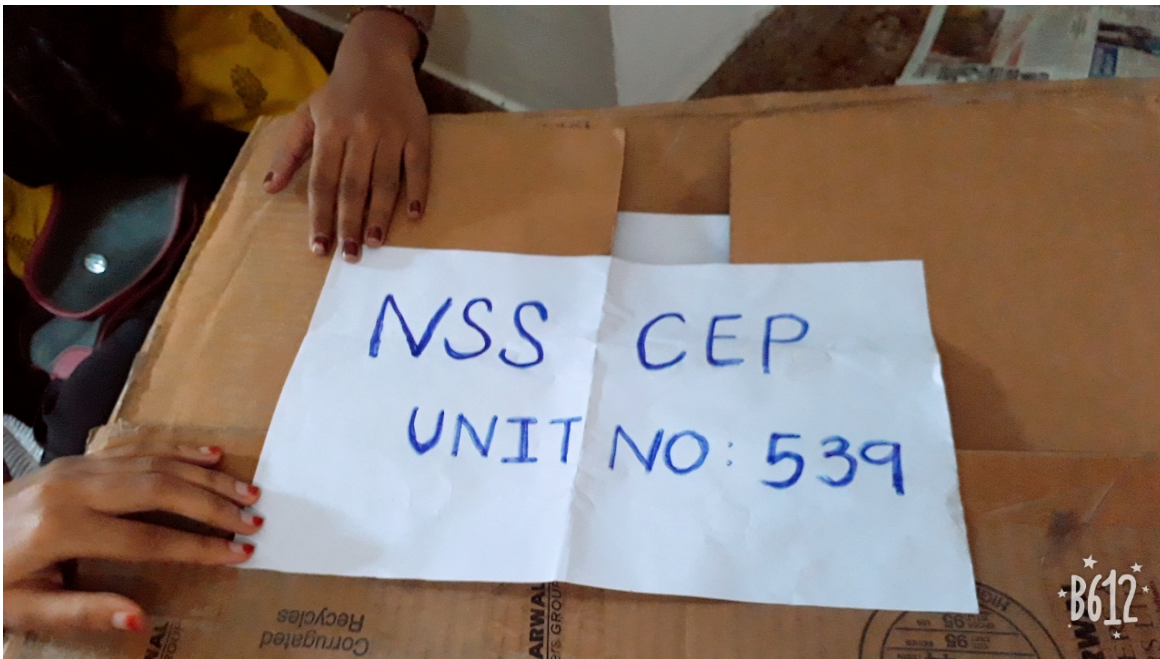
from camps and packed it for the transportation to camp sites.







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On the same day our students were asked to bring lunch packs to the camp sites. We arranged several collections points in Kollam town, Kundara, Anchalumood, Kottayam and other junctions. Students collected and delivered more than 200 lunch packs to a camp site. The campaign was named as 'Pothichoru campaign'.



On 19 th August 2018, volunteers focused on delivering the materials to the camp sites and the collection center at Kollam Collectorate. NSS in coordination with College Union Sadahaq purchased and delivered a truck full of basic necessities to camp sites







On the same day many of the volunteers visited camp sites. They were ready to do any help for the victims. Program officers also accompanied the students in the visit

