# NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME RAM LAL ANAND COLLEGE UNIVERSITY OF DELHI



### REPORT: NATIONAL VOTER'S DAY (25TH JANUARY 2022)



#### INTRODUCTION

On the auspicious occasion of the 73rd Republic Day and the National Voters' Day, the NCC and NSS units of RLAC organized flag hoisting and oath-taking ceremony in the lush green lawns of the college. The event was graced by the presence of our chief guest Professor Balram Pani, Dean of all colleges, University of Delhi, Captain Sanjay Sharma, Principal Dr. Rakesh Kumar Gupta and our Programme Officer Dr. Rita Jain. A total of 28 NSS volunteers attended the event. All the guests and the volunteers were high in spirits and made the event a successful one. Patriotism echoed through the air.

#### REPUBLIC DAY CELEBRATION

To mark the Republic Day celebrations and pay tribute to the founding fathers of the country, the college premises were decorated with colorful lights and tricolor posters all around. The celebrations begun with the NCC cadets' guard of honor, followed by flag hoisting ceremony by Principal Dr. Rakesh Kumar Gupta. The soaring tricolor instilled vigor in the minds of all the volunteers. Further, our Principal sir and Capt. Sanjay Sharma welcomed students as the occasion was the first official event after the pandemic. They both also moved the students with their astounding speeches and expressed their sincere regards to everyone. Our chief guest Prof. Balram Pani too shared his views on the significance of our culture and heritage and emphasized that the unity of our country truly lies in its diversity.



### NATIONAL VOTER'S DAY



"The ballot is stronger than the bullet"

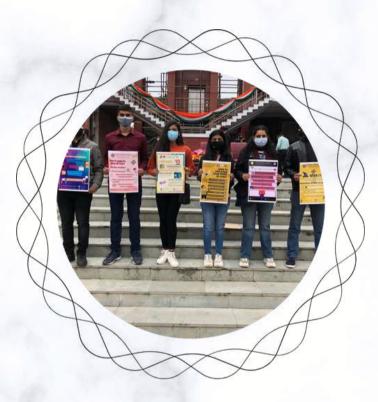
#### - ABRAHAM LINCOLN

Following the Republic Day celebrations, the highly dedicated NSS team organized a pledge-taking ceremony to mark the 12th National Voters' Day. Lead by the President of the NSS unit, the pledge to envision the country's bright future by voting responsibly was repeated by all the guests of honor, teaching and non-teaching staff, and all the volunteers of the unit. As everyone took the pledge enthusiastically, the air was filled with trust and pride in our country's democracy.

Since 2011, National Voters' Day is observed every year on 25th January across the country to commemorate the founding day of the Election Commission of India, which was formed on this date in 1950. The primary goal of the NVD celebration is to encourage, facilitate, and maximize voter engagement, particularly among new voters.

Subsequently, in order to sensitize people about the importance of voting, the NSS volunteers prepared digital posters on Voters' Awareness and clicked photographs with them, which were posted on the social media handles of NSS RLAC to boost voter participation among the audience.

## CHARTING THE WAY FORWARD



As the celebration came to an end, the volunteers interacted with and clicked photographs with our Programme Officer Dr. Rita Jain. Refreshments were organized by NSS RLAC for all its volunteers.

It was a truly exhilarating sight to witness the high spirits of the NCC and NSS units of RLAC on a chilly winter morning.

Through our National Voters' Day celebrations, we hope that all the eligible voters consciously participate in the nation building of the world's largest democracy and strengthen the country's electoral systems.

We, at NSS RLAC, commit ourselves to envisage a beaming future for our country by doing our bit for the betterment of the society.

