

**Pune District Education Association's
Seth Govind Raghunath Sable College of Pharmacy, Saswad**

Report on One Day Workshop on Fort Conservation

Organized by: Pune District Education Association's Seth Govind Raghunath Sable College of Pharmacy, Saswad, Pune

Date: 17th March 2026

Time: 2.00 pm onwards

Venue: Malhar Gadh, Kalewadi.

A One Day Workshop on **Fort Conservation under Historical Sites Adoption Scheme** was successfully organized by the NSS Unit of the college, affiliated to Savitribai Phule Pune University, Pune, on 17th March 2026 at 10.00 am at Malhar Gadh, Kalewadi. The workshop was organized with the objective of creating awareness among students regarding the importance of conserving forts, preserving historical heritage, and understanding the responsibility of youth in protecting cultural sites.

The program began with the inauguration and welcome address delivered by Mr. Arjun Chavan, who warmly welcomed the dignitaries, chief guest, faculty members, and students. She highlighted the importance of preserving historical forts and emphasized the need for active participation of youth in safeguarding our rich heritage. This was followed by the preamble presented by Mr. S. K. Musale, NSS Program Officer, who explained the purpose of organizing the workshop under NSS activities and the Historical Sites Adoption Scheme.

The **Chief Guest, Mr. Suraj Gadade, Deputy Sarpanch, Tekawadi Village**, addressed the gathering and shared valuable insights on the importance of fort conservation at the local level. He encouraged students to actively participate in preservation activities and highlighted the role of community involvement in maintaining historical sites.

Thereafter, the Principal of the college, Dr. Rajashree Chavan, addressed the gathering. In her inspiring speech, she emphasized the role of educational institutions in developing socially responsible citizens and encouraged students to contribute towards the conservation of forts and cultural heritage. She also appreciated the efforts of the NSS unit in organizing such a meaningful program.

During the session, various aspects of **fort conservation** were discussed, including preservation techniques, challenges in maintaining historical structures, the importance of cleanliness and restoration, and the role of volunteers in protecting forts. The session was informative and interactive, and students gained valuable insights into heritage conservation practices.

At the end of the workshop, the vote of thanks was proposed by Mr. Sumit Musale, who expressed sincere gratitude to the principal, chief guest, organizers, faculty members, and students for their valuable support and participation. The program concluded successfully at 4.45 pm.

Overall, the One Day Workshop on Fort Conservation under the Historical Sites Adoption Scheme was highly informative and beneficial. It created awareness among students, motivated them to actively participate in conservation activities, and encouraged them to take responsibility for preserving our historical heritage. The workshop fulfilled its objectives and was appreciated by all the participants.

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