

Sinhgad Technical Education Society's  
NBN Sinhgad Technical Institutes Campus, Ambegaon(Bk.)  
**NBN Sinhgad School of Computer Studies (NBN SSOCS)**

**Social activity at ArpanVruddhashram**  
as a part of *Corporate Social Responsibility*  
on Occasion of **International Senior Citizen day.**

The International Senior citizen was celebrated worldwide on 1<sup>st</sup> Oct 2013. NBNSOCS took initiative on this occasion to help old age people and contribute to the society.

As part of Corporate social responsibility a team of students & faculty along with Associate Director visited ArpanVruddhashram at Vadgaon(bk) on this occasion. The vruddhashram is run by Dr. DipakShinde who also have hospital for old age people. The vruddhashram takes care of not only old age people who don't have support in society but also bedridden people who can't walk and do activities on their own. The Vruddhashram has 60 old age and bed ridden people.

Our faculty, students & supporting staff contributed amount of Rs 5000/- & above to donate to the vruddhashram and help old age people & support them.

A small Cultural Program was conducted for the people in the ashram. People who were able to walk attended the program and enjoyed it. The students gave singing & dance performances. Some people from ashram also showcased their talent by singing good traditional and Marathi songs.

After the cultural program sweets were distributed to people in vruddhashram. Students and faculty went to bedridden people also, had talk with them and understood their problems. The old age people were pleased with it and asked students to come regularly.

At the end of program our Associate Director Dr. Mrs. Smita Chavan handed over the cashamount of Rs. 5000/- to Dr.Dipakshinde who is heading the vruddhashram.

The activity was concluded by thanks giving speech by one of the old age people in the ashram.

Everyone in the vruddhashram was overwhelmed by the activity and appreciated the efforts taken by everyone. They gave their valuable blessings to students and faculty.

With the promise of visiting ashram time and again to meet and greet old age people, we left the ashram by bidding Adieu to everyone in ashram.