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Afroz Shah
Foundation
Healthy Ocean

Event Report:

Versova Beach Cleanup

Date - 23rd September, 2023





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• Time: 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM

· Venue: Versova Beach, Mumbai

• Organizers: RCSPCE, in collaboration with the Student Council of SPCE, partnered with the Afroz Shah Foundation

Number of Participants: 25

Rotaractors Present: 09 Non Rotaractors Present: 16

About The Event:

The aim of the Versova Beach Cleanup event was threefold:

- 1.Environmental Restoration: To clean and restore the beach after the Ganpati Visarjan festival and remove waste materials to promote a cleaner and healthier environment.
- 2. <u>Community Engagement</u>: To engage and involve the local community, including students of SPCE, in the spirit of fellowship through service.
- 3. <u>Awareness</u>: To raise awareness about the importance of responsible waste disposal and the need for environmental conservation.







Detailed overview of the event :

On 23 September 2023, the Rotaract Club of SPCE in collaboration with the Student Council of SPCE, partnered with the Afroz Shah Foundation to organize a beach cleanup event at Versova Beach. The primary aim of this event was to uphold our club motto, "Fellowship Through Service," by collectively working to restore and preserve the environment.

- 1. <u>Planning</u>: The planning phase involved coordination with the Afroz Shah Foundation, securing necessary permits, and organizing logistics, including waste disposal facilities.
- 2. <u>Mobilization</u>: Students from SPCE and members of the Rotaract Club were mobilized to participate in the cleanup. Tools and equipment for waste collection, such as gloves, trash bags, and bins, were provided.
- 3. <u>Beach Cleanup</u>: Participants enthusiastically cleaned the beach, collecting waste left behind during the Ganpati Visarjan festival. This process involved careful segregation of recyclable and non-recyclable materials.
- 4. <u>Awareness Campaign</u>: Simultaneously, an awareness campaign was conducted, emphasizing responsible waste disposal and the importance of preserving our natural resources.





Closing Remarks:

- Continued Engagement: We plan to organize regular beach cleanup events in collaboration with the Afroz Shah Foundation to maintain the cleanliness of Versova Beach.
- 2. <u>Feedback</u>: Feedback was collected from participants to assess their experiences and suggestions for future events. Some participants expressed interest in educational programs on environmental conservation.
- 3. <u>Community Involvement</u>: We aim to involve more community members, including local schools and residents, in future cleanup initiatives to expand our impact.

In conclusion, the Versova Beach Cleanup event exemplified our commitment to "Fellowship Through Service" by restoring the environment, engaging the community, and raising awareness about responsible waste management. We look forward to continuing our efforts in preserving and protecting our natural surroundings.

