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#### **8.1 Nation Building and Cohesion :-**

Higher education contributes to the promotion of civic behavior, nation building and social cohesion through the transmission of democratic values and cultural norms. This supports the formation and strengthening of social capital. NGOs can take up the responsibility of shaping nation building and social cohesion. NGOs are known for their commitment and dedication. This can be exemplified through:

- Making the youngsters aware of their duties and rights.
- NGOs role in protecting the public from anti-social elements can be done effectively.
- They can ensure that, student equip themselves with core values needed to live as responsible citizens in the complex democratic societies. The richness of local cultures and values can be made known to the youngsters and public through NGOs.
- The social co-operation of higher education institution can be fostered through the strong networks of the NGOs.

NGOs can act as bodies for the promotion of human rights, by identifying the areas of violation of human rights. Today society is a more or less violence driven. Concern with human rights cannot stop with enunciation alone. There is need for more positive and operational steps by NGOs. A well integrated Programme with proper planning, development and implementation by involving the government and non government bodies by utilizing the expertise in higher education institutions naturally lead to achieving the objectives of any Programme

intended to improve the quality of life of the people. With efforts each and every segment of the society will have its own share in planning, development and implementation of the Programme, thereby inducing a sense of responsibility for achieving the personal and social objectives of the individual and society.

## **8.2 Working of Gram Panchayat :-**

*Gram Panchayat* of Kavathepiran has effectively implemented the Central Rural Sanitation Programme in the village for the development of the people. Because of this Public Programme people are aware about the care of health and personal hygiene. The health consciousness was the mainly focused under the Programme. The *Gram Panchayat* Kavathepiran organized Environmental awareness Programme with the collaboration of Rotary Club Central Ichalkaranji and Friend Group of Snakes, Kabnoor. They also told the advantages of environmental cleanliness and need for environmental protection. Primary Health Centre and *Gram Panchayat* collectively arranged Seminar on 'Leprosy Research and Child-Mother Care' Programme. It was organized with the collaboration of Liens Eye Clinic and Dr. Joshi Research Centre, Sangli Free Eye Check-up for the villagers in Kavathepiran. The youth clubs and ladies clubs were effectively and successfully implemented the activities such as Environmental awareness, Health camp, Blood donation camp, Free Eye Test etc. Kavathepiran has different youth clubs which contributed impressive work for the change in the minds of the villagers. This resulted in positive attitude by the villagers changed mindset for their betterment. The Table No. 8.1 below presents the list of activities worked out in the village under the Central Rural Sanitation Programme as follows.

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**Table No. 8.1**  
**Working Programme of NGOs**

<b>Sr. No.</b>	<b>NGOs</b>	<b>Programmes</b>
1	<i>Sanmitra</i> and <i>Krantiveer</i> Youth Club	Free Eye Check-up And Cleanness Programme
2	<i>Sramanjali</i> Ladies Club and Anganwadi Teachers	Programme for Prohibition of alcohol, Awareness Rally
3	<i>Saptrashi Kala. Krida</i> and <i>Sanskritik Sanvardham</i> Mandal, <i>Jayhind</i> , <i>Vijyanta</i> Youth Club, <i>Hindkesari</i> Sports Club	Well Cleanliness, Torch Rally For Vanishing brewery, Eye Check-up, Blood donation, Camp For Removal of all diseases
4	Ladies Club	Blood Donation Camp, Health Camp, Extermination Programme of lousy and matted hair , Cleanness of the street
5	Rotary Club Central <i>Ichalkaranji</i> and Friend Group of Snakes, <i>Kabnoor</i>	Seminars Environmental Awareness Programme and its Benefits
6	Primary Health Centre	Seminar on 'Leprosy Research and Child -Mother Cure' Programme
7	The Great <i>Maratha</i> Youth Club	Environmental Protection Awareness Rally
8	Liens Eye Clinic and Dr. Joshi Research Centre, Sangli	Free Eye Check-up

### **8.3 Contribution of youth clubs and ladies clubs :-**

The youth has a power to make the change speedily. In the selected area of field work is also experienced the same thing. Villagers frankly told that the contribution of youth clubs and the ladies clubs were responsibly worked for the creating awareness among the people. The Programme had been possible to implement with the help of youth and women. There are 17 youth clubs, 12 ladies clubs and one girls' youth club in the village. The youth clubs namely, *Vijayanta* youth sports club, *Jaibhawani Friends Club*, *Navtarun Friend Group*, *Shalimar Friend Group*, *Hindkesari Ganesh Mandal*, *Krantiveer youth club*, *Yuwa Kranti Manch* and *Vishwajyoti Ganesh Mandal* etc. are the effective youth clubs in the village. Among these *Sanmintra* and *Krantiveer* youth clubs were arranged the free eye check-up and cleanness Programme. *Saptrashi Kala*, *Krida* and *Sanskritic Sanvardhan Mandal* and *Jaihind*, *Vijayanta* youth clubs and *Hindkesari* Sports clubs were organized Eye check-up , Blood donation camp, Health camp for removal of all diseases and also gave the all kinds of help to clean the Village Well which is shown in the photograph earlier.

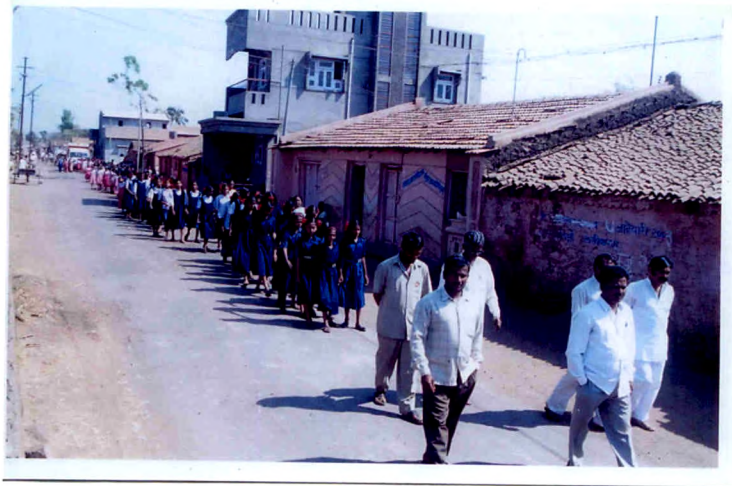
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#### **8.4 Role of Schools :-**

There are 5 schools in the Kavathepiran. Teachers are playing a vital develop the minds of students and the community. They teach the need for clean environment and its benefits. The edge of 5 to 15 years old boys and girls are teaching in the school so schools are making them disciplinary habits in them. During the study researcher found that the teachers in Kavathepiran were effectively implement some Programme under the Campaign for made the awareness among the villagers. With the active participation of the students they were arranged the Swacchhata Dindi, Awareness rally, Symposium on health and hygiene, Plantation Programme, Work participation for cleanness, wrote the good thoughts related with the Nirmal Gram, made discipline in the school etc. for the development of the village.



### **8.5 Non Government Organizations ( NGOs ) :-**

The non-governmental organization gives important contribution for the public services. In Kavathepiran had been get the help from Kamala Mahila Mandal of Miraj which provided the information of women health care and AIDS awareness among the women and young girls. Rotary club of Ichalkaranji and Snakes friend group of Kabnoor was successfully made the environmental awareness among the villagers in Kavathepiran during the implementation of Central Rural Sanitation Programme.

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### **8.6 Women Association :-**

Women could do the change in family and village also. It was proved by women in Kavathepiran. They are strongly apposed to alcohol drinking. They were collectively arranged the Mashal rally for awareness among the women and then decided to prohibit the alcohol. In 2003 they did it successfully. The Ladies youth club was actively implemented the Programme of lousy and matted hair. They were also participated in tree plantation on the streets and actively respond to the health camp organized by various youth clubs and Gram Panchayat of Kavathepiran. The village women were participated in blood donation camp. They made a record of 373 female blood donors from the village.

### **8.7 Conclusion :-**

The implementation of Central Rural Sanitation Programme the institutions in the village are playing very important role to change the people. Social change is a very difficult task which could not be possible without the participation of the people; these institutions were worked for to make ready for the change. So that with the help of these institutions the Campaign was easy for implemented.

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