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## **Training Program Report Counselors' & Youth Leaders'**

### **Introduction**

The **Indian Red Cross Society – Junior/Youth Red Cross, Pune District Branch**, in association with **Brihan Maharashtra College of Commerce (BMCC), Pune**, organized a **Counselors' & Youth Leaders' Training Course** on 23rd August 2025. The programme aimed at equipping faculty members and students with skills in counseling, leadership, first aid, disaster management, and social responsibility.

### **2. Objectives**

- To introduce participants to the principles and activities of the Indian Red Cross Society.
- To develop leadership and counseling skills among youth leaders and counselors.
- To create awareness about first aid, disaster management, and adventure activities.
- To promote humanitarian values and active participation in Red Cross initiatives.

The Training Programme was organized through a series of interactive and engaging sessions. The day began with the Inaugural Session (10:00 – 11:00 a.m.), which included Flag Hoisting, Lamp Lighting, and the Red Cross Song, followed by the “Satish Kankariya Memorial Lecture” delivered by **Prof. Dr. Suresh Gosavi, Vice-Chancellor of Savitribai Phule Pune University**. The next session (11:30 – 12:15 p.m.) focused on the Principles, Activities, and Organization of the Indian Red Cross Society, presented by **Prof. R.V. Kulkarni, Hon. Secretary, IRCS, Pune**. This was followed by a session on the Principles and Activities of Junior/Youth Red Cross (12:15 – 1:00 p.m.), conducted by **Dr. Prakash Chaudhari, Vice Principal of Ness Wadia College of Commerce, Pune**. Post this, **Ms. Usha Salvi, Hon. Secretary, JRC/YRC Pune**, guided the participants on Planning of JRC/YRC Activities (1:00 – 1:45 p.m.). After the lunch break, the programme resumed with a session on the Importance of First Aid Training and Disaster Management (2:30 – 3:15 p.m.) by Ms. Rupali Todmal, Member, JRC/YRC Pune. This was followed by an inspiring talk on “Youths in Adventure Activities” (3:15 – 4:00 p.m.) by noted mountaineer **Mr. Umesh Zirpe**. The day concluded with a Group Discussion (4:00 – 4:30 p.m.) led by **Dr. Abaso Shinde, Counselor, Modern College, Ganeshkhind, Pune**, where participants actively shared their views and experiences.

## Participants from PCACS

### Faculty Members:

- Prof. Devendra Mahadev Desai
- Mr. Prasad Tabhe Sir

### Students :

1. Ms. Siddhi Jaind -F.Y.B.Com
2. Ms. Hardika Vichare -F.Y.B.Com
3. Saurbhav Kamble -F.Y.B.A

### 7. Conclusion

The **Counselors' & Youth Leaders' Training Course** was a highly enriching and impact programme. It provided both faculty and students with a platform to learn essential life skills, understand Red Cross principles, and commit themselves to social service. Such programme are vital in nurturing responsible youth leaders and building a strong sense of humanitarian responsibility.


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**PUNE DISTRICT BRANCH**  
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**Counselors' & Youth Leaders' Training Course**  
Saturday, 23<sup>rd</sup> August 2023 at Brihan Maharashtra College of Commerce (Autonomous), Pune 04

**Program Agenda**

No.	Time	Subject	Resource faculty
1	9:00 to 10:00	Registration	Mr. Bharati Kamble and Volunteers
2	10:00 to 11:00	Flag Hoisting, Lighting of lamp, Pledge, Red Cross Song, Speech by the Chief Guest and Dignitaries JRC/YRC Chairman	"Satish Kankariya Memorial Lecture" Prof. Dr. Suresh Gosavi Vice-Chancellor, SPPU
3	11:00 to 11:30	Breakfast & Tea	
4	11:30 to 12:15	JRCS principles, activities, Organization	Prof. R.V. Kulkarni Hon. Secretary JRCS, Pune
5	12:15 to 1:00	JRC/YRC principles and activities	Dr. Prakash Chaudhari Vice Principal, Ness Wadia College of Commerce, Pune.
6	1:00 to 1:45	Planning of JRC/YRC activities	Ms. Usha Salvi Hon. Secretary JRC/YRC, Pune.
7	1:45 to 2:30	Lunch	
8	2:30 to 3:15	Importance of First Aid Training and Disaster Management	Ms. Rupali Todmal Member, JRC/YRC, Pune
9	3:15 to 4:00	Youths in Adventure Activities	Mr. Umesh Zirpe Great Mountaineer, Pune
10	4:00 to 4:30	Group Discussion	Dr. Abasa Shinde Counselor, Modern College, Ganeshkhind, Pune
11	4:30 to 5:00	Valedictory Function	



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**INVITATION**

The Chairman and members of the Junior and Youth Red Cross Committee, Pune District Branch cordially invite you for the Inauguration of Counselors' & Youth Leaders' Training Course organized jointly with Deccan Education Society's Brihan Maharashtra College of Commerce (Autonomous), Pune at 10.00 a.m. on Saturday, 23rd August 2023 at Tata Hall, Brihan Maharashtra College of Commerce, Pune

**Prof. Dr. Suresh Gosavi**  
**The Vice Chancellor,**  
Savitribai Phule Pune University  
has kindly consented to be the Chief Guest of the function.

You are cordially invited.

**Prin. Dr. Sanjay Kharat**  
Chairman  
Junior/Youth Red Cross  
Pune District Branch

**Ms. Usha Salvi**  
Hon. Secretary  
Junior / Youth Red Cross  
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