

## Vivek Vahini

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**Name of the Activity:** Organic Farming.  
**Date:** 19<sup>th</sup> Dec., 2018, 10.00 am onwards.  
**Target Group:** B. A. and B. Sc. Part-I & II and Various college students of lead college group.

**Number of Students took the advantage:** 100

**Name of Organizer:** Vivekvahini Committee

**Name of Resource Person:** 1) Mr. Shital Havale, Progressive Organic Farmer, President, Sri Sri Kisan Vikas Manch, Alate.

2) Mr. Vikas Tare,

3) Mr. Gundu Majalekar,

4) Ms. Shital Shete,

5) Mr. Shantana Chougule,

6) Mr. Prashant Bhabhan,

7) Mr. Balaso Kumbhoje,

8) Mr. Shantinath Sankana,

9) Mrs. Vaishali Hawal

**(All the Resource persons are from Alate and they are Organic farmers)**

The main objective behind organizing this workshop is it has been observed that the river side are in Shirol, Hatkanangale, and Karveer tahasils in Kolhapur district mainly cultivates vegetables by using chemical fertilizers and pesticides. The soil, water and human health are in danger due to excessive use of chemical fertilizers and pesticides. To aware the students and villagers about this horrible fact and motivate them for the organic farming, the workshop was arranged.

While organizing the workshop, deliberately the place was selected outside the collage. Village Alate was selected where organic farming is in use. In the actual plot of organic farming, the workshop was held. It was inaugurated by Mr. Shital Hawale, President, Shri. Shri. Kisan Vikas Manch, Alate and Member of Grampancayat, Alate. In his speech while stating the observations about the Indian farming and farmers, he stated that the excessive use of Chemical fertilizers and Pesticides on vegetables and grains are damaging human health

along with soil and water. If we continue to use of such Chemical fertilizers and Pesticides, the future would be disastrous. For the welfare of future generations, we need to implement strong decisions and we need to adopt organic farming by avoiding use of Chemical fertilizers and Pesticides. The all dignitaries expressed their views about organic farming. They also tried to convince the students to use the vegetables cultivated by using organic farming. The actual plots and crops of organic farming cultivated by Mr. Vikas Tare and Mr. Balaso Kumbhoje were visited by the student and faculty members.

**PSO's:**

- 1) All the participants were made aware about the importance of organic farming.
- 2) They all decided to become messenger of organic farming in the society.



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Principal