

# NITK celebrates Swachhata Pakhwada

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**Mangaluru:** National Institute of Technology Karnataka (NITK) Surathkal is celebrating 'Swachhata Pakhwada', an initiative by the ministry of education.

It is being held from September 1 to 15. The programme was inaugurated recently by Swami Ekagamyandaji of Ramakrishna Mission, Mangaluru, followed by a workshop on zero waste management by Vasudeva M, project investigator, Campus Waste to Energy Project, NITK Surathkal.

Under the auspices of NITK



**FOR CLEANLINESS:** 'Swachhata Pakhwada', an initiative of the ministry of education, being held at NITK Surathkal

Sevadal, weekly Swachh Bharat programmes were carried out on the NITK campus by staff, faculty, students, and housekeeping staff, since August 2019. The campus has now

completed the 50th week of its cleaning initiative. Furthermore, the NITK Surathkal campus community will continue to carry out swachhata activities on campus, with a fo-

cus on raising cleanliness awareness among the staff and student community.

From September 1 to 15, as a part of the programme, all the departments will carry out innovative cleaning activities in and around the campus, aiming to minimise wastage of drinking water, and maintain cleanliness and high levels of sanitation, that can contribute to a clean and hygienic campus. To make things even more interesting, the best departments will receive awards for innovative and creative activities undertaken to improve cleanliness and hygiene on the NITK campus.