

EVENT REPORT

Title of the Event : Paws for Health: Somaiya Dog Vaccination Drive		
Committee/ Department Name: Center for Achieving Sustainability Climate Action, Development and Engagement (CASCADE), Somaiya Institute for Research & Consultancy (SIRAC), Union For Animals (UFA), Supported by Somaiya Vidyavihar University Campus Administration.	Date of Report (DD/MM/YYYY)	13/10/2025
Date of Event : 12/10/2025 (DD/MM/YYYY)	Venue of event: Somaiya Vidyavihar University Campus	Time of event : 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM
Type of the Event	Vaccination Drive / Animal Welfare Initiative	
Level of Organization	Local	
Collaborators if any	Junior Research Fellows (JRFs), SVU Campus Administration, Suyash Pet's Clinic & Surgical Centre	
Mode (Online / Offline)	Offline	
Name of the Resource Person/ Guest	Dr. Gaurav Khandekar along with his team of qualified Veterinary Professionals	
Brief profile of the resource person	Dr. Gaurav Khandekar is an alumnus of Mumbai Veterinary College with a specialization in Clinical Medicine. He is a practicing veterinarian at Suyash Pet Clinic, where he is actively involved in the diagnosis, treatment, and management of animals. Known for his compassionate approach and clinical expertise, Dr. Khandekar is supported by a well-trained and experienced veterinary staff, ensuring high standards of animal care, safety, and humane treatment during medical procedures and community welfare initiatives.	
Objective of the Event	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> To promote animal health and welfare through timely rabies vaccination of stray and resident dogs and cats on campus. To contribute to public health and campus hygiene by preventing the spread of rabies. 	



Expected Outcome	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Improved health and immunity of community animals through rabies vaccination.2. Enhanced awareness among students about animal welfare and public health responsibilities.3. Contribution towards a safer and healthier campus ecosystem.
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<p> Photos (Attach at least three geotagged photos)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Resource Person engaging the session• Snapshot of the ongoing session• Group photo or closing session <p>(For multiple days/sessions – attach photos day-wise/session-wise)</p>	   
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