

**NATIONAL SERVICE TRAINING PROGRAM****AFTER ACTIVITY REPORT**

Title of Activity	Gender- Sensitive NSTP Orientation and Common Module S.Y. 2024-2025.
Date Inclusive	NSTP Orientation - August 30,2024 Common Module – Day 1 - August 31, 2024 Common Module – Day 2 - September 14, 2024 Common Module – Day 3 - September 21, 2024
Participants	NSTP Students
Venue	G.O. Teodoro Multipurpose Hall
Narrative	
NSTP Orientation The Tarlac Agricultural University, through the Office of the National Service Training Program, successfully conducted the National Service Training Program (NSTP) Orientation on August 30, 2024, at the G.O. Teodoro Multipurpose Hall. The orientation was divided into two sessions to accommodate students from different colleges: Morning Session (8:00 AM – 12:00 NN), The participants included students from the College of Agriculture and Forestry, College of Arts and Sciences, and College of Education. Afternoon Session (1:00 PM – 5:00 PM): Attended by students from the College of Business and Management, College of Engineering and Technology, and College of Veterinary Medicine. The program commenced with the entrance of colors, led by the TAU ROTC Unit, symbolizing patriotism and respect. This was followed by the singing of the Philippine National Anthem and a solemn invocation presented through an audio-visual presentation that set a respectful and reflective tone for the event. A Safety Briefing was delivered by Mr. Ronimo G. Ubaldo, the University Disaster Risk Reduction and Management (UDRRM) Coordinator. He outlined safety protocols and emergency preparedness guidelines, ensuring students were aware of their roles in maintaining a safe learning environment. To officially welcome the participants, Dr. Sonny DC. Torres, Vice President for Students and Academic Affairs, delivered an encouraging Welcome Remarks. He acknowledged the NSTP as a vital program in the development of student values, civic consciousness, and leadership. This was followed by an Inspirational Message from the University President, Dr. Selverio Ramon DC. Salunson, who emphasized the role of the youth in nation-building and highlighted how NSTP helps mold students into socially responsible and service-oriented citizens. A comprehensive orientation presentation on the guidelines and procedures for NSTP implementation was delivered by Dr. Joven D. Valdez, NSTP Director. He detailed the legal basis, objectives, and general flow of NSTP programs, clarifying expectations and responsibilities for all students. The different components of the NSTP were presented by their respective coordinators:	



Civic Welfare Training Service (CWTS) was presented by Mr. Romeo N. Nazaire Jr., CWTS Coordinator. He discussed community engagement initiatives focused on improving the quality of life and community development.

Literacy Training Service (LTS) was discussed by Ms. Dancel M. Cabintoy, LTS Coordinator. She highlighted the significance of promoting literacy and education among marginalized groups.

Reserve Officers' Training Corps (ROTC) was jointly presented by Mr. Mark V. Mendoza, ROTC Coordinator, and Col. Leonardo Suratos, Director of the 302nd Community Defense Center (CDC). Their discussion emphasized discipline, leadership, and preparedness in support of national defense.

After the presentations, an open forum was held during which students raised questions and clarifications regarding program selection, schedules, and activity requirements. The coordinators provided clear and comprehensive responses, ensuring that all concerns were addressed.

The program concluded with closing remarks and the exit of colors, once again facilitated by the TAU ROTC Unit, marking the formal end of the NSTP Orientation.

Overall, the NSTP Orientation was successful in achieving its goal of educating and preparing students for active participation in their respective NSTP components. It also reaffirmed TAU's commitment to fostering civic responsibility, leadership, and community involvement among its students.

NSTP Common Module (Day 1)

The National Service Training Program (NSTP) Common Module – Day 1 was successfully held on August 31, 2024, from 8:00 AM to 12:00 NN at the G.O. Teodoro Multipurpose Hall, Tarlac Agricultural University. This event brought together NSTP students from all three components—Civic Welfare Training Service (CWTS), Literacy Training Service (LTS), and Reserve Officers' Training Corps (ROTC)—for a unified session focusing on key societal and community concerns.

The day began with the Entrance of Colors, led by the TAU ROTC Unit, which was followed by the singing of the Philippine National Anthem and a solemn invocation, both presented via audio-visual format.

The session officially opened with welcome remarks delivered by Mr. Ronimo G. Ubaldo, NSTP Assistant Director, who emphasized the importance of the NSTP Common Module in equipping students with practical knowledge on civic consciousness and national development. He encouraged students to be attentive and reflective, as the topics addressed in the session were vital to their role as responsible citizens.

The first speaker, Dr. Ma. Theresa B. Nardo, Director of the Gender and Development Office, was introduced by representatives from the National Service Reserve Corps (NSRC). She delivered a comprehensive lecture on Gender and Development Awareness, addressing issues related to gender equality, gender sensitivity, and the role of youth in promoting inclusive communities. The topic was highly engaging and drew interest from the audience, which led to an interactive Question and Answer session, where students raised relevant concerns and received insightful responses from Dr. Nardo.



An ice breaker facilitated by the NSRC followed, providing a lively intermission that energized the participants and fostered interaction among students from different colleges and NSTP components.

The session resumed with the introduction of the second speaker, PAT Aljumar J. Patricio from the Camiling Municipal Police Station, also introduced by the NSRC. His presentation focused on Drug Education, covering the dangers of drug abuse, legal consequences, community impacts, and the crucial role of youth in drug prevention. His talk was direct and informative, offering both statistical data and real-life implications. A Question-and-Answer segment followed, during which students asked practical questions regarding drug-related issues in local communities, and PAT Patricio responded with professional insights and advice.

The program concluded with the Exit of Colors, once again led by the TAU ROTC Unit, signifying the formal end of the morning session.

The first day of the NSTP Common Module was successful in delivering informative and thought-provoking discussions on gender sensitivity and drug awareness, aligning with the objectives of NSTP in promoting holistic and socially responsible student development.

NSTP Common Module (Day 2)

The second day of the National Service Training Program (NSTP) Common Module was successfully held on September 14, 2024, from 8:00 AM to 12:00 NN at the G.O. Teodoro Multipurpose Hall. The activity was attended by NSTP students, facilitators, and resource speakers, with the goal of enriching the students' awareness and understanding of environmental protection and disaster risk reduction and management (DRRM).

The event commenced with the entrance of colors led by the TAU ROTC Unit, setting a formal and respectful tone for the program. This was followed by an Audio-Visual Presentation for the singing of the National Anthem and the Invocation, uniting participants in a moment of reflection and patriotism.

Mr. Roniel S. Quita, NSTP Facilitator, warmly welcomed the attendees through his Welcome Remarks, emphasizing the importance of civic responsibility and the relevance of the topics lined up for the day.

The first part of the session was facilitated by the National Service Reserve Corps (NSRC) representatives, who introduced the first guest speaker, Forester Maidas L. Anson, a faculty member from the College of Agriculture and Forestry. Forester Anson delivered an informative talk on Environmental Protection, where she underscored the critical role of youth in conservation and sustainable practices. The talk was followed by an engaging Question and Answer session, allowing students to clarify their concerns and deepen their understanding.

To energize the participants, an ice breaker activity was conducted by the NSRC. The interactive activity allowed students to relax, interact, and refocus for the second half of the program.

The NSRC representatives then introduced the second speaker, Mr. Ronimo G. Unaldo, the University Disaster Risk Reduction and Management (UDRRM) Coordinator. Mr. Unaldo's topic, DRRM Orientation,



tackled essential preparedness measures, response protocols, and community-based strategies in disaster risk management. This session was also followed by a Question-and-Answer segment, where students actively participated and raised insightful queries.

The program concluded with the exit of colors, again led by the TAU ROTC Unit, formally closing the day's activity.

Overall, the NSTP Common Module Day 2 was a productive and educational event, equipping students with knowledge and practical insights on environmental and disaster preparedness issues. The participants expressed appreciation for the well-organized and meaningful sessions that highlighted their role in nation-building and community resilience.

NSTP Common Module (Day 3)

The third day of the National Service Training Program (NSTP) Common Module was held on September 21, 2024, from 8:00 AM to 12:00 NN at the G.O. Teodoro Multipurpose Hall. The activity focused on enhancing the awareness of students on issues concerning national security, as part of their holistic training as responsible and civic-minded citizens.

The program began with the Entrance of Colors led by the TAU ROTC Unit, symbolizing honor and discipline. This was followed by the singing of the National Anthem and an invocation, both presented through an audio-visual presentation, fostering a spirit of unity and solemn reflection among attendees.

MAJ JOSE A. IBARRA PA (RES), Assistant Commandant of the TAU ROTC Unit, delivered the Welcome Remarks. In his address, he emphasized the role of NSTP in shaping the youth to become proactive in addressing national issues, especially those that concern the safety and security of the country.

The session proceeded with Mr. Mark V. Mendoza, ROTC Coordinator, introducing the keynote speaker from the National Intelligence Coordinating Agency (NICA). The guest speaker delivered an informative and thought-provoking talk on "Threats to National Security", where he discussed various internal and external risks facing the country, including terrorism, cyber threats, insurgency, and other forms of destabilization. The speaker also stressed the importance of citizen vigilance and youth involvement in promoting peace and order.

A Question-and-Answer segment followed, where students enthusiastically participated by asking questions and expressing their thoughts on national security. The interactive exchange highlighted the students' interest in understanding how they can contribute to safeguarding the nation.

To reenergize the participants, an Ice Breaker was conducted by the National Service Reserve Corps. The engaging activity helped boost morale and foster camaraderie among students from different colleges and NSTP units.

The program concluded with Closing Remarks delivered by SSg Ramel C. Tangonan (OS) PA, who expressed gratitude to all organizers, facilitators, the guest speaker, and the participants for making the event successful.

He encouraged the students to carry the lessons they learned beyond the classroom and to remain vigilant, informed, and committed to national service.

The activity officially ended with the Exit of Colors, once again led by the TAU ROTC Unit, bringing a respectful close to the morning's event.

Overall, Day 3 of the NSTP Common Module was both insightful and impactful, leaving students more aware of the current threats to national security and better prepared to contribute to the safety and development of the country.

Photo Documentations





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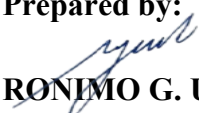
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