

## **Historical Heritage voyage on wheels**

The Jain University 2A/5 Company NCC (affiliated to 7 Karnataka battalion, Bangalore Group "B") has undertaken a Bicycle expedition from Bangalore to Hampi and back. The expedition starts on 6 September and will end on 19 September. The purpose of the expedition is to reinstate the crux of our cultural existence – our rich Historical heritage. Few other causes such as importance and methods of water conservation will also be highlighted. The expedition is also an attempt to stir the spirit of adventure while dispersing the significance and importance of NCC. Mr. Major Arvind kumar ( ANO of Jain University ) feels that it is important that younger generations today realize the pride a defense personnel experiences. "Youth today need to be inspired to join the Indian Defense Forces. Such expeditions will aid the cause ".

10 SD army cadets chosen after rigorous selection process accompanied by Major Arvind kumar (ANO of Jain University), Sergeant Jaswinder Sing will tread the expedition pedal. The expedition was inaugurated by Colonel PK Sing, B. T Venkatesh and Prof B.A Vasu. The troop intends on covering 70 km per day. The approximated distance the expedition will cover is around 650 km. The expedition is divided into two parts. The first part of the expedition will began today in Bangalore passing through Tumkur, Sira, Hiruyur and end in Chitradurga. The second tier of the first part will be enroute to Hampi from Chitradurga via Ujjain. The second part of the expedition will be the journey from Hampi to Bangalore. The trip back will cover Kudligi, Jagalur, Holalkere, Badravathi, Arasikere, Gubbi and Nelamangala.

The bicycle expedition is a lead to six other Bicycle expeditions undertaken by the 2A / 5 Company NCC of Jain University. The expedition began this morning at cycling towards regenerating the adventure spirit and stimulating in youth a sense of obligation towards their motherland.