

Biography of Fonder President

- **Full Name** : Tukaram Krishnaji Kolekar
- **Place of Birth & Date** : Nesari, September, 2nd, 1919
- **Education** : S.S.C. (Matriculation), Kolhapur
- **Occupation** : Worked in Police Department during 1946 to 1947 at Gujarat.

Political Career

- **1952 to 1962** : Member, District Local Board, Kolhapur
- **1957 to 1972** : Chairman, Vikas Seva Sanstha, Nesari
- **1967 to 1972** : Member, Legislative Assembly Maharashtra State
- **1978 to 1992** : Co-member, Zilla Parishad Kolhapur
- **1987 to 1992** : Director, Agricultural Generating Market Committee, Gadhinglaj
- **1961 to 1971** : Director Gadhinglaj Taluka Purchase and Sales Association, Gadhinglaj

Social Work

- **Active Participation in Freedom movement of India movement during Studentship**
- **Active Participation in United Maharashtra Movement**
- **Fruitful movement of Shifting the Place of Hidkal Dam planned on Gharprabha at Hadalage Village**
- **Foundation of District Workesr Federation.**
- **Foundation of Nesari Vikas Society in 1943**
- **Active participations in implementation of Clan Law**
- **Eradication of Superstitions and Awareness of community by truth-seekers society (Satya Shodhak Society)**

Educational Work

- **Establishment of S.S. Highschool Nesari, 1956**
- **Establishment of Mahatma Phule Highschool, Batakanangale, 1969**
- **Establishment of Chh. Shivaji Junior College Nesari, 1979**
- **Establishment of Arts and Commerce College, Nesari, 1956**
- **Establishment of S, S, English Medium School, Nesari, 2005**

Death

April 7th, 2012

Life Span 92 Years 7 Months 5 days