#### **ACTIVITY REPORT**

# Wild Life Week Celebration – 1st to 7th October, 2021

Academic Year: 2021-22

**Department: Botany (Botanical Society)** 

Name of the Activity: Wild Life Week Celebration

**Duration of the Activity: 07 Days** 

Date of the Activity: 1st to 7th October, 2021

**Venue: Online Mode (Google Form)** 

Coordinator: Dr. P. J. Wagh

Objective: To create awareness about wildlife and their role in maintaining a Sustainable Ecosystem for a better future.

**Day 01:** National level Online Quiz was organized entitled, 'Threatened Wildlife around World' <a href="https://docs.google.com/forms/d/10iuKILzoNcz-XwfL3D4ikaF3Kt-GGb2dXTZDosa9WjE/edit?usp=sharing">https://docs.google.com/forms/d/10iuKILzoNcz-XwfL3D4ikaF3Kt-GGb2dXTZDosa9WjE/edit?usp=sharing</a>

**Number of Participants: 225** 

**Day 02:** National level Online Quiz was organized entitled, 'Tour to Indian Wildlife' <a href="https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1v7qFPXO3Gss3SAri9yP">https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1v7qFPXO3Gss3SAri9yP</a> <a href="https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1v7qFPXO3Gss3SAri9yP">WBr-AZqmQavCyJtErK3foxk/edit?usp=sharing</a>

**Number of Participants: 141** 

**Day 03:** On the occasion of World Habitat Day, a National level Webinar was organized for students, teachers and researchers on the topic, 'Conservation of Biodiversity for Carbon Free World'. Invited resource person for the talk was Dr. Pitambar T. Humane, Associate Professor, Dharampeth M. P. Deo Memorial Science College, Nagpur.

**Number of Participants: 153** 

**Day 04:** Photo Exhibition of wild animals and plants was displayed for College Students under the theme, 'Local Biodiversity'.

Number of Participants: All the students of Senior and Junior College.

**Day 05:** Rangoli/Poster/Photography competition was organized through online mode with the theme, 'Wildlife Conservation' for UG and PG students. https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1QjQM2oUnkJ7xsfz8OVJ-enzwUL\_QDel4fjtG5FVglyQ/edit?usp=sharing

**Number of Participants: 16** 

**Day 06:** In collaboration with Forest Department, Chimur Range and an NGO, Tiger Research and Environmental Education (TREE), a photo exhibition of wild flora and fauna was organized under the theme, 'Biodiversity of Chandrapur District' at Madanpur Tukum Gate, Chimur.

#### **Outcomes:**

- 96.9% participants found the quiz on 'Threatened Wildlife Across the World' informative.
- 95.6% participants mentioned that the questions asked about Wildlife across World were relevant.
- 73.3% participants agreed that the quiz helps to improve their knowledge about Wildlife around the World.
- 55.6% participants appreciated the attempt made to aware about World Wildlife by giving highest rating.
- 99.3% participants found the quiz on Indian Wildlife informative.
- 97.2% participants mentioned that the questions asked about Indian Wildlife were relevant.
- 87.2% participants agreed that the quiz helps to improve their knowledge about Wildlife in India.
- 79% participants appreciated the attempt made to aware about Indian Wildlife by giving highest rating.





## **BOTANICAL SOCIETY 2021**

#### WILDLIFE WEEK CELEBRATION 2021 – REPORT

Wildlife week is celebrated every year in the first week of October. This year it was celebrated from Friday, 1<sup>st</sup> October to Thursday, 7<sup>th</sup> October, 2021. Wildlife week was conceptualized in 1952 with the overall goal of raising awareness for safeguarding the lives of wildlife through critical action. Student community is the most suitable target for creating awareness about wildlife and their role in maintaining a sustainable ecosystem for a better future. The **Botanical Society** of the **Botany Department** in collaboration with **Tiger Research and Environment Education**, a Non-Government Organization at, Chimur has organized various information based participative activities for students at National level with the principle aim to raise awareness about wildlife and their conservation. Due to restrictions of COVID-19 pandemic, activities were conducted through online and offline modes. Excerpt of the activities conducted is as follows.

Day 01: Friday, 01<sup>st</sup> October, 2021– National level Online Quiz was organized entitled, 'Threatened Wildlife around World' to aware people about declining wild species mainly due to habitat destruction, hunting, poaching and illegal trading. Total 225 participants from different states participated in the activity. E-Certificates were awarded to all the participants.

Day 02: Saturday, 2<sup>nd</sup> October, 2021 – National level Online Quiz was organized entitled, 'Tour to Indian Wildlife' to make students familiar with the wild fauna belonging to class Mammalia, Reptilia, Aves, Amphibia, and Pisces inhabiting in different parts of the country. Total 140 participants from different states participated in the activity. E-Certificates were provided to all the participants on their registered email Ids.

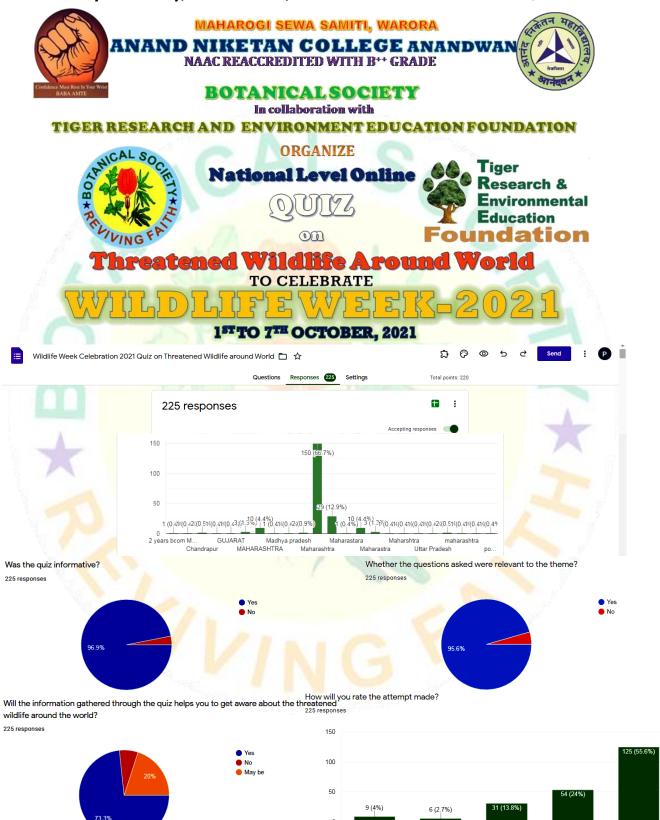
Day 03: Monday, 4<sup>th</sup> October, 2021 – On the occasion of World Habitat Day, a National level Webinar was organized for students, teachers and researchers on the topic, 'Conservation of Biodiversity for Carbon Free World'. Invited resource person for the talk was Dr. Pitambar T. Humane, Associate Professor, Dharampeth M. P. Deo Memorial Science College, Nagpur. Total 146 participants from different corners of the country benefitted with the talk.

Day 04: Tuesday. 5<sup>th</sup> October, 2021 – Photo Exhibition of wild animals and plants was displayed for College Students under the theme, 'Local Biodiversity'. Exhibition of wild flora was arranged in the Botany laboratory and inaugurated at the hands of Dr. M. C. Kale, Principal of the College. Exhibition of wild fauna was arranged in the Zoology laboratory and inaugurated by the hands of Mrs. R. A. Sawane, Vice-Principal of the college. All the students, teachers and non-teaching staff of the Junior College visited exhibitions and get aware about wild biodiversity existing in the region.

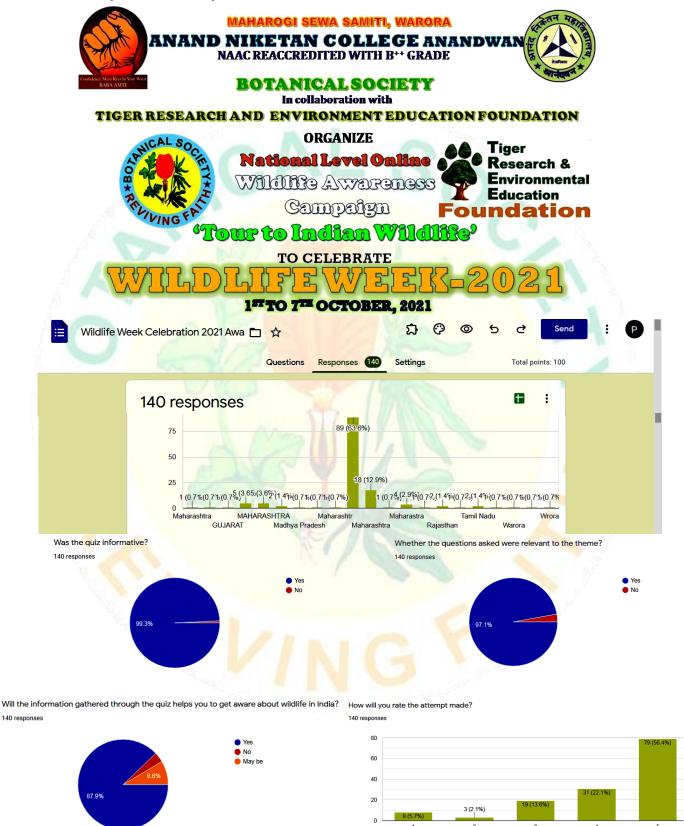
Day 05: Wednesday, 6<sup>th</sup> October, 2021 – Rangoli/Poster/Photography competition was organized through online mode with the theme, 'Wildlife Conservation' for UG and PG students. Total 16 participants shared their work in all the three categories and mentioned their active involvement with the wildlife concerns.

Day 06: Thursday, 7<sup>th</sup> October, 2021 – In collaboration with Forest Department, Chimur Range, photo exhibition of wild flora and fauna was organized under the theme, 'Biodiversity of Chandrapur District' at Madanpur Tukum Gate, Chimur. Forest Department staff of Chimur Range, school students and villagers from nearby villages in buffer zone visited exhibition and get aware about local floral and faunal diversity of the Chandrapur district. PG students, Teachers and non-teaching staff of the Botany and Zoology Departments, and social workers of the 'TREE' organization actively participated in making the event successful.

### Day 01: Friday, 01st October, 2021 - National Level Online Quiz







Day 03: Monday, 4<sup>th</sup> October, 2021 – National Webinar on 'Conservation of Biodiversity for Carbon Free World'.



Day 04: Tuesday, 5<sup>th</sup> October, 2021 – Photo Exhibition









Day 06: Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> October, 2021 – Photo Exhibition at Madnapur Gate, Chimur RFO





