

Report on the Activities of Nature Club Government College Malappuram (2022-23 Academic Year)



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Introduction:

The Nature Club of Government College Malappuram is an active student organization that is dedicated to promoting awareness about environmental issues and conservation. During the 2022-23 academic year, the club organized several activities to raise awareness about environmental issues among students and the public. This report summarizes the activities carried out by the club during the academic year.

Observance of World Ozone Day: 16/9/2022

The club organized an event to observe World Ozone Day on September 16, 2022. The theme for this year's World Ozone Day was "Global Cooperation Protecting Life on Earth". Event included a talk by an expert on the importance of the ozone layer, the dangers of ozone depletion, and the measures that can be taken to protect the ozone layer. The event also featured a poster exhibition, where students displayed posters related to the theme of the day. A documentary Screening was also organised.



During the World Ozone Day awareness campaign organized by the Nature Club, Dr Prajith Chandran ,HoD Physics was invited as the resource person. He delivered a talk on the importance of the ozone layer and the measures that can be taken to protect it.

Poster Exhibition

The Nature Club Volunteers organized a poster exhibition on World Ozone Day, highlighting the importance of ozone layer protection. The exhibition included various informative posters emphasizing the role of individuals in preserving the ozone layer, and the consequences of not doing so



Haritha Karma Sena(Green Task Force)

It is worth mentioning that the formation of the Haritha Karma Sena (Green Task Force) was part of the Pachappu program, which is one of the best practices of the college. The Haritha Karma Sena was formed from the members of the Nature Club, and its purpose was to promote green initiatives and encourage waste elimination in the local community..



The Haritha Karma Sena has been involved in many initiatives, including the organization of clean-up drives and the promotion of eco-friendly practices in the local community.

Pachappu: Distribution of Handbook on Effective Waste Management

In connection with the Pachappu project, the club organized an awareness campaign on environmental pollution and effective waste management. Pachappu which in English means greenery is an umbrella term for the twin programme; ecofriendly practices within the campus; and the participatory, mass educational programme done outside the campus. It is implemented in collaboration with local self-government. It is tinged with activism involving students, teachers, their families and people of a select locality.



On March 31st, 2023, the Nature Club at Government College Malappuram organized a program aimed at making awareness to public on effective waste management. The highlight of the program was the distribution of a handbook on waste management to the public. The event was inaugurated by Dr. KK Damodaran, the Principal of the college, who handed over the handbook to the Municipal Councillor, Smt. Jumaila.

The program was attended by several dignitaries, including Dr. Geetha Nambiar, Jahfar Odakkal (Coordinator, Nature Club), Prabakaran Vattolippurakkal, Abdul Gafoor V, and Namiya Hanan.



The handbook distributed during the event contained useful information and tips on how to eliminate waste. It was aimed at creating awareness among the public about the importance of waste elimination and how it can help protect the environment. The booklet was well-received by the public.



During the event, Nature Club volunteers also went around distributing the handbook to many households in the local community. The volunteers of Haritha Karma Sena led by Namiya Hanan, Majitha Nasriya, Naja and others were able to reach a large number of households and spread awareness about waste elimination.



In addition to these programs, the Nature Club also organized events to observe International and national days of environmental importance such as Earth Day , Wildlife Day etc during the academic year. The events included talks, workshops, and clean-up drives to raise awareness about environmental issues and promote sustainable practices.