









# Government of Puducherry Department of Science, Technology & Environment Puducherry Pollution Control Committee Puducherry EIACP PC HUB

# Report

# **GROUP TRAINING ON BIRD IDENTIFICATION & FIELD SURVEY**

Date: 30.01.2024

Location: Kazhuveli Birds Sanctuary, Villupuram District of Tamil Nadu









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### 1. AIM AND OBJECTIVES OF TRAINING PROGRAMME

The main aim of the training programme was to make the students familiar to the common techniques and practice used in Bird Identification, Field Survey and Research.

### 2. OBJECTIVES

- 1. Develop the bird identification, field survey and research skills among the students.
- 2. Encourage young students on the sector of bird conservation.
- 3. Impart the knowledge on the global scenario of bird conservation.
- 4. To distinguish nocturnal and diurnal species –
- 5. To learn about types of flight and the feeding habits of birds.
- 6. Increase the scientific knowledge of the participants in ornithology.

The training was scheduled for three days including theory session, field practice and closing session.

Moreover, the training program can be best described in the following way.

## 3. NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS (Students, Universities, Govt. Org/ Institution)

Puducherry NSS Cell students from various colleges and faculty members were participated in the group training programme. Total No. of participants is 110.

## 4. GROUP TRAINING PROGRAMME INVITATION





## 5. GROUP TRAINING PROGRAMME - BANNER, POSTERS AND BROCHURES

















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in collaboration with **Universal Eco Foundation Puducherry NSS Cell** 





# **Bird Identification & Field Survey Training Programme on the eve of World Wetlands Day**

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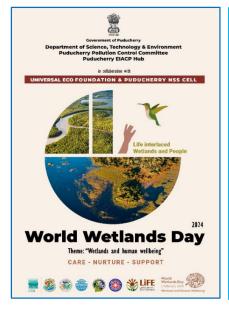
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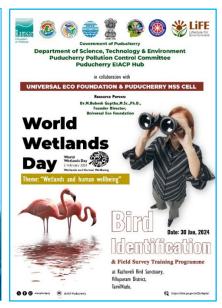
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# 6. INAUGURAL PROGRAMME

The Programme was inaugurated by Thiru. D. Sathish Kumar, Assistant Professor & State NSS Officer, Puducherry and Dr. N. Sridhar, DSTE, welcomed the participants and gave a brief introduction about the training programme and the employment opportunities in the field of ornithology and wildlife biology.













## 7. FIELD TRAINING SESSION

Dr. M. Bhupesh Gupta, Founder Director, Universal Eco Foundation delivered his speech on the Classification & Taxonomy of birds. Further,

- 1. Bird Identification Technique. 4.
- 4. Wetland birds and their habitat.
- 2. Bird Census System.
- 5. Application of GIS.

3. Field training.

6. Bird Conservation and Research activities.

He explained the information to the students in a very simple manner and the students also fully understood.













# **8. ELOCUTION COMPETITION**

Conducted Elocution Competition on the theme "Wetlands and Human Wellbeing" on 30.01.2024 at Kazhuveli Birds Sanctury, Villupuram Forest Division, Tamil Nadu. Best astounding students was selected and the respective students were awarded with prizes and certificates.













# 9. RESOURCE PERSON SPEECH

Dr. D. Vasantharaja, Assistant Professor of Zoology, Tagore govt. Arts & Science College, Puducherry, who discussed about the birds and their habitats, classification of habitat, causes of habitat loss and fragmentation, threatened birds of India and also he explained about the migratory birds and the need for migration.





# 10. PLEDGE ON WETLANDS AND BIODIVERSITY CONSERVATION

Officials and students took pledge on wetlands and biodiversity conservation on the occasion of World Wetlands Day.





# 11. CONCLUSION

With this, end of the event was announced making conclusion to successful accomplishment by providing basic theory and field ideas to all the participants. We hope to continue such programs in the near future for the betterment of students.





# **Acknowledgement**

We would like to express my special thanks of gratitude to **The Director**, **Department of Science**, **Technology & Environment** for their able guidance and support in completing the group training programme successfully.

I would also like to extend my gratitude to the Senior Scientific Officer (DSTE), Member Secretary (PPCC), Environmental Engineer (DSTE) & Scientist (PPCC) for providing me with all the facility that was required.

