

MARWADI SAMMELAN'S

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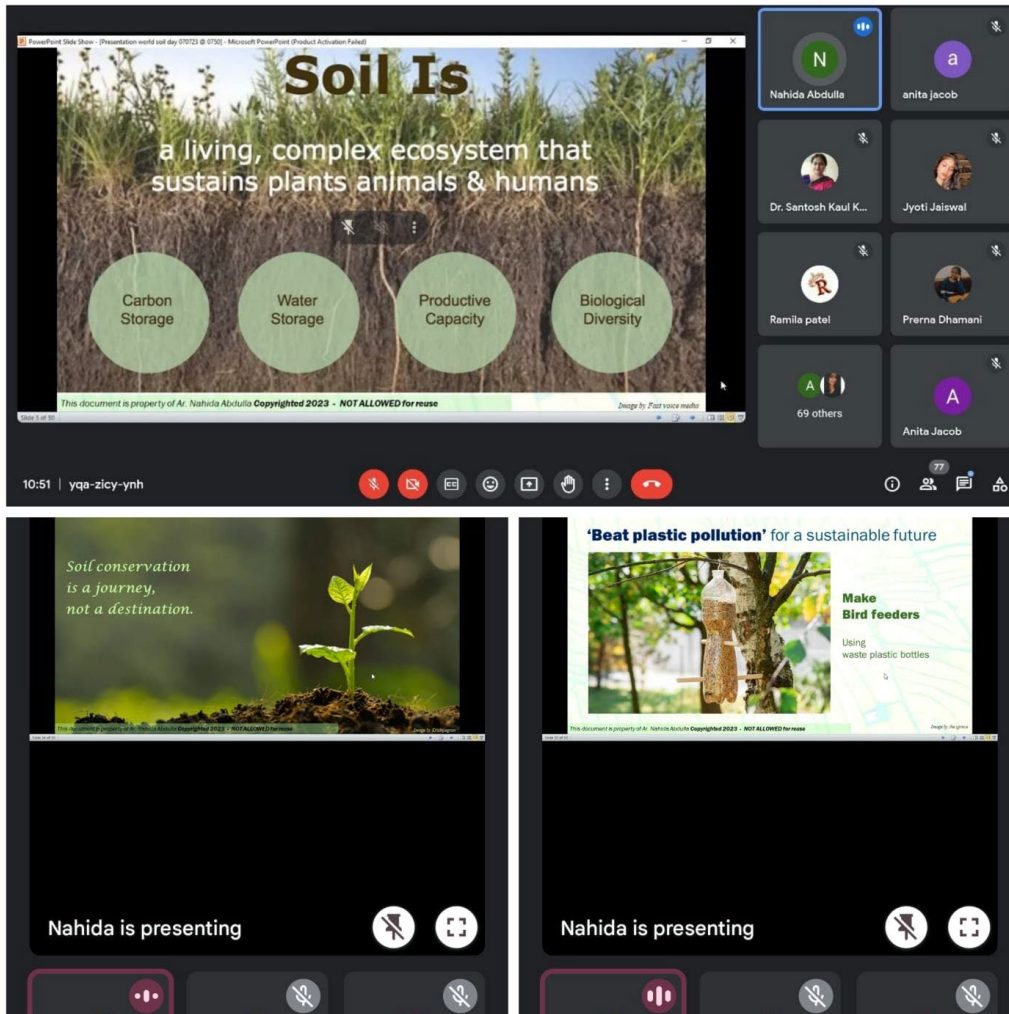


## Green Club 2023-24

### Report

- **Department of Commerce and Environment Club and IQAC jointly organized a webinar on 'Soil: Where Food Begins' on 7<sup>th</sup> July 2023.** This was done in collaboration with Greenvio Solutions. The Resource Person for the seminar was Ms. Nahida Shaikh from Green Vio Solutions.

The webinar enriched the students understanding on the significance of soil conservation. She emphasized various practices adopted in farming which protects the soil from degradation. Through her presentation she spoke on various practices adopted by farmers towards soil conservation such as Crop Rotation, Conservation tillage, Contour farming, Strip Cropping, Buffer Strips etc. She concluded her session stating that soil conservation is the key to environmental sustainability. The webinar proved beneficial to all the students. Around 77 participants including Students, Faculty members and Principal madam attended the webinar.



- **Participation in workshop on 25<sup>th</sup> August 2023**

Dr. Usha Kiran Tiwari, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Sociology and Green Club Faculty Coordinator participated in the workshop for Green Club Coordinators on the topic of “YEWS- Youth Engagement & Water Stewardship” an initiative of the Government of Maharashtra & UNICEF organised by Nagindas Khandwala College, Malad Mumbai on 25<sup>th</sup> August 2023.



- **Green Club 2023-24 (Faculty Members)**

B. M. Ruia Girls' College, Mumbai formed a Green Club 2023-24 on 29<sup>th</sup> August 2023.

Details are as follows –

**Green Club 2023-24 (Faculty Members)**

Sr. No.	Name of the Faculty	Responsibility
1.	Dr. Usha Kiran Tiwari	Green Club Faculty Coordinator
2.	Dr. Beenu Singh	Green Club Faculty Member
3.	Dr. Anita Jacob	Green Club Faculty Member

**Green Club 2023-24 (Student Leaders)**

Sr. No.	Name of the Student	Responsibility
1.	Ratna Rathod	President

2.	Priyanka Devasi	Vice-President
3.	Bhoomi Nishad	Campaign Coordinator
4.	Anjali Raut	Documentation Coordinator

- **Orientation workshop on 1<sup>st</sup> September 2023**

Dr. Usha Kiran Tiwari, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Sociology and Green Club Faculty Coordinator conducted an orientation workshop for the Green Club member students on 1<sup>st</sup> September 2023 at 9.00 am onwards. The Green Club Faculty Coordinator conveyed the motive behind the formation of the Green Club in degree colleges of Maharashtra. She elaborated on the role of youth in environmental issues. She suggested all the Green Club student members to download the Whywaste app. She also discussed the activities and measures that will be done in future by green club members. Students discussed and enquired about all the activities of the Green Club. 22 Students and 2 faculty members attended the workshop.



- **Online course “Living with Climate Change and Water Management”**

Dr. Usha Kiran Tiwari, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Sociology and Green Club Faculty Coordinator has successfully completed the online course “Living with Climate Change and Water Management” and received the certificate on 31<sup>st</sup> August 2023.



- **“Inauguration Lecture cum Workshop” on 10<sup>th</sup> October, 2023**

Green Club 2023-24 in association with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of Marwadi Sammelan's B. M. Ruia Girls' College, Mumbai, NAAC Accredited B+ (Third Cycle), Maharshi Karve Best College Award 2022-23, affiliated to S.N.D.T Women's University, Mumbai organised An “Inauguration Lecture cum Workshop” on October 10, 2023, at 10.30 am. The Resource Person was Mr. Vijay Sapkal, District Coordinator, (Mumbai and Palghar), Center for Environment Education.

Dr. Usha Kiran Tiwari, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Sociology and Green Club Faculty Coordinator welcomed all the participants and resource person. She also introduced the resource person and the importance of the subject in today’s scenario. The resource person discussed water problems in Maharashtra, various activities related to water conservation, the whywaste app, MYCA courses, waste management, energy conservation etc. The session was very interactive. The students

replied to the questions and suggested various means to protect the environment. The resource person conducted an activity with 20 students which taught the importance of water conservation. In this activity, with the help of water, glasses and spoons it was explained how important each drop of water is and by saving even one drop by everyone, we can save a lot of water.

42 out of 50 enrolled students in Green Club and 3 faculties attended the lecture cum workshop. Dr. Beenu Singh, Associate Professor, Department of Economics and member of the Green Club proposed a vote of Thanks in the end.



- **Guest lecture cum workshop on 25<sup>th</sup> October, 2023**

Green Club 2023-24 & Multimedia Club in association with the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of Marwadi Sammelan's B. M. Ruia Girls' College, Mumbai, NAAC Accredited B+ (Third Cycle), Maharshi Karve Best College Award 2022-23, affiliated to S.N.D.T Women's University, Mumbai organised A Guest lecture cum workshop on "Creating and Sharing Social Media Content" on October 25, 2023, at 11.40 am onwards. The Resource Person was Ms. Apurva Pitale, Coordinator, BAMM, Sitaram Deora Institute of Management Studies, Gamdevi, Mumbai. She elaborated on the importance of visuals. She discussed various social media platforms, their importance and new features. She explained how to create social media content and share it on different social media platforms. Students shared their involvement in social media. Overall the session was very interactive, informative and useful for student participants.

Dr. Usha Kiran Tiwari, Associate Professor, Department of Sociology and Green Club Faculty Coordinator proposed a vote of Thanks in the end. 36 students and 3 faculties attended the Guest lecture cum workshop.



- **Online meeting on 13<sup>th</sup> February 2024**

An online meeting was conducted on 13<sup>th</sup> February 2024 from 11 am onwards. Mr. Vijay Sapkal, District Coordinator, (Mumbai and Palghar), Center for Environment Education, Dr. Usha Kiran Tiwari, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Sociology and Green Club Faculty Coordinator and 24 Green Club student members participated in the meeting. Mr. Vijay Sapkal answered all the queries about the inability to join the Whywaste dashboard of some Green Club student members in the meeting.



- **Activities on the occasion of the Celebration of “World Water Day” on 22nd March, 2024**

As per the Government of Maharashtra Circular dated 12th February, 2024, the following activities were conducted between 1st to 10th March 2024, to mark the Celebration of “World Water Day” on 22nd March, 2024.

1. Poster making on water saving- 1st March, 2024
2. Reel/ Short video making- 4th March, 2024
3. Social Media Post about water saving- 8th March, 2024

Students use Marathi, Hindi, and English languages while making Posters/ Reels. Reel time/ short videos was a maximum of two minutes. As per the circular, all the activities were related to “Save Water”. The best three posters and one best short video were uploaded on the given link provided by the Government of Maharashtra Circular on 14<sup>th</sup> March 2024.

- **Online course “Youth Leadership for Climate Action: Bio-cultural Diversity Conservation and Climate Action”**

Dr. Usha Kiran Tiwari, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Sociology and Green Club Faculty Coordinator has successfully completed the online course “Youth Leadership for Climate Action: Bio-cultural Diversity Conservation and Climate Action” on 13<sup>th</sup> April 2024, authorised by the Higher and Technical Education, Government of Maharashtra, UNICEF, ACWADAM and Centre for Environment Education.

- **Online course “Youth Leadership for Climate Action: Energy Management and Climate Action”**

Dr. Usha Kiran Tiwari, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Sociology and Green Club Faculty Coordinator has successfully completed the online course “Youth Leadership for Climate Action: Energy Management and Climate Action” on 14<sup>th</sup> April 2024, authorised by the Higher and Technical Education, Government of Maharashtra, UNICEF, ACWADAM and Centre for Environment Education.

- **Online course “Youth Leadership for Climate Action: Waste Management and Climate Action”**

Dr. Usha Kiran Tiwari, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Sociology and Green Club Faculty Coordinator has successfully completed the online course “Youth Leadership for Climate Action: Waste Management and Climate Action” on 16<sup>th</sup> April 2024, authorised by the Higher and Technical Education, Government of Maharashtra, UNICEF, ACWADAM and Centre for Environment Education.

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