

## Program Schedule

10:00 -10:15 hrs	Inauguration and Welcome address By Principal, SIES
10:15 -10:25 hrs	Introduction to NMMC
10:25 - 10.35 hrs	Introduction to PDM
10:35 - 10.45 hrs	Introduction to ATBS
10:45 -11:00 hrs	Scientific Perspective of Clean Creek Movement- Paryavaran Dakshata Mandal
11.00 -11.30 hrs	Key note Address- Mr. Kauresh Vachhrajani ex. HoD, Dept of EVS, MS University, Baroda
11:30 -13.00 hrs	Parallel Sessions on various competitions
13.00 - 14.00 hrs	Lunch Break
14.00 onwards	Valedictory Program

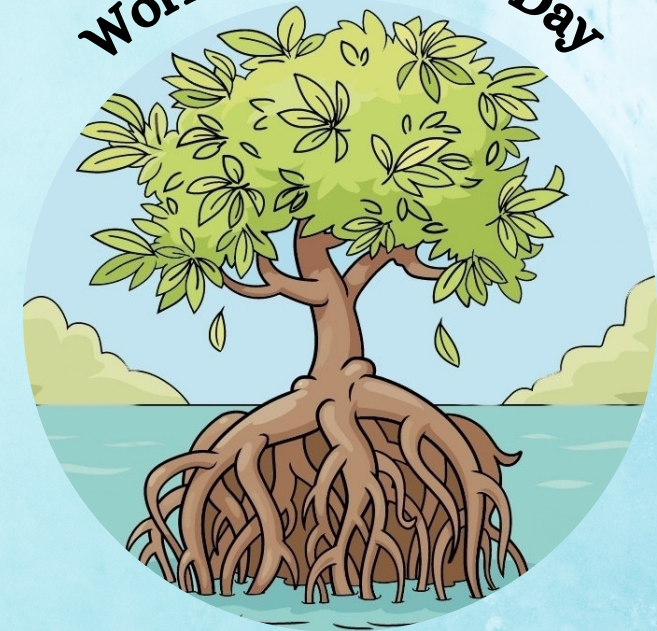
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## “CLEAN CREEK MOVEMENT 23”

17<sup>th</sup> Annual National Conference  
 on the occasion of

## World Mangroves Day



Organized by  
 Paryavaran Dakshata Mandal

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 Navi Mumbai Municipal Corporation

In Collaboration with  
 Association of Teachers in Biological Sciences,  
 SIES (Nerul) College of Arts, Science and  
 Commerce (Autonomous) &  
 Enviro-Vigil, Thane

On 26<sup>th</sup> July 2023

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**Shri. Rajesh Narvekar,**  
**Municipal Commissioner,**  
**(Navi Mumbai Municipal Corporation)**

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**Dr. Vikas Hajirnis, President, EnviroVigil**  
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**-: Advisory Committee:-**

**Prof. Vidyadhar Walavalkar, President, PDM**  
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**Dr. Prasad Karnik, Mentor, Clean Creek**  
**Movement**  
**Dr. Sasikumar Menon, General Secretary, ATBS**

**-:Organizing Committee:-**

**Convener: Dr.Sanjay Joshi, Vice-President, PDM**  
**Co-convener: Dr. Jyoti Koliyar\_Jatinder Das, HoD**  
**ENV. SCI, SIESASCN**  
**Capt. Pravin G Nayak, Treasurer, ATBS**  
**Organizing Secretary: Mr. Shubham Nikam, PDM.**  
**Joint Secretary: Ms.Kamini Thakur, SIESASCN**

**Coordinators:**

**Ms. Rupali. A. Zele, SIESASCN**  
**Miss. Sakshi Sawant, PDM**  
**Mr. Pratham Uday More, PDM**

**Technical Assistance:**

**Dr. Aditya Jinturkar and Ms. Minal Sarode,**  
**SIESASCN**



As part of PDM's  
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**Subthemes:**

1. Restoration of Wetlands: Ecodynamics.
2. Restoration of Wetlands: Arresting extinction of species.
3. Restoration of Wetlands: Cost and benefits.
4. Restoration of Wetlands: Socio-legal aspects.
5. Restoration of Wetlands: Mangroves

The Conference aims at spreading awareness among researchers, academicians, students and other stakeholders in the society. regarding the pressing issues of degradation of wetlands & biodiversity. Paryavaran Dakshata Mandal initiated a 'Clean Creek Movement' in the year 2005 with a special focus on Thane Creek and celebration of the World Wetlands Day has been an integral part of it.

**Participatory Activities:**

# Oral presentation (Research Paper/ Review Article): Time 8 minutes for presentation + 2 minutes for Q-A.

# Poster Presentation: JPEG format (Up to 250 KB), Title, Authors with Affiliation (institute and address) & other matter with conclusion as specified below.

**Instructions to Authors:**

#Research Paper/ Research Review Article (Group A): Font style: Times New Roman, Font Size: Title and Sub-Title (12 Bold), Text Matter 12, Paper/ review article should include- abstract (max 200 words), Introduction, Materials and Methods, Results and Discussion, (with Tables and Figure with suitable titles on separate pages) and References (in APA or The Council of Science Editor format). Those papers that are submitted in time and rectified as per the suggestions of the editorial board will be published in E- proceedings with ISBN. (Note: APA format or The Council of Science Editor Format can be referred from internet)

#Essays on the subthemes (for Secondary school students): Word limit 700-1000 words in Hindi, Marathi or English, submitted in PDF format.

Submission Dates: Full length papers/ reviews (for oral and poster presentation), and essays should be submitted on or before 24th July, 2023 to paryavaran.ccm@gmail.com

The best Essay, Research paper / Review article, Poster, Oral presentation, and Essay in both groups will receive award.

The conference will involve participation at two levels as follows:

**Group A**

This will include the researcher scholars and Teachers from any faculty / stream that will contribute research/ review article and/ or participate as delegates.

**Group B**

This will include the UG/ PG students, who will participate in oral/ poster presentations and/ or participate as delegates.

The research papers/reviews will be published in e-proceedings with ISBN number. A paper will be included in the proceedings ONLY AFTER corrections suggested by editors are made.

**Registration Fees**

UG/PG student	₹. 100/-
PDM/ ATBS members	₹. 200 /-
Teachers/ research Scholars (non members)	₹. 300/-
Corporate/ Industrial Executives and NGO(1 representative)	₹. 500/

Account Name: Enviro Vigil,  
SB A/C No: 188901000040,  
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IFS CODE: ICIC0001488

**Organizers**

**Navi Mumbai Municipal Corporation (NMMC) :**

The Navi Mumbai Municipal Corporation has an area of 162 Sq.km under its supervision. The population of the city as per the census 1991 was 3, 97, 000 which has increased to 7, 50,000 as indicated in the census figures in 2001. Navi Mumbai, one of the most successfully planned cities in India, has been developed as a twin city to the Megacity of Mumbai. In the course of development, a lot of emphasis has been given to sustainably manage and monitor the city's vital resources. The city is having modern facilities of urban services, solid and waste water management, public transport, healthcare, storm water management and so on. For more efficient governing, 8 out of 14 nodes were given to Navi Mumbai Municipal Corporation (NMMC) for maintenance in 1991. Their newly constructed head quarter is India's first green administrative building. Along with the development activities, NMMC has also focused on the city's natural resources and has maintained them through continuous monitoring and environment friendly initiatives. These departments are classified based on the services that they offer to the citizens. (NMMC) has undertaken numerous environment friendly initiatives towards the Sustainable development of the city and the betterment of its citizens. In the year 2018-19, NMMC took some major initiatives, primarily in the field of Waste to Energy, Air and Water pollution and Public health.

**Paryavaran Dakshata Mandal (PDM) :** It is an Environmental NGO working in the field of Environmental Awareness, Education and Research since 23 years in Thane and nearby area. This organization was formed to educate and create environmental awareness amongst the masses. We house various projects like Ankur Theme Park, Green Career Courses, Green Shoppe, Monthly magazine 'Apala Paryavaran'. Jalsaksharta is one of the projects where we work with schools, college students and citizens to educate them about the importance of water and its conservation. Under the aegis of this project we also have Clean creek Movement, wherein we celebrate World Mangroves Day and World Wetlands day.



## Registration Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: (M) : \_\_\_\_\_  
Designation: \_\_\_\_\_  
Institution with Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Group\*: A B

Membership\*: ATBS / PDM / None

Participation in:

Title of the paper/essay: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Registration fees paid by: NEFT

For Rs. \_\_\_\_\_

Transaction Id: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Select the applicable option

## Declaration Form\*

I, hereby declare that the submitted essay/ paper/ review article is my original work (except review article) and has not been published anywhere else.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature with date

For Group B participants\*:

I declare that Mr/Ms. \_\_\_\_\_ is a bonafide student of \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
School/ College.

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Signature of Principal

**Association of Teachers in Biological Sciences (ATBS)** : Founded in 2006 with the main objective of up gradation of learning and teaching in Biological Sciences, it organizes seminars, conferences, workshops, conventions, competitions etc. for this. In the current pandemic situation, it has organized series of talks and an orientation program for competitive examinations in life sciences. ATBS has been collaborating with PDM for organizing annual conference on the occasion of the World Wetlands day and World Mangroves day.

**SIES (Nerul) College of Arts, Science and Commerce (Autonomous)** : The South Indian Education Society (SIES) is one of the oldest educational societies in Mumbai pioneered in 1932 and completed with 90 (Navathi) years. There are at present 17 Institutions functioning under the SIES banner. The society strives towards excellence in all its pursuit and believes in strict disciplines. The SIES (Nerul) College of Arts, Science and Commerce (Autonomous) was established in the year 1998 as a commerce college and celebrating 25 years of establishment and it's affiliated to University of Mumbai. It is one of the reputed educational institutes in Navi Mumbai and educating the students for Arts, Science and Commerce. At present 10 Undergraduate courses and 6 Postgraduate courses are being offered in addition to Junior College. The college has received autonomous position from UGC and University of Mumbai in the academic year 2023-24. Under the autonomous position the college has introduced 2 undergraduate courses (B.Sc in Environmental Sciences and B.Sc in Packaging) and 2 postgraduate courses (M.Com in Business Management and M.A in Business Economics). The college not only aims at creating good corporate leaders but also responsive and responsible citizens. The Department of Environmental Science was established in the year 2006. The Department offers M.Sc in Environmental Science programme which is affiliated to University of Mumbai. In addition the Department is also offering B.Sc in Environmental Sciences from the Academic Year 2023-24.

The objective of the programme is to provide students with the knowledge and skills necessary to contribute, directly or indirectly to the conservation and prudent use of natural resources for the benefit of society. The programme promotes and develops alliances among Industry, Government, Consultancy, NGO's and Academia to study the relationship of environmental policy to business management and operations thereby making students (\*3 students stood Mumbai University topper in M.Sc. Part II Environmental Sciences ) competent to sustain in the corporate world.

**Enviro-Vigil** : Enviro-Vigil is an environmental organization working in Thane city for the past 23 years. The organization is working for a social cause with an objective to generate awareness among the masses regarding various issues related to the environment with a mission to build a strong and self-sustained organization working for the cause of environment and to empower the youth to accept challenges of changing world in tune with the sustainable development. The most ambitious activity undertaken by Enviro-Vigil is the Common Bio-medical Waste Treatment and Disposal Facility in Thane for collection of the medical segregated waste from the hospitals, its subsequent treatment and environmentally safe disposal. Enviro-Vigil is running this facility for the past 23 years.

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