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Coordinator; Mr. Shubham Nikam, PDM

Technical Coordinators

Programme Schedule

10:00 -10:20 am	Inauguration and Welcome address By Dr. Himanshu Dawda, Principal, R J College
10:30 -10:45am	Introduction of PDM & Participatory Clean Creek Movement- Prof. Vidyadhar Walavalkar, President, Paryavaran Dakshata Mandal
10:45-11:00 am	Scientific Perspective of Clean Creek Movement- Paryavaran Dakshata Mandal
11.00-11.30 am	Introduction of speaker and Key note Address- Mr. Yugal Kishore Joshi (Director, Jal Shakti Mantralay)
11:30 -12.00 pm	Introduction of speaker and Dr. Kodarkar Memorial Lecture- Mr. Ashish Loya
12:00-14:15 pm	Parallel Sessions on various competitions
14:15- 15:00 pm	Valedictory Programme

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Conference Venue: Virtual Platform (Zoom)

Date: 2nd February 2022

Time: 10.00 A.M. to 3.00 P.M



16th Annual National Conference on “Wetlands Action for People and Nature”

Organized by

Paryavaran Dakshata Mandal

In Collaboration with

**Association of Teachers in Biological Sciences,
Hindi Vidya Prachar Samiti's**

**Ramniranjan Jhunjhunwala College of Arts,
Science and Commerce (Autonomous), Mumbai**

Sponsored By

**Mangrove and Marine Biodiversity Conservation
Foundation of Maharashtra.**

Enviro-Vigil, Thane

**As part of Paryavaran Dakshata Mandal's
“CLEAN CREEK MOVEMENT”**

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Theme

This year's theme of the World Wetland Day Celebration being **“Wetlands Action for People and Nature”** the same theme has been taken up for this conference.

The areas selected under the theme for the conference are:

- Wetland services: Enhancement strategies.
- Wetlands: Threats and Opportunities.
- Wetlands: Biodiversity conservation.
- Coastal Development and Regulation

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.

Thrust selected for the conference are:

Essay writing (for the Group B/ Secondary and Higher Secondary School Students): Word limit in the range of 700-1000 words. Language Hindi, Marathi or English, submit in PDF format

#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.**

Oral presentation (Research Paper/ Review Article): maximum 15 slides and not exceeding 8 minutes for presentation + 2 minutes for question-answers.

(Note: APA format or The Council of Science Editor Format can be referred from internet)

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

#Short film/documentary: Not more than 5min and self-made in MP4 format.

All Rights regarding the conduction of the conference and competitions are reserved with the organisers ONLY.

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 in the delegations by paying the registration fee.

Group B

This will include the students of UG/ PG of any of the universities, who will participate in PPT (oral)/ poster presentations and/ or participate in the delegations by paying the registration fee.

The abstracts & proceedings will be published as e-proceedings. The paper will be included in the proceedings ONLY IF the corrections are sent in time.

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

Submission Dates: Article/ Synopsis for Group 'A' and 'B' should be submitted electronically on or before 25th Jan, 2022 at paryavaran.wwd@gmail.com

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Registration fees	
School/UG/PG Student	Rs.100
PDM/ATBS member	Rs. 200
Teachers / Research Scholars (non members)	Rs. 300
Corporate / Industrial Executives and NGO (1 representative)	Rs. 500

**Bank Details: Paryavaran Dakshata Mandal, TJSB,
Thane west.**

**Account Number: 002110100044461,
IFSC CODE: TJSB0000002**

About Paryavaran Dakshata Mandal:

Paryavaran Dakshata Mandal is an Environmental NGO working in the field of Environmental Awareness, Education and Research since 22 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'. Paryavaran Shala is one of the projects where we work with schools to educate children about the importance of a healthy environment, draw their attention towards various environmental concerns to come up with their solutions.

About Association of Teachers in Biological Sciences (ATBS):

The Association of Teachers in Biological Sciences was 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.

About Mangrove Foundation:

About Hindi Vidya Prachar Samiti's Ramniranjan Jhunjhunwala College of Arts, Science and Commerce College, Mumbai:

On the auspicious day of Shri Krishna Janmashtami, 15th August 1938, the people of Ghatkopar and the surrounding suburbs witnessed the birth of Hindi Vidya Prachar Samiti, a brain child of a visionary Late Shri Nandkishore Singh Jairamji. The Samiti was established with the objectives of catering to the educational needs of the Hindi speaking community. It made a humble beginning by starting a primary school, which gradually expanded into a full-fledged secondary school. The Hindi High School with its high academic standards has carved for itself a place not only among leading secondary schools in Mumbai but also educational institutions imparting instructions in Hindi throughout Maharashtra. With its primary objectives achieved the Samiti decided to extend its frontiers and broaden its horizons. As a result, Ramniranjan Jhunjhunwala College came into existence in 1963, enabling a larger section of the society to take advantage of the facilities provided by higher education. In 1976 the Junior College section was introduced and in 1981 the Commerce faculty commenced both at the Junior and Degree College level. From 1999-2000 the College has added a number of self-financing courses like BMS, B.B.I, B.Sc. in C.S., I.T., Biotechnology, M.Sc. in Computer Science and Biotechnology as well as add on courses, which further hone the special skills of the students.

In 2014 saw a change in education system with greater emphasis being given to employability of youth. As an effort to realize the dream of Make in India, Digital India, Clean and Green India, we have started skill based program supported by University Grants commission known as Bachelor in Vocation. The college has been reaccredited with 'A' Grade by NAAC in 2014 with a CGPA 3.50 and received the Best College Award (2007-2008) of the University of Mumbai. The College has been bestowed with IMC RAMKRISHNA BAJAJ PERFORMANCE EXCELLENCE TROPHY, 2010. The Principal of the college was awarded "Best Teacher" by Government of Maharashtra in 2011. Government of Maharashtra conferred the college with "JAAGAR JAANIVANCHA" (First in Mumbai Suburban- in 2013 and Second in Mumbai Suburban- in 2014) for safety of girls.

Registration Form

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Name: _____

Designation: _____

Address: _____

Email Address: _____

Phone: (M) _____ / _____

Name of Organization: _____

Group: A B

Membership of ATBS / Paryavaran

Dakshata Mandal: Y N

Name of Competition: _____

Title of article _____

Registration fees paid by: NEFT

For Rs. _____

Bank Details: Paryavaran Dakshata Mandal, TJSB,
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Bank Details of Candidate:

Name of the Bank: _____

A/c Number: _____

IFSC CODE: _____

Date: _____ Signature : _____

Declaration Form

I, hereby declare that my (essay/ paper/ review article, short film) is original and has not been published earlier, anywhere.

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