



## Dharini Eco Club (2021-22)- Report

Sale of Seed Ganesh organized on 09-09-2021 By Dharini Eco club in collaboration with Green Waves Environmental Solutions



Energy audit orientation session and auditing was done by Eco club and Green Waves Environmental Solutions for the academic year 2021-22. In this context Eco club volunteers collected data pertaining to energy consumption, infrastructure etc in the campus. (Dec 2021)

### Invited talks on

**Online session on Global warming and Climate change** followed by activity Online Quiz was organized for Environment Education students on 2-12-2021

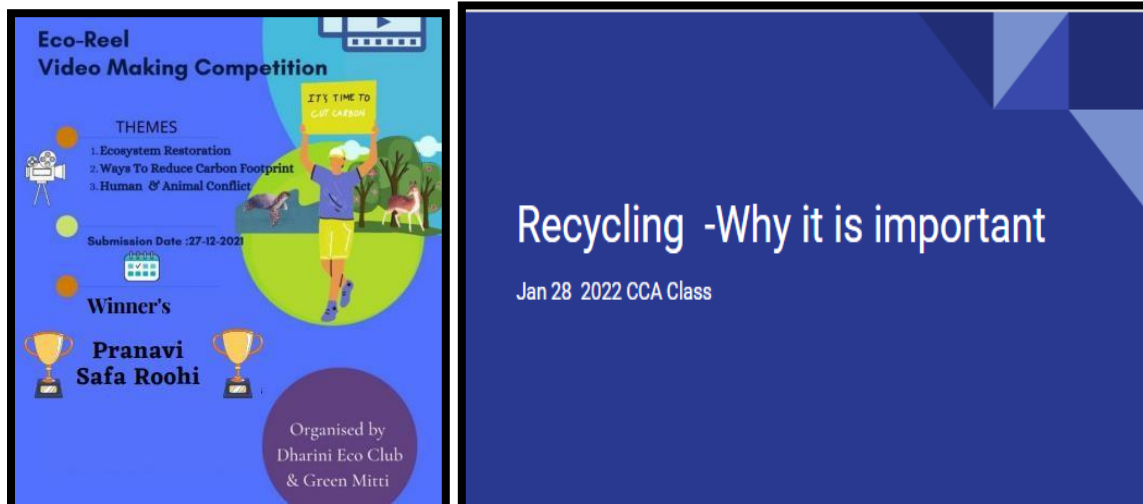
**Online Session on Carbon Footprint** and an activity on Know your plastic footprint was organized for Environment Education students on 9-12-,2021

**Intercollegiate Eco Reel Video Making Competition** organized on 27-12-2021 on the themes

- i) Ways to cut Carbon Footprint,
- ii) Human & Animal Conflict,
- iii) Ecosystem Restoration, in collaboration with Green Mitti.

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Best three entries were awarded with Merit Certificates



**Online session on Recycling and Why it is important** on 28-01-2022 for Environment Education Students

**Pictorial Eco quiz** was conducted on 6-01-2022 to create general awareness on Environmental issues and Biodiversity

**Online session on Kitchen waste composting** conducted on Nov 11,2021 and **Vermi composting session** was conducted on 18-11-2021 for Environment Education students

**Selfie with Sapling activity and orientation on volunteering activities** was organized by Eco club and Youth for Seva on 28-01-2022

**On the occasion of World Sparrow Day** which is observed on 20-03-22, eco club organized a Interactive session followed by Eco quiz in collaboration with Green Mitti and Green Paw



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**World Water Day 22-03- 2022** Interactive session organized at Govt school by Dharini eco club volunteers to Conserve Water and create awareness on Significance of observing this day



### **National level events organized**

#### **WWF Activities and ECHO project 2021**

Dharini Eco club students worked on Echo- Building a Cadre of Green Entrepreneurs-National Project. The Topic of our project is Prakrith Ki Pramithi -Designing Eco Banners from gunny bags, jute and textile waste to replace PVC banners.ECHO is a programme by WWF India for college students that seeks to empower young minds to create innovative, long-term, impactful conservation projects. The National Echo Summit features the State Level Finalists sharing their journey of coming up with innovative and sustainable solutions for a greener economy.

ECHO Project Team leads -student representatives Ms Mariyam Tahani, Ms. Ayesha, Ms. Srija, Ms. Aakanksha and Teacher coordinator-AM Sylaja attended 2 Day ECHO workshop 2021-22 conducted on 26 and 27 Oct from 2 PM to 5 PM.

#### **ECHO representatives attended a session on**

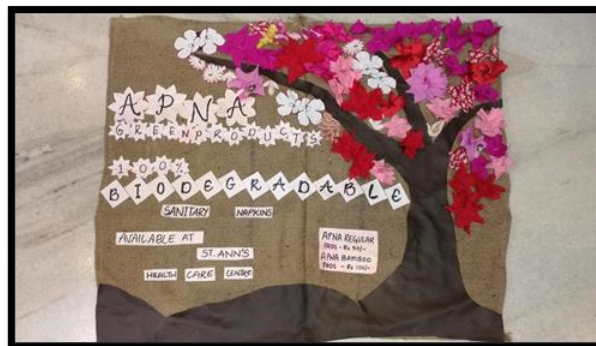
**i)" How to create a WOW effect in your Entrepreneurship Journey"** with our eminent speaker, Ms.Pinky Maheshwari, Founder of SURPRISE SOMEONE. Date: December 7, 2021, Time: 3PM - 4PM

**i) An expert talk on “Business Development for Entrepreneurs by Ms. Caroline Whitefield**, an entrepreneur turned professor who is currently teaching entrepreneurial studies in UK.

The session was focused on specific Sustainable Business case studies with the witty exchange of knowledge, and change-inspiring discussions. Date: January 28, 2022 Time: 4PM - 5PM

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ii) **Interactive session for ECHO Representatives and volunteers with Green waves Environmental Solutions Resource person Niharika** on topic “Designing Eco banners from Gunny Bags on 12<sup>th</sup> March 2022 at 12.30



**The ECHO Team and Volunteers organized various competitions under this Prakrithi Ki Pramithi Initiative on the occasion of Earth Day celebrated on April 22 of every year.**

1. Fingerprint painting competition Topic: Paint your favourite animal on 23rd April, 2022
2. Caption writing competition Topic: Let's talk about rubbish! on 23rd April, 2022
3. Nature Photography Competition Topic: BRB, just admiring nature on 24th April, 2022
4. Best out of waste Topic: Recycle for a life cycle!
5. I am an Eco-Conscious Consumer (Mail us your story as a recycler at [prakritikipramiti@gmail.com](mailto:prakritikipramiti@gmail.com))

**Winners of all the competitions are awarded a certificate.**

The photography competition is a social media contest as the pictures mailed were uploaded on our Instagram handle. The picture receiving the highest number of likes will win the race! The pictures sent for best out of waste competition were uploaded on our Instagram handle. It is not a competition. All the stories mailed on “I am an Eco-conscious Consumer were featured on our Instagram handle.

**Ek Prithvi program (Biodiversity Conservation)** :17 students volunteered to complete EK Prithvi survey Programme at seven Government schools over a duration of four days in collaboration with WWF Hyderabad from 11<sup>th</sup> March to 15<sup>th</sup> March 2022.



**World Earth Day Celebrations 2021-22:** In view of World Earth Day being observed on April 22, Dharini Eco club and SQAC of our college conducted few activities;

1. Online session on Topic: “Investing in Conservation” Resource Person: Sri Chakra Pranav is founder of East Coast Conservation Team and Program Manager for Green Paw initiative. He is a marine biologist and wildlife conservationist with a focus on marine conservation and small mammals’ conservation
2. Poster Making Competition on Theme of The Earth Day for the year 2022
3. Best Out of Waste Competition
4. Plantation activity in Botanical Garden of our college
5. Sale of Ecofriendly Biodegradable sanitary pads in collaboration with Apna Green and Sale of Upcycled products in collaboration with Green Waves Environmental solution



#### **Outreach Activity on awareness on Menstrual waste management and hygiene**

Donation Drive in Government school wherein biodegradable sanitary pads were donated to 200 Students of GHS Deval Jham Singh, Gudimalkapur, Asif nagar Mandal (Girls - (VI to X Class). Environment Education students conducted the activity by creating awareness on Menstrual waste management and hygiene.

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**Awareness session on “Sustainable Environment”** conducted in Gudimalkapur Govt School on April 1<sup>st</sup> by volunteers of Eco Club. And Cheer's Club of Commerce department.



Activities conducted for Environment Education students

#### **Projects** completed by Environment Education students during the year

1. Project on Glass Bottle painting on environment Problem and solution
2. Preparation of Handmade paper
3. Preparation of natural colors and Natural Sanitizers
4. Plastic bottle crafts
5. E waste management
6. Bird Watching and painting
7. Kitchen waste composting
8. Biodegradable sanitary pads -Instagram stories

#### **World Environment Day**

**Dharini Eco Club and Institution Innovation Council** of St. Ann's College for Women Mehdiapatnam Hyderabad organised Virtual events on occasion of World Environment Day June 5th 2022

1. Poster making competition Theme: Only One Earth  
JAM -Just a Minute on theme - Living Sustainably in Harmony with Nature