

Annual Report of
Eco Club, Indraprastha Collge for Women
For Academic Year 2018-2019

The Eco Club strives to spread awareness amongst the students about the various issues that are being faced by our planet regarding our environment and to foster an eco-friendly environment in the college campus.

The Eco Club organized various events and activities during the academic year 2018-2019. On 22nd August, 2018, the volunteers of Eco Club in collaboration with the Garden Committee of the College and to celebrate Van-Mahotsav planted a number of saplings of different varieties of trees to increase the green cover of the college campus.

This event was followed by an interesting talk on 'E-Waste' in collaboration with the National Legal Services Authority on the 20th September, 2018. The speakers of NLSA informed the students about the adverse effect of the pollution arising from the E-waste, how the E-waste should be managed to minimize its adverse impact and also made them aware about the provisions & rules applicable on E-waste management.

On 3rd October, 2018 the Eco Club organized a Bird Walk within the college campus to familiarise the students with different types of birds. This was organized early in the morning where the Instructor showed these different species of birds in their natural settings and provided detail information about them.

As lot of pollution is caused due to burning of fire crackers during Diwali, the volunteers of Eco Club as part of outreach activity decided to carry out an anti-fire cracker campaign in a government school nearby on the 2nd November, 2018 so as to educate the students about the adverse impact caused by fire crackers on our environment.

On 14th January, 2019, the Eco Club in collaboration with Cinema of Resistance organized film screening and seminar on "Model of Development & Tribals" wherein

the resource person explained the pros and cons of development vis-a-vis tribals and loss of their natural habitat and resources.

Finally, on the occasion of Basant Panchami, the Eco Club organized its annual festival "Prakriti Bazaar" on the 9th February, 2019. More than 35 stalls were set up by various artisans and NGOs to promote and sell their traditional & eco-friendly products. A good number of food stalls were also set up by persons selling traditional cuisine of various states. The teachers and students of various colleges who participated in the event had a great fun time in pleasant sunny weather. The event was a huge success.

The Eco Club also has a tie-up with Greenobin whereby all waste paper is periodically collected from the college and converted into various ecofriendly products through recycling.

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