

**GURU NANAK KHALSA COLLEGE
FOR WOMEN
MODEL TOWN LUDHIANA**



ECO CLUB REPORT (2022-23)

ODD SEMESTER



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Overview

The main aim of establishing the Eco Club was to conserve the natural resources and the natural environment to create Eco friendly environment and create awareness of biodiversity conservation and local environmental issues among children and to create a clean and green consciousness among students through various innovative methods.

Eco club plays an important role in creating environmental awareness amongst the future generation. The Main motive of the Eco Club is to nurture and teach the importance of environment to students.

Eco Club is a group of concerned students, teachers and volunteers that are committed to raising awareness about environmental issues and to reducing environmental impact as individuals, as community, and as citizens of the Nation.

Our vision

To be the best institution for protecting and creating environment awareness by educating the youth, offering programmes and resources for the students.

Eco Club's three main themes are People, Nature and culture. The Club organizes many activities like quizzes, extempore, lectures, debates, essay writing, power point presentation, drawing competition on various environmental issues.

Objectives

- To motivate the students to keep their surroundings green and clean by undertaking plantation of trees.
- To promote culture of conservation of water by minimizing the use of water.
- To maintain cleanliness in and around the campus.
- To educate students to create awareness amongst public and sanitary workers, so as to stop the indiscriminate dumping and burning of waste which causes respiratory diseases.

Major Activities

- The Eco Club along with NCC cadets and NSS volunteers of the college does its best efforts for a green campus.
- Organize seminars and special lectures on environmental issues in the College.
- Campaign against banned carry bags, use of loud speakers, banned fireworks, recycling of glass and metals, filling of water body in the adjacent area, etc.
- Organize rallies, marches, human chains at public places with a view to spread environmental awareness.
- Action based activities like tree plantation, cleanliness drives both within and outside the College campus.

- Beautifying selected road side area, public places like hospitals, government offices, places of worship, etc., with plants and put campaign boards to generate awareness.
- Plantation programme is undertaken at regular intervals through Eco-club and NSS in the college premises and also in the premises of certain Government offices, Hospitals, Temples and orphan houses.
- Removal of waste plants and thorn bushes is done by Eco club with the help of NSS volunteers and other student from time to time. The volunteers of NSS Units collect scrap materials like plastics and other trash in the college and dump it in an appropriate place.
- The Eco club of college organized and actively participated in the Swachh Bharat Programme at the Community Health.

CONSTITUTION OF ECO CLUB

| S. No. | Name & Designation | Name of the Committee/ Duty Assigned |
|---------------|-------------------------------|--|
| 1. | Dr. Parveen Arora | Asst Prof. Public Administration Convener |
| 2. | Mrs. Rajwinder kaur | Asst Prof. PG Deptt of Commerce Co-Convener & Member |
| 3. | Dr. Shikha Bajaj | Asst Prof. Deptt of Fashion Designing Co-Convener & Member |

ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN

- ❖ **Celebration of World environment day to Save and promote environmental consciousness among students and staff**

| Date | Action taken |
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| June 5, 2022 | On the occasion of World Environment Day today, Swachhata Action Plan (SAP) committee of the college (MGNCRE, Government of India) organized a lecture to promote environmental consciousness among students and staff. Dr. Parveen Arora, Nodal Officer of SAP was the resource person for this online session. During her talk, Dr. Arora elaborated on the theme of this year's World Environment Day- Only One Earth. Students pledged to collectively work towards protecting Mother Nature. With the aim that multiple small steps can bring in a major change, students and staff planted saplings in their homes to contribute to making our planet greener and healthier. |
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❖ **Nukkad Natak on the theme “Save Water Save Life”**

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| September 12, 2022 | A Nukkad Natak on the theme “Save Water Save Life” to generate awareness about water wastage and its conservation on the college campus today. A team of artists from IPTA Moga staged a play titled ‘Panibandi’. |
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❖ **An awareness campaign in rural area of two villages, Kheri and Jhameri of district Ludhiana under Unnat Bharat Abhiyan**

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| September 12, 2022 | A visit to the two villages, Kheri and Jhameri of district Ludhiana was organized by the college. The students interacted with the members of PRIs and Gram Sabha to understand grassroot level information about the working and status of the activities at the village level. Students also conducted a door-to-door survey and interacted with the village residents. They visited two government schools and <i>Anganwadi</i> . Students also monitored the growth and watered the trees planted by them on the day of their first visit to the village. In addition, they also got an opportunity to discuss many Rural Development Schemes like MNREGA, Mid-day meal, SSA, etc. under the supervision and guidance of Dr. Parveen Arora. Madam Principal Dr. Maneeta Kahlon appreciated the efforts of the students for their participation in this educational visit. |
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❖ Celebration of Bamboo day

| Date | Action taken |
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| September 17, 2022 | Under the aegis of the Internal Quality assurance Cell, the Department of Fashion Designing celebrated World Bamboo Day today. To mark this day, a bamboo sapling was planted on college campus. An exhibition cum sale of items made with bamboo was set up for faculty and college students. Dr. Shikha Bajaj mentioned that bamboo is a sustainable fiber and a variety of products can be made using it, including textile goods, and household items. |
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❖ **To participate in Indian Swachhta League by MC Ludhiana to promote cleanliness activities and encourage students for volunteering**

| Date | Action taken |
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| September 17, 2022 | Student volunteers from Eco & Green Club, SAP committee, NSS Unit, Youth & Red Ribbon Club, and the Fine Arts department of our college joined the fight for garbage-free cities under Indian Swachhta League. 30 volunteers and 3 teachers participated in this event at Rose Garden, Ludhiana organized by Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana. Under the guidance of Mrs. Harpreet Kaur, Head of the Fine Arts Department, students (Parampreet, Stuti, Drishti, Iqbal, Navneet, Jasleen, Avneet, Khushi, Gurkirat, Gurleen) created graffiti to generate awareness about this social cause. Dr. Parveen Arora Nodal Officer of the SAP committee and Dr. Balbir Kaur, coordinator of the waste management committee organized and supervised this visit. |
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❖ **Celebration of World Environment Health day to spread awareness about environment related challenges**

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| September 26, 2022 | Eco Club of the college celebrated World Environment Health Day on September 26, 2022. During the celebrations, Dr. Parveen Arora informed the club members about many health issues faced by human beings, environment-related challenges and the role of Sustainable Development Goals. Mrs. Kavita Kuplish, Assistant Professor in English also took part in the event. |
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❖ To give 'plant a tree' message

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| October 17, 2022 | <p>Roshni 2022 – the Annual Diwali Program was launched at Guru Nanak Khalsa College for Women, Gujarkhan Campus, Model Town, Ludhiana today. Under the auspices of IQAC, 'Illuminati' (English Literary Society) in collaboration with Greenery Management Team (SAP Committee) organized "Plant a Message" activity in the college to spread the message of celebrating an eco-friendly Diwali.</p> <p>The students as well as the teachers brought a plant each with a message on the theme of "generating more happiness on Planet Earth." On this occasion, a Power point Presentation was made by Dr. Anupam Vatsyayan, Head, PG Department of English about the deep-set relationship between Literature and Nature. Mrs. Gagneet Pal Kaur, Co-ordinator, Greenery Management Team, also highlighted the need of leaving a cleaner and greener planet for our future generations. The event concluded when the students exchanged their Plant-Messages with their friends.</p> |
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❖ **Best out of waste**

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| <p>October 20-22, 2022</p> | <p>Under the aegis of Internal Quality Assurance Cell, Departments of Home Science, Fine Arts, Fashion Designing, Punjabi celebrated Roshni -The Annual Diwali Programme. A number of activities are being organized in order to promote the idea of Green Diwali amongst the students and faculty members.</p> <p>Under 'Earn while you Learn' scheme, students as young entrepreneurs showcased their skills by setting up exhibition cum sale of cakes and chocolates, nail treatments, quilling candles, besan barfi and many more. Various stalls were set up for celebrating spirit of womenfolk pioneering small ventures on the festival of lights. In addition, stalls were setup by Ek Jot Viklaang and Guru Giyan Viklaang NGOs.</p> <p>The event was hugely liked by visitors including faculty members, students and alumni of the college. The idea of women entrepreneurship was promoted and students were highly encouraged for their future endeavors.</p> |
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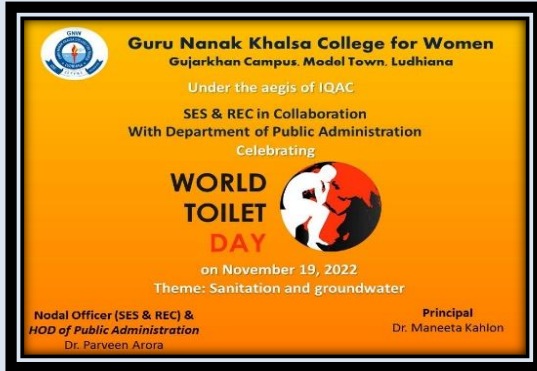


❖ Celebration of World Toilet day

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| November 19, 2022 | <p>Under the aegis of the Internal Quality Assurance Cell, Social Entrepreneurship, Swachhata and Rural Engagement Cell (SES-REC) of the college observed International Soil Day. This day is observed to raise awareness about the importance of soil, healthy ecosystems, and human well-being. The theme of World Soil Day 2022 is "Soils: Where food begins".</p> <p>On this occasion, it was informed that the college has undertaken numerous initiatives for ensuring a healthy soil cover, this includes, setting up of vermicomposting unit during the previous academic year. Through this unit, the college is able to productively utilize its organic waste materials and has become self-sufficient in its organic manure requirements. The staff and the students visited the vermicomposting site in the college and were encouraged to make their own vermicomposting units at home.</p> |

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❖ Celebration of World Pollution Prevention Day

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| December 02, 2022 | Under the aegis of the Internal Quality Assurance Cell of the college, Social Entrepreneurship, Swachhta & Rural Engagement Cell (SES REC) observed National Pollution Control Day in the college on December 2, 2022. This day is observed every year in memory of the people who lost their lives in the 1984 Bhopal Gas Tragedy. Dr. Parveen Arora informed the students about the importance of the day. She highlighted that for controlling pollution levels; we should plant more trees, dispose of garbage in the proper manner, and adopt the recycling of e-waste. |
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❖ **Celebration of International soil day**

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| <p>December 05, 2022</p> | <p>Under the aegis of the Internal Quality Assurance Cell, Social Entrepreneurship, Swachhata and Rural Engagement Cell (SES-REC) of the college observed International Soil Day. This day is observed to raise awareness about the importance of soil, healthy ecosystems, and human well-being. The theme of World Soil Day 2022 is “Soils: Where food begins”.</p> <p>On this occasion, Principal Dr. Maneeta Kahlon informed that the college has undertaken numerous initiatives for ensuring a healthy soil cover, this includes, setting up of vermicomposting unit during the previous academic year. Through this unit, the college is able to productively utilize its organic waste materials and has become self-sufficient in its organic manure requirements. The staff and the students visited the vermicomposting site in the college and were encouraged to make their own vermicompost units at home.</p> |
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