

**ZOOLOGY**  
**2014-15**

## **Details of the Programmes conducted by Zoology Association in the month of July 2014**

- 1) A departmental calligraphy competition was held on 9<sup>th</sup> July 2014 to select suitable students to create departmental magazine. All students of the D2 and D3 students participated and Aswathy Anil Kumar of D2 was given the first prize.
- 2) International Tiger Day was celebrated by the Zoology Association along with Kerala Forest Department and ASAP on 31<sup>st</sup> July 2014. As a part of celebration an interdepartmental Quiz competition based on the theme “Tiger and its Conservation”, conducted by Prof Giji K Joseph was organized in the morning session. Twelve teams from various departments participated. The following students received prizes

1<sup>st</sup> prize : Justin John & Tinu Tom(D3 Chemistry)

2<sup>nd</sup> prize:Manukuttan & Tony Antony(D2 Chemistry)

3<sup>rd</sup> prize:Elizabeth Reeta Raju & Sandeep Sabu(D3 Botany)

Afternoon session started with the official inauguration of the International Tiger Day Celebration by Ponkunnam Range Officer K.A Saju. Prize distribution to the winners of the Quiz competition was done by the resource person K.A Saju. As a part of the inaugural programme seminars were conducted by the students of Zoology Department about Tiger, its habitat, the threats faced by them as well as its conservation strategy. Participation prizes for the students who conducted the seminar was given by Prof.Liji Koshy HoD of Department.

### **ZOOLOGY ASSOCIATION ACTIVITIES 2014-2015**

The Zoology Association activities of the academic year 2014-'15 started with “World Environment Day” celebration. All the students and teachers participated in the activities. Mrs Liji Koshy, Department Head in Charge and Ms Sany Mary Benjamin guided them.

## **PROGRAMMES ORGANIZED BY THE ASSOCIATION**

1. Environmental Day Celebration : On 5<sup>th</sup> June 2014, Zoology Association celebrated Environment Day by organizing the following events
  - A documentary show- A wild life movie titled ‘Secrets of our living planet ‘was shown. The movie revealed the improbable connections, bizarre behavioral strategies & intricate mechanisms the make life on Earth possible.
  - Interdepartmental Pencil drawing competition based on the theme ‘Transforming Earth’ was conducted. Vindya Vijayan (D2 B.Com) & Divya N ( M1 Physics) secured First & Second prizes respectively.
  - Our department also distributed 12 samplings, one each to all the departments in the college.
  - Association members planted saplings near the main block of the college.
2. Calligraphy Competition: On 29<sup>th</sup> July 2014, Association organized a departmental Calligraphy Competition in which Aswathy Anil Kumar (D2) was given the first prize.
3. International Tiger Day Celebration was celebrated by the Zoology Association in association with Forest Department and ASAP on 31<sup>st</sup> July 2014. Official inauguration of the International Tiger Day Celebration was done by K A Saju, Ponkunnam Range Officer.
  - As a part of the celebration Zoology Association organized an interdepartmental Quiz Competition in which 12 teams participated
    - i. 1<sup>st</sup> prize : Justin John & Tinu Tom ( D3 Chemistry)
    - ii. 2<sup>nd</sup> prize : Manukuttan & Tony Antony (D2 Chemistry)
    - iii. 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize : Elizabeth Reeta Raju & SandeepSabu ( D3 Botany)
  - Seminars were conducted by the students of Zoology Department on Tiger, its habitat, the threats faced by them as well as their conservation.
4. Invited talk: On 11<sup>th</sup> Feb Zoology Association organized a talk on Emerging Trends in Biology. Dr Shaju Thomas Retired HOD-in charge of Zoology Dept, Nirmala College was the resource person

### INTRACOLLEGIATE ACHEIVMENTS

- ★ Ashish Thomas , Syam Sekhar & Jeen T S won **1<sup>st</sup> prize** in poster making competition conducted by the Department of Chemistry.
- ★ Gouthamy Haridas ( D3) and Ratheesh P K (D2) won **1<sup>st</sup> prize** in the History Quiz Competition conducted by the Dept of Politics
- ★ Association won overall **2<sup>nd</sup> prize** in Fancy Dress & Bike rally competition conducted by Physical Education Dept.
- ★ Jeen T S ( D3) won **1<sup>st</sup> prize** in fancy dress competition conducted in association with Baselian trophy
- ★ Parwathy Syam (D2) won **2<sup>nd</sup> prize** in fancy dress competition conducted in association with Baselian trophy
- ★ Association won **1<sup>st</sup> prize** in Floral Carpet making competition conducted by the college.
- ★ Association won **1<sup>st</sup> prize** in the card making competition conducted by the college as a part of ‘ Guruvandanam Program’
- ★ Association won **2<sup>nd</sup> prize** for history exhibition conducted by the college
- ★ Association won **2<sup>nd</sup> prize** for Science Exhibition conducted by the college

### INTERCOLLEGIATE ACHIEVMENTS

- Alisha Sabu ( D1) won first prize for essay competition organized by the Co-operative society of Kottayam.
- The following students of the department won prizes at the All Kerala Inter Collegiate Fest- “ Emerald Quest 2015”, conducted by the Department of Zoology K.G.College Pampady on 21<sup>st</sup> Feb 2015

<b>S. NO</b>	<b>NAME</b>	<b>ITEM</b>	<b>POSITION</b>
1.	CHRISTINE KURIAN	PHOTOGRAPHY	FIRST
2.	RESHMA MARIAM MAMMEN	CAPTION WRITING	FIRST
3.	ASWATHY ANILKUMAR	CROSSWORD	FIRST
4.	AMAL UMMAN & ASWATHY ANILKUMAR	QUIZ	THIRD

- The following students won prizes at Zoo-Fest conducted by Zoological Society of Kerala.

<b>S.NO</b>	<b>NAME</b>	<b>ITEM</b>	<b>POSITION</b>
1.	Reshma Mariam Mammen(D1)	Cartooning	Third
2.	Aparnamol T A (D1)	Extempore	First
3.	Sudhi Mary Thomas (D2)	Radio talk	First
4.	Saranya Sasi (D2)	Scientific Name Writing	First

5.	Aswathy Anilkumar (D2)	Scientific Name Writing	Third
6.	Rajeswary Vasu Iyer (D3)	PPT Presentation	First
7.	Sofia Sara Anil (D3)	PPT Presentation	Third
8.	Anna Mariya Joseph (D3)	Definition writing	Second
9.	Devika Manilal (D3)	Definition writing	Third
10.	Athira C Bose(D3)	Debate	First