



Be a part of the

International Day of Biodiversity 2023

Theme: From Agreement to Action: Build Back Biodiversity



Resource person

Mr. Hijam Homendro Singh
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Namrup College

Date: 22nd May, 2023(Monday)

Time: 1 pm onwards (IST)

Venue: Conference Hall, Namrup College

Organized by

Department of Zoology & Botany, Namrup College

in collaboration with

IQAC, Namrup College



AWARENESS PROGRAMME ON INTERNATIONAL BIODIVERSITY DAY
ORGANIZED BY- DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY
IN COLLABORATION WITH DEPARTMENT OF ZOOLOGY AND IQAC,
NAMRUP COLLEGE
DATE: 22/05/2023;
TIME: 1PM ONWARDS
VENUE: CONFERENCE HALL, NAMRUP COLLEGE

AGENDA

- 1) Welcome address by Ms. Mayuri Chakraborty.
- 2) Inaugural speech by Mr. Santosh Das,
Ex-Associate Professor,
Dept. of Botany, Duliajan College
3. Speech by Dr. Jayanta Sonowal, Assistant Professor & HOD,
Dept. of Botany, Namrup College
- 4) Popular talk on “Biodiversity Conservation” by Mr. Hijam Homendro Singh
(Associate Professor, Dept of Zoology, Namrup College).
- 5) Interactive session- Lead by Kakoli Baruah, Assistant Professor,
Dept. of Botany, Namrup College.
- 6) Vote of thanks by Ms. Poonam Garh.
- 7) End of programme.

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Report on
Awareness programme on International Biodiversity Day, 2023

An awareness programme on “International Biodiversity Day” was held on 22nd of May, 2023 by arranging a popular talk by the Department of Botany, in collaboration with Department of Zoology and IQAC, Namrup College. The programme started around 1pm at conference hall of Namrup College. A total of 44 students and 4 nos. of Faculties were present in the programme.

The event was hosted by Ms. Mayuri Chakraborty of class XII. An inaugural speech was forwarded by chief guest, Mr. Santosh Das, Former Associate Professor, Department of Botany, Duliajan College. He gave a brief speech where he explained the term biodiversity with special reference to genetic biodiversity. He also threw light on the various rare and endangered species indigenous to N.E India and the urgent need to conserve them.

Dr. Jayanta Sonowal, HOD, Department of Botany, put forwarded his valuable ideas on conservation of nature. He emphasized on sustainable use of natural resources as indiscriminate anthropogenic activities are the root cause of biodiversity loss in our area. He proposed a plan keeping in mind this year’s theme for International Biodiversity Day. He advocated conservation of orchid species and medicinal plants in the college botanical garden.

Mr. Hijam Homendro Singh, Associate Prof, Department of Zoology was the chief resource person in the programme. He elucidated the root cause of biodiversity destruction, i.e. man’s unquenching greed. He gave presentation and explanation on multiple topics such as, Global drought issues, global warming, forest fires, world desertification pattern, flood prone areas of the world, projected water availability in 2050, hot spots of world, CEPA, causes of biodiversity loss, thematic programmes and cross cutting issues, butterfly effect etc. Mr. Singh showed the audience 57 different species of spider and 20 different species of dragonfly collected and identified by him in the college campus. He asked the students to work in unison for conservation of Mother Nature.

Ms. Kakoli Baruah, Asst. Professor, Dept. Of Botany, explained how various organisms are interconnected with each other and hence the importance of biodiversity conservation. She urged the students to collect various orchid species from nearby areas and initiate a plantation drive in the Botanical garden of Namrup College.

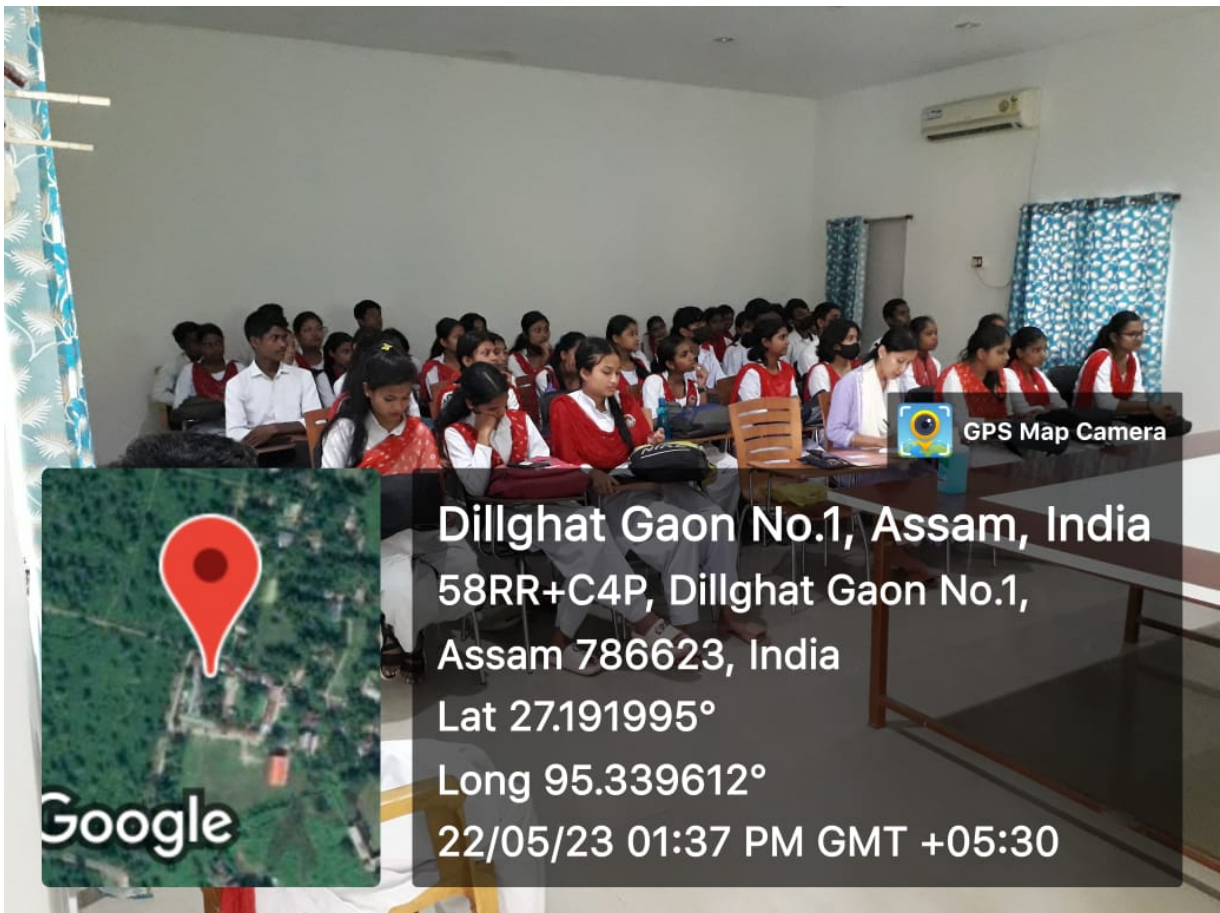
This was followed by an interaction session and light refreshment. The programme ended with a vote of thanks by Poonam Garh of class XII, science stream.

Report by-

Kakoli Baruah



Mr. Santosh Das has delivered inaugural speech in the programme



Students and Teacher were attended the programme



Resource Person Mr. H.H. Singh shared his viewed views and ideas on Biodiversity



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