



BANWARILAL BHALOTIA COLLEGE
Asansol, West Bengal, India

One Day National Level Webinar observing

Inauguration of Beagle Nature Club of B.B. College



On

16TH December, 2020 from 11.20 AM (IST) Onward

Organised by

Beagle, Nature Club of B.B.College

Under the aegis of IQAC of B.B.College, Asansol

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Concept Note

Mother Nature has granted us with several resources based on which our needs are satisfied. Mahatma Gandhi used to say, “Nature has enough to satisfy every man’s need but not a single man’s greed”. To inculcate such eco sensitive values and to promote the concepts of deep ecology, B.B. College, Asansol has decided to begin a new academic journey by creating a nature club named ‘Beagle’. It’s a fitting name for a fitting occasion. The famous naturalist Charles Darwin had travelled to the Galapagos on the HMS Beagle. So to probe and conserve nature and its bounties we at B.B. College, Asansol have decided to open a new dimension by sailing atop our ‘Beagle’.

Since none of us is outside the purview of nature so the club invites participation from one and all in our college. Active participation from the teaching, non-teaching and the student’s community will make the effort a grand success and thereby strengthen our green initiative.

The following are the proposed activities of the aforesaid club:

- To sensitize, create awareness, motivate and educate students about environmental conservation
- Tree plantation and relevant presentations on ecosystem
- To conduct field trips and exploratory activities
- To conduct exhibitions on the environment and natural sciences
- To promote environmental cleanliness in and around the college campus

- To conduct poster, slogan and drawing competitions for the college students with prizes for the winners
- To organise snake and dog bite awareness programmes
- Environment education camps
- Animal welfare activities
- Induction of butterfly garden
- Bird and butterfly watching, photography and audio-video recording activities
- Create an inventory of natural local heritage
- Organisation of green themed seminars and publications of literature, magazines on nature
- Water treatment and conservation



About the Institutions

Banwarilal Bhalotia College, Established on 16th July 1944, Banwarilal Bhalotia College has been pioneering higher education of quality in Asansol and beyond for more than 75 glorious years. Presently affiliated to Kazi Nazrul University, B. B. College is one of the leading educational institutions in the area, providing both general and technology-based education. Besides traditional undergraduate and post-graduate courses in various subjects of Arts, Commerce and Science streams, the college, in tune with the changing needs of higher education, has introduced courses like B.B.A., B.C.A., Environmental Sciences and Water Management, and training courses in dry farming, cultivation of aromatic and medicinal plants, mushroom, lac cultivation, vermi-composting, sericulture and soil water analysis. In 2010, the college was declared as “Centre with Potential for Excellence” by the

UGC. In 2011, it received Rs. 50,000 as seed money for the development of Basic Scientific Research (BSR). The college has been re-accredited (cycle 2) by the NAAC with grade B+ in 2020. B. B. College has always fostered state-of-the-art technological advancements, which have proved especially effective in facilitating academic endeavours in spite of the Covid-19 pandemic. This webinar is another endeavour in this regard.

About the webinar

The webinar will officially inaugurate our own nature club named 'Beagle'. Through 'Beagle' we will strengthen our commitment towards nature and natural resources. Our nature club will not only promote a feeling of empathy towards the natural environment but it will help to improve the academic environment of our college as bonding with nature improves our mindset. It is our firm belief that by participating in activities that help to conserve nature our humane nature will achieve a new gloss.

Aims and Objectives

Our aim is to formally launch our very own nature club named 'Beagle'. Through this webinar the proposed activities of the nature club would be discussed along with the needs of such nature clubs in academic institutions. The webinar would also throw light on the importance of environment, resources, conservation and environmental ethics. Highly educative lectures on the above would be delivered by the respected speakers. The knowledge thus acquired would guide us perpetually in our green journey.

NOTES

- ▶ The e-Link for participating in webinar will be shared in the Telegram Group and also via e-mail
- ▶ Registration will be closed on 15th December, 2020
- ▶ e-Certificate of participation would be provided to participants who will submit the feedback from within the stipulated time.
- ▶ The feedback link will be provided in the chat box of the meeting room, via email and also in the Telegram group.
- ▶ All are requested to join in our Telegram Group:
https://t.me/Beagle_Nature_Club
- ▶ For any query please email us at: beagle.natureclub.bbcol@gmail.com

PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

16th December, 2020 from 11:20 AM

11: 20 AM	Introductory Speech
11:30 AM	Welcome Address Prof. Amitava Basu Principal, Banwarilal Bhalotia College, Asansol

Invited Speeches (Including Questions and Answers)

Time	Topic	Resource Person/Speakers
11:40 AM to 12:20 PM	Experiences on the Galapagos	Dr. Bulganin Mitra Emeritus Professor, Ramakrishna Mission Vivekananda Centenary College, Rahara, West Bengal, University of Calcutta
12:25 PM to 01:05 PM	Introduction to Ergonomics	Dr. Somnath Gangopadhyay Professor and Former Head Department of Physiology Incharge Occupational Ergonomics Laboratory Coordinator Department of Sports Science University of Calcutta
01:10 PM to 01:50 PM	Climate change & plant reproduction	Dr. Sudip Kumar Roy Assistant Professor Department of Botany Charuchandra College, University of Calcutta
01:55 PM to 02:00 PM	Vote of thanks and concluding remarks	

Invited Speakers



Dr. Bulganin Mitra

Topic: Experiences on the Galapagos

Brief Description of the topic : Located 906 km west of continental Ecuador, the Galápagos islands are famous for their large number of endemic species and Charles Darwin, the father of theory of evolution. Galápagos as a whole is the surprise package for every tourist, naturalist or wildlife lover and will be discussed in detail at the webinar.



Dr. Somnath Gangopadhyay

Topic: Introduction to Ergonomics

Brief Description of the topic : Discussion will be on ergonomics in its rudimentary level. The implication of ergonomics in teaching learning environment will also be deliberated upon.



Dr. Sudip Kumar Roy

Topic: Climate change & plant reproduction

Brief Description of the topic : Climate change is one of the most alarming and contentious issue faced by the world today. Climate has a key bearing on all the plant processes and any fluctuation in climatic factors result in consequences for a species. Predicting the response of biodiversity to climate change has become an extremely active field of research. Successful plant reproduction maintains a plant species in its natural habitat.

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(the registration is free of cost)

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