





## Report on ACTIVITY "PLASTIC DRIVE FOR WILDLIFE CONSERVATION "- ANEKAL FOREST RANGE -30.01.2024

Organized & conducted by NSS, NCC & Nature & Wildlife Club in association with Forest Department, Anekal

The PLASTIC DRIVE FOR WILDLIFE CONSERVATION was organized by Nature & Wildlife Club, NSS & NCC association with Forest Department, Anekal in the forest range spread from UruganaDoddi to Tattekere Road On 30.01.2024. The forest Department officials Ms. Ranjitha, Forest Officer and team alongwith Nature & Wildlife Club members, NSS student volunteers and NCC cadets ,P E D & NCC Officer Lt. Manjunatha K N, Prof. Malini K V,EEE, Head-C. A. R & EDC, N&W Club Coordinator, Prof. Santhosh Kumar, ECE, Prof. Vanarasan, AIML, Prof. Sriram Kumar, CSE and Mr. Manjunath Y, of Sri Sairam College of Engineering participated in the drive and supported observance of SDG -7 Climate action ,SDG12-resposible Consumption & Production, SDG-14 Life Below Water & SDG-15 Life on Land.



The **306** student members from 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> year, all branches of Engineering participated in the drive with full enthusiasm. The drive commenced at 10.00AM after the forest officer briefed about the Elephant Corridor, the damage to the nature caused by irresponsible disposal of used plastic in the nature, the purpose of the drive and outcomes.

The forest officer briefed about the precautionary measures to be taken while combing. The student teams were assigned with different areas like road side, river side and inside the forest. They were assigned with a forest official and staff who guided them inside the tough track, located the waste thrown irresponsibily by the public.

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The teams collected the waste and transported to the designated place to burn. The collected waste was around 50kgs in an area of around 15kms commencing from URUGANDODDI TO THATTAKERE ROAD. The student volunteers collected wrappers, thin plastic bags, used plastic plates, cups, broken glass bottles etc.. for the safe disposal.

The Forest dept. officials appreciated the institution for the support extended to complete drive and thanked Principal **Dr. Shadaksharappa** & Management Representative **Dr. R Arunkumar**, PED, N&W Club Coordinator, Faculty and Staff for their concern towards the sanctity of the drive.

The lunch was offered at a nearby Temple and Prof. Malini K V, N& W club coordinator thanked the forest department on behalf of Institution for giving this opportunity to students and staff to participate in this drive. Physical Education Director thanked Ms. Ranjitha and assured continued association with forest dept. to join the drives in the interest of Environment, Wildlife, Society, and Nation.

Thanking You,

## Sincerely,

1. Prof. Malini K V- N & W Club Coordinator

2. Mr. Manjunatha- PED. NCC officer



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