

Report on A Day For Birds Held on - 20.05.2022

Date of Event	20 th May 2022
Name and Type of Event	A Day For Birds
Conducted by	BHESAJAM The Pharma Club Of School Of Pharmacy
No. Of Participant	57
Туре	Skill Based

Bhesajam the Pharma Club of School of Pharmacy in association with NSS organized an event on the theme on A Day for Birds on 20th May 2022. Birds are the friend indeed of many ecosystems. They play a vital role in the protection of our environment. Protect the birds to protect our environment is the slogan to spread the message for environment protection. On the eve of National Integration Camp conducted at ARKA JAIN University from 18th to 24th May 2022 this event was dedicated to the birds. The event educates the students about life skill development and role of every individual to protect the environment. The students presented a pitcher filled water hanged from a pot hanger placed with different locations of the University in an intention to quench the thirst of the birds in the summer. The event was inaugurated by the Vice Chancellor of ARKA JAIN University and the Regional Director of NSS Mr. Peeyush Paranjape and Guest Speaker Mr. Maun Prakash, Indian Forest Service, Batch-2016, Dalma, Jharkhand in the presence of the NSS coordinators and participants of NIC. All other dignitaries expressed their good wishes and praised for the effort of the students. They said this event really cares the human values.

Mr. Maun Prakash, in his speech added that there are about 10000 bird species in the world. From the poles to the equatorial forests, from the deserts to the centers of the oceans, from the highest mountains to the hearts of our cities, everywhere birds are amongst the most conspicuous forms of animal life of all the animals, birds have been the most well-known classis because human beings have used them for feeding, communication, pollinating plants, and decorate the home, etc. Also, birds are important to some animals for biological control, for example Rodentia. Birds are important to continue ecologic circle, especially in food chain. For the last three centuries, industrial developments and anthropological effects have degraded habitats and caused the natural balance to deteriorate. Approximately 200 bird species had been affected directly or indirectly from these negative changes.

- 1. Birds eat insects. They are a natural way to control pests in gardens, on farms, and other places. A group of birds gliding through the air can easily eat hundreds of insects each day. Insect eating birds include warblers, bluebirds and woodpeckers.
- 2. Nectar-feeding birds are important pollinators, meaning they move the pollen from flower to flower to help fertilize the sex cells and create new plants. Hummingbirds, sunbirds, and the honey-eaters are common pollinators.
- 3. Many fruit-eating birds help disperse seeds. After eating fruit, they carry the seeds in their intestines and deposit them in new places. Fruit-eating birds include mockingbirds, orioles, finches and robins.
- 4. In agriculture humans harvest bird droppings for use as fertilizer. These droppings have a high content of nitrogen, phosphate, and potassium, three nutrients essential for plant growth.
- 5. Chickens are also used as an early warning system of human diseases, such as West Nile virus. Mosquitoes carry the West Nile virus, bite young chickens and other birds, and infect them with the virus. When chickens or other birds become infected, humans may also become infected in the near future.
- 6. Birds have important cultural relationships with humans. Birds are common pets in the Western world. Common bird pets include canaries, parrots, finches, and parakeets. Sometimes, people act cooperatively with birds. For example, the Borana people in Africa use birds to guide them to honey that they use in food.
- 7. Birds also play prominent and diverse roles in folklore, religion, and popular culture. They have been featured in art since prehistoric times, when they appeared in early cave paintings. Many young child know of Big Bird, a very large canary of Sesame Street fame.

Poster of the Event



Glimpse of the Event:







