

# Vimala College (Autonomous) Thrissur

## REPORT Academic Year 2018-2019

**Name of the Programme: “Biophilia”**

**Title of the Event: ‘Nurturing empathetic moments for fauna’-** impart awareness about different animals by means of ppt presentation and slogans by *student animal advocates’*

1. Name of the event: World reptile day’ celebrations

Date: 01-08-2018

Time: 12.30pm – 1.30pm pm

Venue: State Zoo and Museum, Thrissur

Organized by: Department of Zoology  
Vimala College (Autonomous) Thrissur

Collaboration (if any): Nil

Teachers in charge : Sr.Freny Jacob

Faculty involved in the programme: Dr Indu MS

No. of participants: 2 II PG students and faculty from the department

Department of Zoology organized ‘World reptile day’ celebrations at State Zoo and Museum, Thrissur: PG student representatives as *‘student animal advocates’* and educate the selected members from various schools about the habit, natural habitat, protection status, threat and conservation measures of a particular animal selected for that day.

Ms.Maria Joby, 1st sem PG, Reema Paul of 3<sup>rd</sup> sem PG presented a topic on ‘classification of reptiles’ and ‘Poisonous and non-poisonous reptiles and its conservation’ respectively, for 40 students from the Holy family, HSS school Thrissur. School students got a chance to know more about the types of reptiles and how to identify venomous and non-venomous snakes. They also got an idea about the importance of an animal in their ecosystem and how it relates with human life directly or indirectly. Our students also benefitted by getting an opportunity to enhance communication skill by speaking with the community and to develop empathetic concern about the animal and to raise voice for their protection.

## PHOTOS



Mariya Joby is presenting the topic at Zoo and Museum, Thrissur for school children



Reema Paul is presenting the topic at Zoo and Museum, Thrissur for school children

<b>Teachers participated from Zoology department</b>	<b>Name of Students participated</b>
SR.FRENY JACOB	MARIA JOBY
DR INDU MS	REEMA PAUL



Dr Honey Sebastian

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## **2. Name of the event: Observance of ‘World Tiger day’**

Date: 08-08-2018

Time: 12.30pm – 1.30pm pm

Venue: State Zoo and Museum, Thrissur

Organized by: Department of Zoology  
Vimala College (Autonomous) Thrissur

Collaboration (if any): Nil

Teachers in charge : Sr.Freny Jacob

Faculty involved in the programme: Dr Meera KM

No. of participants: one II PG student and faculty from the department

Department of Zoology organized ‘World Tiger day’ celebrations at state Zoo. Ms. Mariya A. Joseph, 3 sem PG student presented a topic on ‘Tiger conservation’ for 35 K.V students.. School

students got a chance to know more about the habit, habitat, conservation status, food and feeding, distributing and facts of zoological importance about the tiger.

**PHOTO**



Mariya Joseph is presenting the topic at State Zoo and museum, Thrissur for school children

Teachers participated from Zoology department	Name of students participated in the Programme
SR.FRENY JACOB	MARIYA A. JOSEPH
DR MEERA KM	

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### **3. Name of the event: Observance of ‘World Tiger day’**

Date: 04-10-2018

Time: 12.30 pm – 1.30 pm

Venue: State Zoo and Museum, Thrissur

Organized by: Department of Zoology  
Vimala College (Autonomous) Thrissur

Collaboration (if any): Nil

Teachers in charge : Sr.Freny Jacob

Faculty involved in the programme: Dr Sheeba P, Dr Honey Sebastian

No. of participants: **one I PG students and one III year UG student and faculty from the department**

Department of Zoology organized ‘World Tiger day’ celebrations at state Zoo. Punya, final year B.Sc. student and Liya Jose, 1<sup>st</sup> sem PG student presented topic at Zoo. ‘Rabbies and its mode of transmission’ (Punya V.S.) and ‘Rabbies- facts, prevention and its treatment’ (Liya Jose) for 30 students from the Sacred Heart HSS School, Thrissur

School students got a chance to know more about the dealy infectious disease Rabbies, the causative virus, mode of transmission, vectors, symptoms and precautions to be taken to avoid infection.

#### **PHOTO**



Liya is presenting the topic at State Zoo and Museum, Thrissur for school children



Punya is presenting the topic at State Zoo and Museum, Thrissur for school children

<b>Teachers participated from Zoology department</b>	<b>Name of Students participated</b>
SR.FRENY JACOB	PUNYA VS
DR HONEY SEBASTIAN	LIYA JOSE
DR SHEEBA P	

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#### **4. Name of the event: Observance of ‘National wildlife day’**

Date: 05-10-2018

Time: 12.30 pm – 1.30 pm

Venue: State Zoo and Museum, Thrissur

Organized by: Department of Zoology  
Vimala College (Autonomous) Thrissur

Collaboration (if any): Nil

Teacher in charge : Dr Petrisia Joseph

Faculty involved in the programme: Dr Honey Sebastian, Dr Sheeba P , Dr Feebarani john

No. of participants: two Final year UG students and faculty from the department

Department of Zoology organized National wildlife day celebrations at Zoo. Ms.Sreedevi V.H and Ms. Sylla Antony final year B.Sc. students visited the Zoo and performed a ppt presentation on the topic “Wild life conservation’ for the holy family HSS school students

School students got a chance to know more about the importance of wildlife conservation, threats face by wild animals and human wild life conflict and remedies to be taken to minimize the occurrence of conflicts.



Sylla Antony is presenting the topic at State Zoo and Museum, Thrissur for school children



Sreedevi VH is presenting the topic at State Zoo and Museum, Thrissur for school children

<b>Teachers participated from Zoology department</b>	<b>Name of Students participated</b>
DR HONEY SEBASTIAN	SREEDEVI VH
DR SHEEBA P	SILLA ANTONY
DR FEEBARANI JOHN	
DR PETRISIA JOSEPH	

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## **5. Name of the event: Observance of ‘World bird Day’**

Date: 24-01-2019

Time: 12.30pm – 1.30pm

Venue: State Zoo and Museum, Thrissur

Organized by: Department of Zoology  
Vimala College (Autonomous) Thrissur

Collaboration (if any): Nil

Faculty coordinators: De Feebarani John

Faculty involved in the programme: Dr Honey Sebastian, Dr Petrisia Joseph , Dr Sheeba

No. of participants: two first year PG students and faculty from the department

Department of Zoology world bird Day celebrations at Zoo. Swathy Surendran, and Megha K.M, 2 sem PG students visited the zoo and performed a ppt presentation on the topic ‘Types of birds and behavior of birds’ for the school students

### **PHOTO**



Swathy is presenting the topic at State Zoo and Museum, Thrissur for school children



Megha KM is presenting the topic at State Zoo and Museum, Thrissur for school children

<b>Teachers participated from Zoology department</b>	<b>Name of Students participated</b>
DR HONEY SEBASTIAN	MEGHA KM
DR PETRISIA JOSEPH	SWATHY
DR SHEEBA	
DR FEEBARANI JOHN	

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