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MISCELLANEOUS

International Day of Yoga

International Day of Yoga was celebrated by the institute on 21.06.2021. NISER conducted various yoga sessions, pranayama etc in which the faculty members, staff and students of the institute participated with all enthusiasm through online mode following all the COVID-19 guidelines.

Foundation Day

The 12th Foundation Day was celebrated on 6th September, 2021. Prof Ajay Parida, Director of Institute of Life Sciences, Bhubaneswar was invited as the Chief Guest on this occasion and delivered a talk on "Science & Technology for Addressing Societal Needs on 6th September 2021. On this occasion, students of the 5 Year Integrated MSc program who had scored top grades in the two semesters of AY 2020-21 were also felicitated.

Swachha Bharat Abhiyan

Swachhata Hi Seva Hai (SHS) Campaign

स्वच्छता ही सेवा है Cleanliness is Godliness

In line with the national campaign for Clean India Mission NISER has been striving to maintain a clean and hygiene campus. In this context, NISER observed Swachhata Pakhwada during February 16 -28, 2022. The day wise activities are mentioned in table 1.

On the first day a Swachhata Rally was conducted in the entire campus to raise awareness regarding the waste segregation and maintaining cleanliness. Director NISER was part

of the rally. The rally involved the faculty members, students and housekeeping staff. The NISER community expressed gratitude to the housekeeping staff for their valuable services to keep NISER campus clean.

During the Swachhata Pakhwada earthen cups were introduced on campus for serving tea. Use of paper/plastic cups has been completely banned on NISER campus. An official order has been issued in this regard.

A detailed audit of the wastes generated and resources used on campus was conducted in a very systematic manner. The objective behind the audit of the waste was to make the NISER community aware of the waste generated by all of us, money and manpower used for managing the resources or waste and how to minimise the resource consumption and waste generation.

In the closing ceremony, the Director, NISER announced to have one more Swachhata Pakhwada on our campus during August second fortnight. Thus, henceforth NISER will observe Swachhata Pakhwada twice a year. This will increase the awareness of the NISER community regarding the importance of cleanliness and bring behavioural changes to follow the good practices.

In order to encourage the NISER community to keep their residential area clean a cleanliness competition was conducted among the hostel residents, campus residents (faculty and staff) and office space. Three separate prizes were given in each category. In the prize distributed 15 flower pots to each winner.



Day wise activities undertaken during the Swachhata Pakhwada:

February 16-28, 2022

Date	Significance of the Day	Activities
16-Feb-22	Inauguration Day	Explaining the objectives of Swatchha Bharat Mission and Role of NISER to the residents of NISER
17-Feb-22	Waste Audit	Solid Waste Generated in the campus, management and financial implications, ways forward
18-Feb-22	Waste Audit	Sewage water generated in the campus, management, financial implications and ways forward
19-Feb-22	Waste Audit	Food Waste Generated in the campus, managemnet and ways forward
20-Feb-22	Waste Audit	Usage of drinking water, environmental and financial implications, ways forward
21-Feb-22	Waste Audit	Chemical Waste in campus, risks and ways forward
22-Feb-22	Waste Audit	Consumption of Electricity, financial implications and ways forward
23-Feb-22	Poster Exhibition	on Themes Critiques on Waste Management in NISER and Proposals for improvement
24-Feb-22	Poem Submissions & Quiz Competition	on Themes Critiques on Waste Management in NISER and Proposals for improvement
25-Feb-22	Essay Submissions	on Themes Critiques on Waste Management in NISER and Proposals for improvement
26-Feb-22	Swachhata Competition and a movie on Swachhata theme	Hostels
27-Feb-22	Swachhata Competition	Campus Residents & Office Buildings
28-Feb-22	Concluding day	Open House Discussion on the Swatchha NISER Campus and Concluding Ceremony

As a first step towards waste segregation, NISER has already started the work of setting up the Nisargruna Biogas plant on campus. All the food wastes generated from NISER hostels and residential areas will be used to produce biogas. The segregation of food waste will also help us in the segregation of other wastes scientifically, so that all wastes can be converted into wealth..

Official Language in NISER

NISER being a central autonomous institute under the aegis of Department of Atomic Energy is committed to ensure compliance of effective implementation of Official Language Policy of the Union. The **Official Language Implementation Committee (OLIC)** under Chairmanship of Director, NISER plays an active and important role to ensure proper implementation of the policy level orders, instructions received from DAE as well as Government of India. Some of the mandatory requirements like bilingual signage, stamps, letterheads, advertisements, tenders, and reports are already being done in the institute. The staff members those who have been trained through various official language Hindi courses are doing their official work in Hindi to the possible extent. To encourage and motivate more employees to execute their official work in Hindi, the DAE's Incentive

Scheme(ATOLIS – Atomic Energy Official Language Implementation Scheme) has been implemented and the staff members are being awarded the prizes under the scheme. The institute time to time also conducts Hindi Seminars / Webinars, Conferences, Workshops and Training Sessions. Competitive events in official language Hindi like essay writing, film quiz, shrutlekh, open speech competitions etc. are the essential part of Hindi Pakhwada / Hindi Diwas celebrations in the Institute every year. Some of such major events and activities conducted during the year 2021-22 are being reported here:

1. Hindi Diwas Celebration

Hindi Diwas was celebrated in the Institute on September 14th, 2021. On this occasion in the first half of the day a competitive Hindi event टिप्पण आलेखन / TIPPAN AALEKHAN" was conducted amongst the staff members of the Institute and in the afternoon session a programme was organized in which the Honorable Director, NISER was the Chief Guest of the function. The prize winners of the टिप्पण आलेखन / TIPPAN AALEKHAN" competition were rewarded by the Director by providing them cash prize money along with the Certificate.

- Few photographs of the prize distribution:

