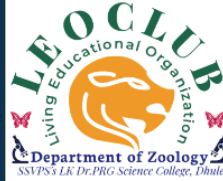


**About College:** The college's motto 'बहुजन हिताय॥ बहुजन सुखाय॥' inspires the students to uphold a bright tradition, maintain excellence, and initiate various innovative initiatives for the welfare of society. Our college is the leading educational institution in North Maharashtra region and has been evaluated three times by the National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC), receiving a commendable A+ grade with score of 3.55 CGPA. Furthermore, the University Grants Commission (UGC), New Delhi, has conferred the prestigious "College with Potential for Excellence (CPE Phase I, II, III)," Star College, DBT-FIST, national-level recognitions upon our college. The Department of Zoology of our college, offered undergraduate and postgraduate programs along with the Leo Club in the department, which continuously organizes various programs related to the environment and nature. Our college has been actively involved in organizing and coordinating the event 'Discovery of Flights: A National Conference for Enthusiastic Bird Watchers' in collaboration with the Nisargvedh Sanstha, Dhule. This has provided the college and the Department of Zoology with a valuable experience and recognition.

**Nisargvedh Society:** Nisargavedh society is a platform for environment activists, nature conservation experts, birdwatchers, nature lovers of Dhule district. The organization came into existence in 2015 with major aim to solve the problems related to nature conservation and environment issues. The biodiversity of Satpura and Khandesh region is being destroyed. The very rare Forest Owlet has once again disappeared. Similarly, 20 endangered bird species (including Red Data species) and 6 endemic bird species are under severe threat of destruction. On this background, Nisargavedh society launched a public awareness campaign. Similarly, discussions are being organized on these issues by organizing workshops, seminars, conferences etc. Apart from this, Nisargavedh society has taken up issues and activities relating to implementation of the Biodiversity Act, hunting of wild animals and birds, illegal tree felling, Laling reserve forest and other biodiversity sensitive areas, conservation of bird habitats at Sonwad, Nakane, Lamkani.

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Dear Bird Enthusiasts,  
Greetings with affection!

We are delighted to invite you to the 'Discovery of Flights: A National Conference for Enthusiastic Bird Watchers' which will be held in the natural landscape of Dhule, located in the Khandesh region of North Maharashtra. It is the duty of true bird enthusiasts to learn about birds and their habitats, conduct research on them, contribute to their conservation, and educate the general public, farmers, and students about their importance. The gatherings of such dedicated bird enthusiasts, who engage in these tasks and share their knowledge, are a true celebration of joy.

The primary goal of this convention, emphasizing the protection and conservation of bird species in the Grassland region, holds significant importance. Both organizations have extensive experience in organizing regional bird enthusiasts' conventions. We hope that you will actively participate in this convention and contribute to the noble cause of bird and environmental conservation on a national level. Thank you for your attention and support.



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- Oral Presentation: 15 Min (10 min ppt, 5 min discussion)
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- ❖ Biodiversity
- ❖ Bird Migration
- ❖ Endangered Birds
- ❖ Bird and Man Conflicts
- ❖ Birds and Environment
- ❖ Bird Watching and Tourism
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- ❖ Diversity of Grassland Birds
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