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HUTATMA RAJGURU MAHAVIDYALAYA
RAJGURUNAGAR, TAL. KHED, DIST. PUNE

Department of Zoology

A.Y. 2023-2024

The Department of Zoology Established in 1977 & it runs undergraduate courses for F.Y. B.Sc., S. Y. B. Sc. and T.Y.B. Sc. Total students enrolled in F.Y. B.Sc. – 61, S. Y. B. Sc. - 34 and T.Y.B.Sc-15. Academic year 2022-2023 results of F.Y, S.Y and T.Y. were 100%. Ashwini Thongire received gold medal in subject Zoology in Savitribai Phule Pune University & Gauri Muthe got 9th rank in order of merit in subject Zoology in Savitribai Phule Pune University. Our TYBSc student Mr. Tushar Bhalinge, Miss Tanuja Bhagade awarded by 2nd, 3rd Rank respectively in “Best Oral Presentation” as well as Prof. Dr. Theurkar S.V. awarded by 3rd Rank for “Best Poster Presentation” in one day International Conference on “Exploring Innovations in Life Sciences (ExILS 2024)” organized by Department of Zoology and Botany, Annasaheb Awate College, Manchar on 23rd March, 2023.

- **Field Visit to Raireshwar of F. Y. B. Sc. students dated on 16th September 2023.**
- **Visit of S. Y. B. Sc students to Silkberry Chwaki Center, Waki dated on 15th October 2023.**
- **Alumni Guest Lecture by Miss. Ujjwala Pawar, to F.Y./S.Y./T. Y. B. Sc students on “Butterflies diversity of India” dated on 20th November 2023.**
- **Lecture on ‘How to write Research paper’ for T. Y. B. Sc students dated on 29th Dec 2023.**
- **Conducted Two days Workshop on Innovative Techniques in Sericulture and Agro- Economy” at Gurudatta Silk Farm, Donde, Tal-Khed, Dist-Pune dated on 20th & 21th Jan 2024.**
- **Organized Study tour for S.Y. B. Sc students to Bird Sanctuary Bhigawan dated on 10th Feb 2024.**
- **Organized Study tour for T.Y. B. Sc students to Tarkarli Aquatic Biodiversity, Devbag dated on 18th & 19th Feb 2024.**

- **Prof. D. N. Birhade, Prof. S.V. Theurkar, Prof. Y.K. Dumbare and 20 students of S.Y./T.Y.B.Sc** participated and presented their research work in the one day **International Conference on “Exploring Innovation in life Science (ExILS- 2024)”** held at **Annasaheb Awate Arts, Commerce and Hutatma Babu Genu Science College, Manchar** dated on **22rd March 2024**. Our TYBSc student **Mr. Tushar Bhalinge, Miss Tanuja Bhagade** awarded by 2nd, 3rd Rank respectively in **Oral Presentation** as well as **Prof. Dr. Theurkar S.V.** awarded by **3rd Rank** for **“Best Poster Presentation”** in one day International Conference on **“Exploring Innovations in Life Sciences (ExILS 2024)”** organized by Department of Zoology and Botany, Annasaheb Awate College, Manchar on 23rd March, 2023.
- **Prof. D. N. Birhade & 03 students** attended one day **Workshop on Start up Opportunities in Zoology: Career in Industry & Employment** at **Shri Shiv Chatrapati College, Junnar** dated on **27th March 2024**.
- Our single **research paper published** in International World Journal of Advanced Research and Reviews (WJARR) entitled **“Watermelon as a potential nutritional horticultural crop: A comprehensive review”** authored by **Dr. Theurkar S.V. and Prof. Birhade D.N.** having **Impact Factor: 7.8**.
- Also **Theurkar SV and Dumbare YK** authors two research papers entitled **“Odonata Faunal Diversity of Bhima Riverine water basin of Khed Tahasil, Northern Western Ghats (MS), India”** and **“The life cycle study of *Holotrichia serrata* (Fab) (Coleoptera: Scarabaeidae)”** accepted for publication in **Bulletin of Environment, Pharmacology and Life Sciences {BEPLS} (2024) (ISSN 2277-1808; Impact Factor: 6.0124)** and **International Journal of Zoological Investigations. (2024) (ISSN 2254-3055; Impact Factor: 2.41)** respectively.

Prof. D. N. Birhade

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Photo 1: Visit to Bhigawan Bird Sanctuary



Photo 2: Attended international conference at Annasaheb Awate Arts, Commerce and Hutatma Babu Genu Science College, Manchar.



Photo 3: Visit to Silkberry Chwaki Center, Waki.



Photo 4: Workshop on Innovative Techniques in Sericulture and Agro- Economy” At Donde, Tal-Khed, Dist-Pune



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Photo: 6 Alumni Guest Lecture by Miss. Ujjwala Pawar, to F.Y./S.Y./T. Y. B. Sc students on “Butterflies diversity of India”.



Photo 7: Lecture on 'How to write Research paper?' for T. Y. B. Sc students