



The Environmental Society Society Activity Report 2017-18

The Environmental Society has been making small but effective strides towards generating awareness, consciousness and taking collective action.

Scavenger Hunt

We kickstarted the year with the Scavenger Hunt, which was successful in spreading environmental awareness in quirky ways. This is one of the most popular events the society holds and also helps the students to know the college better.

The Environmental Society
ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE
presents

SCAVENGER HUNT

29th August (Tuesday)
1:45 PM
SCR Lawns

- Cash Prizes to be won
- Come with a partner
- Brownie points to teams bringing old posters

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Talks

Dr. Asmita Kabra delivered a talk on the topic “Debating Fortress Conservation”, followed by a documentary screening of “Make Way the Kuno Story” (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ku-J68qRnIw>). Discussions were invoked on the idea of fortress conservation as a conservation model based on the belief that biodiversity is best achieved by creating protected areas where ecosystems can function in isolation from human disturbances.



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presents
the Inaugural Talk by



Dr. Asmita Kabra
on
**"Debating Fortress
Conservation"**
and screening of the documentary film-
"Make Way! The Kuno Story"

Date: Monday, 11th Septmeber
Time: 3 PM
Venue: AV Room

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Dr Indrashekhhar Singh from the esteemed NGO Navdanya delivered a talk on the topic “Company Raj 2.0- Poison Cartel, GM Mustard and Green Satyagraha”. He talked about how a few MNCs like Monsanto are emerging as monopolies of seed suppliers and potentially ruining local markets. Ethical debates regarding Genetically Modified items was also discussed.

The speaker also distributed packets of Organic Mustard seeds among the participants to encourage an environmentally sound lifestyle.

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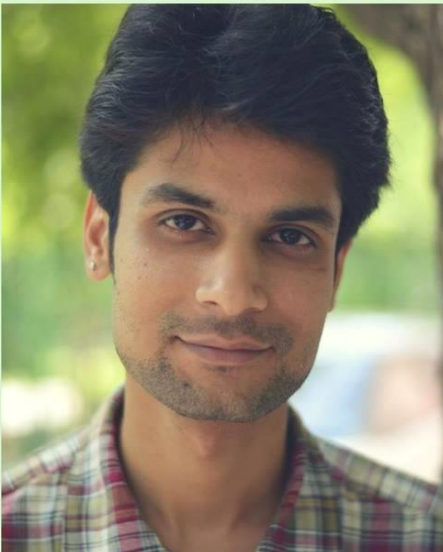


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invites you to a talk by
Mr. Indra Shekhar Singh
on
**Company Raj 2.0 :
Poison Cartel, GM Mustard and Green
Satyagraha**

27th September | 2 PM | Room C

A portrait of Mr. Indra Shekhar Singh, a young man with dark hair and a slight smile, wearing a plaid shirt. The background is a soft-focus outdoor setting.

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Green Diwali Campaign

The 'Cracker Free Diwali Campaign' was organised against the backdrop of the rising concerns about the dismal air quality in Delhi due to reckless burning of crackers around the time of Diwali. As part of our Online Campaign, we made placards with quirky captions inspiring people to celebrate a green Diwali. In keeping with tradition, we made a rangoli using eco-friendly colours in the foyer. We also circulated a video of people sharing their experiences of celebrating a cracker free Diwali to emphasize that a cracker free Diwali is no less fun. In short, we hope we were able to make a good case against bursting crackers.

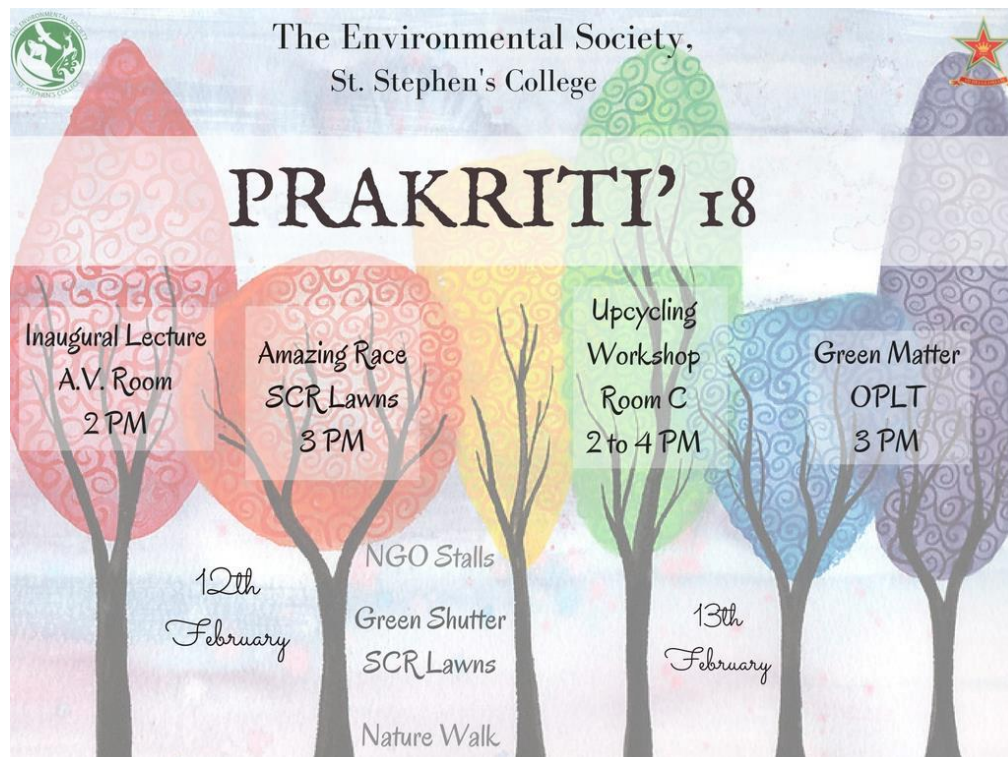


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Prakriti Annual Festival



INAUGURAL LECTURE : Delivered by Mr. Anadish Pal on the topic “Spread spectrum: The honest cheating of cell tower radiation that may kill us all”.

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 **Prakriti'18**

The Inaugural Talk
By **Mr. Anadish Pal**

on
"Spread spectrum-
The honest
cheating of cell
tower radiation
that may kill us
all"

Date: Monday, 12th February 2018
Time: 2:00 PM
Venue: A.V Room

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GREENSHUTTER, PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION - This is a nationwide photography competition. This year's themes were "Climate of Change" and "Zero waste fashion" (Open to interpretation).

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Prakriti '18
presents
GREENSHUTTER
... a nationwide Photography Competition

Themes:
(Open to interpretation)

- Climate of Change
- Zero-waste Fashion

Cash prizes worth Rs. 2250

Rules:

- Maximum 3 entries per person
- Last date for submission is 10th Feb, 2018
- .jpeg format, no watermarks/ borders
- Send entries to: greenshutter.ssc@gmail.com

Please attach following details with your entries:
Name, Contact No.,
E-mail id
& a small description about the picture

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AMAZING RACE - Similar to the Scavenger Hunt, the aim is to spread environmental awareness and consciousness in a fun way.

UPCYCLING WORKSHOP - Conducted by NGO Buland Awaz, the workshop was aimed at encouraging the concept of recycling, reusing and making the best out of waste. We made pen stands and clocks out of old newspapers.

GREEN MATTER- A state wide Environmental Quiz.

NGO STALLS - Stalls were put up by TERI, MR Joseph Verghese and Ms Sara. The idea was to display eco friendly products and generate awareness and encourage a greener lifestyle.

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PRAKRITI '18
presents
GREEN MATTER
an environmental quiz

Register at :
<https://tinyurl.com/y8npj7y4>


Cash prizes to be won

Participation in teams of two




13th Feb, 2018
3 PM onwards
Venue: OPLT

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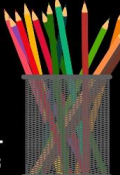
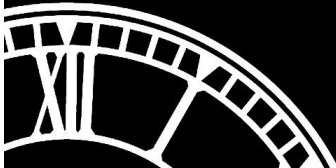


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13TH FEBRUARY
2- 4 PM
ROOM C

UPCYCLING WORKSHOP
WITH
BULAND AWAZ



REGISTER AT:
[HTTPS://GOO.GL/FORMS/Z2VxSJINPXvrKZLM2](https://goo.gl/forms/Z2VxSJINPXvrKZLM2)

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Earth Hour

Internationally, Earth Hour was observed on the 24th of March from 8:30pm-9:30pm. Electricity was cut off on the college campus and residents gathered near the main portico where music performances and light photography was organised with the help of the Music Society and The photography society of the college.

Nature Walk

This year the Nature Walk was organised to the Okhla Bird Sanctuary.

Book Donation Week - In Collaboration With The Social Service League

Books and paper collected as a part of the drive will be recycled into notebooks and distributed in Government schools.

Others

Apart from this, the Society also collaborated with the World Wildlife Fund for a Tree Mapping exercise of the college.

A Composting on College initiative is also in the pipeline.

As a small step towards environmental awareness, the Society also shares various current affairs related articles from various newspapers and magazines on its Facebook Page.