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STORY OF THE MONTH

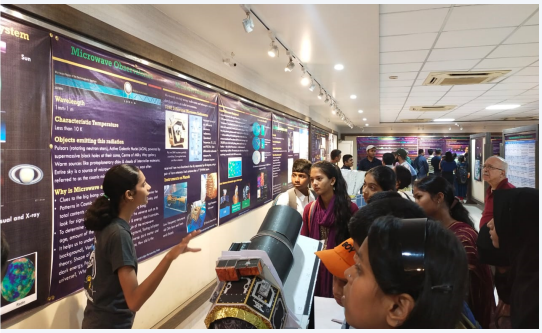
Volunteers Make a Green Impact: 300 Indigenous Plants flourish with Miyawaki Method



Plantation Drive at ZP School, Chambali, Pune

On 19, August, 2023, a unique and transformative tree plantation drive was held at Zilla Parishad School, Chambali, Pune, as part of the 'WASH in Schools Initiative.' Atlas Copco and CYDA joined hands to promote biodiversity and a sustainable ecosystem using the Miyawaki method. The event garnered exceptional support from 40 volunteers and 150 students who collectively planted 300 indigenous plants. Distinguished guests included Mr. Alexander Povlov, GM, Customer Care India, Mr. Abhijit Patil, Manager CSR, Mr. Sachin Thorat, Manager, representatives of Atlas Copco, as well as Mr. Mathew Mattam, Founder, and Pravin Jadhav, Executive Director of CYDA. This event played a pivotal role in raising awareness among students about biodiversity and educating them on the Miyawaki afforestation method. *(Reported- Godfrey Colaco)*

STEM Champions Explore 'Eyes in Space' Exhibition for an enthralling Journey into Space Exploration



Champions at Eyes In Space Exhibition

In August, 16 champions of STEM from the Innovative Learning Center embarked on a mission to boost their scientific curiosity. They visited the captivating exhibition titled "Eyes in Space" at Yashwantrao Chavan Natyagruha, Kothrud, Pune. This educational excursion was planned to provide them with an in-depth understanding of various launcher modules. The experience was exhilarating as they delved into the complexities of space, celestial objects, the workings of the PSLV (Polar Satellite Launch Vehicle), and the Chandrayaan 3 module. This visit served as a valuable opportunity for them to gather insights into space missions launched by both ISRO & NASA. *(Reported- Amruta Pawar)*

Youth Leadership and Peace Advocacy Take Center Stage at CYDA's International Youth Day Celebration in Pune



International Youth Day, Nowrosjee Wadia College

CYDA firmly believes in the leadership potential of today's youth. In recognition of the crucial role that youth play in nation-building and to provide them with a platform to express their concerns about violence, CYDA, in collaboration with Youth4Change, Nowrosjee Wadia College, and the Global Peace Foundation, came together to celebrate International Youth Day on 12, August, 2023, at Nowrosjee Wadia College, Pune. This event brought together 60 enthusiastic young individuals who engaged in discussions about the importance of peace amidst current challenges. It offered them a broader perspective on their roles, responsibilities, and the mechanisms required to foster a harmonious society where diverse identities coexist peacefully. *(Reported- Kaustubh Bhamare)*

Independence Day Celebrations





Independence Day Celebrations at CRC

Independence Day was celebrated across all the Community Resource Centers of CYDA. (Jai Jawan Nagar, Tadiwala, Private Road & Salve Nagar) The event was attended by prominent dignitaries of the communities, CSR representatives, beneficiaries, stakeholders and CYDA staff. Mathew Mattam, Founder, CYDA emphasized Yuva Shakti in nation-building and creating a harmonious society. CYDA strongly believes that Independence is freedom from orthodox and rudimentary belief systems. To integrate women into the mainstream of society, CYDA has crafted many programs like the Non-Traditional Livelihood Program and Science Technology Engineering Mathematics for girls and women. This Independence Day, CYDA vowed to minimize the gender disparity and discrimination that has existed in the work domain for ages through implementing various programs. *(Reported- Najiya Shaikh)*

Tree Plantation Drive in Sharper-Veraval: Combating Climate Change and Boosting Aesthetics





Tree Plantation Drive at Shapar-Veraval village

On 7, August, 2023, there was a tree plantation drive at Shapar-Veraval village to address climate change and waste management challenges. The primary goal of this initiative was to enhance the village's greenery and aesthetic appeal by actively engaging the local community. During the initial phase of the drive, approximately 1000 plants were planted with great enthusiasm by the villagers. *(Reported- Arvind Mer)*

CYDA's commitment to Dignified Lives: Registration Drive Benefits 100 Migrants and Unrecognized Workers



Migrants and Workers Registration Campaign at Dighi

CYDA upholds the belief that every individual has the right to lead a dignified life and should access the benefits designed for them. In pursuit of this goal, CYDA conducted a registration campaign at the BLUE STAR Construction site in Dighi on 23, August, 2023. The campaign aimed to raise awareness about the rights of workers and facilitate their registration process with the Maharashtra Building and Other Construction Workers Welfare Board of the Government. This registration enabled them to obtain labor cards, and safety kits, and access other government schemes. A total of 100 migrants and workers from the unrecognized sector completed their registrations. *(Reported- Sumit Chandanshive)*

CYDA's Empowering Entrepreneurship Program for Underprivileged Women in Kundewadi and Gulvanch







Entrepreneurship Development Program for Underprivileged Women

To empower underprivileged women and challenge traditional patriarchal beliefs, CYDA has crafted a unique Entrepreneurship Development Program. This initiative offers advanced technical training to enable women to make their mark in the business world. From Kundewadi and Gulvanch villages of Sinner block, a total of 32 women participated in this Entrepreneurship Development program. This program allowed them to delve into the various aspects of entrepreneurship, gaining insights into micro-businesses, their types, and various government schemes for available women." *(Reported-Yogesh Nerpagar)*

TESTIMONIAL

"The four-day training program was instrumental in clarifying the difference between a job and a business. It proved to be an enriching experience, and I truly enjoyed the process of crafting a business plan even before starting up. I am thrilled to begin this new chapter as an entrepreneur."

~ Shital Mali (Kundewadi,Sinner, Nashik)

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