

Shri Swami Vivekanand Shikshan Sanstha's
Vivekanand College, Kolhapur
(An Empowered Autonomous Institute)
Department of Zoology (UG & PG) & IQAC
Academic Year: 2025 -26

NATIONAL WILDLIFE WEEK – 2025
(1st October to 4th October 2025)

NOTICE

DAY 2: FACE AND HAND PAINTING COMPETITION

All students of Arts, Science, Commerce and Professional studies are informed that the Department of Zoology, Vivekanand College, Kolhapur (An Empowered Autonomous Institute) in coordination with IQAC, is going to celebrate Wildlife Week from 1st October to 4th October, 2025. On this occasion, to encourage creativity and express artistic interpretation of wildlife and environmental themes, the department is organizing a **Face and Hand Painting Competition**, which will be held on **Friday, 03/01/2025**. Interested students are requested to **register for the competition at the Zoology Department**.

Time: 08:00 am to 10:00 am

Venue: Department of Zoology


Theme for Face and Hand Painting Competition:

- Illustrate wildlife, their habitats, or ecological concepts creatively

Terms and Conditions:

1. Time allotted to participants: 2 hours.
2. Materials will not be provided by the department.
3. Two students per entry are allowed – one will draw, and the other will be the canvas.
4. Use paints suitable for face and hand.
5. Paintings will be judged based on creativity, accuracy, and presentation skills.

Event Coordinator: Ms. P. S. Shetfalkar


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Head
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DEPARTMENT OF ZOOLOGY (UG & PG)

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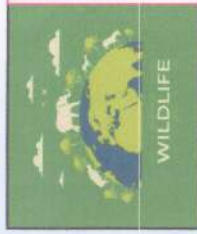
"Wildlife Conservation Finance: Investing in People and Planet"

FACE AND PAINTING COMPETITION

**Face and Hand
Painting
Competitions**
Theme:
• Illustrate wildlife, their
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Saturday, 04/10/2025
Time: 8:00 am to 10:00 am
**Venue:
Department of Zoology**



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Dr. Shruti Joshi
IQAC Coordinator

Dr. R. R. Kumbhar
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 List of Participant

Sr. No.	Name of the student	Class
1.	Sanika Sanjay More	B.Sc. III
2.	Pranoti Prakash Mane	B.Sc. III
3.	Rutuja Bajarang Shirgave	B.Sc. III
4.	Sophiya Mullani	B.Sc. III
5.	Shravani Sanjay Todkar	B.Sc. III
6.	Paras Charudatta Adagale	B.Sc. III
7.	Ketan Keraba Kamble	B.Sc. III
8.	Sangramsingh Sandip mane	B.Sc. III
9.	Yash Mahadev Power	B.Sc. III
10.	Shirish Randhir Patil	B.Sc. III
11.	Ratndip Rajaram Kamble	B.Sc. III
12.	Rajveer Mahadik	B.Sc. III
13.	Hardik Karalkar	B.Sc. III
14.	Jidnyasa Gurav	B.Sc. I
15.	Tanishka Rahul Divase	B.Sc. III
16.	Avinaben Vinodhbai Bariya	B.Sc. III
17.	Suhani Sutaj Patil	B.Sc. III
18.	Manthan Kadalkar	B.Sc. III


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Date : 26/10/2025

To,

Dr. R. Y. Patil,

Assistant Professor,

Department of Computer Science

Vivekanand College, Kolhapur (An Empowered Autonomous Institute)

Subject: Invitation as an Examiner for Face and Hand Painting Competition

Respected Sir,

On behalf of the Department of Zoology & IQAC, Vivekanand College, Kolhapur (An Empowered Autonomous Institute), it is my privilege to invite you to serve as an examiner for the **Face and Hand Painting Competition**, organized by our department as part of the *National Wildlife Week Celebrations -2025*. The event is scheduled on **4th October 2025 at 10.00 am onwards** in the college premises. Your esteemed presence and valuable expertise will greatly enrich the competition and encourage the participants.

We kindly request you to accept this invitation and confirm your availability at the earliest.

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Yours sincerely,

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Date : 26/09/2025

To,

Mr. Satish Upalavikar,

Department of Graphics,

Vivekanand College, Kolhapur (An Empowered Autonomous Institute)

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 Attendance of the Participants

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1	P ₁	Sanika Sanjay More	B.Sc-III	
2	P ₂	Pranoti Prakash Mane	B.Sc-III	
3	P ₃	Rutuja Bajirang Shingave	B.Sc III	
4	P ₄	Sophiya M. Mullani	B.Sc III	
5	P ₅	Shravani Sanjay Todkar	B.Sc III	
6	P ₆	Paras charudatta Adagale	B.Sc-III	
7	P ₇	Ketan Kernaba Kamble	B.Sc III	
8	P ₈	Sangramdingh Sandip Mane	B.Sc III	
9	P ₉	Yash Mahadev Powar	B.Sc. IV	
10	P ₁₀	Shrish Randhe Patil	B.Sc IV	
11	P ₁₁	Ratndip Rajaram Kamble	B.Sc IV	
12		Paras Charudatta Adgale	B.Sc IV	
13	P ₁₂	Deviyani Mehadik	B.Sc IV	
14	P ₁₃	Harshik A. Kulkarni	B.Sc IV	
15	P ₁₄	Jidnyasa P. Gurav	B.Sc - I	
16	P ₁₅	Tanishka Rahul Divase	B.Sc - IV	
17	P ₁₆	Avinaben Vinodbhai Bakiya	B.Sc - IV	
18	P ₁₇	Suhani Suraj Patil	B.Sc III	
19	P ₁₈	Manthan Kulkarni	B.Sc IV	
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 Attendance of the Visitors

Sr. No.	Name of the Teacher	Signature
1	Dr. B.T. Dangal	Dangal
2	Miss. A.A. Bogare	Bogare
3	Dr. Msunali N. Desai	Desai
4	Dr. S.S. Wadkar	Wadkar
5	Dr. Priya D. Patil	Patil
6	Dr. Annapurna R. Ahirkar	Ahirkar
7	Ms. V.V. Misal	Misal
8	Ms. M.M. Nadkarni	Nadkarni
9	Ms. P.P. Patil	Patil
10	Dr. K.K. Bise	Bise
11	Ms. S.S. Shaikh	Shaikh
12	Dr. V.B. Waghmare	Waghmare
13	Dr. F.K. Mujumdar	Mujumdar
14	Ms. Sonal V. Aundhakar	Sonal
15	Ms. Shubhangi B. Bais	Bais
16	Mr. M.P. Patil	Patil
17	Dr. Rajashree Patil	Patil
18	Ms. Mrunal P. Dinde	Dinde
19	Ms. S.D. Shinde	Shinde
20	Dr. J.J. Ankushwar	Ankushwar
21	Dr. A.N. Ambhure	Ambhure
22	Dr. S.P. Shinde	Shinde
23	Ms. S.S. Kadam	Kadam
24	Ms. S.V. Jadhav	Jadhav
25	Dr. D.J. Sutar	Sutar
26	Mr. N.H. Waghmare	Waghmare
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Sr. No.	Name of the student	Class	Signature
1	Pradnya Vijay Patil	BSC II	Patil.
2	Tasneem B. Madaf	B.Sc II	T.B. Madaf.
3	Simran M. Pendhavi	B.Sc II	Simran
4	Asiya D. Madaf	B.Sc II	Asiya
5	Anushka R. Patil	B.Sc III	Anushka
6	Aradhana S. Marathe	B.Sc III	Aradhana
7	Rushi C. Dongare	M.Sc. I	Rushi
8	wivek shrawan kamble	BSC - I	wivek
9	Anuja Ashok Malawi	BSC - II	Anuja
10	Srushti Rahul mali	BSC - II	Srushti
11	Payal Bajirao Patil	B.Sc - II	Payal
12	Nilam Laxman Taminkar	B.Sc - II	Nilam Taminkar
13	Kaetika Mahesh Nikam	B.Sc - II	Kaetika
14	Sadhana Ravindra magdum	B.Sc - II	Sadhana
15	Akanksha Suresh patil	B.Sc - II	Akanksha
16	Saniya Satish chavan	B.Sc II	Saniya
17	Prerana Prakash Gaikwad	B.Sc II	Prerana
18	Pradnya Janhavi sandesh Kamble	BSC - I	Pradnya
19	Rutuja vishal kamble	MSC I	Rutuja
20	Vaishnavi vinod Aborange	MSC I	Vaishnavi
21	Deeptika Tanaji Sonwane	BSC - I	Deeptika
22	Divyanka Anil Sutar	BSC - I	Divyanka
23	Pradnya Ganesh Waghmode	BSC - I	Pradnya
24	minakshi Adhyan waghmode	BSC - I	Minakshi
25	Nikita Shrikant Gaikwad	BSC - I	Nikita
26	Aprva Sagar Gaudale	BSC - I	Aprva
27	Vijaji Ramesh Kamble	BSC - I	Vijaji
28	Suhani Ganesh Sutar	BSC - I	Suhani
29	Saloni Sachin Jadhav	B.Sc - I	Saloni
30	Arpita Bramhanand Bhosale	B.Sc - I	Arpita
31	Sana Sardar Patel	BSC - I	Sana
32	Neha R. Patil	Bsc - I	Neha
33	Shrushti R. Patil	BSC - I	Shrushti

35	Atharv Anil Samant	Bsc - I	Samant
36	Om Anil Patil	Bsc - I	Patil
37	Om S. Mane	BSC - I	Mane
38	Dumwankur Choudhary	BSC - I	Choudhary
39	Parshvnaath P. Malsudum	BSC - I	Malsudum
40	Parth S. Jadhav.	BSC - I	Jadhav
41	Kiran Uttam Yadav	BSC - I	Kuyadav
42	Jyoti Vijaykumar Patil	BSC - I	Patil
43	Shraddha Hanmant Udale	BSC - I	Udale
44	Janhavi Bajirao Godase.	BSC I	J. B. Godase
45	Dnyaneshwari Amar Tilage	BSC I	Tilage
46	Diya D. Tara	BSC I	Tara
47	Sanjivani D. Thanekar	BSC - I	Thanekar
48	Mahadev N. Dabagade	BSC - I	Dabagade
49	Aditya A. Thombare	BSC - I	Thombare
50	NITH P. Rokade	BSC - I	Rokade
51	Rohit S. Jadhav	BSC - I	Rohit
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Date : 04/10/2025

Thanking Letter

To,

Dr. R. Y. Patil,
Assistant Professor,
Department of Computer Science
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Sub: Thanking letter....

Respected Madam,

On Behalf of Department of Zoology & IQAC, Vivekanand College, Kolhapur (An Empowered Autonomous Institute) we express our sincere gratitude towards you. Thank you for spending your precious time to examine the **Face and Hand Painting competition** organised by our department on the occasion of **National Wildlife Week-2025** celebration on **4th October 2025 at 10.00 am** onwards. Thank you for encourage our students. It was thought provoking session.

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Rankers

Sr. No.	Name of Student	Rank
1.	Jidnyasa Gurav	1 st
2.	Rajveer Mahadik	2 nd
3.	Suhani Suraj Patil	3 rd

Consolation Prize

Sr. No.	Name of Students
1.	Tanishka Rahul Divase
2.	Rutuja Bajarang Shirgave


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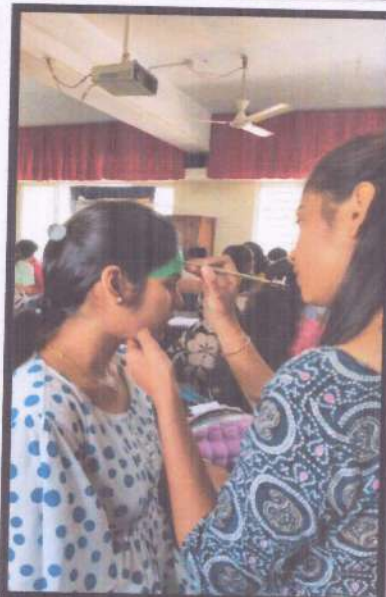

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Report


Every year, National Wildlife Week is celebrated across the country from 2nd October to 8th October to raise awareness about the protection and preservation of wildlife. The theme for this year's celebration was "Wildlife Conservation Finance: Investing in People and Planet", emphasizing the vital connection between biodiversity, sustainable development, and human well-being.

The Department of Zoology, Vivekanand College, Kolhapur (An Empowered Autonomous Institute), organized Wildlife Week – 2025 from 2nd October to 8th October 2025, featuring a series of engaging and educational activities. As part of this celebration, a Face and Hand Painting Competition was held on 4th October 2025. This creative event provided a platform for students to showcase their artistic talent and express their concern for wildlife conservation through colors and imagination.

The theme for the competition was "Illustrate wildlife, their habitats, or ecological concepts creatively". Participants vividly portrayed a variety of animals on their faces and hands, symbolizing the harmony between humans and nature. A total of 18 students registered and actively participated in the competition, while 51 students and 26 faculty members attended the event as enthusiastic spectators.

The competition was evaluated by Dr. R. Y. Patil, Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science, and Mr. Satish Upalavikar, Department of Graphics, both from Vivekanand College, Kolhapur (An Empowered Autonomous Institute). Their keen judgment and encouragement added great value to the event.

The event was coordinated by Ms. P. S. Shetfalkar, Assistant Professor, Department of Zoology, under the guidance of Dr. G. K. Sontakke, Convener of the Wildlife Week Celebration. The event not only celebrated creativity and talent but also kindled a sense of responsibility among students towards the protection of our planet's invaluable wildlife heritage.


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