

WILDLIFE WEEK

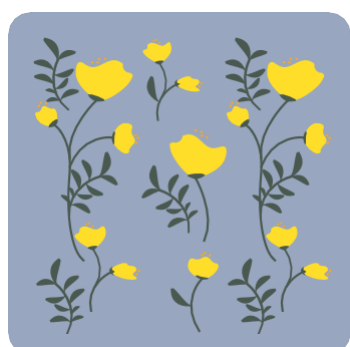
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Laboratory for Conservation of Endangered Species



VIRTUAL COMPETITIONS



Echoes of
Impressions



Dearest
Nest



Backyard
Documentation



Once upon
a Time....

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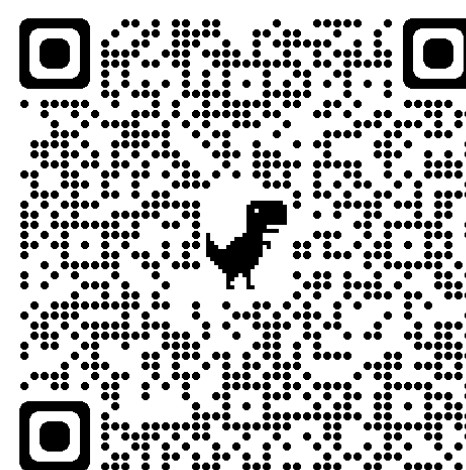
Last Date & Time :- 12 th Oct 2021, 5 : 00 pm



YouTube Live @ CSIR-CCMB Channel



**Participate,
Learn &
Win.**



Register now.



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Wildlife Week Celebration 2021

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The first week of October is celebrated as “Wildlife Week” throughout the world, marking the importance for conservation of wildlife.

As a part of this, we conduct interactive competitions as a fun way to learn about the biodiversity around us. Trees, flowering plants, squirrels, birds, frogs, lizards, butterflies and even cockroaches are parts of the ecosystem we live in.

This year we propose to celebrate the virtual competition of wildlife week on **14th October 2021, 2 to 5 pm** which will also stream live on YouTube.

School students of 8th to 12th Standards can participate.

Here are some exciting contests and guidelines for participants.

1. ECHOES OF IMPRESSIONS!

- Artwork (Size: A4) with print impressions using parts of trees/plants you find around yourself.
- Any plant part can be used such as leaves, flowers, stem, etc.
- Only one part per type of plant can be used
- Mention the names of the trees/plants you use to prepare the artwork.
- Provide a catchy caption for the artwork and submit the image.
- The assessment will be based on the creativity and the number of plants used.



Send photographs of the artworks to ccmbopendays2021@csirccmb.org before 13th October, 2021, 12 noon.

Name the photographs as “Impressions_Your name” and send it in an email with subject “Wildlife week 2021 competition entry”.

2. BUILD A NEST

- Make a nest for your dearest bird family.
- You can use biodegradable materials such as dried grass/leaves/moss/cotton/coconut shell/fibres/fallen feathers, etc.
- Submit the images of step by step making of nest.
- Evaluation will be done based on materials used and creativity.

Example



Step 1



Step 2



Step 3



Step 4

You can explore more kinds of nests that birds build and try making it your own way.

Send photographs of the nest to ccmbopendays2021@csirccmb.org before 13th October, 2021, 12 noon.

Name the photographs as “Nest_Your name” and send it in an email with subject “Wildlife week 2021 competition entry”.

3. Wildlife Documentation



Document the wildlife around you!

You would need to do the following:

- Create an iNaturalist ID. You can use your phone/PC. Phone is ideal :)
- Once you have set up your account, just click away! Bonus points if you can ID the species and write about it.

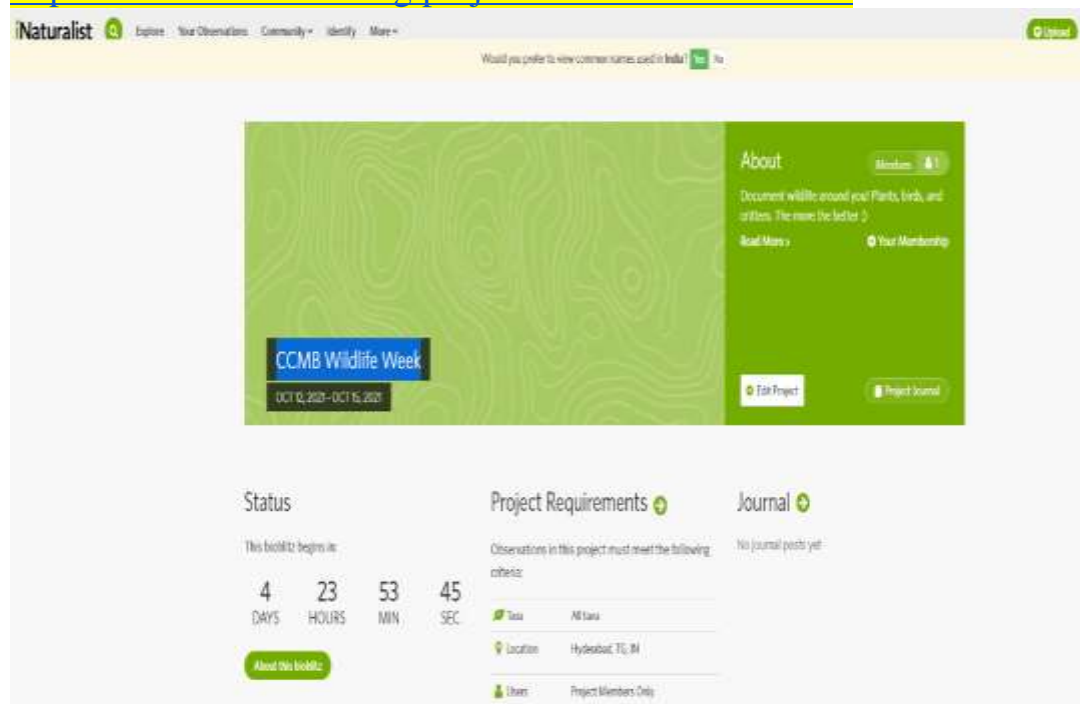
Steps to submit an observation:

<https://www.inaturalist.org/pages/add-an-observation-nz>

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NYv_gUDqQyU

- Join the project CCMB wildlife Week:

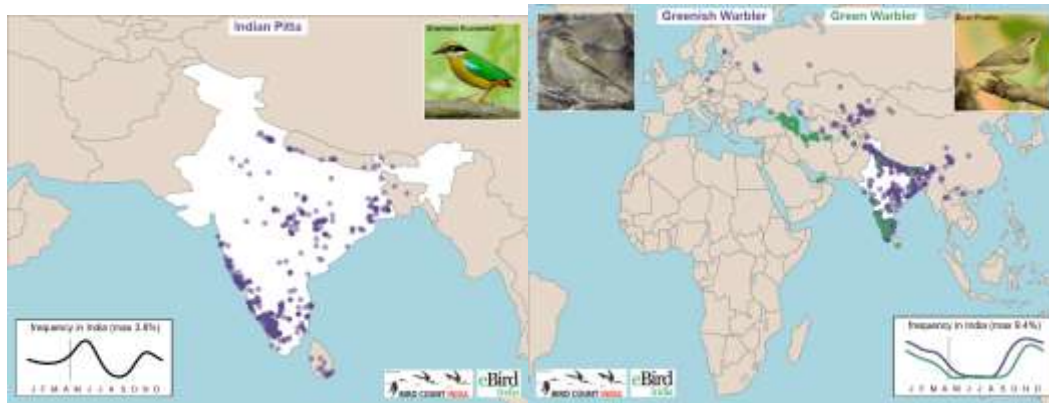
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- Students who submit the maximum number of observations will receive the prize!
- Why is it important?
Check these links out to see how your observation can help in science and conservation.

<https://www.nature.com/articles/d41586-018-07106-5>

Another citizen science platform is [eBird](#), this map is based just out of observations like the ones you will submit. More maps are [here](#).



4. ONCE UPON A TIME...

(Story telling competition)

Let us hear your memories with wildlife.

- Describe your story with photos, puppets or PowerPoint presentations of **plants, insects and animals** you observed in your surroundings.
- Tell us your observations on what they eat, their behavior and whom they interact with.
- Stories are welcomed in three languages: **English, Telugu and Hindi.**
- Narrate the story virtually on 14th of October at 2:30 PM.
- We can travel along with your story for **5 minutes**, so plan accordingly
- Interpret it your way and be **as creative as possible!**
- Your story will be evaluated based on your **narration**

We have given an example.

The Jumping Spider



The rains had slowed down to a drizzle. I sat with my cup of coffee in my balcony overlooking the streets. My mom had brought some plants from the nursery as she loves gardening. We have rose, money plant and few other. I watched the raindrops fall on the leaves and I noticed something moving in the leaves!

Curious to know what it is, I slowly checked the leaves and whenever I happen to notice what it is, it quickly jumps and hides behind another. Maybe, it was playing “Hide-and-seek”. Finally, I saw it: a tiny spider. This spider had two small white markings on its body. This spider didn’t run away and I felt it was staring at me. It looked like, I am scared of spiders, but with this one, I instantly fell awe with it. I called my mom to see this, and when I saw it, it had already disappeared. I said goodbye, hoping to see it another time.

Please register to participate using the link provided below.

[CCMB Wildlife Week Registration Form](#)

The Registration begins from **8th October 2021** and ends by **5 pm on 12th October 2021**.

Each participant is requested to submit all of their entries to ccmbopendays2021@csirccmb.org with subject as “Wildlife week 2021 competition entry” before the following dates:

- Echoes of impressions - 12 noon, 13th October 2021
- Build a nest - 12 noon, 13th October 2021
- Wildlife documentation - Upload the photographs on iNaturalist **from 12th October, 2021 and before 12 noon, 14th October 2021**
- Story telling will be conducted virtually from **2.30 to 4.30 pm on 14th October 2021**.

Each competition will carry three cash prizes of Rs. 1000.