

International Day for Biodiversity Celebrations

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United Nations has proclaimed May 22 as the International Day for Biodiversity (IDB) to increase understanding and awareness of biodiversity. Celebrating International day for Biodiversity every year affirms our resolve and reflects on our responsibility to safeguard the precious heritage of bio-resources for future generations. Forest Research Institute (FRI), Dehradun has celebrated International Day for Biodiversity - 2017 on 22nd May, 2017 with the aim of spreading awareness on biodiversity and the importance of preserving it for future generations. On this occasion, an Exhibition aiming to increase understanding and awareness of biodiversity among general public specially on "Biodiversity and Sustainable Tourism". It emphasizes the role of the tourism sector in the preservation of ecosystems and in raising awareness on the uniqueness of biodiversity. Dr. Savita, Director FRI inaugurated the exhibition arranged in the corridor of the main building of the institute. Dr.A. K. Pandey, Head, Extension division, Head of divisions, scientists, research staff and students were present on the occasion. The main attractions of exhibition were the posters exhibited by various research divisions showing their achievements and contributions to sustainable utilization of biodiversity.

The exhibition is aimed to showcase achievement and innovations of the institute in simple and symbolic language including silviculture of important forest origin tree species, quality seeds and seedlings, forest management, insect and fungal biodiversity, medicinal plants, systematic botany, Non wood Forest Produces, Tree Outside Forests (Agroforestry species) and bamboo products.

The exhibition was opened for general public till 5:00PM on 22nd May, 2017. The exhibition was organized by the Extension Division of the institute. Dr. Charan Singh, Shri Rambir Singh and staff of the Extension division has contributed in organizing above Exhibition at FRI, Dehradun.

संयुक्त राष्ट्र ने जैवविविधता की समझ एवं जागरूकता में वृद्धि हेतु 22 मई को अंतर्राष्ट्रीय जैवविविधता दिवस के रूप में मनाने की घोषणा की है। प्रतिवर्ष अंतर्राष्ट्रीय जैवविविधता दिवस मनाने का उद्देश्य भावी पीढ़ी हेतु जैवविविधता की अमूल्य विरासत को सुरक्षित करने हेतु हमारे उत्तरदायित्व एवं संकल्प को दर्शाता है। वन अनुसंधान संस्थान, देहरादून में 22 जून 2017 को अंतर्राष्ट्रीय जैवविविधता दिवस मनाया गया। इस अवसर पर जैवविविधता पर एक प्रदर्शनी का आयोजन किया गया, जिसका उद्देश्य जैवविविधता पर जनमानस के मध्य समझ तथा जागरूकता को बढ़ाना था। डा० सविता, निदेशक, वन अनुसंधान संस्थान, देहरादून द्वारा संस्थान के मुख्य भवन के कोरीडोर में लगाई गई प्रदर्शनी का उद्घाटन किया गया। इस अवसर पर डा० ए.के. पाण्डेय, प्रभाग प्रमुख, विस्तार प्रभाग, वन अनुसंधान संस्थान, सभी प्रभागों में प्रमुख, वरिष्ठ वैज्ञानिक, अनुसंधान अधिकारी, कर्मचारी एवं छात्र उपस्थित थे। प्रदर्शनी का मुख्य आकर्षण विविध अनुसंधान प्रभागों द्वारा प्रदर्शित किए गए पोस्टर थे, जिनका उद्देश्य जैवविविधता के संरक्षण एवं सकल उपयोग में संस्थान के योगदान तथा उपलब्धियों को प्रदर्शित करना था।

प्रदर्शनी में संस्थान की जैवविविधता संरक्षण, संवर्धन तथा उपयोग में वर्तमान उपलब्धियों को साधारण तथा प्रतीकात्मक भाषा के रूप में प्रदर्शित किया गया था, जिसमें महत्वपूर्ण वन वृक्ष, गुणवत्तायुक्त बीज, बुआई, वन प्रवर्धन, कीट तथा फफूंद जैवविविधता, औषधीय पौध, पौधों की पहचान, अकाष्ठ वन उत्पाद, वन क्षेत्र से बाहर वृक्ष (कृषिवानिकी प्रजातियां) तथा बांस उत्पाद शामिल थे। प्रदर्शनी 5.00 बजे शाम तक आगन्तुकों के लिए खुली रही। प्रदर्शनी को देश के विभिन्न आंचलों से पधारे हुए पर्यटकों, छात्रों द्वारा सराहा गया। यह प्रदर्शनी आगंतुकों में जैवविविधता के प्रति जागरूकता उत्पन्न करने में सफल रही। प्रदर्शनी का आयोजन संस्थान के विस्तार प्रभाग द्वारा किया गया तथा इसके सफल आयोजन में विस्तार प्रभाग के डा० चरण सिंह, वैज्ञानिक, श्री रामबीर सिंह, वैज्ञानिक तथा कर्मचारियों ने योगदान दिया।



Director FRI visiting the Exhibition



Scientists explaining about contribution to Biodiversity conservation



Interactions with the participants

FRI celebrates International Day for Biodiversity

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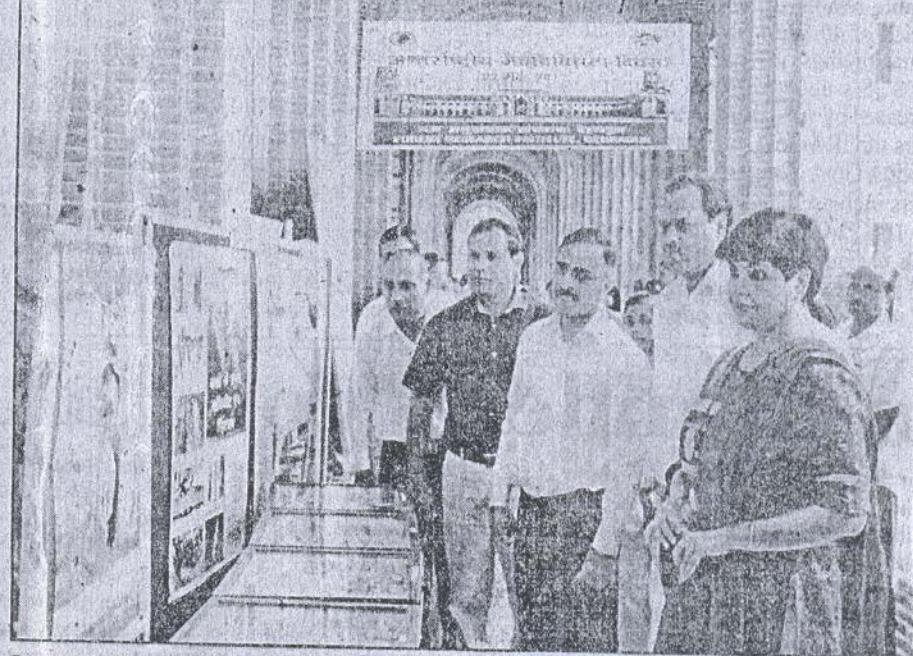
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On the occasion, an exhibition aiming to increase understanding and awareness of biodiversity among public, especially on "Biodiversity and Sustainable Tourism" was held. It emphasized the role of the tourism sector in preservation of ecosystems and in raising awareness on the uniqueness of biodiversity.

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