

Know more about Aaranyak's activities during September 2016

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September was a glorious month

Dr. Bibhuti Lahkar becomes IUCN Heritage Hero. A great and joyful month for all of us!

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This month Aaranyak also reached the 27th Year Foundation Day milestone on 9th September. We take this opportunity to thank our staff, members, volunteers, donors, and well wishers for their unending support and encouragement through out this incredible journey that began in 1989!

Read on to know about all our activities during September 2016.



[IUCN World Conservation Congress 2016](#)

A team led by Dr. Bibhab Kumar Talukdar, CEO and Secretary General of Aaranyak along with Dr. Bibhuti Lahkar and Mr. Firoz Ahmed attended the IUCN World Conservation Congress held at Honolulu, Hawaii USA, from 1st of September to 10th September, 2016.



Free Health Camp near Kaziranga

On the occasion of Aaranyak's 27th foundation day, a free health camp was organized in Dhobaati Primary School on 9th September 2016. Nearly 150 residents of the area attended and they availed free medical check up and free medication. A number of Aaranyak members and volunteers also participated in the camp.



CMS Vatavaran Brahmaputra River Festival and Forum, 2016

Aaranyak organized two activities for the event of CMS Vatavaran Brahmaputra River Fest and Forum held at Guwahati. The 1st was at Bharalu River on 10th September and other was an awareness activity titled "Know the Deepar Beel" on 11th September. Participants came from different schools, colleges and department of environmental Science of Gauhati University.



GTAD presentation at Assam Don Bosco University

The GTAD division of Aaranyak conducted a presentation on “Use of Google Earth for basic GIS operations” in Assam Don Bosco University, Ajara, Guwahati on 21st September 2016. A total number of 60 B.tech and M.tech students and 5 faculty members from the department of Civil Engineering attended the event.



Celebration of World Rhino Day 2016

On the occasion of World Rhino Day, Aaranyak organized an awareness program in Dhanshirimukh Janajati High School, Bokakhat on 22nd September. An audio visual quiz competition was also conducted among the students. A total number of 110 students attended the program.



Cooking Stoves as Tools of Clever Conservation

In the Bhuyanpara Cluster situated at the fringes of Manas National Park, Aaranyak's Manas Tiger Conservation Programme (MTCP) has carried out the Testing of 4 Improved Cooking Stove Models, in association with the Assam Energy Development Agency (AEDA).



Felicitation Program at Jakhlabunda Police Station

Aaranyak conducted a felicitation and appreciation program at Jakhlabunda Police Station on 30th September, 2016. The entire police team of Jakhlabunda Police station was felicitated as a gesture of appreciation to recognize their untiring efforts towards Rhino protection in Kaziranga National Park .



'Asiyo haatir bidyalay yatra'

Aaranyak continued to organize a series of programs during September 2016 under the 'Asio haatir bidyalay yatra' (Asian's Elephants' journey to schools) initiatives, at various educational institutions across Golaghat district of Assam.

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