

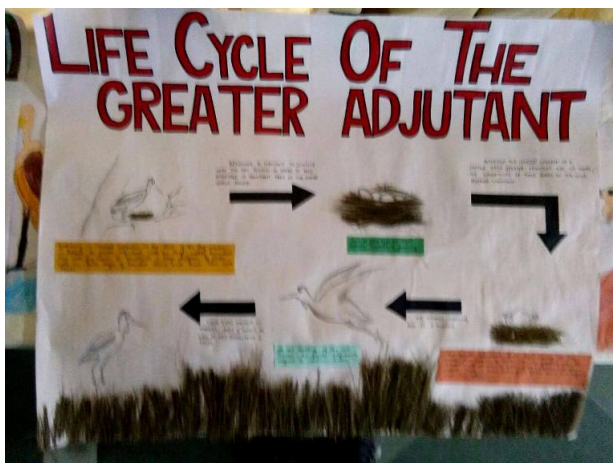
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### May was busy

During May, our team was busy in different activities. Also celebrated International day for biological diversity in collaboration with Sanskriti the Gurukul School, Guwahati at the premises of the school on 22nd May, 2018



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### **Hoolock Gibbon Conservation Training**

Aaranyak in collaboration with Assam State Forest Department and Nagaland Forest Department organized a series of Hoolock Gibbon Conservation Training for the Foresters of Nagaland and Assam. The trainings were organized with support from US Fish and Wildlife Service (GACF) in the Gibbon Conservation Centre, H. Gibbon Sanctuary of Assam from 24th to 30th April, 2018 and from 16th to 22nd May, 2018.



### **Nature Orientation Initiative 2018**

The 11th "Nature Orientation Initiative 2018" was held in Bagori range office campus of Kaziranga National Park from 15th May to 18th May 2018. A total number of 48 students participated in the three days residential program organized by Kaziranga National Park authority, Aaranyak, WWF, WTI, Bhumi and TCF.





### **Seminar on "Wildlife Crime and the Laws"**

With the aim of discussing on the rapid increase in wildlife crime and its legal aspects, Aaranyak jointly in association with Gauhati High Court Bar Association conducted a seminar on "Wildlife Crime and the Laws" on 19th May, 2018 at the seminar hall of Gauhati High Court Bar Association.



### **Weavers trained at Madanguri, Bhuyapara**

Aaranyak, as a part of its livelihood support initiative to the community members from fringe villages of Manas National Park has organised a 6-day weaving



training programme for women from the villages near Bhuyapara range of the park, Baksa. The training held from 21<sup>st</sup> of May to 26<sup>th</sup> May, 2018 saw participation of about 15 weavers from various weaving groups formed by AARANYAK for livelihood support under Bhuyapara and Koklabari cluster.



#### **Maruti Gypsy and Binoculars to Orang NP**

Aaranyak in association with Assam Forest Department, International Rhino Foundation and WWF-India handed over one brand new 4WD Maruti Gypsy to Orang National Park in support of "Indian Rhino Vision 2020" and eight binoculars with support from NABU International on 20th May 2018.

#### **Visitors**

Mr. Manzul Hazarika, Director, Geoinformatics Centre, Asian Institute of Technology, Bangkok visited Aaranyak office on 9th May 2018 and delivered a lecture on "Use of drone on various research and network purpose".



A batch of 32 trainees from Central Academy for State Forest Service Burnihat visited Aaranyak Office on 14th May 2018 and interacted with Aaranyak team about different activities carry out by Aaranyak.



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