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Indian Flying Fox *Pteropus giganteus* | Photo: Udayan Borthakur

January was filled with activities

During January, several programs gearing towards awareness and protection of natural resources and biodiversity conservation were undertaken by Aaranyak team.

[Read on for details of all our other activities during December.](#)



Successful completion of 22nd GTAD training

The Geo-Spatial Technology Application Division (GTAD) of Aaranyak has successfully conducted the 22nd training course on “Application of Remote Sensing, Geographical Informatics System and GPS in various fields” from 4th to 10th January 2018.



Field Gear Distribution Programme at Zoo

Aaranyak in collaboration with Assam State Zoo cum Botanical Garden conducted two field gear distribution programmes for the field staff of Assam State Zoo cum Botanical Garden on 11th & 24th January 2018.



Popular talk on conservation by Dr. Stuart Pimm

Aaranyak in association with University of Chicago and Wildlife Institute of India organized a popular talk titled "Assam is an International priority for conservation: Why? And what can we do about it?" on 22nd January 2018. The talk was delivered by Dr. Stuart Pimm, Doris Duke Professor of Conservation, Duke University and President of Saving Species, in Jorhat Science Centre & Planetarium, Assam.



International workshop at Jorhat

A four day long international workshop titled "The role of parks and sanctuaries in preservation of India's biodiversity" was organised jointly by Aaranyak, University of Chicago and Wildlife Institute of India from 20th to 23rd January 2018 at Rain Forest Research Institute in Jorhat, Assam.



Orientation Workshop on Climate Change

The Environment Education and Capacity Building Division (EECBD) of Aaranyak in collaboration with Rainforest Conservation Education Centre (RCEC), Dibrugarh, Assam, successfully conducted a day-long 'Orientation Workshop on Climate Change' at Joypur Higher Secondary School on 18th January, 2018.



Cycle Rally for Conservation of Manas National Park

On 27th January, 2018 more than 100 students from four neighbouring schools of Manas along with local ABSU members and other local NGOs participated in a cycle rally organized by Manas Tiger Conservation Programme of Aaranyak. This rally covers an area of 10 kms in the fringe villages of Manas.



7th Legal Workshop for police officials at Chirang

Rhino Research and Conservation Division (RRCDD) of Aaranyak in association with Chirang District Police successfully conducted the 7th legal workshop on 29th January, 2018 at SP Office of Chirang for the police officials to sensitize them about crime and illegal trade of wildlife and its body parts.



Workshop on Climate Change threats for children

Water Climate and Hazard (WATCH) division of Aaranyak in association with Center for Sustainable Development Goals, Government of Assam & UNICEF organized a workshop titled "Developing Knowledge Products on SDGs with focus on DRR and CCA for children" on 30th January, 2018 at Hotel Sunview, VIP Road, Six Miles, Guwahati .

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