



# NATURE CARE CLUB

**Khalsa College for Women, Amritsar**



Session 2022-23

### ABOUT

*We are strong believers in the benefit of time-out in nature for all children and their families; it offers time to reconnect with nature and go on a journey of self-discovery.*

Today our society is facing lot of problems related to environment. Moreover, today students are more connected to people all over the world but less connected to the near and dear ones and the nature. Taking this into consideration, Nature Care Club in our college, sorts out some activities which help them to connect, to our 'Mother Earth'. The Nature Care Club conducts various activities such as conducting plantation drives, vermicomposting of biodegradable waste, maintenance of gardens with nature trail, and many more, throughout the year. Khalsa College for Women, Amritsar, have strong desire of promoting environment awareness among the student community and to generate the importance of ecological conservation in diverse sectors of the general population.

Nature Care Club offers practical survival skills as well as building those soft skills that are essential for life such as resilience, self-confidence and compassion. It gives the opportunity for learning through real life experiences and play in a challenging and inspiring environment. If there is one positive opportunity you can offer your child in early life it is the opportunity to discover nature and the fun that is waiting for them there.

Nature Care Club is a voluntary students club with some faculty members. Our club aims to conservation of nature through all its aspects for carrying out various students involving activities for environment. We also provide the platform for students to explore their love and care for nature as well as training them to make aware about the environmental harms and its importance among the society in which they have to create their future. So we conclude our motto through tagline "**Green and Clean Environment**".

# Nature Care Club

## **VISION**

- ❖ To promote Environmental Awareness among student and teachers through informal method.
- ❖ To facilitate development of ECO EDUCATION in the formal education sector.
- ❖ To ensure human resource development for environmental education, awareness, training programmes.
- ❖ To mobilize people's participation for conservation of environment.

## **MISSION**

- ❖ To create awareness on Protection of endangered Flora and Fauna.
- ❖ To inculcate the Habit of Tree Planting among the student and the teachers and to transmit this awareness to the next generation.

## **AIM**

- ❖ The aim of Nature Care Club is to sensitize and mobilize students' participation for preservation and conservation of environment.
- ❖ Nature Care Club bring students closer to nature and make them realize the importance of maintaining an eco-friendly environment.
- ❖ Nature Care Club believe that nature teaches life's lessons in its own subtle ways and enables our youth to share their responsibilities in preserving a healthy environment and to take steps to avoid environmental degradation in their individual capacity as well as in a group.
- ❖ Nature Care Club provides awareness on global environmental challenges and developing means to overcome the problems. Conducting workshops, study tours and plantation programmes motivate the students to value environment.

## **OBJECTIVES OF THE CLUB**

- ❖ To create environmental awareness programme in the name of Eco-Education in natural environment like botanical gardens, herbal gardens, and through intercollege / university flower fests.
- ❖ Develop an awareness of and encourage an interest in the natural environment among its members and the community through meetings, talks, workshops, study groups, and field trips.
- ❖ Promote the establishment and maintenance of plant species within campus to conserve and protect them.
- ❖ Co-operate and collaborate with groups having objectives similar to those of the Nature Care Club in order to promote the exchange of information and to encourage the representation of the Nature Care Club's views.
- ❖ Provide youth opportunities to learn in and about the natural world around them



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### STAFF MEMBERS OF THE CLUB

Nature Care Club	
Staff Members (2022-2023)	1. Mrs. Geet Bawa 2. Mrs. Rajbir Kaur 3. Mrs. Kumari Sita

### STUDENT MEMBERS OF THE CLUB

r. No	Name of Student	Class
1.	Jasleen Kaur	BCA-4 <sup>th</sup> Semester
2.	Khushi Kaur	BCA-4 <sup>th</sup> Semester
3.	Rashmi	BCA-4 <sup>th</sup> Semester
4.	Chandpreet Kaur	BSc(CS)-6 <sup>th</sup> Semester
5.	Jashanbir Kaur	BSc(CS)-6 <sup>th</sup> Semester
6.	Anmolpreet Kaur	MSc (FD)-2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester
7.	Swinky Kaur	B. Voc (N&DP)- 4 <sup>th</sup> Semester

### THE TEAM



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Notice

A meeting of all the nature care club members will be held on 15 September, 2022 in Principal Office at 12:30 PM.

**Members:**

1. Mrs. Geet Bawa
2. Mrs. Rajbir Kaur
3. Mrs. Kumari Sita

**Agenda:**

To organize a lecture on "Environment Protection" on September 21, 2022.

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**Minutes of Meeting**

A meeting of all the nature care club members was held on 15 September, 2022 in Principal Office at 12:30 PM to discuss about organizing a lecture on "Environment Protection" on September 21, 2022.

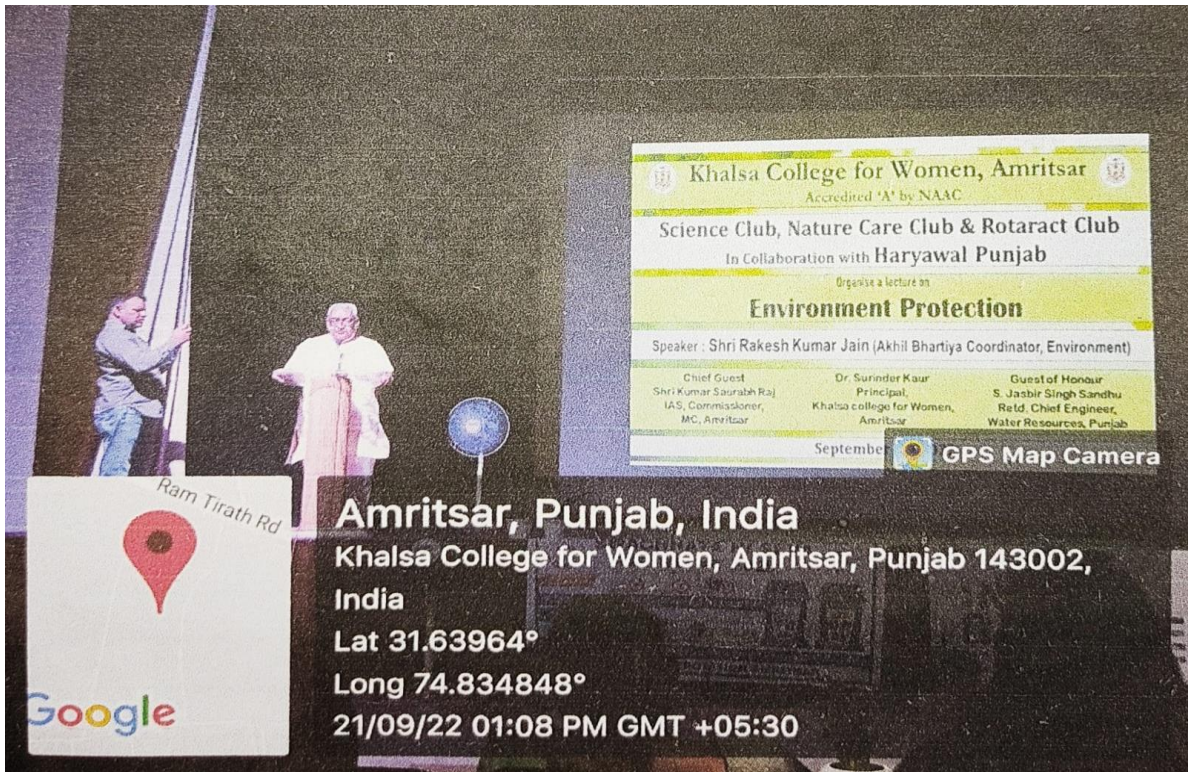
**Action Taken Report**

On 21 September, 2022, Nature Care Club along with the Science Club and Rotaract Club in collaboration with "Haryawal Punjab" organized a lecture on "Environment Protection", where speaker Shri Rakesh Kumar Jain (Akhil Bhartiya Coordinator) shed light on the history of efforts of Shrimati Amrita Devi Bishnoi who sacrificed her life along with more than 363 other Bishnoi by saving the Khejri Trees in 1730. He inspired the students to save environment by singing a life story song on Amrita Devi and importance of environment. He emphasis on 5 "J" that is Jal, Jungle, Jasmeen, Jaanwar and Jan. He discouraged the use of plastics, and encouraged the students to plant more trees, save trees and water. He emphasized the students to ban the use of plastic and polythene as an initiative to protect the environment. Shri Kumar Saurabh Raj (IAS, Commissioner, MC, Amritsar) appeared as "Chief Guest" on this lecture. He truly inspired students through his speech by realising them that the electric vehicles are not the alternate methods to reduce the overuse of natural resources but are much more silent danger to the environment. He enlightened students by giving valuable information about conserving water. He said that if anyone visits a place where there is overflowing of water or the sewage discharge is not proper, immediately inform municipal corporation by mailing them with proper location of that place. S. Jasbir Singh Sandhu (Retired Chief Engineer, Water Resources, Punjab) was the "Guest of Honour" who encouraged students to took a initiative to protect our environment by explaining his projects related to water conservation that by dedication and hardwork, his team completed the conservation plan just within 15 days. Furthermore, through his speech, he invited students to participate in environment protection.



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*Glimpse of the event:*





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## *Glimpse of the Event:*





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Notice

A meeting of all the nature care club members will be held on 19 September, 2022 in Principal Office at 12:30 PM.

**Members:**

1. Mrs. Geet Bawa
2. Mrs. Rajbir Kaur
3. Mrs. Kumari Sita

**Agenda:**

To organize a Tree Plantation Programme on September 21, 2022.

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Minutes of Meeting

A meeting of all the nature care club members was held on 19 September, 2022 in Principal Office at 12:30 PM to discuss about organizing a Tree Plantation Programme on September 21, 2022.

Action Taken Report

On 21 September, 2022, "Tree Plantation Programme" was organized by the club in collaboration with Rotary Club, Amritsar, in which the Rotary Club members planted trees in college campus. They also delivered the message of safeguarding the environment by planting saplings in the college campus.

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**Members:**

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**Agenda:**

To organize an event in which the Municipal Corporation Members will display their vermin compost products in college campus on September 21, 2022.

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### **Khalsa College for Women, Amritsar**

#### Minutes of Meeting

A meeting of all the nature care club members was held on 19 September, 2022 in Principal Office at 12:30 PM to discuss about organizing an event in which the Municipal Corporation Members will display their vermin compost products in college campus on 21 September, 2022.

#### Action Taken Report

On 21 September, 2022, the Municipal Corporation of Amritsar displayed various products, such as, vermicompost, which is used as manure for the plants. They also explained the ways to segregate biodegradable, non-biodegradable wastes and hazardous wastes. They also distributed vermi compost samples to students, staff and guests.

#### *Glimpse of the event:*



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Notice

A meeting of all the nature care club members will be held on 22 October, 2022 in Principal Office at 12:30 PM.

**Members:**

1. Mrs. Geet Bawa
2. Mrs. Rajbir Kaur
3. Mrs. Kumari Sita

**Agenda:**

To organize a Tree Plantation Programme on 27 October, 2022.

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### **Khalsa College for Women, Amritsar**

#### Minutes of Meeting

A meeting of all the nature care club members was held on 22 October, 2022 in Principal Office at 12:30 PM to discuss about organizing a Tree Plantation Programme on 27 October, 2022.

#### Action Taken Report

On 27 October, 2022, A "Tree Plantation Programme" was organized by the club in which the members of club planted trees in college campus. They also delivered the message of safeguarding the environment by planting saplings in the college campus.

#### *Glimpse of the event:*





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Notice

A meeting of all the nature care club members will be held on 12 November, 2022 in Principal Office at 12:30 PM.

**Members:**

1. Mrs. Geet Bawa
2. Mrs. Rajbir Kaur
3. Mrs. Kumari Sita

**Agenda:**

To install Vermin Compost unit in college campus on 19 November, 2022.

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**Khalsa College for Women, Amritsar**

Minutes of Meeting

A meeting of all the nature care club members was held on 12 November, 2022 in Principal Office at 12:30 PM to discuss about installation of Vermin Compost in college campus on 19 November, 2022.

Action Taken Report

Vermin Compost unit was installed in the college campus on 12 November, 2022. The objective was to create awareness of the solid waste management and recycle solid waste from the college campus and produce economically important Vermin Compost. Dry leaves and kitchen waste from the canteen will be collected and will be placed in the vermin composting unit.

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Notice

A meeting of all the nature care club members will be held on 5 December, 2022 in Principal Office at 12:30 PM.

**Members:**

1. Mrs. Geet Bawa
2. Mrs. Rajbir Kaur
3. Mrs. Kumari Sita

**Agenda:**

To participate in the Flower Show and Rangoli competition to be held at Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar on 14-16 December, 2022.

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#### **Minutes of Meeting**

A meeting of all the nature care club members was held on 5 December, 2022 in Principal Office at 12:30 PM to discuss about participation in the Flower Show and Rangoli competition to be held at Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar on 14-16 December, 2022.

#### **Action Taken Report**

Khalsa College for Women bagged bunch of awards and gained overall third position in the Flower Show and Rangoli competition held at Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar on Dec 14-16, 2022. College won first and second prizes in different categories; including class A- Flowers Variety, class B- Foliage Plants, and class C- Cacti and Succulent Plants. Vice Chancellor, GNDU, Dr. Jaspal Singh Sandhu honoured the college. Principal, Khalsa College for Women, Dr. Surinder Kaur congratulated the team and admired the gardeners for their hard efforts in maintaining beautiful gardens. Principal added that maintaining greenery is a great contribution towards society and protecting the mother earth.

#### ***Glimpse of the awards received:***





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Notice

A meeting of all the nature care club members will be held on 25 February, 2023 in Principal Office at 12:30 PM.

**Members:**

1. Mrs. Geet Bawa
2. Mrs. Rajbir Kaur
3. Mrs. Kumari Sita

**Agenda:**

To participate in the Flower Show and Poster Making competition to be held at Khalsa College, Amritsar on 1-3 March, 2023.

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### **Khalsa College for Women, Amritsar**

#### **Minutes of Meeting**

A meeting of all the nature care club members was held on 25 February, 2023 in Principal Office at 12:30 PM to discuss about participation in the Flower Show and Poster Making competition to be held at Khalsa College, Amritsar on 1-3 March, 2023.

#### **Action Taken Report**

Khalsa College for Women, under the assistance of nature care club, bagged bunch of awards in the Flower Show and Poster Making competition held at Khalsa College, Amritsar on March 1-3, 2023. College won first, second and consolation prizes in different categories; including class A- Seasonal Flowers, class B- Rose Varieties, class C- Foliage Plants, class D- Medicinal Plants, class E- Indoor Plants including Air Purifier, and class F- Succulents. Principal, Khalsa College for Women, Dr. Surinder Kaur congratulated the team and admired the gardeners for their hard efforts in maintaining beautiful gardens. Principal added that maintaining greenery is a great contribution towards society and protecting the mother earth.

#### ***Glimpse of the awards received:***





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Notice

A meeting of all the nature care club members will be held on 7 March, 2023 in Principal Office at 12:30 PM.

**Members:**

1. Mrs. Geet Bawa
2. Mrs. Rajbir Kaur
3. Mrs. Kumari Sita

**Agenda:**

To participate in the Spring Festival of Flowers, Plants, and Rangoli to be held at Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar, on March 14–16, 2023.

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### Minutes of Meeting

A meeting of all the nature care club members was held on 7 March, 2023 in Principal Office at 12:30 PM to discuss about participation in the Spring Festival of Flowers, Plants, and Rangoli to be held at Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar, on March 14–16, 2023.

### Action Taken Report

Khalsa College for Women bagged bunches of awards and gained overall first position in the Spring Festival of Flowers, Plants, and Rangoli held at Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar, on March 14–16, 2023. The college won six first place positions and ten second place positions in different categories for flowers and plants. The students of the college participated in rangoli competitions, where Anmoldeep Kaur of MSc (FD)-II bagged first place in colour rangoli and Chandpreet Kaur of BSc (CS)-VI bagged second place in floral rangoli. The principal of Khalsa College for Women, Dr. Surinder Kaur, congratulated the associated team and admired the gardeners for their hard work in maintaining beautiful gardens. Principal added that maintaining greenery is a great contribution to society and protecting Mother Earth.

### *Glimpse of the Spring Festival:*





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### *Participation in Colours and Floral Rangoli:*





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**Notice**

A meeting of all the nature care club members and staff of Computer Science and Botany department will be held on 10 April, 2023 in Principal Office at 12:30 PM.

**Members:**

1. Mrs. Geet Bawa
2. Mrs. Rajbir Kaur
3. Mrs. Kumari Sita
4. Mrs. Pritika Mehra

**Agenda:**

To discuss about creating QR codes for campus flora.



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### **Khalsa College for Women, Amritsar**

#### **Minutes of Meeting**

A meeting of all the nature care club members, a member of Computer Science department and a member of Botany department was held on 10 April, 2023 in Principal Office at 12:30 PM to discuss about creating QR codes for campus flora. Members discussed about the requirements for the installation of QR codes, its budget and time the installation would take.

#### **Action Taken Report**

The Nature Care Club, with the collaboration of Computer Science and Botany Department, Khalsa College for Women, on May 01, 2023, created QR codes for campus Flora, which would help to know about the detailed information for particular plant simply by scanning the QR code with the smartphones. QR codes were created for total of 42 plants.

#### ***Glimpse of the Installation:***



## Report

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