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**Awareness about plastic pollution and its effects on aquatic life and environment**

**Name of activity** : Awareness about plastic pollution and its  
Its effects on aquatic life and environment.  
**Date** : 29 Sept 2022  
**Organized by** : DLLE  
**Venue** : Sagareshwar beach Vengurla.  
**Event co-ordinator** : Ms. Sheetal S. Samant  
**Event advisor** : Dr Vijay A Jagtap

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*Spreading awareness about plastic pollution and  
it's effect on aquatic life and environment*

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**VENUE: SAGARESHWAR BEACH, VENGURLA**

**Objectives :**

The main objective behind this activity was

1. To make people aware about the harmful effects of plastic on marine life and environment .
2. To encourage the people to reduce the use of plastic and other plastic materials.
3. To encourage the people about use of cloth bags instead of plastic bags.
4. To create a plastic -free environment for aquatic life and people.

**About this activity:**

To contribute to the theme, 'BEAT PLASTIC POLLUTION' by government of India which is to wipe out all the single-use plastics from the country by 2022.

'A Walk on the beach soothes the soul'

Beaches are the places to cure all bad moods .It gives us the feeling of being relaxed and satisfied. So, it's individual responsibility to maintain the beauty of this beaches.

Every year about 100 million tons of plastic are produced all over the world. Out of this, 25 millions tons of non-biodegradable plastic gets accumulated in environment.

Many reports says that thousands of marine animals worldwide have been affected by plastic pollution including sea turtles,sea birds and marine mammals.Therefore encouraging beach clean-ups are vital to mitigate the problems caused by plastic pollution to marine life.

As a small step from our side, the students of Yashwantrao Bhonsale College of Pharmacy,Sawantwadi organized a DLLE's community level activity i.e Spreading awareness about plastic pollution and it's effects on aquatic life and environment.

On 29 September 2022 we conducted this activity at Sagareshwar Beach, Vengurla. Around 35 individuals were actively participated in our activity. NCC Coordinator Prof.C.K Chukwade sir has guided the students throughout this activity.

Plastic takes up to 500 years to degrade. It impacts aquatic life on a daily basis and it upsets the food chain. This is one of the most harmful effect of plastic pollution on environment so awareness was created among the people about harmful effects of plastic.

**Details of participants :**

Number of participants : 35

## Glimpses of the event:



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