

DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY



Prananath College (Autonomous), Khordha

"A person who never made a mistake never tried anything new." — Albert Einstein

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Puja Vacation
1st to 8th Oct, 2022

STUDENT CORNER

- ✚ 12th Oct– 17th Oct, 2022: 5th & 3rd Mid Term Examination
- ✚ 13th Oct., 2022: +3 1st Year Botany Hons. Classes started as per the DHE Odisha, Letter No. 42042/7. 10.2022
- ✚ 26th Oct, 2022: P.G, Botany 1st round Admission under SAMS for the academic session 2022-2023
- ✚ 5th Dec, 2022: 1st Semester classes of P.G. (Botany) started.
- ✚ 14th to 17th Dec, 2022: 1st Mid Semester Examination 2022
- ✚ 21st to 24th Dec, 2022: 3rd Semester End Term Practical Exam
- ✚ 26th to 29th Dec, 2022: 5th Semester End Term Practical Exam

EVENTS

Athletics

Athletic Association Meeting was held on 27th Oct. at 11AM. Mrs. S.M. Rout & Mr. JR Pattanaik attended the meeting as members.



Mrs. Sudhansumala Rout organized the Inter College Volley Ball Tournament- 2022, Utkal University as an Officer in charge of Sports held on 2nd October, 2022.

ACHIEVEMENTS

Aditya Pradhan (BS-22-143) & Alibha Rashmi (BS-22-325) of Botany Honours participated in Odia debate on the occasion of observation Vigilance Awareness week. On this day the Integrity Pledge was being taken by the staff on 31st October at 11AM in Maitree Bhawan.

Poster presentation

Mr. Binod Kumar Mahapatra, Lecturer in P.G. Department of Botany participated in Poster Presentation on "*Cytogenetic study of Chromium-6 Oxide, Nano Particle in root tip cells of Allium cepa* in 45th Annual Conference of Odisha Botanical Society-2022 on **Biotechnological Approaches for Mitigating Climate Change** organized by the Department of Botany, Udayanath Autonomous College of Science and Technology, Adaspur, Cuttack on 10th and 11th Dec, 2022.

International Conference

Dr. B. Mishra, Dr. L.P. Mishra, Mrs. S. M. Rout, Dr. G. Rout, Mr.L.P. Pattanaik, Mr. B.K. Mohapatra, & Ms. Uhashee Mandal joined online International Conference on **Resent Advance in Biological Science** organized by Dept. of Botany & Zoology, Vikramdev Autonomous College, Jaypur, Koraput on 23rd and 24th Dec, 2022.

ACTIVITIES

Outreach Programme:

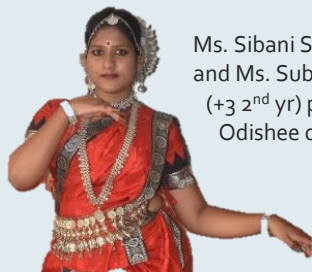
All the staff and students of the Botany Department visited **Anita Nursery** at 11AM on 9th Oct., 2022. The aim of the visit was to learn cultivation & nursery operation of plants and control of pest and diseases. We hope that such activates will help us to better understand nursery problems, needs and goals as well as identify possible areas of cooperation between students and stakeholders.



Visit to Anita Nursery

Welcome-cum-Orientation Programme

The Department of Botany celebrated the Welcome-cum-Orientation Programme on 11th Oct, 2022 at 11AM in room no. 37 for the new entrants in UG Botany Honours. It was followed by cultural programme organized by the UG students with the leadership of **Asish Kumar Jena**, the Seminar Secretary and **Ansuman Jaising**, the Joint Secretary.



Ms. Sibani Sahoo (+3 2nd yr) and Ms. Subhashree Mallick (+3 2nd yr) performed Odisee dance.



Freshers- 2022 Adm.Batch

your willpower grows stronger as you train it.

Tips

- * Time management * be organized and make deadlines your priority. * Accept Constructive Criticism * Find a note-taking system that works well for you * Meet with your academic advisor on a regular basis
- *Actively participate in activities organized by the College/faculty * Don't be afraid to drop a class you don't like & learn to communicate in the classroom *Take good care of your health & stress management * Get to know your teachers.

+3 Help Desk

Mrs. Sudhansumala Rout, Reader; Mr. J.R. Pattanaik extended their help as the member in the helpdesk during +3 e-admission 2022-23 Phase II from 9th to 11th Oct, 2022.



- Dr. Binodini Mishra, Asso. Prof. & Head of the Department, Botany attended the Valedictory Function as Guest of Honor (on the topic: "Vegetable Nursery Management") for Skill Based Training in Horticulture, RKVY-2022-23 organized by School of Horticulture, Khordha, Govt. of Odisha on 18.11.2022. Our staff members Mr. L.P. Pattanaik & Mr. J.K. Samantaray were present in this occasion.

Faculty Exchange Programme

- As per the MOU signed with the School of Horticulture, Khordha, Mr. Gouranga Charan Swain, DDH was invited to the Department of Botany as the Resource Person under Faculty Exchange Programme.



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Mr. Swain delivered talk on Economic Botany, Mushroom Culture, Irrigation and Horticultural Practices to the UG students and staff members of Botany Department on 14.11.2022 at 12.30pm. The outstanding talk encouraged the students towards self-employment through skill development.



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WELCOME TO BOTANY FAMILY



Mr. Binod Kumar Mahapatra joined as a Lecturer in the PG Department of Botany on 7th December, 2022.

INTRODUCTION CUM ORIENTATION PROGRAM

Introduction-cum-Orientation Program for newly admitted PG students 2022-2023 was jointly held in the Maitree Bhawan on 14th Dec, 2022 at 11am in presence of eminent Professors of Universities.



Welcome *The first batch of students* to the P.G. Department of Botany....2022-23

In-House Seminar

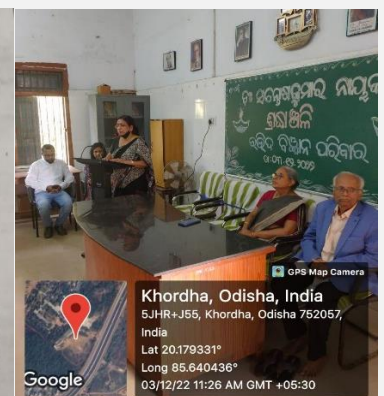
The department organized an in-house seminar on 07th Dec, 2022 in room no. 15. Different topics related to plant sciences were delivered by the students. Dr. Gitanjali Rout conducted the seminar.



SMRUTISABHA



A condolence meeting was held in the Department for the sad demise of Dr. Santosh Kumar Nayak, ex-HoD, Botany who left for his heavenly adobe on 24th November, 2022. Sir, Your contribution to the Botany Department is precious and a great loss to Plant Sciences. You will be remembered for ever.



Academic Council Meeting- 2022 was held in the Maitree Bhawan at 11AM on 11th Dec, 2022

