

World Environment Day Celebration at Institute of Wood Science and Technology

Institute of Wood Science and Technology, Bengaluru celebrated the World Environment Day on 5th June 2016. On this occasion, **Sri. Surendra Kumar, IFS, Director, IWST** addressed the gathering and requested to celebrate this day for the remaining 364 days also. As the theme of this year's Environment Day was "**Fight Against the illegal Trade in Wildlife**", Sri. Surendra Kumar highlighted the importance of wildlife at global level. Sri. Mohan Karnat, IFS, Group Coordinator (R) described the relevance of environment day in present context. During the programme Institute conducted two competitions i) Environment elocution competition ii) Environmental quiz. Director of the Institute gave away the prize to the winners. Dr. Pankaj Kumar Aggarwal, Extension Officer of the Institute coordinated the programme.

On the Environment Day, a programme was also organized jointly by NSS, PU Board Karnataka, World Forestry, Agroforestry Technology and IWST, Bengaluru at the Institute premises. A total of about 400 NSS students from different schools participated in the programme and took out a rally inside the campus to generate awareness about the environment.

























