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REPORT

ON

STATE LEVEL STUDENT WEBINAR

ON

**“Challenges of Ecosystem
Restoration”**

ORGANISED FOR

WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY OBSERVATION

By

DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY

DATE: 05.06.2021

TIME: 3PM

PLATFORM: YOU TUBE

LINK: <https://www.youtube.com/live/aXGjYcRX4cU?feature=share>

Chief Speaker: **Sri Umashankar Mondal**,
The Mangrove Man,
Environmental Activist and Ecosystem restorer

Department of Geography of Mugberia Gangadhar Mahavidyalaya arranged for a State Level national webinar on “**Challenges of Ecosystem Restoration**” for raising awareness among students as observation of World Environment Day on June 5, 2021. The chief speaker of the webinar was the Environmental Activist and Ecosystem restorer, Sri Umashankar Mondal, better known as The Mangrove Man. Apart from the chief speaker, Dr. Pintu Roychowdhury, Assistant Professor, Department of Bengali, was also a speaker in the program.

The webinar was chaired by Dr. Swapan Kumar Misra, the principal of the college. The whole program was conducted by the departmental Head Smt. Irani Banerji Chatterjee who declared the auspicious inauguration of the program. . The Principal of the institution, Dr. Misra delivered his valuable speech on the importance of celebration of Environment Day and about the restoration of environment all over the world. His speech also reflected on the importance of sustainability through restoration of the environment.

Following the welcome address, Mrs. Irani Banerjee Chaterjee, Head of the Department of Geography, provided an overview of the significance of the webinar. She emphasized the urgent need for ecosystem restoration, particularly in ecologically sensitive areas like the Sundarbans. Mrs. Chaterjee also introduced the keynote speaker, Mr.Umasankar Mandal,The Mangrove Man whose expertise in environmental issues, especially the conservation of the Sundarbans, made him a fitting choice for the event.

Mr.Umasankar Mandal,The Mangrove Man began his session with a comprehensive analysis of the challenges faced by the Sundarbans' sea shore. He shed light on the environmental degradation caused by human activities, climate change, and industrialization. Mr. Mandal also discussed the unique biodiversity of the Sundarbans and the role it plays in maintaining the ecological balance of the region. His passionate presentation underscored the importance of immediate action to save the Sundarbans' sea shore from further deterioration.

The webinar witnessed active participation from the audience, with insightful questions and discussions on potential solutions and collaborative efforts for ecosystem restoration. The interactive session provided a platform for participants to share their views and experiences, fostering a sense of collective responsibility.


Conclusion:

The State Level Webinar on the Challenges of Ecosystem Restoration organized by the Department of Geography, Mugberia Gangadhar Mahavidyalaya, served as an insightful and informative platform. The event succeeded in raising awareness about the critical issues surrounding the Sundarbans' sea shore and the urgent need for ecosystem restoration. The contributions from the distinguished speaker, Mr.Umasankar Mandal,The Mangrove Man, coupled with the active engagement of participants, highlighted the importance of interdisciplinary collaboration in addressing environmental challenges.

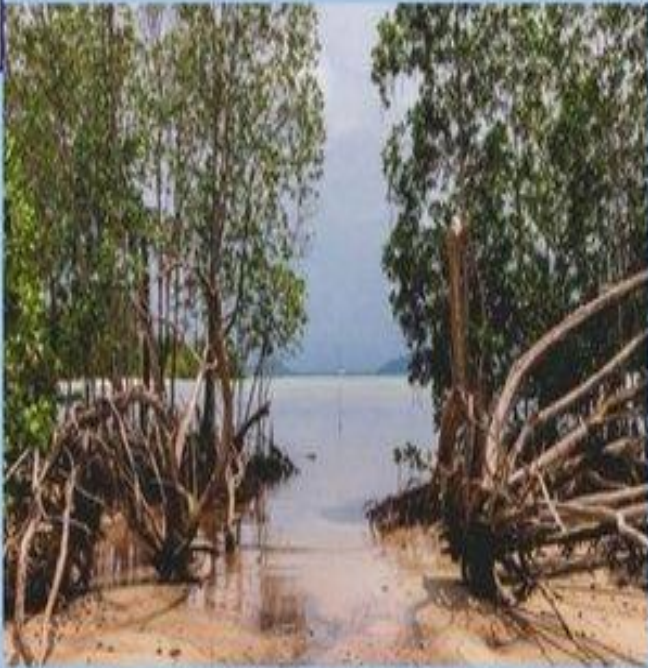
As a concluding note, the webinar emphasized the role of educational institutions in promoting environmental consciousness and fostering a sense of responsibility among the youth. It is

hoped that the knowledge gained from this webinar will inspire concrete actions and initiatives to preserve and restore the delicate ecosystems, not only in the Sundarbans but also across the globe. Mugberia Gangadhar Mahavidyalaya remains committed to such endeavors in the future, contributing to the collective efforts for a sustainable and ecologically balanced world.

The poster of the program



OBSERVATION OF WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY, JUNE 5, 2021



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ON

"Challenges of Ecosystem Restoration"

Organized by
Department of Geography
In collaboration with IQAC,
Mugberia Gangadhar Mahavidyalaya

Date: 5th June, 2021
Time: 3 pm
Platform: Zoom

Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85692114926?pwd=MGFzMTZMwOTFSSlhMUUVFaVdJYTRkQT09>

YouTube Link: <https://youtu.be/aXGjYcRX4cU>

Eminent Speaker: **Sri Umashankar Mondal**, the Mangrove Man,
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The screen shots of the program:



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