

TAMILNADU FOREST DEPARTMENT

From

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To

The Joint Director,
Directorate of Collegiate Education,
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The Chief Educational Officer,
Vellore / Tirupathur / Ranipet District.

The Vice Chancellor,
Thiruvalluvar University,
Serkadu, Vellore.

All the Principals,
Government and Private Colleges /
Government and Private Higher
Secondary Schools / Government and
Private High Schools / Government
and Private Middle Schools /
Government and Private Elementary
Schools,
Vellore / Tirupathur / Ranipet District.

C.No.7345/21/M, Dated : 27.09.2021.

Sir,

Sub : Forests - Wildlife week celebration - October 2021 - conducting of various competitions - Regarding.

Ref : Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoD), Chennai Ref.No. WL1/9930/2021, dated : 24.09.2021.

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I wish to inform that, Wildlife week celebration has been celebrated by Forest Department during the first week of October every year. As a part of celebrations during this year, various competitions for students at both school and college levels is being conducted by Forest Department.

As per instructions stipulated in the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoD), Chennai Ref. No. WL1/9930/2021, dated : 24.09.2021, all the competitions should be conducted through online mode only. With effect to it, it is informed that, all the competitions should be conducted through online mode only at your end.

With regard to the painting competition, the scanned copies / Photos of the paintings of the students who got 1st place at each group level (given below) of every school and college to be collected at your end and the copies to be

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e-mailed collectively to this e-mail ID **wlweekcelebrationvellore@gmail.com** on or before **02.10.2021 7.00 pm.**

The winners who got first place of each group level will be decided by the head of the institutions concerned. Only the toppers of each group level of every school and college should be e-mailed. In such paintings the following details of students should be hand written legibly,

- 1) Name of the Student
- 2) Standard & Section / Department, Year and Section
- 3) Name of the school / College and Place
- 4) Student's contact No.

I) Categories for painting competition : -

Theme : "Wildlife and Environment"

Timings : 02.10.2021 9.30 AM to 12.00 PM

Group 'A'	- L.K.G. to I Std
Group 'B'	- II Std to V Std
Group 'C'	- VI Std to VIII Std
Group 'D'	- IX Std to XII Std
Group 'E'	- College Students
Group 'F'	- Special Category for Physically challenged.

II) Online logo competition : -

It has been decided to organize competitions for designing logos for the following areas.

- 1) Dugong Conservation Reserve
- 2) Srivilliputhur- Meghamalai Tiger Reserve
- 3) Agasthyamalai Elephant Reserve
- 4) Wildlife Today-a quarterly journal for wildlife being published by wildlife Wing of TNFD

III) Making short film : -

It is informed that it has been decided to organize competitions for making short films on wildlife for 2 categories :

- 1) Below 18 years of age: 3 Min.
- 2) Above 18 years of age: 5 Min. and 10 Min.

Prizes are as follows:

- 1st Prize : Department sponsored trip to Kaziranga National Park
- 2nd Prize: Department sponsored trip to Jungle Lodges Karnataka
- 3rd Prize: Department sponsored trip to Mudumalai Tiger Reserve

The prize winning movies will be screened at TNFA, Coimbatore on 7th October 2021. The themes may include marine wildlife, mammal ecology, water birds, nesting behavior, urban wildlife, climate change and wildlife, man-animal interaction, wetland wildlife, reptilian life history, etc. Given the time constraint, all officers are requested to spread the message of this competition through social media, departmental website, word of mouth, etc. Soft copy of the entries should reach the O/o. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Chief Wildlife Warden on or before 4th October 2021. The entries will be screened before a board of Jury at TNFA auditorium to decide the best films for the award to be announced at the valedictory.

NOTE : -

All communications relating to drawing competition will be only through ***wlweekcelebrationvellore@gmail.com*** The details of participants in the prescribed format to be emailed on or before 02.01.2021 (excel file is emailed) and the winners who got the 1st place of each group level of every school and college should be emailed on or before 02.10.2021 7.00 PM (**emails received after this will not be taken into account**). The District level winners of each competition will be announced later and the winners list will be forwarded to The Chief Wildlife Warden, Chennai for State level competitions and date, venue and further details for State level competitions will be communicated later. All the participants of both the competitions will be given E-Certificates which will be emailed later.

2) All communication relating to Online logo and short film should be sent to following e-mail address ***tncwlv21@gmail.com*** ***shekhar.niraj@gmail.com*** on or before 4th October 2021.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/Prince Kumar,
District Forest Officer,
Vellore Forest Division, Vellore - 9.

Copy submitted to the Conservator of Forests, Vellore Circle, Vellore-9.

Copy to the District Collector, Vellore / Ranipet District for favour of kind information.

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Copy to the Public Relation Officer, District Collector Office, Vellore /
Ranipet District.

Copy to the District Education Officer and District Elementary Education Officer,
Vellore / Ranipet District.

Copy to the All Forest Range Officers, Vellore Division, Vellore for necessary action
and to communicate this information and give necessary guidelines and
coordination for conducting the competitions to all schools and colleges
within your jurisdiction and confirm the winners' paintings of every school
and college along with their particulars given in this letter to reach this office
e-mail ID **wlweekcelebrationvellore@gmail.com** on time.

Copy to the Thiru.S.Rameshkumar Jain, wildlife warden, Vellore to coordinate the
schools and colleges in conduction of competition and getting the results through
email.

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D. S. Rameshkumar Jain
Superintendent.
27/9/21