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DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY

Departmental Festival – Kalpavriksha 2021 – 22 Report

- **Objective:** It was organized under the broad objective of soft skill development, team work, communication skills and imparting awareness about plant world amongst participants and volunteers.
- **No. of Participants:** 157
- **Methodology/Details:** Department of Botany organized online celebration of Departmental festival - 'Kalpavriksha' on 24th February 2022. It was held through MS Teams platform. Following inter-University events were conducted through the same:
 - ✓ Kalpavriksha-Floral Melody (Plant Poem)
 - ✓ Kalpavriksha-Paint to Bloom (Painting Event)
 - ✓ Kalpavriksha-PlantArt (Sketching and Doodling)
 - ✓ Kalpavriksha-Phytography (Creative event)
 - ✓ Kalpavriksha-Plant-o-Mania (Guessing event)
 - ✓ Kalpavriksha-Veggie Fest (Plant-based recipe)
- **Outcome:** The event sensitized the student participants and volunteers towards their responsibility of protecting environment. It introduced them to the vast and diverse world of plant kingdom. It also helped them to develop various soft skills such as communication, leadership, team-work, patience, decisiveness, planning and time management amongst them. It gave the opportunity to the participants to interact with students from other institutes and share their experiences. The event got overwhelming response from across the country. The participants and winners received their certificates and prize coupons.

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