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HAPPY NEW YEAR

May the new year bless you
with peace, joy, and
happiness.

-From NDNS

Benefits from a tree during 50 years of its lifespan

During 50 years of growth	Original (1979)	Revised (2011-12)
Production of oxygen	₹2,50,000	₹5,25,000
Conversion to animal flesh & bones	₹20,000	₹1,50,000
Controlling of soil erosion & soil fertility	₹2,50,000	₹5,00,000
Recycling of water and controlling humidity and Air temperature	₹3,00,000	₹77,28,000
Sheltering of birds, squirrels & insects	₹2,50,000	₹64,85,000
Removal of SPM, CO ₂ , SO ₂ from air	₹5,00,000	₹2,01,25,000
Grand Total	₹15,70,000	₹3,55,13,000

SOURCE: ESTIMATION OF BENEFITS OF A TREE IN 2012, INDIA IN BRIEF

Value of a Tree in 50 years

[Donate to NDNS](#)

Donations are eligible for tax exemption



Save Trees App

- Want to save a tree?
- Don't know where trees are in danger?
- Use the Save Trees App to connect with people who want to save trees.
- Please [CLICK HERE](#) to learn more.

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We would love to know how you feel about our work for nature conservation.

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Seed Bomb Workshop

Seed bombs are balls of soil, within them, we put native flower seeds, then all they require is water and sunlight to help the plants to grow. You can throw the seed balls on a soil surface to ensure that it grows well because they can not spread their roots if it's a concrete surface.



APPRECIATION FOR GREEN HOMES

We started a campaign last month where we visited all the greenest homes around the city and awarded a certificate of appreciation to the residents for their hard work which helps in reducing air pollution and producing oxygen for the citizens in the city. This month we covered a few more areas around the city.



To join the next session of "Greenzones of Delhi" nature walks series, which will take place in January 2022, please register yourself by sending us an e-mail with your name and phone number at newdelhinaturesociety@gmail.com.

You are requested to inform your family and friends about these walks so that they don't miss out on the fun adventurous expeditions through all the beautiful green areas around the city.

January is one of the best times of the year to explore these places since one can enjoy observing the migratory birds and the various flora of the season.

Nature Immersion Workshop

Nature Immersion Workshop was conducted at Hamsah Organic Farm on Sunday, 19th December in Bangalore, where people of all age groups participated in Tree climbing, Nature Walk, Tree identification, Picking fresh fruit, and making Seed Bombs. All the participant enjoyed their experience and the same program will be repeated again in Delhi very soon.



Christmas Party at NDNS

The current and previous NDNS interns gathered at the office on Christmas day to celebrate together and we all enjoyed lunch, dancing, musical chairs and the "Squid Game" biscuit cutting game.



MEDIA COVERAGE

Hindustan Times

Delhi losing its trees due to lack of census, violation of rules



Others are relying on satellite imagery to identify trees that have possibly been cut down without permission. Verhaen Khanna, founder of the NGO New Delhi Nature Society (NDNS) has been comparing satellite images from Google maps to determine trees that are going missing in his neighborhood of New Friends Colony.

[Click here for the full story](#)

Important Articles

The Times of India

Mumbai: Tree cover under threat? 18,500 fall in 4 years



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The Times of India

Govt refers Biological Diversity (Amendment) Bill to a joint committee of Parliament for scrutiny



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Important Articles

The Times of India

Conduct Tree Census in Vasant Vihar: HC

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The Times of India

77 trees 'missing' in south Delhi, ..

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The Nature Conservancy

A Year in Review: 2021 in Five Trends

[Click here for the full story.](#)



Highlights of 2021

Click on the play button and check out all the fun activities we did this year.



Plastic Bottle Cutter

Plastic Bottle Cutter can Slice Plastic Bottles into a strong Plastic thread.

[Click here for the video](#)



Interns of the month



Anshika Titiyal



Geet Yadav

CLOTH BAGS

New Delhi Nature Society Cloth Bags

Size - 15 X 15 inches

ORDER NOW!!!

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NDNS Membership

We are excited to offer you an NDNS Membership.

Your membership will help to protect the environment. You will enjoy special packages and benefits for members.

We look forward to your participation.

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BECOME A MEMBER

BECOME A NEW DELHI NATURE SOCIETY MEMBER TODAY AND AVAIL THESE AWESOME BENEFITS!

- 10% OFF ON NDNS EVENTS
- 15% OFF ON NDNS MERCHANDISE
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- NETWORK WITH LIKE-MINDED PEOPLE
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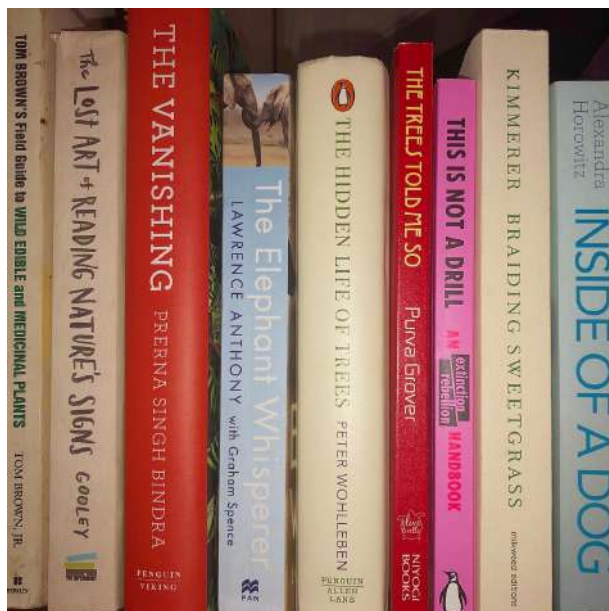
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You can also donate books to NDNS and help build the library.

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We're Hiring!

We are looking for candidates interested in an Internship and/or full-time work.

We have multiple projects which we are working on.

So just send your CV to us at newdelhinaturesociety@gmail.com.

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Rs 500 Contribution - Level 1 Gifts

1 x Birds of Delhi Badge



1 x Suitable Trees of Delhi Booklet
Identify trees around your home.



Rs 1000 Contribution - Level 2 Gifts

1 x Aloe Vera Plant



5 x Cool Bags

Fits in your pocket easily.
Carry your laptop or groceries.



Rs 2000 Contribution - Level 3 Gifts

1 x Cute NDNS mug



1 x Delhi Trees Card-Game

A fun and interactive way to learn the names
of Delhi Trees.



Volunteer / Intern at NDNS

- Protect the environment
- Join the growing NDNS team
- Email your CV to info@ndns.in

Contribute to NDNS

Bank Details :

Account: New Delhi Nature Society

Account number: 918020010738403

IFSC: UTIB0001326

 Pay  : 9711115666


De-Choke Trees

The Hon'ble National Green Tribunal in its order dated 23rd April 2013 has directed all Public Authorities to ensure that all the sign boards, names, advertisements, any kind of boards or signage's, electric wires and high tension cables or otherwise are removed from the trees.

They shall also ensure that the concrete surrounding the trees within one meter of the trees are removed and all the trees are looked after well and due precaution is taken in future so that no concrete or construction or repairing work is done at least within one meter radius of the trunk of trees.

[NAILS, WIRES \(10,000 RS. FINE\)](#)

[NGT ORDER FOR DE-CHOKING TREES](#)

[DELHI PRESERVATION OF TREES ACT](#)



For queries regarding CSR, please contact New Delhi Nature Society at info@ndns.in

SOS NUMBERS

(TREES AND ANIMALS)

- NDNS - 9711115666
- Wildlife Rescue - 9810129698, 9810639698
- People For Animals - 011 23719293 / 9294.
- For Cows - Dhyan Foundation - 9999099423

TREE IS BEING CUT?

- Click pictures
- Tell them to stop immediately
- Ask them to show the Forest Department permission.
- No permission, then Call 100 and wait till help arrives.
- Report the matter on the Green Helpline - 1800118600
- Write a letter to the Forest Department
- If they do have permission, then take the supervisor's details who must be present there and contact the Forest Department .

FOREST DEPARTMENT

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