

## MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

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# **HAPPY NEW YEAR - LET NATURE GUIDE YOU**

# COMING SOON



(3 trees felled every hour in Delhi)

## **Donate to NDNS**

Please consider making a small contribution



## **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.

**Download Save Trees App:** 



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

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On the 10th of December 2022, we hosted an event at "Aerocity - Worldmark" for spreading awareness about Soil Conservation and Soil Day. The event was very fruitful, numerous people participated in the event and our stall was set up to entertain the audience as well as teach them about the conservation techniques through fun interactive games and prizes.

#### **Check out the full video**







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On the 11th of December 2022, we hosted an event at "Aerocity - Worldmark" for spreading awareness about mountains. The event was joined by numerous guests of all ages and our stall was set up to entertain the audience and to teach them about the conservation techniques through fun games. An art competition was also hosted for the participants and the event ended with beautiful drawings done by the participants.

#### Check out the full video







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# **GREEN IS COOL**

Afternoons with Annie-Radio One 94.3 FM



The founder of New Delhi Nature Society, Verhaen Khanna, had an insightful conversation about conservation with Annie on "Afternoons with Annie" - Radio One 94.3 FM. They talked about about trees, air pollution, tree blindness and much more.

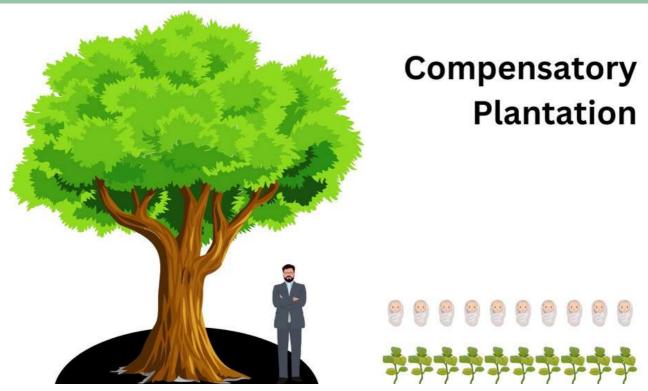
#### Click here to listen to the full show





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Some people believe that if you chop down a full grown large size tree, it can be compensated by planting 10 small saplings.

But is it really compensated? Lets discuss!

When you remove one large full grown tree and you plant 10 tiny saplings:-

- 1. The protected wildlife species living on and inside the full grown tree, are disturbed and also killed in some cases. (Wildlife Protection Act 1972: Disturbing a nest = hunting)
- 2. Nobody can stand under the sapling for shade like they stand under the tree.
- 3. Nodody can climb the saplings like they used to climb the tree.
- 4. The same birds and squirrels which were living on the full grown tree can not live on the sapling.
- 5. It will take 30 years for the saplings to reach the size of the 30 year old tree.

When you remove a 30 year old man and replace him with 10 infants:-

- 1. The infants can not complete the same tasks as the 30 year old man.
- 2. It will take 30 years for the infants to reach the same level of skills as a 30 year old man.

When plantation sites were checked, at some places it was found that no saplings were planted there in the first place, sites where saplings were actually planted - majority didn't survive. And now the authorities say that there is no place for any more compensatory plantation, so you can destroy a tree here, and plant 10 saplings in other states and pretend that everything is compensated. At this rate, soon, compensatory plantation will be done on the moon.

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NDNS Founder Mr. Verhaen Khanna was invited to speak at TEDx Cambridge School, Srinivaspuri, New Delhi. He enlightened the audience about the grim reality of environmental degradation faced by the residents of New Delhi. "Draw a line to prevent Environment Degradation" was the title of the talk. There were several other brilliant speakers (Peepal Baba, Dr. Ruby Makhija, Dr. Sunita Bansal, Dr. Sirajuddin Ahmed, and Mrs. Chandni Bedi) who shared the stage and spoke about lots of important and relevant information which was mind-expanding for the audience. The TEDx team did a wonderful job in organizing the event.



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## **Tweets**



#TreeBlindness Is Real.

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#Mizoram:-8 workers killed, 5 missing after #landslide

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The reality of poaching in India.

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Draw a line before pollutions kills

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Soon experience heat waves beyond human survival

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Indians under attack by air pollution

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Illegal tree cutting with JCB in sector 54

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Humanity's war on nature is ultimately a war on ourselves.

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3 trees felled every hour

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Ammonia pollution in River Yamuna at Wazirabad

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Green is Cool - Afternoons with Annie

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# **HIGHLIGHTS OF NDNS 2022**



Here's a quick recap of some of the work we did in 2022.

Looking forward to seeing you this year.

Happy 2023!

Click here to watch the video

# Card Game Appreciation Video





chandraneevdas and nelabh\_krishna James Quinn • A Gentle Sunlight



chandraneevdas This is what I call a well spent winter Sunday.

Thank you @newdelhinaturesociety for the wonderful cards!
#sunday #sundayvibes #nature
#sundernursery #wintersun
#morningmotivation #flower #reels
#treemapping @treemapper
@tree\_mapper @bhubotanicals
@botanistbyheart @boho.botanist
@botanist\_global @botanygeek

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## **DELHI TREES CARD GAME**

A New Delhi Nature Society creation Suitable for 2-6 players. Great for all ages.

Get your pack just for Rs 200/-

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## **CLOTH BAGS**

# New Delhi Nature Society Cloth Bags

Size - 15 X 15 inches

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## **BIRDS STICKERS**





Rs 5/- each
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# RE-WILD YOURSELF 30 Day Challenge



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(Rs50)

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Aloe Vera Plant (Rs 100)

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## **Native Trees of Delhi Booklet**

(Rs 50)

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# **NDNS Coffee Mugs**

(Rs 250 each)

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## **Volunteer / Intern at NDNS**

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

### **Contribute to NDNS**

**Bank Details:** 

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Account number: 918020010738403

IFSC: UTIB0001326

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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.

Click here to Sign Up



## Donate a book to the NDNS library

THANK YOU to all the amazing people who have donated nature-related books towards the #newdelhinaturesociety library.

You can also donate books to NDNS and help build the library.

Visit our website for more details: www.ndns.in



## 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.

Send your CV to us at newdelhinaturesociety@gmail.com to apply.



#### **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

#### A 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

dcfhqgnctd@gmail.com dcfpmgnctd@gmail.com pccfgnctd@gmail.com

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# बूँद बूँद से सागर भरता है

When a tree had fallen, due to concretization and construction within 1m of the tree trunk, the authorities refused to help to save the tree. But thanks to your kind support, we were able to hire a crane, workers, a truck full of mud, and several hours of our team efforts to save the tree. Several years later that tree is still standing alive, healthy, and strong. So, if it wasn't for your help, that living being would have been chopped and thrown away like a non-living object. Today, people wait under that tree for their bus just to commute daily, a food vendor and locksmith have also started their business under the same tree, they didn't want to work daily under the direct sunlight.

People like you are the only reason NDNS could save so many trees and animals over the years. Without your help, we would not be able to conduct awareness workshops in schools and colleges across the city.

We need to raise funds for saving more trees and animals this year. For this, we need to hire a team of trained people who will be able to do a great job in the field. We need to hire professional in-office staff to improve coordination between departments and to follow up on pending cases. We need to buy necessary equipment, first-aid, food for animals, tools for safety, communication devices, stationary et al. to improve our daily functioning. The head office requires expansion and we need a vehicle to be able to travel quickly in emergencies. So our goal for this fundraiser is Rs. 50 Lakh. This amount will cover a great share of the expenses mentioned above.

Your support is key to helping the community and the environment.

Rs, 5,000/- = Save 1 fallen tree (8-10 trees per year requirement = Rs 50,000)

Rs 5,000/- = Hire 1 intern for 1 month (4 per month x 1 year requirement = Rs. 2,40,000)

Rs 30,000/- = First-aid and safety equipment

Rs 30,000/- = Monthly salary for 1 permanent team member (5-6 required = Rs 18,00,000)

Rs 50.000/- = Food for rescued birds

Rs 50,000/- = Flyers for helping animals, trees, birds card game, board game et al.

Rs 50,000/-=1 laptop/computer (3 required = Rs 1,50,000)

Rs 1,50,000/- = Travel, stationary, communications, awareness promotion, uniforms et al.

Rs 6,00,000/-=1 year office space

Rs 10,00,000/- = Official emergency vehicle

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