

## One day workshop on ecorestoration 30.03.2021

To provide awareness on coastal ecorestoration and management by involving the local community was the major agenda of the programme. A sensitisation workshop was conducted after developing a draft profile of the ecosystem and biodiversity in the SN puram Grama Panchayat. The workshop was held at the MES Asmabi college on 30th March 2021. The workshop was inaugurated by Dr Asma V M, Head of the Department of Botany, in the auspicious presence of Shri. M.S. Mohanan, President SN puram Grama Panchayat. Dr. Martin Gopurathingal, Dr. KH Amitha Bachan and Adv. Alphonsa Jojan of Western Ghats Hornbill Foundation was the resource person. Sixty participants including BMC members, farmers, members of the Kizhakootu trust other interested persons from the Panchayats, selected research fellows from different colleges around the area and local women were the participants.

**ONE DAY WORKSHOP  
ECO RESTORATION AND MANAGEMENT  
OF COASTAL  
ECOSYSTEMS AND BIODIVERSITY  
INVOLVING LOCAL COMMUNITY**

30th March 2021  
at M E S Asmabi College  
9:30-4:00

Western Ghats Hornbill Foundation  
MES Asmabi College  
BMC, SN Puram Grama Panchayat

**Inauguration**  
Dr. Asma VM  
HOD, Research Dept. of Botany

**M. S. Mohanan**  
President, SN Puram Grama Panchayat

**Changes and Issues of Coastal Zone**  
Dr. Martin Gopurathingal  
Senior Research Associate - CUSAT

**Ecorestoration and Management Protocol for Coastal Ecosystems**  
Dr. KH Amitha Bachan

**BMCs and Biodiversity Governance**  
Adv. Alphonsa Jojan  
Assi. Prof. (Ad hoc), Dept. of Law Calicut University

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