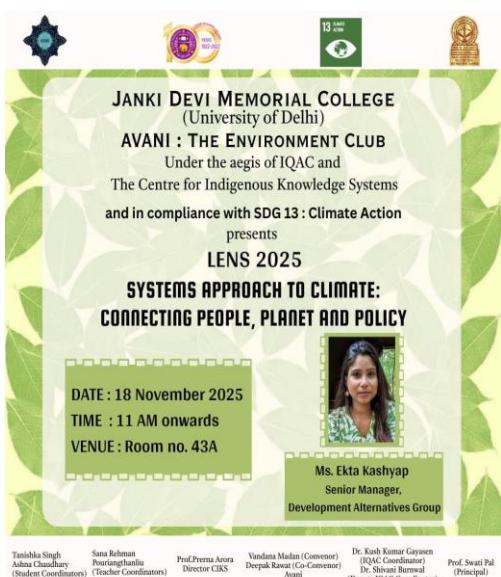


LENS 2025

AVANI, the Environment Club, Janki Devi Memorial College under the aegis of IQAC and the Centre for Indigenous Knowledge Systems, organised the event, LENS 2025 on November 18, 2025 in Room No. 43A on the theme *Systems Approach to Climate: Connecting People, Planet and Policy* in alignment with SDG 13: Climate Action. The session was conducted by Ms. Ekta Kashyap, Senior Manager at Development Alternatives Group, who shared insightful perspectives on how climate issues are interconnected and how sustainable solutions require combined efforts of communities, environmental understanding, and effective policy-making. She also discussed real-life examples from field projects, helping students understand the practical challenges of climate resilience. The event began at 11 AM and saw active participation from students and faculty members. It concluded with an engaging Q&A session and a vote of thanks, leaving students more aware, inspired, and motivated to contribute towards environmental sustainability.



WORLD TOILET DAY

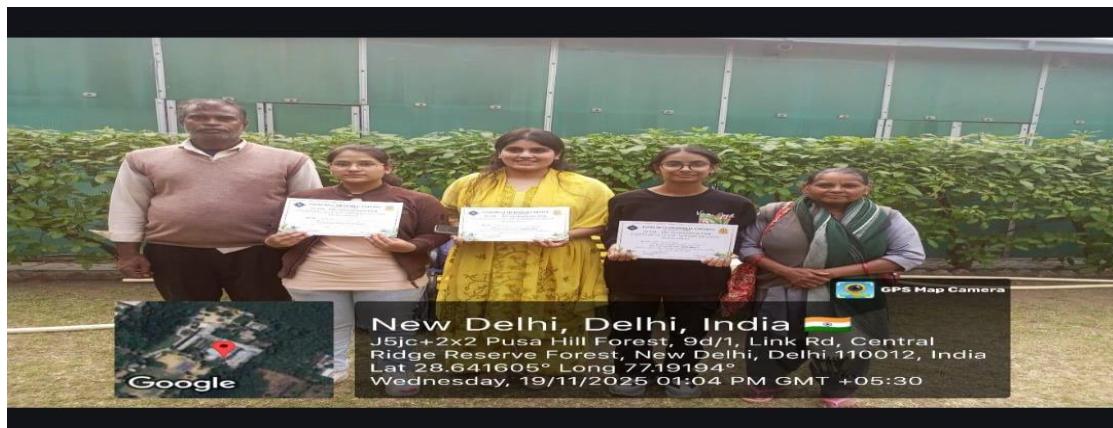
Avani, the Environment Club, Janki Devi Memorial College celebrated November 19, 2025 as the World Toilet Day by recognizing the commitment and hard work of the college safai karamcharis. The Day was celebrated with a Inter-college Hindi poetry recitation competition on the theme of Swachhata. The college safai workers were the judges for the competition.

Mehar Vij from JDMC won the first prize; Palak Shukla of Sri Aurobindo College won the 2nd prize; and Yashika from JDMC won the third prize.

The certificates were given away by Shri. Dinesh and Smt. Leelawati who are the college gardeners.

The team AVANI also gifted the karamcharis with stoles, mufflers, chocolates and individual cards wrapped in cloth bags made by the students. Tea and refreshments were also served.





Janki Devi Memorial College
(University of Delhi)

AVANI : The Environment Club
Under the Aegis of IQAC

and in compliance with SDG 6 : Clean Water and Sanitation
invite you all to celebrate

World Toilet Day

To Thank Our Safai Karamcharis for their service

DATE : 19th November 2025
TIME : 12 PM Onwards
VENUE : Lawn (Behind Auditorium)

जानकी देवी मेमोरियल कॉलेज
(दिल्ली विश्वविद्यालय)

अवनि : पर्यावरण क्लब

आईक्यूएसी के तत्वावधान में
और एसडीजी 6 के अनुपालन में, स्वच्छ जल और स्वच्छता
आपको हमारे साथ जुड़ने के लिए आमंत्रित करता है

लिंग शौचालय दिवस

हमारे सफाई कर्मचारियों को उनकी सेवा के लिए धन्यवाद देना

दिनांक : 19 नवंबर 2025
समय : दोपहर 12 बजे
स्थान : लॉन (ऑडिटोरियम के पीछे)

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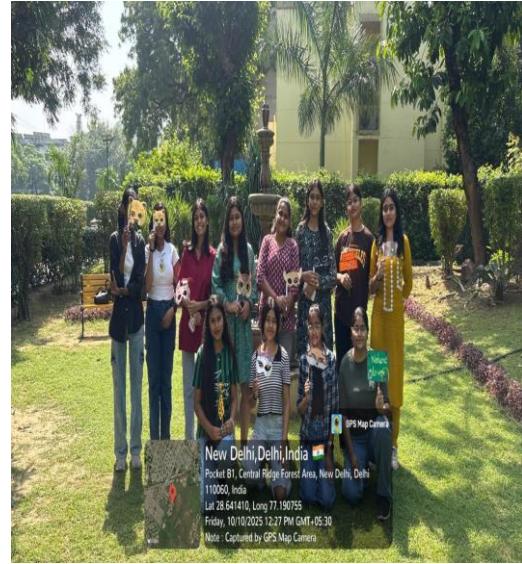
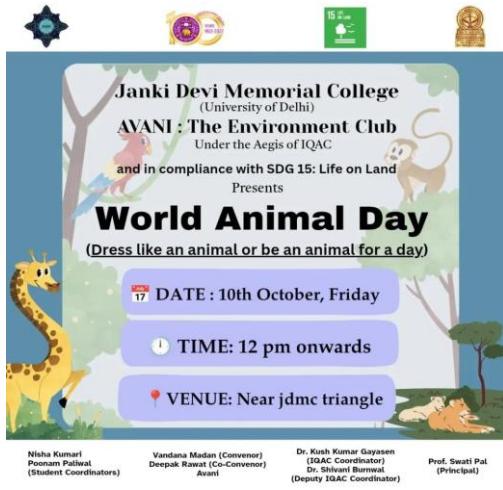
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WORLD ANIMAL DAY

AVANI, the Environment Club, Janki Devi Memorial College celebrated the World Animal Day on October 10, 2025 by organising a creative activity focused on spreading awareness about animal protection and biodiversity. The members from the team AVANI made a variety of hand-crafted paper masks representing different animals, symbolising the diversity of wildlife and the need to care for every species. These masks were worn by the students as they participated in a short awareness walk within the college campus and engaged in interactive discussions about the significance of animal welfare.



DIYA PAINTING WORKSHOP

AVANI, the Environment Club, Janki Devi Memorial College under the aegis of IQAC organised a Diya Painting Workshop on October 9, 2025 in alignment with SDG 12: Responsible Consumption and Production. The event took place near the Avani Board on the first floor and began at 12 PM, witnessing enthusiastic participation from students. The diyas were provided to all participants, while students brought their own paints and brushes to promote minimal waste and sustainable festive practices. The workshop aimed to encourage creativity, eco-friendly celebrations, and awareness about responsible consumption. The event was successfully coordinated by the AVANI team and supported by the IQAC members, under the guidance of Principal Prof. Swati Pal, making it a meaningful and engaging initiative for the students.



SWACHHATA PAKHWADA: NO VEHICLE DAY

In celebration of Swachhata Pakhwada, Janki Devi Memorial College, University of Delhi, marked a No Vehicle Day on September 26, 2025. Arranged by AVANI, the Environment Club with the

support of IQAC, it focused on encouraging sustainable practices and minimizing carbon emissions in the college campus. Access for vehicles was restricted from 8:30 AM to 5:00 PM in the college campus. The initiative corresponded with SDGs 3, 11, and 12, showcasing the college's dedication to conscientious living, ecological preservation, and promoting understanding of sustainable practices. The initiative was embraced enthusiastically by faculty and students alike, who acknowledged the significance of small but meaningful actions in tackling climate change and environmental decline. By dedicating a day to environmentally friendly practice the college community reinforced its dedication to responsible living, environmental care, and fostering sustainable habits in young people.

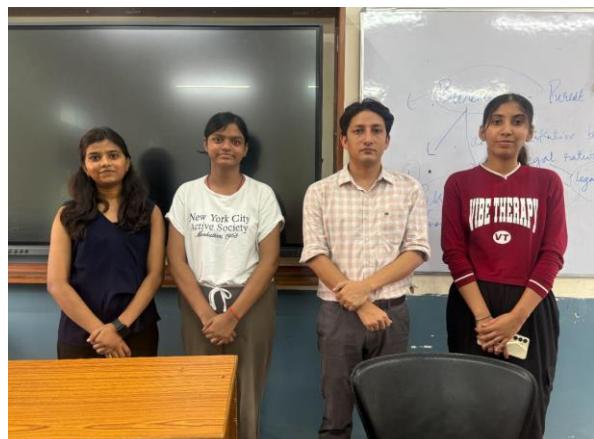
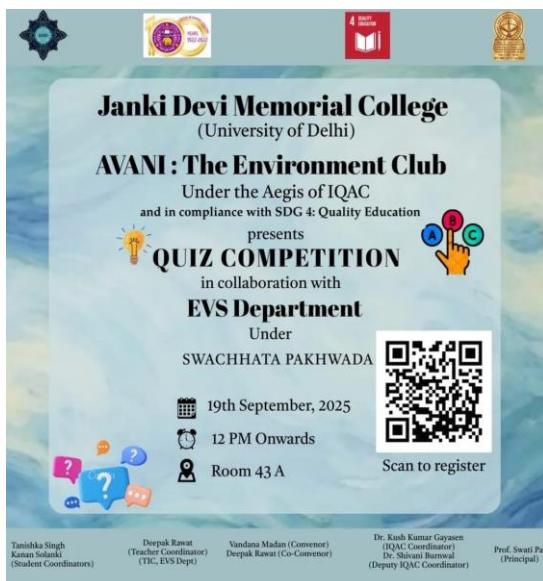


SWACHHTA PAKHWADA: QUIZ COMPETITION

As part of the Swachhta Pakhwada initiative, AVANI, the Environment Club of JDMC successfully organised an engaging Quiz Competition in collaboration with EVS Department on September 19, 2025. The event aimed to raise awareness about environmental sustainability and promote eco-friendly practices among students. Students participated with great enthusiasm and interest, answering questions confidently and showcasing their knowledge from all years, the event was a hit! The atmosphere was filled with excitement and a spirit of learning. Students competed within a limited time, showcasing their knowledge on subjects such as climate change, waste management, and sustainability. The quiz turned out to be highly successful, with participants praising its blend of information and healthy competition. It served as a valuable opportunity for students to enhance their awareness of environmental issues and contribute towards building a greener world.

The winners of the competition were:

- 1) Suhani
- 2) Arushi
- 3) Manshi



SWACHHATA PAKHWADA : GREEN TREASURE HUNT

As part of the Swachhata Pakhwada, AVANI, the Environment Club, Janki Devi Memorial College (University of Delhi), under the aegis of IQAC and in compliance with SDG 13: Climate Action, organized an engaging and innovative competition – Green Treasure Hunt – on 17th September, 12 PM onwards.

The event was exclusively designed for the first-year students of JDMC. The treasure hunt revolved around campus-based questions where participants had to search for answers by exploring various corners of the college. This not only made the activity exciting and competitive but also helped the first-year students get to know their college more closely.

The atmosphere was filled with enthusiasm as students eagerly took part, running across the campus and working in teams to find clues. The activity combined fun with learning and created an opportunity for bonding among the new batch.

The Green Treasure Hunt turned out to be a memorable and refreshing start for the freshers, blending exploration, fun, and awareness in an innovative way



SWACHHATA PAKHWADA : CREATE FROM WASTE

AVANI, the Environment Club organised Create from Waste competition on September 16, 2025 as a part of Swachhta Pakhwada. This initiative was held under the aegis of IQAC and aligned with Sustainable Development Goal 3 (Good Health and Wellbeing). The primary goal of the event was to raise awareness about waste management and inspire participants to get creative with repurposing discarded materials. The participants engaged in hands-on activities that highlighted innovative ways to transform waste into useful items, promoting both environmental responsibility and creative thinking.



SWACHHATA PAKHWADA: AWARENESS WALK

AVANI, the Environment Club, Janki Devi Memorial College under the aegis of IQAC in collaboration with ANUBHUTI: The Dramatics Club, organised an Awareness Walk on Say No to Plastic on September 15, 2025 as part of Swachhata Pakhwada. The initiative was held in compliance with SDG 3: Good Health and Wellbeing, as highlighted on the event posters. The walk began at the JDMC Triangle, covering the canteen, Nescafe, Mother Dairy, parking area, and concluded back at the Triangle. Slogans like “प्लास्टिक छोड़ो, पर्यावरण जोड़ो” and “प्लास्टिक हटाओ, धरती बचाओ” echoed, spreading awareness about sustainable living.



Flood Relief Collection Camp with GOONJ

AVANI, the Environment Club, Janki Devi Memorial College, in collaboration with the National Service Scheme (NSS) and GOONJ (under the aegis of IQAC), successfully organized a Flood Relief Collection Camp from September 1-15, 2025.

The camp was held at the Reception Area of JDMC, where contributions were collected between 10 AM to 3 PM daily. Students, faculty, and staff actively participated by donating essential items such as dry rations, ready-to-eat food, utensils, sanitary pads, solar lights, blankets, clothes, basic medicines, mosquito nets, tarpaulins, toiletries, and school material.

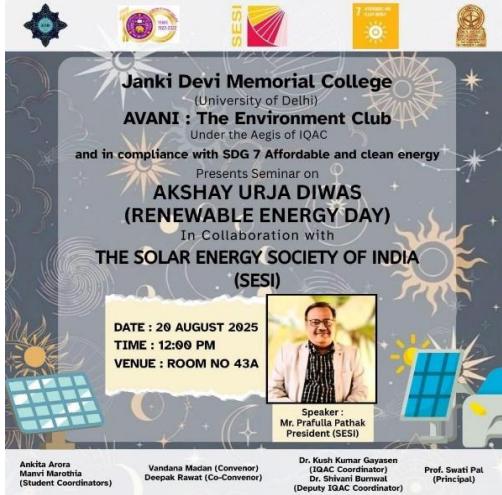


AKSHYA URJA DIWAS

In compliance with SDG 7: Affordable and Clean Energy, AVANI, the Environment Club of Janki Devi Memorial College, under the aegis of IQAC, organised a seminar on the occasion of Akshay Urja Diwas (Renewable Energy Day) on August 20, 2025. The event was conducted in collaboration with the Solar Energy Society of India (SESI). The session was graced by Mr.

Prafulla Pathak, President of SESI, who was the keynote speaker. He delivered an insightful lecture highlighting the importance of renewable energy in addressing global energy crises and climate change. Mr. Pathak emphasized the role of solar energy in India's sustainable development and encouraged students to adopt clean energy practices in their daily lives.

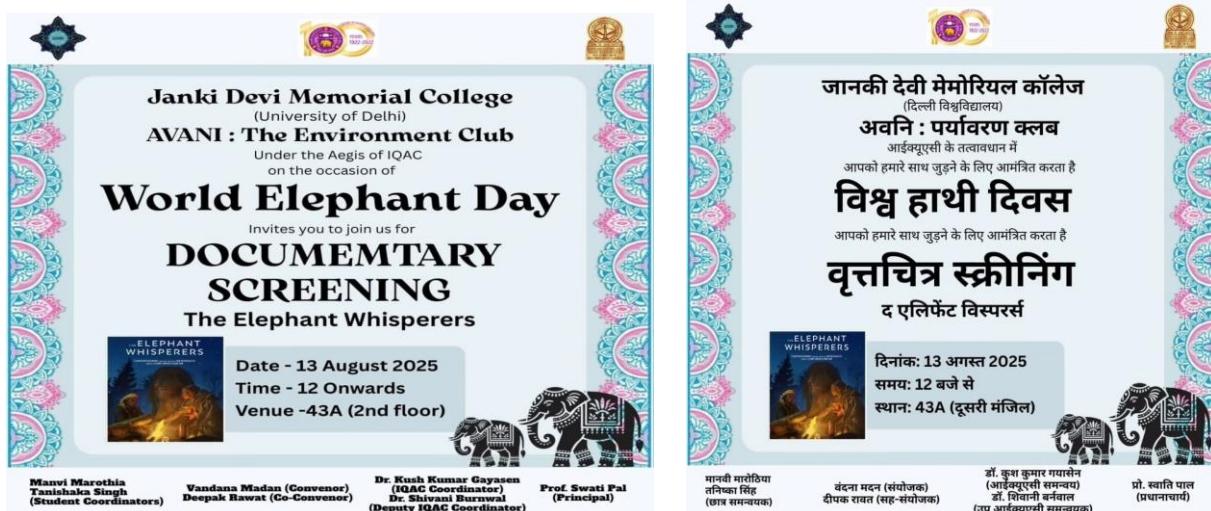
The seminar provided students with an opportunity to engage in meaningful discussions on energy conservation, renewable technologies, and their potential for ensuring a greener future. Overall, the celebration of Akshay Urja Diwas at JDMC was a significant step towards creating awareness about clean and sustainable energy solutions among students.



WORLD ELEPHANT DAY

AVANI, the Environment Club, JDMC under the aegis of IQAC, JDMC organised a special screening of the award-winning documentary "The Elephant Whisperers" on August 13, 2025.

The film highlighted the challenges of elephant conservation and showcased the emotional bond shared between elephants and their caretakers. The screening successfully spread awareness among students and inspired them to contribute towards wildlife protection and sustainable environmental practices.



ORIENTATION

AVANI, the Environmental Club, JDMC conducted orientation on August 12-13, 2025 to usher in new members and explain the club's vision, activities and projects ahead of it. The orientation began with introductions. Team leaders explained their roles and how their respective teams contributed to Avani's efforts. Later members were given an overview of some initiatives the club

is undertaking alongside the stimulating plans it has for the forthcoming year. They were thus inspired to participate in campaigns, awareness drives, and creative projects.

In the orientation program, a photo booth with World Elephant Day-themed frames was one of the major attractions that demonstrated AVANI'S commitment toward wildlife conservation and environmental awareness. The atmosphere was buzzing and welcoming, setting the stage for gluing together community spirits. Overall, this orientation was equally fun and informative to drive all members to work hand in hand toward a greener and more sustainable tomorrow.



VRIKSH RAKSHABANDHAN

The AVANI Environment Club of Janki Devi Memorial College (JDMC), under the aegis of IQAC, in collaboration with the National Edutrust of India celebrated Vriksh Raksha Bandhan on 8th August 2025 in the JDMC Triangle through an awareness-driven and symbolic initiative. The celebration highlighted the idea that trees, like our loved ones, protect and nurture us in our daily lives, playing a crucial role in our well-being and environment.

As part of the event, students tied decorative ribbons to the trees, symbolising gratitude for their countless benefits and pledging to protect them in return. The activity fostered a deeper connection between the participants and nature, inspiring everyone to value the vital role trees play in sustaining life and maintaining ecological balance.



PROJECT DOLPHIN AWARENESS

As part of the Dolphin Awareness initiative under Project Dolphin, an engaging online awareness session was organised to educate participants about the importance of dolphin conservation on

July 16, 2025. The session opened with a short video featuring a play performed by young children. Through their enthusiastic performance, they conveyed powerful messages about the threats dolphins face and inspired viewers to act to protect aquatic life. This was followed by a compelling documentary that offered detailed insights into both river and marine dolphins—their natural habitats, behaviours, and the urgent need for their protection. The film aimed to deepen viewers' understanding and emotional connection to the cause of dolphin conservation. To keep the session interactive and lively, a Fun Fact Activity was held. Participants enthusiastically shared interesting and lesser-known facts about dolphins, which not only made the session enjoyable but also reinforced important conservation messages in a memorable way.

Overall, the event successfully raised awareness and inspired participants to take meaningful steps toward safeguarding dolphins and supporting the broader mission of biodiversity conservation.



WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY

Avani, the Environment Club of Janki Devi Memorial College, under the aegis of IQAC, organised an impactful celebration on the occasion of World Environment Day on June 5, 2025. The event took place in offline mode and featured two significant activities aimed at promoting environmental consciousness among the college community.

The first initiative was a Waste Paper Collection Drive, where students and faculty members actively participated by bringing in waste papers from home and classrooms. The collected papers were responsibly handed over for recycling, promoting the idea of reducing paper waste and supporting sustainability.

The second activity was a heartfelt Plantation Drive organised within the college premises. Faculty members, including teachers and students, came together for this noble cause. The plantation was carried out with the enthusiastic support and guidance of our respected Principal Prof. Swati Pal, along with the help of our dedicated gardeners. The event turned into a vibrant collective effort, symbolizing the community's commitment to protecting the environment and nurturing green spaces.

These activities not only spread awareness about environmental protection but also encouraged participants to adopt eco-friendly practices in daily life. The spirit of unity and dedication displayed during the event truly reflected the motto of Avani – to care, protect, and act for our planet.

