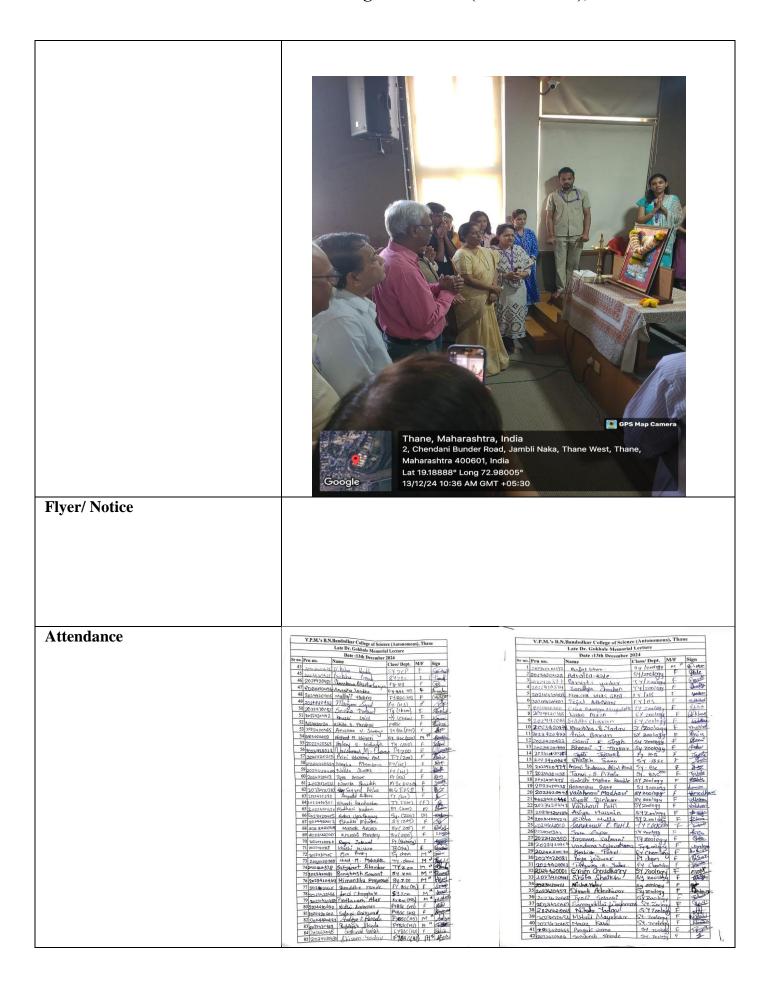
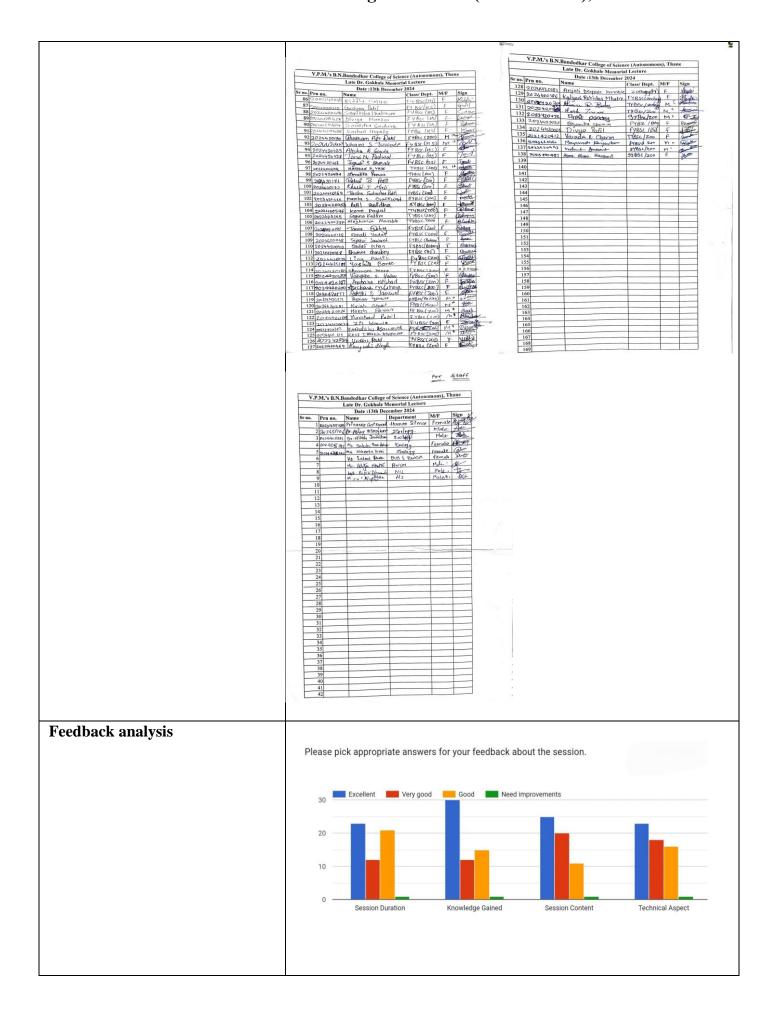
Name of activity	Late Dr.Gokhlae Memorial Lecture
Objectives of the activity (maximum 40 words)	To honour late Dr.Gokhale Mam keeping her memory alive and promoting further discussion about her work on thane creek and to create awareness about anthropogenic Impacts on Thane Creek and Ulhas River Estuary
Organizing department/s	Zoology
Collaborative institute	Paryavaran Dakshata Mandal
Date (DD / MM / YYYY )	13/12/2024
Venue	Patanjali Auditorium
Mode (Online/Offline/ Hybrid)	Offline
Details of Resource Person/ Speaker (name, designation, institute)	<ul> <li>Dr.Mansi Joshi (president, treasurer, founder of paryavaran dakshata mandal )(MSc&amp;Phd-botany) (Chairman of Deepak Jyoti Mahila S Patpedhi thane )</li> <li>Professor Vidyadhar Walavalkar (Msc Physical Chemistry &amp; LLB diploma in journalism) (Senior lecturer in VPM's Polytechnic)(member of indo french technical association,Indian waterwork association)</li> <li>Dr Nandini Patil (msc bsc zoology)(Former Associate professor of BNB)(research work on fisheries and effect of pollution on cat fish and thane creek )</li> <li>Dr Sudesh Rathod (MSc Phd Zoology-mumbai university)(Former Assistant professor and HOD of zoology)(researched on pollution status fish faunal diversity.</li> </ul>
Key Participants	FY students
Remarkable outcomes / key take away messages (max. three)	<ul> <li>Students has gained remarkable knowledge about thane creek and mangroves by Dr. Sudesh Rathod Sir.</li> <li>The remarkable work of Lt.Dr.Kusum Gokhale in Thane creek and mangroves has inspired students and developed interest in Wetlands.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Many research opportunities has opened to student by the work of Paryavaran Dakshta Mandal.</li> </ul>
Details of Teachers participants	M 6 F 3 T 9
Details of Student participants	M 31 F 116 T 147
Outsiders	No
In-house	Yes
Additional information	During the event,Dr.Gokhale's pioneering work in the field of ecology and environmental science was introduced to attendees. The session particularly highlighted her impactful research on Thane Creek and

the Ulhas River Estuary, emphasizing the detrimental effects of anthropogenic (human) activities on these vital ecosystems. The event served as a platform to raise awareness about the ecological challenges faced by these water bodies, including pollution, habitat degradation, and biodiversity loss, all of which Dr.Gokhale had studied extensively. It was both a tribute to her legacy and a call to action for continued environmental conservation. Name of Co-ordinator Dr. Vinda Manjramkar **Geotagged photo** Thane, Maharashtra, India Building No 4, Jnandweep, Chendani Bunder Road, Bhandar Ali Rd, Jambli Naka, Thane West, Thane, Maharashtra 400601, India Lat 19.188913° Long 72.980084° 13/12/24 10:55 AM GMT +05:30





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