

# DEPARTMENT OF ZOOLOGY

## SEMINAR REPORT 2014-15

During the session 2014-15, the department welcomed the +3 1<sup>st</sup> year honours students on 1<sup>st</sup> November, 2014. The meeting was presided over by the honourable principal of our college, Mrs. Snigdha Mishra. The Annual Seminar of the department was held on 28<sup>th</sup> January, 2015, which was presided over by our principal Mrs. Snidha Mishra. Dr Dipti Rout, Reader in Zoology, Ravenshaw University was the chief guest She presented a very informative and illustrative speech on "Mangroves as Unique Coastal Wetland." This was followed by an interactive discussion between the speaker, staff members and student. This was followed by the distribution of trophies to the following meritorious students.

1. Two of our 3<sup>rd</sup> year honours students were awarded trophies in the annual function of Science Society for securing the highest marks in the University Examination 2014. Bisnupriya Sahu and Suchismita nayak were awarded for securing the highest mark in the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> University Examination, respectively.
2. Deepa Kumari and Subrata Dash of 3<sup>rd</sup> year were awarded for the best seminar paper presentation.
3. Rizwan khan of 3<sup>rd</sup> year was appointed as Seminar Secretary
4. Sayeda Fauzia Manowar of 3<sup>rd</sup> year, Begum Ashifa Nashreen of 2<sup>nd</sup> year awarded for securing the highest attendance in honours classes.

The Annual Seminar meeting was followed by another meeting to bid farewell to the outgoing 3<sup>rd</sup> year students.

The zoology department celebrated Ganesh Puja and Saraswati puja. A series of seminars were conducted from 1<sup>st</sup> December, 2014 to 6<sup>th</sup> December, 2014 where all the 3<sup>rd</sup> year Honours students presented their seminar papers.

Besides, some of the students of our department have excelled in curricular and co-curricular activities. In the Annual Students Union action of the college, Sagarjit Das was awarded the Sujit Das Gold Medal for being adjudged the best Science graduate. Besides, one of our faculty members, Dr Gyaneswar Rath, Lecture in Zoology won the 1<sup>st</sup> prize in the 100 mtr race for the members of staff.

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