

“ *Earth reserves are being depleted at a dramatic pace. In the near future we will not be able to feed our population. The simplest and most effective solution is to increase the tree cover.* ”

– Mr. Pradip Burman  
Chairperson, Mobius Foundation

## HIGHLIGHTS

### ICSE 2021

The 3rd International Conference on Sustainability Education (ICSE) is being organized on **9-10 September 2021** between **14:00 - 18:00** hrs by Mobius Foundation in partnership with some of the key environmental organizations, UNESCO, UNEP, Centre for Environment Education (CEE), Foundation for Environmental Education (FEE, Copenhagen), The Climate Reality Project India, The Energy and Resource Institute (TERI), Earth Day Network, IUCN, Earth Overshoot, WWF India, WTI, TERRE Policy Centre, PFI etc. The year 2021 marks the launch of the United Nations Decade on Ecosystem Restoration (2021 – 2030). The first day of the ICSE 2021 will therefore focus on the theme “**Education for Ecosystem Restoration**”. The deliberations of the 2nd day will be devoted to the theme of “**Climate Literacy**”, in view of the urgent need to create enlightened citizenry for concrete action on climate change.

**We have the pleasure to invite for this important event which is being organised virtually with the help of state of art technology enabling us to have the feel and experience of the real event. We are making every effort to make ICSE 2021 the most sought-after event offering everyone variety of opportunities to participate and contribute in a significant manner.**

### EMPOWERING TOWARDS CIRCULARITY



Under our project “Empowering towards circularity”, the training module for the training of trainers has been completed and Mobius Foundation has announced two slots of dates for the training of trainers (educational institutions) from 19-23 October 2021 and 14- 18 December 2021, while the dates for the training of trainers (plastic sector SMEs) have been set as 15–19 November 2021 and 4–8 January 2022 under this project.

Virtual classroom sessions with guest speakers, experts, thought leaders, case studies, and interactive learning (Q&A) and discussion on Live case studies are among the training’s methodological methods. Focussed on students of grades 9 through 12, as well as small-to-medium enterprise (SMEs) and Original equipment manufacturer (OEMs), all are welcome to participate in this training programme.



### AAKAR

Under project AAKAR, contraceptive distribution is underway in both project districts, with nearly three-quarters of all selected villages covered. On the 21st of August, Mobius Foundation celebrated Khushaal Parivar Diwas at Deva CHC in Barabanki and Fakarpur CHC in Bahraich, respectively with an emphasis on raising awareness for family planning. A large number of people attended the event looking for an accurate information about family planning where total of 50 people was counselled, with five of them ready for sterilisation, three for HRP, six were newly married couples, two for Antra, and one for IUCD. In the month August 2021, Zee News and WION shot for a documentary for Project Aakar, in which both district where CMOs gave their input and praised our work. Khushaal Parivar Diwas events were also covered by the local print media.



Counselling session at Public Health Centre



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International Conference on Sustainability Education  
**3<sup>RD</sup> EDITION OF**  
**INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON SUSTAINABILITY EDUCATION**  
SEPTEMBER 9<sup>th</sup> - 10<sup>th</sup> 2021 | 14:00 - 18:00 HRS IST  
REGISTER AT: [www.icse2019.org](http://www.icse2019.org)

## GYAN ANANT VIDYALAYA

Gyan Anant Vidyalaya Atrouli celebrated the 75th Independence Day on 15th August 2021, with great fervour and joy. Famous para athlete as well as National and International champion Shri Bharat Kumar graced the occasion with his presence. Having many world championships under his belt, his words infused a lot of enthusiasm among the students.

This 75th Independence Day was also marked with the celebration of Biofuel and Sanskrit Day. GAV, being built on the fundamentals of sustainable development goals for saving nature and instilling cultural values among its students, proudly celebrated the events together.



## DIGITAL AWARENESS AND MEDIA

### Gyan Anant Vidyalaya School

Promoted the school, its admissions and the recent achievement, where GAV School won the prestigious 'Best Green School Award' by the Indian Green Building Council.



## WORLD ENVIRONMENT SCHOOL

COVID Relief Activities - Provision of 500 ration kits to COVID quarantined families in Hoskeri Maha-Panchayat area

Following the increase in COVID infection in Hoskeri Maha-Panchayat area, Mobius Foundation provided the 500 Provision Kits for the quarantined COVID infected families in the area. Each Kit was provisioned such as to provide for the food requirements for one individual during the 14-day quarantine period. These were BPL families who were worst affected by the COVID quarantine due to inability of the earning member of the family to work and provide for during the quarantine period.

## WEB DISCUSSION - Legends of India



Why talk of the team when our Cricket Board is like an exclusive club with members being there for years on end? If they can stay on without performing, the players too feel they can stay in the team without too big a performance.

**Sunil Gavaskar**, *Indian cricket commentator and former cricketer*



Famous Indian Orthopaedic surgeon was an icon in the medical field who was very famous for his invention of inexpensive artificial leg named "Jaipur Foot". The skills he showed proved he is not only a surgeon but a skilled scientist.

**Dr. Pramod Karan Sethi**, *Indian orthopaedic surgeon*



## FUNNY SIDE



## SANJEEVANI PHASE IV

Plantation under phase IV of Sanjeevani Project has been started from 1st week of July-21. We have the target to plant 5000 trees, which includes fruit bearing and medicinal plants. Approx. 2500 trees have already been planted in 11 villages with community participation. The identified resource persons are taking care of sapling so planted. So far Neem, Guava, Amla, Lemon, Curry plant, Banyan, Indian Beal, and Giloy has been planted at various locations including - Jal Ghar premises, Schools, near temples, stadiums, farmers' fields etc.

*Students of JJ Sports Sen. Sec School participating in plantation drive*



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