



Goa University
Microbiology Programme,
School of Biological Sciences & Biotechnology (SBSB)
Report on Mushroom cultivation workshop

1. Title of the Event/Activity/program	Report on Outreach Activity on Mushroom Cultivation demonstration workshop in 'Matruchhaya' orphanage
2. Date and Time	28 April 2023, 2:30 pm to 5:30 pm
3. Mode of conduct (Physical/Online)	Offline
4. School/ Directorate/ Section	Microbiology Programme, School of Biological Sciences & Biotechnology (SBSB) and Swachh Bharat Student Internship (SBSI) Program, Goa University
5. Collaborating Agency/School/Directorate	'Matruchhaya' orphanage Dhavali Ponda, Goa
6. Detail of the Resource Person (Brief biodata)	1. Ms. Rishwa Narvekar (SBSI student) 2. Ms. Isha Vaze (SBSI student) 3. Ms. Varsha Naik (SBSI student) 4. Sampada Nadkarni (SBSI students) 5. Yuvradnyee Naik (SBSI students)
7. Number of Faculty attended/participated	NIL
8. Number of Student attended / participated	5
9. No. of external students/faculty/other participants	14 children + 3 (staff) = 17

<p>10. The objectives of the Program/activity/event</p>	<p>The outreach activity was conducted as a part of the Society Engagement Activity/Outreach activity of SBSI student Goa University To improve the self-employability skills of the orphan children.</p>
<p>11. Description of the Program/activity/event</p>	<p>Mushroom cultivation workshop was designed to provide theoretical as well as practical knowledge to children of 'Matruchhaya' orphanage Dhavali Ponda, Goa to improve the self-employability skills of the orphan children.</p> <p>A total of 14 children and participated in the Programme. Matruchhaya in charge Mrs. Supriya Bodke and staff members Mrs. Sneha sawant and Mr. sunil Naik were also present during the whole demo activity.</p>
<p>12. Benefit/Key outcomes of the Program/activity/event</p>	<p>The participants were benefited by the informative session on the challenges faced during the mushroom cultivation.</p> <p>The participants got hands-on experience in handling and sterilization of paddy straw. Also demonstration of how to apply spawn and fill the bags. Spawn running and harvesting of mushroom yield. The workshop improved self-confidence and enabled the participants to take up mushroom cultivation as their self-employment option.</p>
<p>13. Enclosures with report</p>	<p>3. Geo-tag photos clicked during workshop.</p>

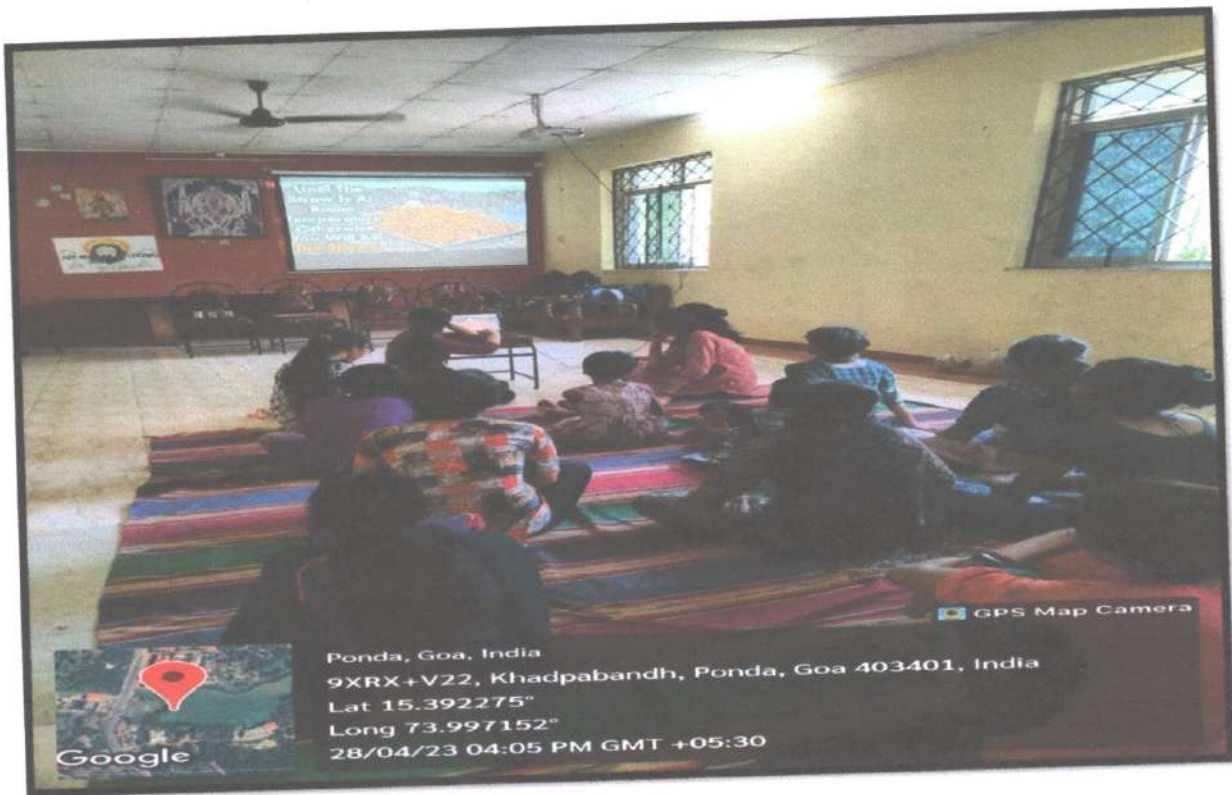
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