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COLLEGE OF HORTICULTURE
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“Eco Creativity and Innovation Hackathon”

The College of Horticulture, AAU, Anand, conducted the Eco Creativity and Innovation Hackathon from 31st August to 4th September 2024 under the NSS Cell, guided by Principal & Dean, Dr. N. I. Shah and coordinated by Dr. Prity Kumari, NSS Program Officer. The hackathon aimed for creativity among students while addressing critical environmental issues such as reducing e-waste and waste materials.

A total of 25 students from the 3rd, 5th and 7th semesters of B.Sc. (Hons.) Horticulture actively participated in the event. The theme for this hackathon focused on innovative ideas and projects that promote waste reduction and the minimization of e-waste.

During the event, students demonstrated their creativity by transforming IT scraps like keyboards, mouse, CPU, CD, Cassettes and motherboards, into innovative products such as Projectors, Clocks, diaries, pen stands and informational tools. Additionally, they created practical items like Flower holding pots by bottle glass and using the same glass bottles filled with a mixture of moss, soil, sand and stones for terrariums.. These efforts highlighted the potential for upcycling e-waste and waste into functional, everyday items. This event encouraged students to present practical, eco-friendly innovations that could contribute to a more sustainable future. The hackathon concluded successfully, providing valuable insights into innovative ways to repurpose waste materials and contribute to a cleaner, greener world.

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