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Office of the Special Commissioner, Forests, Environment, Climate Change Management

Proceedings of meeting held on 05-08-2025 under the Chairpersonship of Special Commissioner (Forest, Environment, Climate Change Management) regarding the Implementation of Bengaluru Climate Action and Resilience Plan (BCAP)

Date: 05.08.2025

Time: 4:00 PM - 4:30 PM

Venue: BBMP head office

Participants:

- Smt. Preeti Gehlot, IAS Special Commissioner (Forest, Environment, Climate Change Management), BBMP
- 2. Mr. Gowthama Rajavelu Senior Program Manager, Asar / CEN
- 3. Ms. SaiDevi Sanjeeviraja- Founder, Thicket Tales
- Ms. Sunayana Ganguly Co-founder, Climate Educators Network
- 5. Ms. Midhili Ravikumar Program Officer, Asar/CEN
- 6. Ms. Stuti Goswami BLR Pvt Program Lead, CMCA
- 7. Ms. Ashvini Ghatikar BLR Pvt Program Associate, CMCA
- 8. Ms. Neha Elizabeth Sunil Content Development Associate, CMCA
- 9. B-CAC Fellows Ms. Jeevitha and Mr. Suraj

Agenda

- · Review and dissemination of audit reports from schools and colleges
- Digital documentation of Climate Action Club activities
- · Event planning and school/college participation tracking
- Finalization and scheduling of activity calendars
- Design of credit/points/rating system for Climate Action Clubs
- Outreach strategies for unengaged schools
- Mapping of school-organization partnerships
- Planning a city-level flagship event
- Field visit coordination for students
- Social media coordination



Key discussions and next steps:

1. Audit Report Visualisation

- Action: Fellows and the Working Group to review the audit reports submitted by schools and colleges.
- Output: Develop pictorial/graphical representations that can be easily shared on social media platforms for public outreach.

2. Digital Uploads by Schools and Colleges

- Action: Schools and colleges are required to upload photos, videos, and reels of their activities on the Climate Action Club portal.
- Goal: Ensure these uploads are visible and reflected in the dashboard of the CAC website.

3. Pre-Event Participation Form

- Action: A Google Form Format should be created before any event to:
 - Collect participation numbers
 - Support documentation and reporting
- Responsibility: Working Group

4. Finalisation of Activity Calendar

- Action: Post the meeting with heads of schools and colleges (scheduled for 6-08-25), the Working Group will finalize the list of proposed activities.
- Timeline: The activities must be scheduled with proper dates/months in consultation with Fellows.
- o Deadline for Publication: Monday, 11-08-2025

5. Credit/Point/Rating System for Activities

- o Action: After publishing the activity timeline, the Working Group must:
 - Develop a points/credit-based evaluation system for schools and colleges
 - Use this system to assess performance
 - Recognize the highest-scoring institution at the end of the year as the Best Climate Action Club

6. Outreach for Inactive Schools

 Action: The Working Group should propose creative outreach methods to engage schools that have registered but have yet to form clubs or begin activities.

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7. School Handholding List

- Action: Fellows to share the list of all registered schools under the CAC program
 with the Working Group.
- Task for Working Group:
 - Select schools they will mentor and support
 - Submit the final list of assigned schools to the Fellows
- O Deadline: By Friday, 09-08-2025
- Fellows to follow up with Mr. Srinivas from WRI for a list of schools identified for long-term handholding and support.

8. Planning a City-Level Event

- Action: Working Group to brainstorm and develop a proposal for a major interschool/college event to be held:
 - Either in the last week of October or first week of November

9. Toyota Scientific Park Visit

 Action: Fellows to follow up with Toyota representatives to organize an educational field visit for school children to their Scientific Park.

10. Social Media Coordination

Action: Fellows to work closely with the Social Media Outreach Manager to:

- o Promote activities under the Climate Action Clubs
- o Publish creative, timely, and impactful posts

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