
PRESS RELEASE

**VEDANTA – VALUE ADDED BUSINESS SPREADS HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENT
PROTECTION AWARENESS MESSAGE ON VANAMAHOTSAV 2019**

Goa, July 25, 2019: Vedanta- Value Added Business spread the awareness about health and environment protection through good practices while celebrating Vanamahotsav 2019 at Amona-Navelim in association with Rotary Club, Miramar and Vedanta's Business partner Bhavana Earthmovers. Mr. Navnath Vhatte (Director - Value Added Business), Mr. Saiprakash Raikar (owner of Bhavana Earthmovers) and Mrs. Bhavana Raikar (President of Rotary Club Miramar) inaugurated the event by planting chafa plant saplings.

Mr. Navnath Vhatte spoke about the proper measures that need to be taken for increasing green cover by regular checking of the survival rate of the plantation. He said, "Planting of trees is important for everyone's survival but, equally important is ensuring the survival of the planted trees by taking proper measures. I urge and encourage your family and friends to plant a tree each and help in keeping the local green cover safe"

Mr. Saiprakash Raikar and Mrs. Bhavana Raikar appreciated the efforts of Vedanta and thanked the management for taking such initiative.

A Plantation drive carried out in the delicately marked area for green belt development at Power Plant 1 of Value Added business. On this occasion, a special session was also conducted by Dr. Noel Britto from Rotary Club, on the topic 'Chest Compression - Only Life Support (COLS).' During the session he explained how we can save lives of people in emergency situations through COLS.

Vanamahotsav is a yearly tree-planting development in India, which started in 1950 to celebrate the importance of growing and saving our forests and create awareness about the ill effects of deforestation. It is an annual tree planting festival in the month of July. During this festival thousands of trees are planted all over India. It was started by K. M. Munshi, the Union Minister for Agriculture and Food at that time to create awareness and the importance of the conservation of forests and planting of new trees.

Caption for the photograph : Vanamahotsv Celebrations at Vedanta – VAB.

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