

Inauguration of ZSA North Gauhati College Unit and a Popular Talk on “An Insight into the Snakes of Assam” by Dr. Jayaditya Purkayastha,

Date: 3rd November, 2025

Venue: Smart Classroom (RCC-3)

The Zoological Society of Assam, established in 1983, under the Society Act 1860, is a voluntary organization of persons interested in Zoology and allied biological sciences and technology. Its headquarters being at the Department of Zoology, Gauhati University. ZSA has been working towards raising awareness and scientific temperament among people from all walks of life. Since the past few years, ZSA has been opening its unit in various colleges of Assam, so as to build strong scientific foundations of students while they continue to imbibe knowledge in these learning centers. The ZSA’s objectives not only include students but also their facilitators so as to create a holistic teaching-learning environment.

Hence, with these objectives in mind, the ZSA unit of North Gauhati College (Department of Zoology) was opened on 3rd November, 2025. The event was graced by the President of Zoological Society of Assam, Mr. Priabrata Lahkar and the General Secretary, Dr. Nomita Sarma. The event was conducted by Dr. Mitali Chetia, Assistant Professor, Department of Zoology, North Gauhati College. Guest felicitation was followed by Welcome Speech by the head of the department, Dr. Bhavna Prishnee Baroowa and Speech by the General Secretary, both asserting continued support and hand-holding for fulfilling shared objectives.

As an inauguration event for unit opening, a popular talk was also organized by the Department of Zoology, North Gauhati College. The invited speaker was Dr. Jayaditya Purkayastha, General Secretary of the NGO- Help Earth. The topic of the popular talk was “An Insight into the Snakes of Assam”. The speaker was successful in enthraling our students with his deliverance and wonderful collection of herpetology specimen together with thrilling rescue stories and case studies making it an interactive discussion. The students as well as the faculty members definitely benefitted from the insightful discussion. The event ended with a group photo of our guests, invited speaker, students and teachers.

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Attendance Sheet:

Date: 3rd November, 2025 Time: 1:00 PM
 Venue: Smart Classroom REC-3

Inaugural Ceremony of Zoological Society of Assam
 Department of Zoology, North Gauhati College

Attendees:

Name	Signature
Syabrata Chakraborty	[Signature]
Dr. Namita Sharma	N. Sharma
Dr. Charana P. Barooine	[Signature]
Dr. Mitali Chetia	Mitali Chetia
Jayaditya Pradhan	Jayaditya Pradhan
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Prismita Patowary	Prismita Patowary
momoni Bhuyan	J. Bhuyan
itenjali Deba	K. Deba
vyashree Deba	S. Deba
Shruti Dasumatary	K. Das
shamin Boroi	J. Shamin
ibarti Boroi	B. Boroi
iya Nath.	R. Nath
Uma Deba	V. Deba
gaurika Sarma	S. Sarma
reety Nath	Kreety Nath
ashama Deba	Upashama
smrita Das	Vismrita
harika Kalita	N. Kalita
Shovan Thapa	Shovan
rajab Kalita	Rajab
aron Kaushik Kalita	Aron

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Popular Talk on "Snake Insight into the Snake of Assam" by Dr. Jayaditya Pradhan

Date: 3rd November, 2025 Time: 2:50 PM
 Venue: Smart Classroom REC-03

Attendees:

Resource Person: Name-

1. Bastab Baruah	Bastab Barua
2. Arno Patowary	Arno Patowary
3. Nishanta Kalita	[Signature]
4. Harshita Chakraborty	Harshita Chakraborty
5. Diisha Bhatta	Diisha Bhatta
6. Afreen Ali	Afreen Ali
7. Niharika Yasmin	Niharika Yasmin
8. Sania Begum	Sania Begum
9. Sumi Kalita	Sumi Kalita
10. Bibeta Kalita	Bibeta Kalita
11. Neima Islam	Neima Islam
12. Robina Begum	Robina Begum

23. Kamal Krishna Barua	[Signature]
24. Pransav Saikia	Pransav Saikia
25. Shilpa Sah	Shilpa Sah
26. Karabi Bhat	Karabi Bhat
27. Mayuri Kalita	Mayuri Kalita
28. Gaurima Kalita	Gaurima Kalita
29. Saizima Akhbar	Saizima Akhbar
30. Punishmita Gatai	Punishmita Gatai
31. Dipalioley	Dipalioley
