

### 1<sup>ST</sup> NANDUR MADHAMESHWAR BIRD FESTIVAL EVENT SCHEDULE

Date and Day	Time	Event	Speaker
Day 1			
19.01.2018/Friday	06.00 – 08.00	Bird Walks	
	08.30 – 9.15	Breakfast	
	09.30 – 11.00	Registration, Inauguration and Key Note Address	
	11.00 – 11.30	Tea Break	
	11.30 – 12.30	Role of Maharashtra Wetlands in Central Asian Flyway with special reference to Nandur Madhameshwar Wildlife Sanctuary	Dr. Balachandran, BNHS
	12.30 – 13.30	Wetlands of Nashik District/ Conservation of vultures	Shri. Bishwarup Raha, Nature Conservation Society of Nashik
	13.30 – 14.30	Lunch Break	
	14.30 – 15.30	Introduction to Bird Watching- 5W1H of bird watching.	Shri. Satish Gogate, Nashik
	15.30 – 16.30	Bird Count Method- Common Bird Monitoring Programme	Shri. Nandkishore Dudhe, BNHS
	16.45 – 18.30	Bird Walks	

Day 2			
20.01.2018/Saturday	06.00 – 08.00	Bird Walks	
	08.30 – 9.15	Breakfast	
	09.30 – 11.00	Heritage Walk	Shri. R. B. Patil, Niphad
		Kid Corner (Exclusively for Kids)	Shri. Kiran Purandare
	11.00 – 11.15	Tea Break	
	11.15– 12.00	Species diversity and habitat utilization of waterbirds at Nandur Madhameshwar Wetland	Dr. Prashant Wagh, Nashik
	12.00 – 12.45	Potential Ramsar Sites in Maharashtra	Dr. Raju Kasambe, Project Manager, IBA & IBCN, BNHS
		Nandur Madhameshwar Ramsar Information Sheet	Shri. Bharat Shinde, ACF, NMWLS
	12.45 – 13.30	Life of Forest Owlet	Mrs. Prachi Mehta, Executive Director (Research), WRCS, Pune
	13.30-14.30	Lunch Break	
	14.30 – 15.30	Basics of Photography	Shri. Bibhas Amonkar, Naturalist and photographer
	15.30 – 16.30	Basics of Bird Photography	Shri. Abhay Kewate, Photographer
16.45 – 18.30	Bird Walks		

Day 3			
21.01.2018/Sunday	06.00 – 08.00	Bird Walks	
	08.30 – 9.15	Breakfast	
	09.30 – 11.00	Grassland birds conservation	Dr. Jayant Wadtkar, President, Maharashtra Pakshi Mira Sangthana
	11.00 – 11.30	Tea Break	
	11.30 – 12.30	Role of birds in environment protection	Dr. Dilip Yardi, Hon.Wildlife Warden and Ornithologist
	12.30 – 13.30	Bird plant relationship and Garden Birds	Shri. Suhas Waigankar, Kolhapur
	13.30 – 14.30	Lunch Break	
	14.30 – 15.30	First aid and rescue of injured birds	Shri. Umesh Nagare, Pets Bazaar Foundation, Nashik
	15.30 – 16.30	Open Discussion on Future of Nandur Madhameshwar Wildlife Sanctuary	Ms. Balajiwale, Nashik
	16.45 – 17.30	Photography/Painting Contests Winner Prize Distribution	
	17.30 – 18.00	Valedictory Function	