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**Participation of ENVIS Center on Himalayan Ecology in
World Environment Day Celebration (June 5, 2017)
(Theme- *Connecting People to Nature*)**

Commemorating, this year's theme "*Connecting People to Nature*" of *World Environment Day*, G. B. Pant National Institute of Himalayan Environment and Sustainable Development (GBPNIHESD), Kosi-Katarmal, Almora, organized a series of events on 5th June 2017. Inaugurating the event a pledge is convened by Director of the institute along with all faculty, staff and researchers. The pledge aimed to protect the environment with judicious and frugal use of resources so that Mother Nature receives minimal footprint our acts.

After the pledge, art exhibition entitled "*Conserving the Himalayan Landscape: Perception and coping with the climate change impacts on food, water, disease, and facilities*" was unveiled where expressions on various aspects of Climate Change by students of Kumaun University, The Climate Project Foundation, New Delhi and GBPNIHESD were exhibited. A booklet comprised of all entries was released by the guest dignitaries.

At this occasion Himalayan Popular Lecture delivered by Dr. D.K Agrawal, Ex. Expert Member National Green Tribunal. The lecture was 18th in series entitled "*Environmental Challenges, Environmental Jurisprudence, and Role of Environmental due Diligence*". Towards the end awardees of the art competition are facilitated.

Photos of Activities:



Pledge on Environment day June 05, 2017



Book release on Art Competition



Group Photo of all participants with eminent scientists



Lecture delivered by Dr. D.K Agrawal



Exhibition of Art Competition