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Sir,

The Editor,

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I request that the following matter may kindly be published in your esteemed daily:

ECOFEST'15

A giant leap of sustainability is initiated by the students of Energy and Environmental Engineering at Agricultural Engineering College and Research institute, Tamil Nadu Agricultural University. The students are organizing the grand 9th National level symposium ECOFEST'15, Envisioning Feasibility on September 16 which is also observed as world ozone day.

The symposium is aimed at attracting the students from various disciplines providing a stage to enrich their knowledge, employ their skills and innovative ideas along with brain storming spectra of their talents towards addressing the current energy and environmental issues. The main attractions at the symposium are Oral presentation, Poster and Model Presentation, Green Debate, Code war, Designing, Problematic quiz and Pixelate (A Photography Contest) to trigger the environmental genius in you.

As the part of ECOFEST'15, many forerunner events were conducted for the general public which mainly focuses on creating awareness towards the current environmental issues and energy conservation practices. The event planned a month long festivity from August 16 to September 16 and utilizing the full time in creating awareness along with taking enough measures to show their potential in preserving the

mother earth. The forerunner events were Eco club inauguration at the TNAU campus along with Solid Waste management optimization and installation of a digitalized map.

Next the event of Ist Agri Marathon in Coimbatore which was conducted in association with the Kovai Athletics Association on August 23, Sunday. The next event was conducted on August 30 which reached the public directly by the distribution of energy efficient bulbs and cloth bag distribution to the public and shops surrounding the campus. The last forerunner event was done involving the budding engineers, The competitions for the school students of Coimbatore City. The competition was titled GREEN BRAINS'15 and it included the junk art competition, drawing and painting contest, Model presentation and Junior Engineer quiz competition which was conducted on September 6, Sunday. This hand to hand event has provided a platform to exhibit and establish the organizational skills of the green engineers.

The massive vault is to be done on September, 16 welcoming the interested participants to exhibit their ideas and innovations on the occasion. The abstracts for poster and paper presentation have already been selected and on-spot registration is available for other events only.

The events are scheduled with concern for efficient utilization of time. To know further information regarding the participation in the symposium please contact, D.Vishnu Ram (Organising Secretary) - 9965222655 and S.Janani (Joint Organising Secretary) - 9976673337.