



Shri Vile Parle Kelavani Mandal's
**MITHIBAI COLLEGE OF ARTS, CHAUHAN INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE &
AMRUTBEN JIVANLAL COLLEGE OF COMMERCE AND ECONOMICS**

(Autonomous - Affiliated to University of Mumbai)

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Best College (2016-17), University of Mumbai



Animax

*An Intercollegiate fest by
The Department of Zoology*

24th February 2024





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Mithibai College

Since its inception in 1961, Shri Vile Parle Kelavani Mandal's Mithibai College of Arts, Chauhan Institute of Science & Amrutben Jivanlal College of Commerce and Economics (Autonomous) is envisaged as a destination for the most promising and talented students. The College has 22 departments, of which 14 are postgraduate departments with 10 of them conducting Ph.D. programmes. Its admission policy favours meritorious students irrespective of their economic background. The academic year 2016-17 saw the College being awarded with the Best College Award of University of Mumbai. The College also implemented Grade 1 Autonomous status for a period of 10 years in the academic year 2018-19. The College is granted empowered autonomy in the year 2023-24. In 2019, the College was ranked first by 'India Today' in all three faculties i.e. Arts, Science & Commerce faculty. In 2022, Mithibai College was ranked 4th by 'EduWorld' amongst all Autonomous Colleges in the country. The College has a vibrant and an all-encompassing atmosphere to boost holistic development of its students.

The Department of Zoology

The inception of the department took place in the year 1961 and the first Head of the Department to take charge was Dr. Kalgutkar. Among Prof. Chawathe, Dr. Sakthivel, Prof. Parelkar and Vinayak Dalvie who have been active and dedicated members of Board of Studies, Dr. Sakthivel and Vinayak Dalvie have served the University of Mumbai as Chairpersons, Board of Studies in Zoology. The department, getting its Post Graduate recognition in the year 1980-1981, has entire permanent faculty recognized as Post Graduate teachers as well as guides for M.Sc. by Research. Three faculties of the department are recognized as Ph.D. Guides. The department has published over 190 research papers.



About Animaux

"Animaux" is the official fest organized by the Department of Zoology of Mithibai college. Since 2019, there are a total of eight teams working together for the success of this fest.

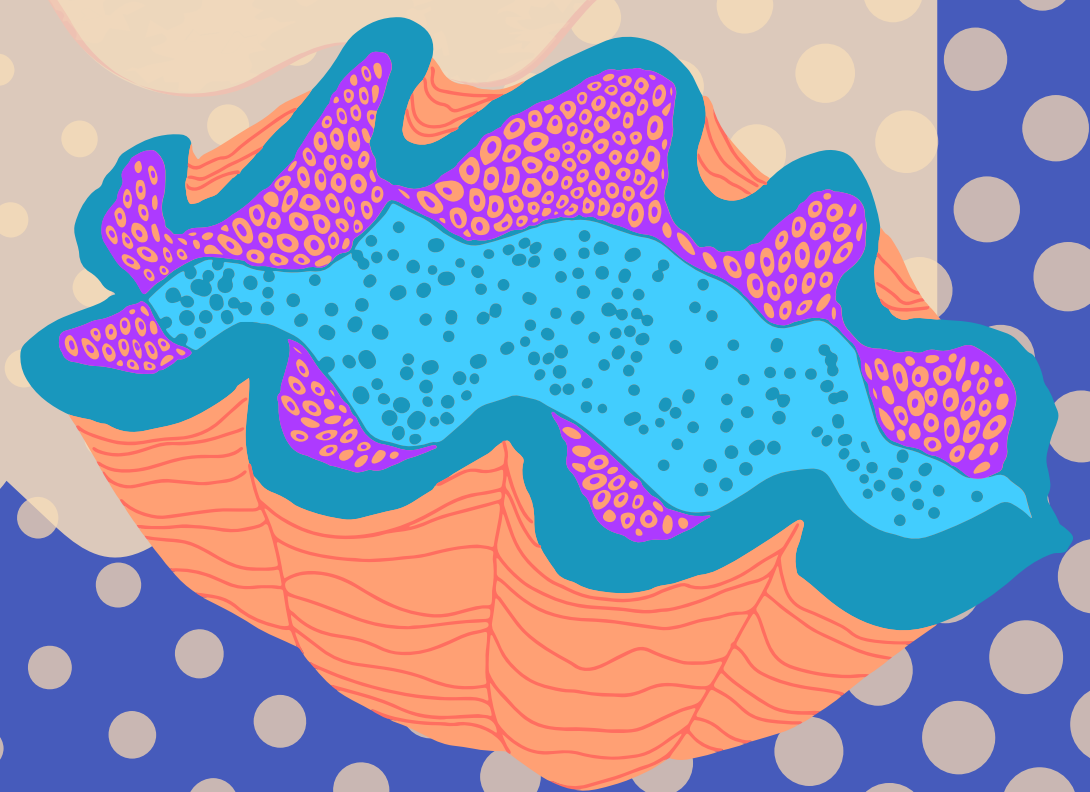
"Animaux" as an event focuses on promoting the world of animals and other living organisms to college students. Other than that it also focuses on educating the youth about the environment and the crisis the world is currently facing due to the mass degradation of the environment and pollution by humans.

Throughout the D-Days, we conduct a wide range of fun and exciting events and workshops full of zoology and animal-related topics!



Our Theme: Marine Conservation

Marine conservation, is the protection and preservation of ecosystems in oceans and seas through planned management in order to prevent the over-exploitation of these marine resources. Marine conservation is informed by the study of marine plants and animal resources and ecosystem functions and is driven by response to the manifested negative effects seen in the environment such as, habitat degradation and changes in ecosystem function.





Our Patrons & Mentors

Chief Patron

Shri. Amrishbhai Patel
(President- SVKM)

Patron

Shri. Shalinbhai Divetia
(Joint Secretary- SVKM
and Mentor- Mithibai College)

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Principal

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Vice Principal, Science

Dr. Anjali Patkar
Vice Principal, Commerce

Ms. Nilima Raval
Vice Principal, Arts

Dr. Hitesh U. Shingadia
Vice Principal, Research Consultancy
& Collaboration

Convener

Dr. Meghana Talpade
(Assoc. Professor and HOD, Zoology)

Joint Convener

Dr. Anil Singh
(Assoc. Professor)

Co-Convener

Dr. Papiya Deb
(Assoc. Professor)

Coordinator

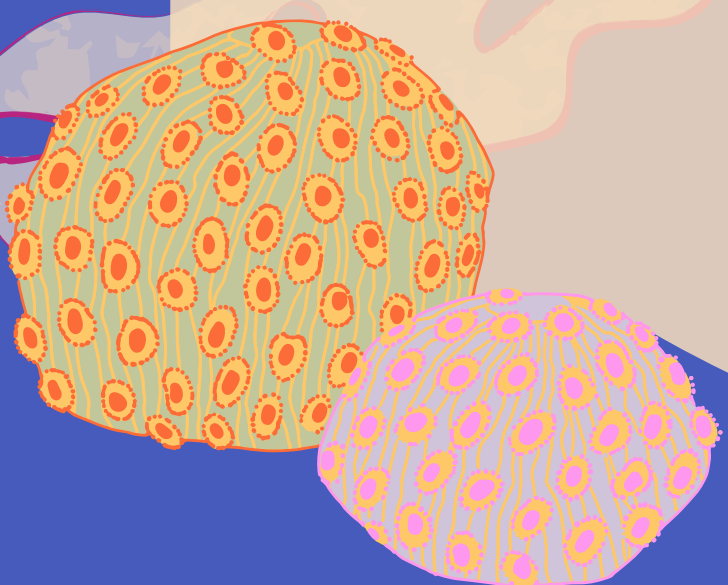
Dr. Vishakha Shingala
(Asst. Professor)

Organizing Committee

Mr. T.V Bicheesh Balan (Asst. Professor)

Mr. Dinesh Kumar Saroj (Asst. Professor)

Dr. Shouriehebal Soni (Asst. Professor)



Core Committee

Student Coordinators

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Brianna Mankar

Sujal Chaudhari

Heads of Departments

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Trisha Waghela

Marketing and PR

Mayuresh Wankhede & Kiara Gajendra

Productions and Technicals

Ammar Daniwala & Rohan Hirekhan

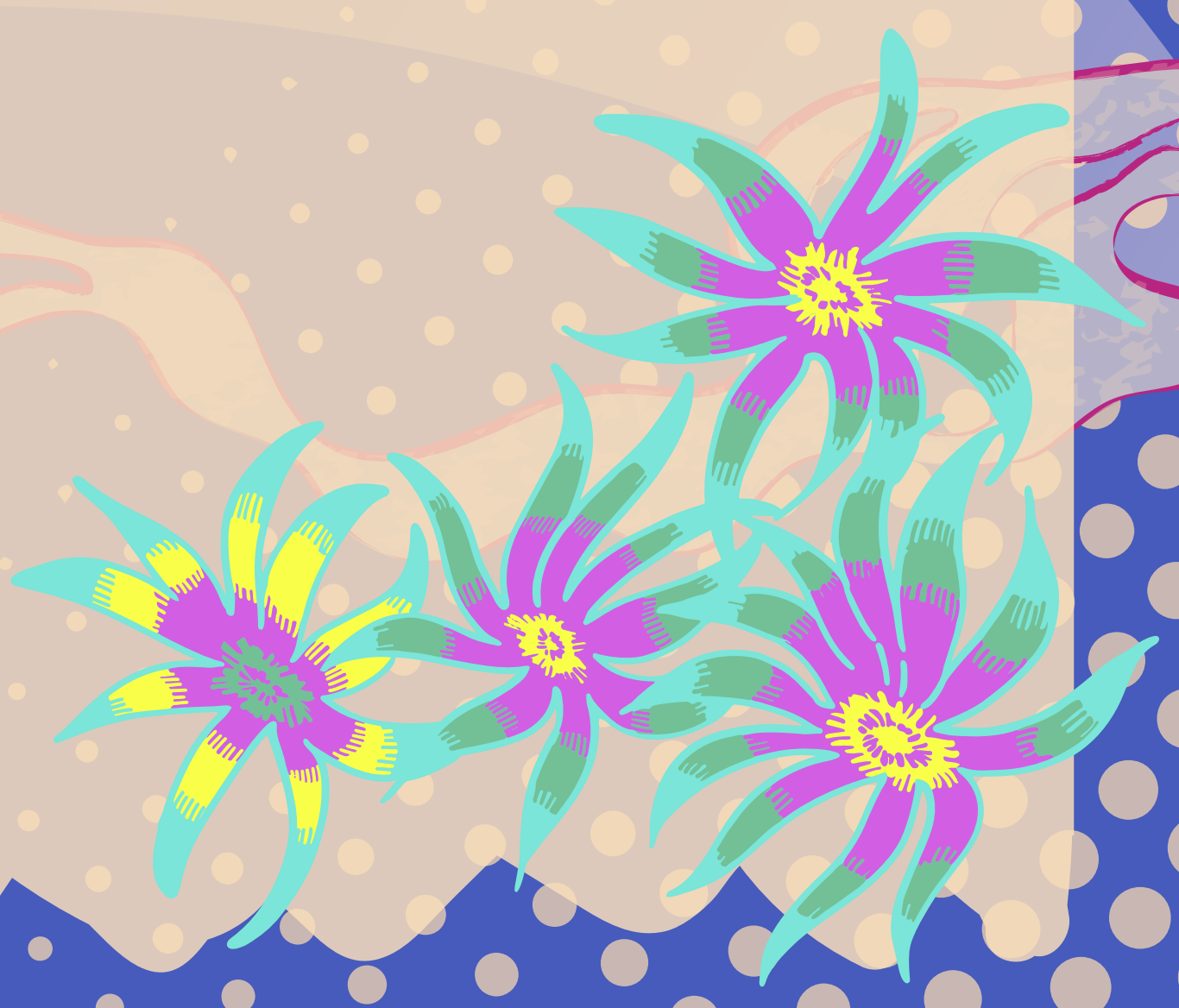
Logistics

Titiksha Jain

Creatives

Sharanya Shylesh

Events:



Seas the Mic

Unleash your inner artist or entertainer at our Open Mic event! Step into the spotlight and share your talents with a supportive and enthusiastic audience. Whether you are a musician, poet, comedian, or storyteller, this is your chance to shine.

Rules & Regulations:

- *Participants will compete as individuals.*
- *They can perform their talent on stage like mimicry of animals, poetries, stories, singing, stand up, monologue, etc.*
- *Each participant will be given 3-5 minutes to perform.*
- *Use of vulgar language or offensive speech is prohibited.*
- *Languages used can be either of the following: Hindi, English, Marathi, Gujarati.*
- *Decision made by the judges will be final.*

- *Timings: 11:30 - 1:30*
- *Venue: Seminar Hall, 1st Floor.*

Tangled in the Net!

Embark on a journey of suspense and intrigue at our Murder Mystery event! Become a detective as you unravel the secrets, follow the clues, and work with fellow teammates to solve a thrilling whodunit. Immerse yourself in a world of mystery, where everyone is a suspect, and every twist takes you closer to unveiling the truth.

Rules & Regulations:

- This is a team event with 4 members in each team.
 - The event will be conducted in 4 rounds.
 - Find the culprit using your wit.
 - Each correct answer will grant you points.
 - The team with the highest score will be the ultimate winner.
 - Further instructions will be provided at the venue pre-event.
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- Timings: 1:45 PM - 3:30 PM
 - Venue: Seminar Hall, 1st Floor.



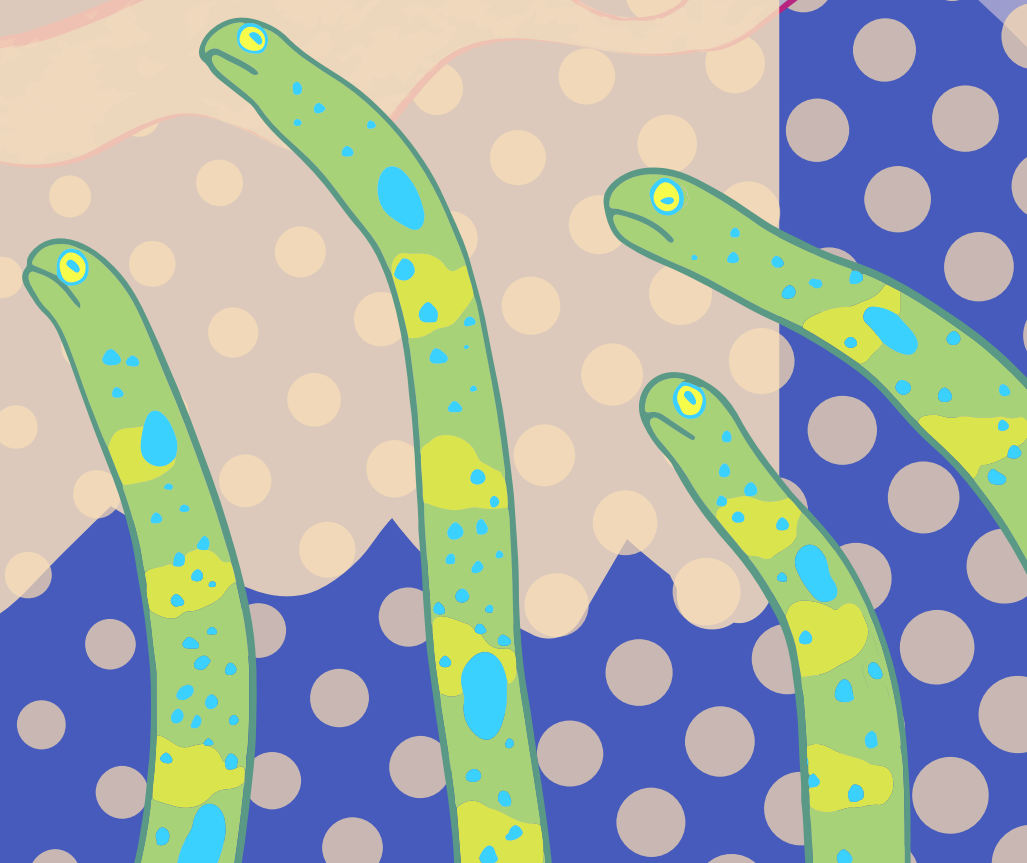
Feathers, Fins & Frames

Focus, click, and capture the moment at our Photography Event! Join fellow shutterbugs for a day dedicated to the art of still images. Whether you are a seasoned photographer or just starting, explore your creativity, perfect your framing, and share your unique perspective.

Theme: Wildlife Wonders

Rules & Regulations:

- Adhere to the theme strictly
 - 2 entries per participant only.
 - No edits allowed.
 - Original pictures should be displayed.
 - Plagiarised picture will be disqualified.
 - Participants must submit their photographs in the form of high quality A4 size prints.
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- Timings: 9:45 AM – 12:00 PM
 - Venue: Zoology Dept., 2nd Floor.



Paws and Play

Lights, camera, action! Whether you are a seasoned editor or an aspiring director, this is your stage to bring your creativity to life. Craft compelling narratives, experiment with different shots, and turn your ideas into captivating reels.

Theme: Animal Antics

Rules & Regulations:

- *One entry per participant.*
 - *Time limit: 30-60 seconds.*
 - *Only use original clips.*
 - *Shooting and editing of the reel to be done using the same device.*
 - *Display of offensive or vulgar themes is prohibited.*
 - *The reels must be submitted through the link provided before the deadline.*
 - *The reels will be displayed and judged at the venue.*
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- *Click here for submission*
 - *Deadline: 23rd February 2024*
 - *Timings: 10:00 AM*
 - *Venue: Seminar Hall, 1st Floor.*

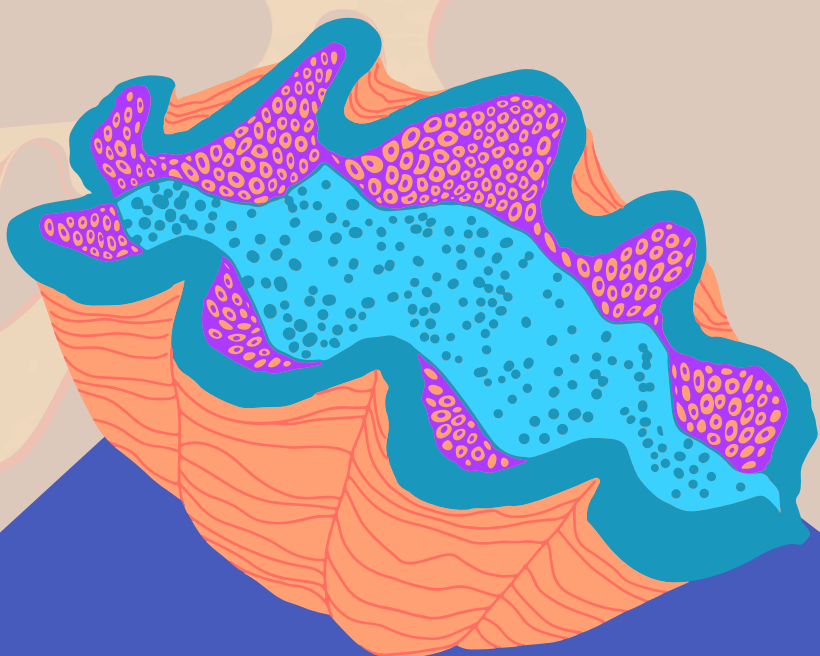
Tide Turners

Get creative with our Best Out of Waste event! Turn everyday items into art, embrace upcycling, and showcase your eco-friendly ingenuity. Join us for a day of crafting, where discarded materials find new life as unique creations. Let's redefine waste and celebrate sustainability through creativity!

Theme: Marine animals

Rules & Regulations:

- Participants can compete as a pair.
 - Participants must bring their own materials. Materials that can be used are newspapers, waste plastic, old CDs, magazines, etc.
 - Only waste material to be used strictly.
 - Use of new materials will lead to disqualification.
 - The artwork must be completed within the duration of 2 hours.
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- Timings: 10:30 AM – 12:30 PM
 - Venue: UG Laboratory, Zoology Dept, 2nd Floor.



Fin-tastic Faces

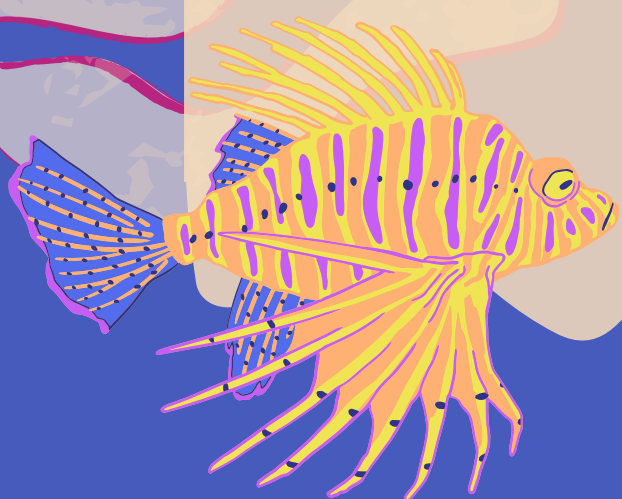
Transform your face into a canvas of creativity at our face painting event! Immerse yourself in a burst of colours and designs as skilled artists turn smiles into vibrant masterpieces. From whimsical jellyfishes to fierce sharks, join us for a fun-filled experience that adds a touch of magic to every face.

Theme: Under the ocean

Rules & Regulations:

- This is a team event consisting of the artist and a model to paint their face.*
- Participants must bring along their own model with prior registration.*
- Strictly adhere to the theme.*
- Use of reference (viz. mobiles, photographs, stencils, etc.) to paint is prohibited.*
- Painting can be done using poster colours or body paints only.*
- Participants shall bring their own materials like brushes, paints etc.*
- The artwork must be completed within the duration of 2 hours.*

- Timings: 10:30 AM – 12:30 PM*
- Venue: UG Laboratory, Zoology Dept, 2nd Floor.*

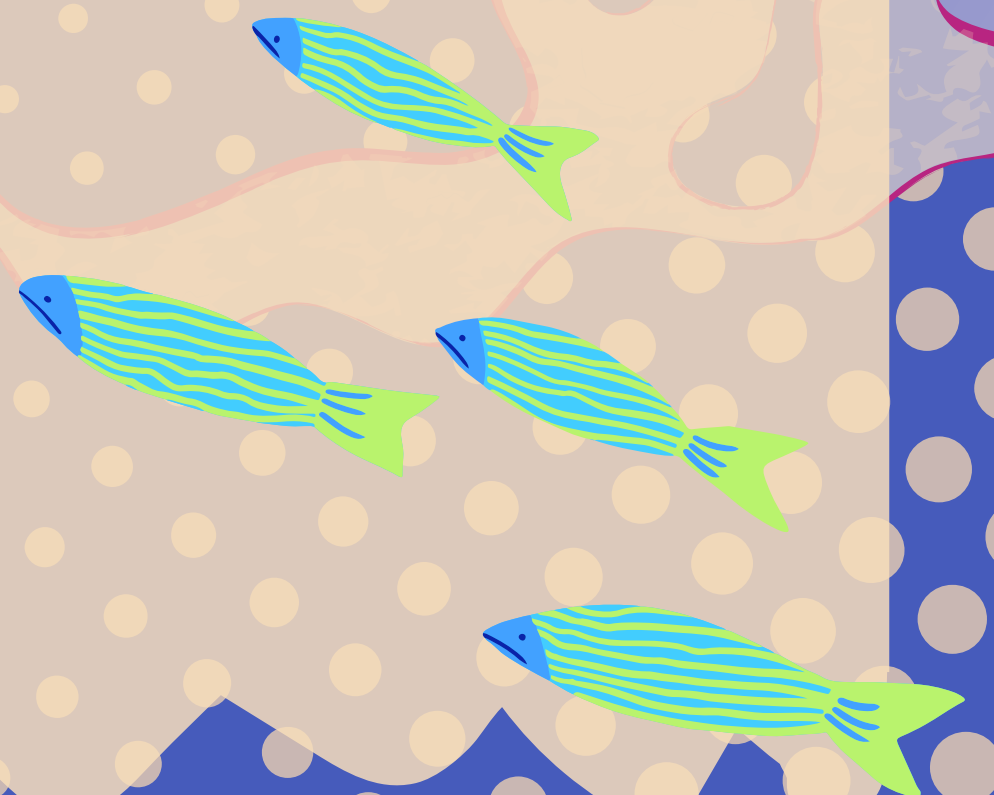
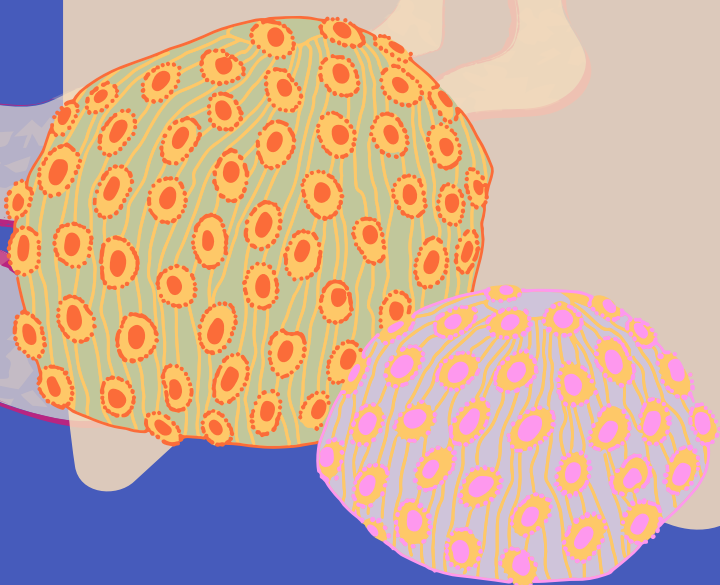


Fantasea Fusion

Dive into fantasy at our Chimera Making Event! Blend elements to craft mythical creatures and let your imagination run wild. Join us for a day of magical crafting, where each participant brings their unique chimera to life. Unleash the extraordinary!

Rules & Regulations:

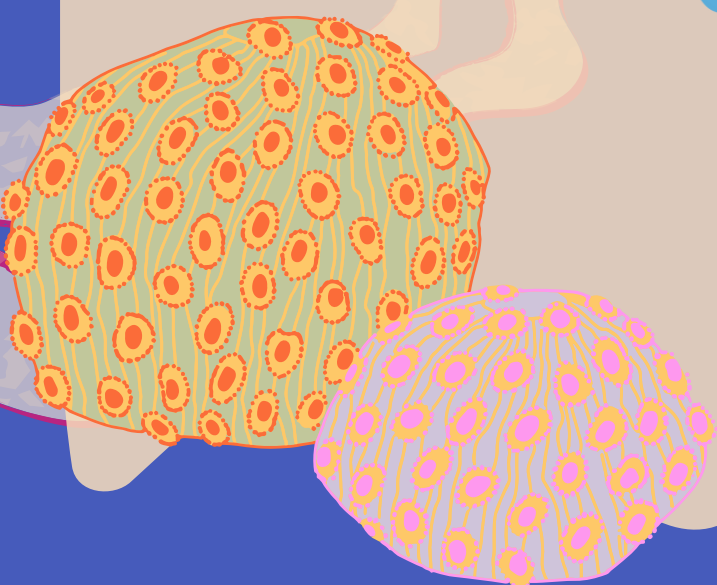
- The participant must ideate an organism by making a hybrid of real animals.*
 - Participants will not be allowed to carry reference pictures. Ideas must be original.*
 - A3 size paper will be provided for the artwork.*
 - Participants must bring their own materials.*
 - The artwork must be completed within the duration of 1 hour.*
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- Timings: 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM*
 - Venue: Biology Laboratory, 2nd Floor.*



Registration

Click here to register

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