

# Seminar on the occasion of World Ozone Day

Date: 16-09-2019

Participants: 25

Special guest: Dr. Joseph Ignatius Talk delivered by: Dr. Nitin Solanki



## Brief report:

World Ozone Day is observed on September 16. This event is meant to remind people about the signing of Montreal Protocol on reducing substances that deplete the ozone layer. The ozone layer or ozone shield is a region of Earth's stratosphere which absorbs most of the Sun's harmful ultraviolet radiation. On September 16, 1987, the Montreal Protocol was signed on substances that deplete the ozone layer. The day for International Ozone Day was chosen by the United Nations General Assembly in its 49/114 resolution. The theme of International Ozone Day 2019 was "32 years and healing". The celebration of World Ozone Day was done by the Department of Zoology on 16<sup>th</sup> September, 2019 in order to bring awareness amongst students to prevent the use of CFCs and to protect the ozone layer. Dr. Joseph Ignatius of Dept. of Zoology, Govt. Science College, Daman was the Special Guest and Dr. Nitin Solanki delivered a talk on World Ozone Day.