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To
The Editor,

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Sir,

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

Students Eco Club in TNAU

The ECOFEST'15 “Envisioning feasibility” will be organized on 16th September, 2015 at AEC&RI, TNAU by B.Tech Energy and Environmental Engineering students. ECOFEST'15 is the 9th national level symposium that will be organized and conducted by students with the guidance and support of professors of the college.

It will be conducted under the chairmanship of Dr. C. Divaker Durairaj, Dean (Engg.), AEC&RI, TNAU, Coimbatore. Dr. R. Mahendiran, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Bio-energy and Dr. A. Surendra Kumar, Professor, AMRC, are supporting and motivating the students as the event coordinator and the staff advisor, respectively. Every year before conducting the ECOFEST, other events will be organized as forerunner to the national level symposium in order to spread awareness about energy and environmental issues.

The first programme to be held on account of “ECOFEST'15” is Eco-club inauguration which includes solid waste management by installing waste collection bins and TNAU map installation at AEC&RI on 16th August 2015. The Eco-club inaugural function will be held at AEC&RI Seminar Hall with installation of the Digitized TNAU layout at the entrance of AEC&RI and waste bins made of Mild Steel having 0.5 tonne and 0.3 m³ capacity in and around AEC&RI.

The colour coded bin is to be placed to sensitize and facilitate the people on proper disposal of waste and waste management with the innovation of students to prevent environmental destruction and detrimental effect of pollution.

The main objectives of the ECO-CLUB are

- Proper disposal of chemical bottles/other non-degradable wastes all around the campus premises.
- Maintaining renewable energy gadgets like biogas plant and solar gadgets in the campus.
- Celebrating world environment day, world water day, world ozone day, nature conservation day and energy conservation week through various programmes.
- Creating awareness to the public on green environment and mitigating the global warming through tree planting and other means on the important event days.

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