Visit to Yarikah Medicinal Plant Cultivation Division

Department of Botany conducted on day botanical tour of B.Sc 2nd semester male/female students 48 in number session 2015 on 10th of August 2015 to Yarikah Tangmarg headed by Prof. Tariq Ahmad Wani (HOD Botany) and accompanied by Prof. M.Aslam Bhat, Prof. M.Yousuf War, supporting staff. The tour party left at 8:00 am from the college campus towards Gulmarg via MagamTangmarg Road and reached Gulmarg at 11:30 am. The staff and the students took their lunch at Golf Club Gulmarg and after taking lunch left via Gandola route for trekking to Khilanmarg in search of various kinds of plants related to their syllabus. On the way Prof. Tariq Ahmad Wani ,Prof. M.Aslam Bhat and Prof. M.Yousuf War gave on-spot teaching to the students on various kinds of plants growing in the region especially ***Lichens, Algae, Fungi, Bryophyta, Pteridophyta and Gymnosprms***. The students were seen very keen and enthusiastic in studying various kinds of flora related to their syllabi. The party after trekking reached Khilanmarg at 4:00 pm took a little rest and returned back to Gulmarg at about 5:00pm. The tour party left back to Sopore College at about 5:00 pm from Gulmarg and reached Tangmarg by 5:30 pm. The staff and the students took light refreshment at Tangmarg and left back to Sopore at 6:00 Pm from Tangmarg and reached college campus by 7:45 Pm. All the students and the staff reached their destination in high spirit enjoying the day long natural beauty and flora of the region.

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