

International Day for Biological Diversity was observed on 23rd May 2022 under the theme **"Building a shared future for all life"**. The programme was organized by the Department of Botany, Nagaland University. Prof. C.R.Deb, HoD, Department of Botany addressed the invitees and the students. Special lecture was delivered by Prof. Lanusashi Longkhumer, HoD Department of Geography and exhortation was delivered by Prof. M.S.Rawart, Dean School of Sciences. Inter-departmental poster and debate competitions were organized on the event. Poster competition was held on the theme and Mr. Imliwapang Jamir, M.Sc. II Sem from Botany department was awarded 1st position and Mr. Molungsunep, M.A. II Sem from Geography Department was awarded 2nd Position. Debate competition was held on the theme **"Biodiversity offsetting: Taming a wicked problem?"**. Ms. Imtitula Pongen M.Sc. II Sem from Botany Department was awarded the best debater.

