

The eco-friendly amphitheater at CIDCO urban haat

- Urban Haat is a permanent fair for crafts, food and cultural activities where artisans and craftsmen from all over India will provide a panoramic view of the richness and diversity of handicraft and artifacts. In the middle of the urban haat we are having an eco-friendly amphitheater having the seating capacity of 450 audiences with 30 ft. by 20 ft. semi-circle stage.



- Since 2010 many cultural programs were organized in this amphitheater. Eminent musicians like Pandit Hariprasad Chaurasia (flutist), Jagjit Singh and Pandit Jasraj performed musical programs in urban haat. Similarly celebrities from film world like Jackie Shroff, Johnny leaver, Marathi, Bengali, Kerala, film directors, actors and actress participated in many functions.



- Schools and colleges of Navi Mumbai use to organize annual college functions in our amphitheater. D. Y. Patil College, Satyagraha College, Harmony School, Rotary Club, Lions Club organized several dance and drama programs in our amphitheater.



- Bengali associations, Malayali associations, Assam Cultural club and Gujarati cultural club organized exclusive Bharatanatyam, Kathakali, Mohiniyattam, kuchipudi, Lavani and Garba dances in our amphitheater.



- In addition to this NGO's and associations of Navi Mumbai organized drama festival Mindscape a workshop and seminar, painting competitions, film festivals, orchestra in urban haat.
- The eco-friendly atmosphere and the natural beauty of our amphitheater in the middle of the forest is appreciated by almost all the eminent artists from different parts of our country.

- The CIDCO Urban Haat amphitheater is available on rent for any NGO / Cultural Organizations for organizing cultural events from 9.00 am to 10.00 pm every day. The rent and other charges including security deposit is Rs.13, 800 from which the security amount Rs.5000 is refundable



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Fruit bearing tree plantation drive in CIDCO Urban Haat

- The site for Urban Haat is unique and interesting as well. It is a small hill with a number of fully grown trees. It is abutting the Belapur Railway station and is just 200m from the busy Sion-Panvel Expressway.
- All the fully grown trees have been preserved. A low built form is created to form an interesting skyline. The design of structures seems to settle quietly under and amidst the preserved foliage.



- We made a nature trail path of 800 meter in the middle of the thick forest which gives a village look and in this forest more than 20 types of different birds like parrot, Kuku, kingfisher, Woodpecker and sparrows have their nest. In the morning and evening it is very interesting to have a nature trail in the forest area of urban haat.
- Many trees are now fallen and there is enough space for plantation of trees so in order to attract more birds and making nature trail more beautiful and interesting we have done a plantation drive on 15th July in CIDCO Urban Haat in which many NGO's and organizations and family members of Navi Mumbai participated.



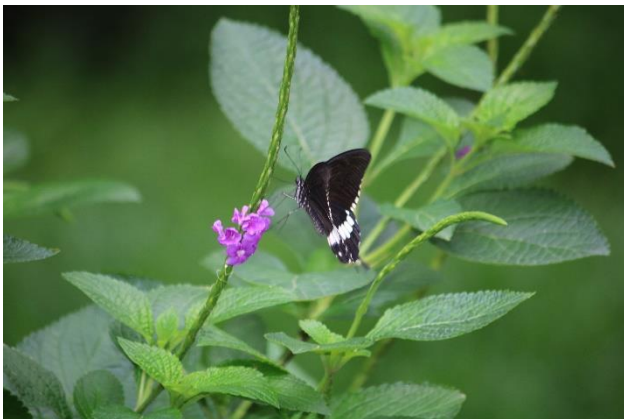
- 13 Rotary Club with the chairman planted 80 saplings like mangoes, black berry, Jackfruit, Indian gooseberry, sweetsop, zizphus mauritiana, syzygium cumini, Psidium guajava, syzygium samarangense, manilkara zapota, mimuspos elengi, ficus glometra, azadirachta indica etc. They planted 20 saplings with cancer patients in urban haat on 21st July. Several retired employees and present employees from CIDCO also participated in this drive with fruit bearing plants like Cashew nut, Almond, Guava and Mango.



- After reading the news in leading newspapers several families approached urban haat for tree plantation, with their family members and children hence more than 180 saplings of different variety were planted in urban haat, during the month of July from 15th August to 31st August 2017.



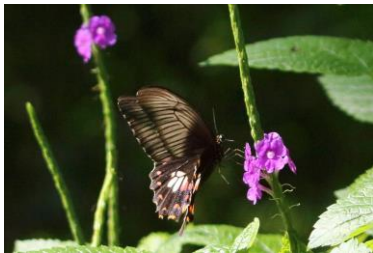
- Along with this plantation drive we have organized sapling preparation work shop, visit of butterfly garden and nature trail for students and corporate employees in which more than 100 students visited urban haat during the month and enjoyed.



- Now we are proposing for nature trail and butterfly every weekend from 7.30 am to 9.30 am in CIDCO urban haat. We will provide guide and the expense will be charged from the visitors.



Butterfly Garden and nature trail



We have developed 2 butterfly gardens in CIDCO Urban Haat and three more gardens are under process. In the butterfly garden we planted accordingly to attract different butterflies. At present more than 28 varieties of butterflies like, chocolate pansy, common emigrant, common grass yellow, common Mormon male and female, danaideggfly, lemon pansy, danausgenutia, etc. are seen in the morning and evening. Now regular nature trail and butterfly garden visit is organized in the morning from 7.30 to 9.30 with the support and guide from lady bird an NGO.

Similarly, we have developed a nature trail in the thick forest of UH about 600 meter from the entrance giving a good panoramic look of village road in the urban city with lot of grownup tress and birds about 18 varieties of birds a seen in urban Haat like coppersmith barbet, jungle mains, white throat kingfisher, red vented bulbul, red whiskered bulbul, etc.

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Tentative Calendar of Event Proposed at CIDCO Urban Haat for the year 2017-18

from August 2017 to June 2018

Sr. No.	Name of Mela	Organizer	Period	No. of Days
1	Shravan Mela	CIDCO	01.08.2017 to 15.08.2017	15
2	Ganesh Utsav	CIDCO	17.08.2017 to 03.09.2017	18
3	Dashera Mela	CIDCO	08.09.2017 to 02.10.2017	25
4	Deep Mela	CIDCO	06.10.2017 to 29.10.2017	24
5	Mathrubhumi Book Exhibition	NGO	03.11.2017 to 12.11.2017	10
6	Art & Craft exhibition	CIDCO	13.11.2017 to 22.11.2017	10
7	Ekta Exhibition	YMCA	24.11.2017 to 26.11.2017	3
8	Gandhi Shilp Bazaar	DCH	01.12.2017 to 10.12.2017	10
9	Winter Festival	CIDCO	11.12.2017 to 19.12.2017	9
10	RBSM	NGO	20.12.2017 to 23.12.2017	4
11	Spl. Handicraft Exhibition	CIDCO/DCH	28.12.2017 to 08.01.2018	12
12	Sankrant Mela	CIDCO	10.01.2018 to 24.01.2018	15
13	Craft Bazaar	CIDCO/DCH	26.01.2018 to 04.02.2018	10
14	Kerala Trade Fair	Govt. of Kerala	09.02.2018 to 18.02.2018	10
15	Khadi Festival	KVIC	20.02.2018 to 04.03.2018	13
16	Spl. Handicraft Exhibition	CIDCO/DCH	07.03.2018 to 18.03.2018	12
17	Vasant Mela	CIDCO	21.03.2018 to 01.04.2018	12
18	Chaitra Mela	CIDCO	02.04.2018 to 03.05.2018	32
19	Summer Festival	CIDCO	15.05.2018 to 15.06.2018	32
	Total			280

HANDI CRAFT EXHIBITIONS & SALES

