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A man with a mustache, wearing a white tank top and a white headband with a red pattern, is operating a dark-colored tractor in a field. The background is a hazy, sunlit landscape with rolling hills. The text "CSR CAPSULE" is overlaid on a white, torn-edge banner across the middle of the image.

# CSR CAPSULE



# OIL RUPANTAR

## Independent Director Adv. Pooja Suri Visits 'OIL Rupantar', Applauds Livelihood Initiatives

7<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2025



Advocate Pooja Suri, Independent Director of Oil India Limited (OIL), paid a visit to the Growth Centre of OIL's flagship CSR initiative, 'OIL Rupantar', housed in the 'OIL Swanirbhar' building at Tipling, Duliajan.

During her visit, Adv. Suri reviewed both the ongoing and newly introduced livelihood programs under the Rupantar initiative. She interacted warmly with local weavers and other beneficiaries, showing a deep interest in their work and experiences.

Expressing her appreciation, Adv. Suri lauded the project's efforts in empowering communities and promoting sustainable livelihoods in the region. She highlighted the significant role that such initiatives play in fostering socio-economic development at the grassroots level.

Her encouraging words and active engagement served as a strong source of motivation for the project stakeholders and beneficiaries alike, further energizing their commitment toward self-reliance and community transformation.

'OIL Rupantar' continues to serve as a beacon of inclusive growth under OIL's Corporate Social Responsibility, driving change through skill development, entrepreneurship promotion, and support to traditional artisans.





# OIL VASUNDHARA

## Eco Discovery Centre and Bambusetum inaugurated in Digboi under OIL Vasundhara

3<sup>RD</sup> APRIL 2025

OIL in collaboration with the Digboi Forest Division of the Assam Forest Department, has inaugurated the Bambusetum and Dihing Patkai Eco Discovery Centre as part of its flagship CSR initiative, OIL Vasundhara. The project, with a total cost of approximately **Rs 2.29 crores**, marks a significant milestone in the company's commitment to environmental conservation and education.

The facilities were inaugurated by Shri Suren Phukan, Hon'ble MLA, Digboi LAC, in the presence of Shri Swapneel Paul (IAS), District Commissioner; Shri Rupam Barua, Executive Director (F&A), OIL; Shri T. C. Ranjith Ram (IFS), Divisional Forest Officer, Digboi Division; and other senior officials from OIL and the Assam Forest Department.



This inauguration follows the MoU signed on April 29, 2022, between OIL and the Digboi Forest Division, under which a major afforestation drive was launched, covering 100 hectares of degraded forest land in the Bogapani Centre of the Lakhpathar Range. The initiative saw the planting of 2.5 lakh saplings, with a strong focus on conserving the Hollong tree, the state tree of Assam, along with other indigenous species.



A highlight of the initiative is the newly developed Bambusetum, spread across 2 hectares, showcasing around 50 species of bamboo sourced from across India with assistance from RFRI, Jorhat. The Bambusetum aims to preserve native bamboo varieties, support scientific research, encourage sustainable usage, and promote awareness about bamboo's ecological and economic value.





## CSR SHOWCASE AT 9<sup>TH</sup> EDITION OF RONGALI



6TH APRIL 2025

Oil India Limited (OIL) participated in the 9<sup>th</sup> Edition of Rongali, held from 4<sup>th</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> April 2025 at the Veterinary College Ground, Khanapara, Guwahati. The OIL stall attracted a large number of visitors and served as a vibrant platform to showcase the company's impactful CSR initiatives aimed at empowering communities, preserving traditional crafts, and promoting sustainable livelihoods. The OIL stall was graced by Shri Atul Bora, Hon'ble Minister of Agriculture, Horticulture, Excise, Implementation of Assam Accord, Border Protection and Development, Government of Assam and Shri Urkhao Gwra Brahma, Hon'ble Minister for Handloom, Textile & Sericulture, Soil Conservation and Welfare of Bodoland, Government of Assam. Their visit to the OIL stall served as a strong encouragement to the ongoing CSR efforts of the company, and their appreciation added great value to the occasion.

During the three-day event, OIL displayed several of its flagship CSR projects including the Centre of Excellence for Handicraft, Handloom and Entrepreneurship, which



supports cooperative societies working with creative textiles, water hyacinth, and bamboo; Project Rupantar, with a focus on Assamese silks and farm mechanization.

Project OIL Sakshyam, featuring handmade products created by persons with disabilities; Project OIL Jeevika-Assam, highlighting agro-products; Project OIL Shakti, which promotes menstrual hygiene through PAHL sanitary pads; Project OIL Swabalamban, aimed at fostering self-reliance; and Project OIL Jigyasa, promoting STEM education through interactive models.

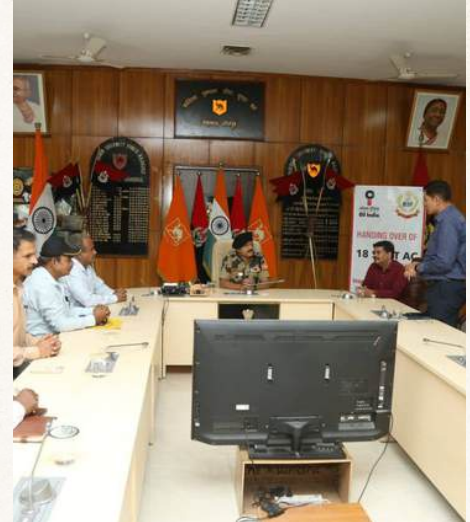
The live demonstrations of handloom weaving and crafting with water hyacinth by the CSR beneficiaries were a major attraction at the stall. These engaging displays not only showcased the products but also provided visitors with an immersive experience of how OIL's CSR efforts are implemented on the ground. The event offered a meaningful opportunity to connect with people from across the state and the country, and to celebrate the essence of local talent and entrepreneurship nurtured through OIL's community initiatives.





# OIL DONATES AC UNITS TO BSF AT JAISALMER OUTPOST

8TH MAY 2025



OIL, Rajasthan Fields, provided 18 Hot & Cold Split AC units with stabilizers to the 166 Battalion of the Border Security Force (BSF), Rajasthan Frontier, at Tanot, Jaisalmer.

A formal handover ceremony was held at the BSF Inspector General's office in Jodhpur, attended by Shri Sanjay Verma, Executive Director - Rajasthan Fields, OIL; Shri Pankaj Malik, DGM (Admin & Coordination), OIL and senior BSF officials.



This initiative reflects OIL's commitment to improve the working conditions of security personnel in extreme weather zones.







# OIL SHAKTI

## Awareness drive organised on Menstrual Hygiene Day

28<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2025

To mark Menstrual Hygiene Day 2025, OIL carried out a series of awareness and outreach activities under its flagship CSR project OIL Shakti, aimed at promoting menstrual health and hygiene among vulnerable sections of society.

The initiative focused on reaching adolescent girls, pregnant women, lactating mothers, rural women, and also involved men and boys to foster a more inclusive dialogue around menstrual health. OIL Shakti continues to tackle key challenges related to access, affordability, safe disposal, and awareness, while working to dispel the social stigma surrounding menstruation.

Through a community-based approach, OIL Shakti promotes the local production and distribution of affordable sanitary products, encouraging sustainable practices and economic empowerment within rural communities.

By observing Menstrual Hygiene Day with such impactful initiatives, OIL reaffirms its commitment to gender-sensitive health education, empowerment, and sustainable community development, ensuring that menstrual health is recognized as a key component of public health and human dignity.



**NO ACCESS TO MENSTRUAL HYGIENE IS THE FIFTH BIGGEST KILLER OF WOMEN IN THE WORLD**





Snippets of different activities under

# OIL JIGYASA





# WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY



Celebrated with the  
Young Minds of OIL  
Jigyasa

5<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2025



OIL marked World Environment Day 2025 with vibrant celebrations at its CSR supported schools under Project Jigyasa, engaging students in meaningful environmental activities.

Under the theme of sustainability, young learners participated enthusiastically in sapling plantation drives and showcased their creativity by designing eco-themed science models, blending environmental awareness with STEM education.

The initiative aimed to instill eco-conscious values in students from an early age, nurturing future environmental stewards. Their active involvement highlighted the power of education in driving grassroots change.

With Project Jigyasa, OIL continues to foster a generation of environmentally aware and socially responsible youth, aligning its efforts with global sustainability goals.



# WORLD DAY AGAINST CHILD LABOUR

Celebrated in OIL Jigyasa schools  
across OIL's operational areas.

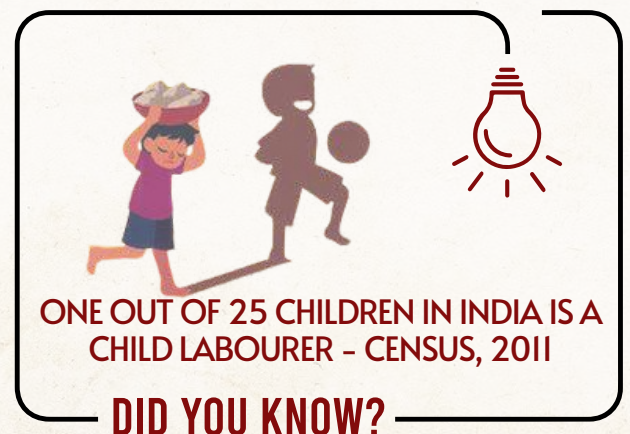
12<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2025



Oil India Limited (OIL), Duliqjan, celebrated the World Day Against Child Labour in schools across its operational areas, under its flagship CSR programme, Project Jigyasa. The day emphasized the urgent need to eradicate child exploitation and underscored the importance of education, safety, and holistic well-being for every child.

OIL has also established state-of-the-art STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics) and ICT laboratories in these schools, aligning with the New Education Policy of the Government of India. These labs serve as hubs of innovation and learning for underprivileged children, with a strong focus on promoting gender-inclusive education.

The observance of this day reflected OIL's deep commitment to nurturing a safe, educated, and empowered future for children in the communities it serves.







# OIL PRAGYAN SUPER 30





# **SUPER 30** **JEE RESULTS** 140 of 150 Students Qualify JEE Mains 2025

23<sup>RD</sup> - 30<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2025



CENTRE LOCATIONS	STUDENTS ENROLLED	JEE MAINS	SUCCESS RATE	JEE ADVANCED	SUCCESS RATE
JODHPUR	30	30	100%	21	70%
ITANAGAR	30	29	97%	21	72.41%
DIBRUGARH	30	28	93%	16	57.14%
GUWAHATI	30	25	83%	11	44%
NAGAON	30	28	93%	19	67.86%
NAGAON	150	140	93%	88	62.86%

OIL Pragyan Super 30, a flagship CSR initiative of OIL, has once again delivered outstanding results with 140 out of 150 students across five centres successfully qualifying JEE Mains 2025, marking a remarkable 93% success rate.

Moreover, 88 students out of the 150 students also qualified the JEE Advanced entrance test, marking a success rate of 62.86%.

To celebrate this success, felicitation ceremonies and press meets were held across the centres. Dignitaries such as Dr Ankur Baruah, Director (HR), Shri Sanjay Verma, Executive Director (RF), Shri Diganta Kumar Borah, GM (PA), Ms Krishna Hazarika Rao, DGM (PR) and other senior officials of OIL along with CSRL representatives and media, graced the events.

Since its inception in 2010, OIL Pragyan Super 30 has supported over 1,480 students, with 1,361 securing admissions to prestigious institutions like IITs, NITs, ISM Dhanbad, IISER, IIST, IIIT, ISI, and other top engineering and medical colleges.







A large group of students, both male and female, are posing for a group photo in front of a modern building with large windows. They are arranged in several rows, with some standing on a low wall or steps. Most of the students are wearing white polo shirts with a small logo on the chest. The background shows a building with a white facade and dark-framed windows, and some greenery is visible on the left.

## - DID YOU KNOW?





# PHOTO SPEAKS

**GIVE A CAPTION TO THIS PHOTOGRAPH**



**ATTRACTIVE PRIZES IN STORE!**



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Send your answers by 7<sup>th</sup> August, 2025

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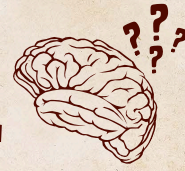
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**NAME OF THE WINNER WILL BE PUBLISHED  
IN THE NEXT ISSUE OF PRAGATI**

NB: It is mandatory to mention your name, department and mobile number.



# CSR BRAIN BITE



ANSWER THE FOLLOWING TWO QUESTIONS-

1. WHEN WAS THE CSR PROJECT **OIL SHAKTI** INITIATED?

- A. **2019**
- B. **2022**
- C. **2021**
- D. **2020**

2. HOW MANY COACHING CENTRES EXIST UNDER **OIL PRAGYAN SUPER 30**?

- A. **4**
- B. **5**
- C. **6**
- D. **7**

**NOTE-** Only participants providing correct answers to both the questions would be eligible for the prize. In case of substantial number of participants providing correct responses, the selection of winners will be determined through a random draw done at PA department.

**ATTRACTIVE PRIZES IN STORE!**



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# RESULTS

**'PHOTO SPEAKS' CONTEST ( PRAGATI ISSUE NO. 38&39)**

## **WINNER**

JYOTISH PHUKAN (HR DEVELOPMENT)

CAPTION: প্রস্তুতি - আতঁজনক স্নেহৰ স্পর্শেৰে সঁহাৰি প্রদানৰ

**'CSR BRAIN BITE' CONTEST (PRAGATI ISSUE NO. 38&39)**

## **1<sup>ST</sup> PRIZE**

ABHIJIT SAIKIA (FIELD ENGINEERING)

## **2<sup>ND</sup> PRIZE**

KAWSHIK HAZARIKA (CIVIL ENGINEERING)

## **3<sup>RD</sup> PRIZE**

SAHID HUSSAIN (FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS)

*Congratulations*





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