

WOMEN'S EQUALITY DAY

Empower Roots, Empower Women: A Plantation Drive

26th August, 2025

Time: 9:30 – 10:30 | Venue: Martin Luther Block

Let's plant hope, equality, and sustainability together!
Every sapling symbolizes growth, strength, and equality



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in collaboration with Department of Horticulture



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Date	26 Aug 2025
Venue	Martin Luther Block
Organizer	Chitkara University Centre of Excellence for Sustainability & Ecolution Club, Chitkara University in collaboration with Dept of Horticulture
Resource Person	Mr. Hamid Raza
Event Coordinator	Dr. Kanika, Dr. Ravi Dandotiya, Dr. Pooja Mahajan, Mr. Mohit Kumar
Total no of Participants	85
SDGs Covered	5,8,10, & 15

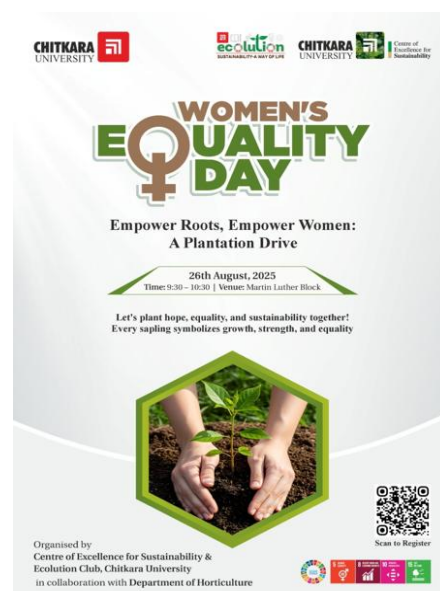
Objective

The objective of the event *“Empower Roots, Empower Women: A Plantation Drive”* is to promote women's equality through meaningful environmental action. The initiative aims to foster awareness about sustainability, encourage community participation in eco-friendly practices, and symbolically link the growth of plants with the empowerment, strength, and equality of women.

Description

On 26th August 2025, the Centre of Excellence for Sustainability, Chitkara University, in collaboration with the Ecolution Club, commemorated Women's Equality Day 2025 through a thoughtfully organized plantation drive conducted outside the Martin Luther Block. The initiative served as a powerful platform to blend the message of gender equality with environmental stewardship, reinforcing the university's commitment to sustainable and inclusive development.

The event witnessed enthusiastic participation from female faculty members, support staff, and students, who came together in a collective effort symbolizing harmony with nature and a shared dedication to equality and empowerment. Each sapling planted during the drive stood as a living symbol of growth, resilience, and hope, reflecting the nurturing spirit and strength of women. The use of eco-friendly, reusable pots further emphasized responsible environmental practices and the importance of sustainable choices in everyday actions.



Outcomes

- Increased awareness among participants about women's rights and equality.
- Active engagement of students and staff in sustainable environmental practices.
- Plantation of saplings contributing to campus greenery and ecological balance.
- Strengthened sense of social responsibility and community involvement.
- Reinforcement of the idea that sustainability and social equality go hand in hand.

Conclusion

Beyond its environmental impact, the plantation drive emerged as a meaningful celebration of women's contributions to society. The active involvement of women across different roles within the university fostered a sense of unity, care, and collective responsibility. Faculty and staff members shared reflections on how such initiatives not only contribute to enhancing the campus's green cover but also play a crucial role in reaffirming the indispensable role of women in shaping an inclusive, conscious, and sustainable society. Overall, the event successfully highlighted the interconnectedness of gender equality, environmental conservation, and community engagement. The event stood as a reminder that just as plants need care to flourish, empowering women is essential for building a balanced, progressive, and sustainable society.





