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Research and Post Graduate Department of Zoology
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WORLD WETLAND DAY

WATER PLANT

WATER, WETLAND AND LIFE
INSEPARABLE



Resource Person
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Director, IRTC

ON FEBRUARY 09TH 2021, 11.30 AM



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Research Department of Zoology is organising World Wetland Day Observation.

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CHIEF MINISTER

E.M SANKARAN NAMBOODIRIPAD

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CHIEF MINISTERS:
E . M . S H A N K A R A N
NAMBOODIRIPAD [EMS]
Elamkulam Shankaran
Namboodiripad, who graduated
from St. Thomas College, was the
first Chief minister of a Communist
Government to come to power
through adult franchise. he was the
Chief Minister of Kerala for two
terms: 1957 & 1967. He served the
Communist Party of India
[Marxist] as General Secretary for
fourteen years. EMS, as he was
popularly known throughout the
world, was the epitome of literary

and cultural resurgence in Kerala. Closely associated with social reformers like MRB and VTB, EMS was in the forefront of the struggle against conservatism and casteism, the bane of Kerala in those days. He was also closely associated with the Valluvanad Yoga Shema Sabha, an organization of progressive minded youngsters.. It was during his tenure as Chief minister that radical reforms were implemented in the fields of education and agriculture. The Kerala Land Reforms Act and Kerala Education Bill continue to be beacon lights in those areas even today. The first Communist Government headed by him was dismissed in 1959 when the provisions of Article 356 were invoked. Later he became the Chief Minister in 1969, but resigned two years later when his Ministry lost majority. EMS was the leader of the Opposition after that from 1960 to 1964. He has to his credit several books and articles, both in English and Malayalam. Shri EMS died on 19th March, 1998. he was survived by his wife Arya Antharjanam, two daughters Malathy and Radha and two sons Sreedharan and Sashi.



* Kerala Legislative Assembly - (Niyamasabha Mandir), Thiruvananthapuram