**Green Run and Closing Ceremony Held on 6th Day of Puducherry – Auroville CMS VATAVARAN**

**Puducherry, October 12, 2014:** CMS VATAVARAN on the sixth day of its festival organized a Green Run, which kicked off from Kargil War point, Near French Institute, Beach Road, Puducherry at 07:00 am.

A total of 60 delegates from renowned schools and colleges, namely Immaculate Heart of Mary’s Girls Higher Secondary School, Mission Street Branch and Aryankuppam Branch, Kendriya Vidyalaya No. 1 & 2, Subaramaniya Bhartiyam, The Study, Dr Bhimrao Ambedkar Law College and Pondicherry University participated in the event. Many from the Pondicherry expat community also took part.

At the finishing point i.e., Alliance Française, Beach Road, CMS VATAVARAN organized the Closing Ceremony of the six-day long Puducherry Auroville CMS VATAVARAN International Environment & Wildlife Film Festival and Forum.

In the Green Run, Abdul Rahim PP came first, Praveen Tiwari second, while Mohammed Yazar PK bagged the third prize. The winners received prizes from Ms. Sunaina Madeen, PondyCan! Meanwhile, Gunalan R and J Jayakavi bagged the first prize in Tamil and English Slogan Writing Competitions respectively. They were facilitated with mementos and certificates by Mr Probir Banerjee, PondyCan! Mr. Sundeep C Srivastav, Head Coordination – CMS VATAVARAN gave away the Vote of Thanks to all the participants and partners.

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