

**FARMERS PRODUCER COMPANIES SENSITIZATION WORKSHOP****Mr. Vijay Khandre, DDM, NABARD guided the participants**

NABARD, Regional Office, Pune has sanctioned proposal to KVK Washim seeking financial assistance for formation and nurturing of five Farmers Producers Companies in Risod, Washim and Malegaon block of the district. Major activity of these clusters includes turmeric processing, goat farming and poultry farming enterprises, which is the prime need of the aspirational district. In order to mobilize upcoming farmers after under taking base line survey of the potential clusters one day FPO's Sensitization Workshop was conducted on 6th June 2019 at VIDATA center, Washim. Mr. Vijay Khandre, DDM presided over the function, while CA. Maruti Bhoyar were present as a guest of honor. On behalf of KVK Mr. S.K. Deshmukh and CEO of Rishiwat FPO Mr. R.A. Nitnaware were present on the dias. Speaking on the occasion, Mr. Khandare stated that KVK has to develop sustainable organization structure, formulate business plan, facilitate registration, provide training and capacity building support to farmers and nurture these five FPO's by providing necessary hand holding support. He further added eligible activities to be undertaken during project period and deliverables to be achieved under the project. Mr. Bhoyar in his address guided farmers on proper utilization of assistance available to FPOs and stressed importance and compliances during FPO registration, maintenance of records and code while doing administrative expenses. Mr. Nitnaware made presentation in details about salient achievements of FPO formed under NABARD PRODUCE Fund and companies law and capacity building provided by KVK in nurturing FPOs. While S.K. Deshmukh

*Cont. On Pg. No. 3***WORKSHOP ON CUSTARD APPLE****Mr. N.B. Patil guided the participants during the workshop**

Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Washim and Sitaphal Mahangh, Pune jointly organized one day workshop on Custard Apple - Production, Processing and Marketing technology on 7th June 2019 at KVK Campus under. The said workshop was inaugurated by the auspicious hands of Mr. Chaitnyabhaiya Deshmukh, Trustee, SUVIDE Foundation's Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Washim. Mr. Shyambhau Gattani was the chairperson while the chief guest was Mr. Anil Bonde, Secretary, Sitaphal Mahasangh, Pune and Dr. R.L. Kale, Head and Sr. Scientist, KVK, Washim. The Technical expert for the workshop was Dr. Vinay Supe, Assistant Director Research, Regional Fruit Research Station, Ganeshkhind, Pune, Dr. Sunil Lohate, Pathologist and Dr. G. M. Idate, Horticulturist, Fig and Custard Apple Research station, Jadhavwadi, Pune and Mr. Nivrutti Patil, Horticulturist, KVK, Washim were present. Around 150 farmers from Washim, Buldhana, Akola, Yeotmal and Nanded district were participated in the programme. Dr. R.L. Kale in his introductory speech guided the farmers about importance of Custard Apple in Dry land farming and future scope for this crop. He shared the role of KVK in promotion of dry land horticulture in the district. He also provoked the farmers to come together for Group Farming of custard apple for availing required quality services. During technical sessions, Dr. G. M. Idate, Horticulturist, guided the farmers about plantation of new orchards of custard apple, planting distance, selection of variety etc. Dr. Vinay Supe, delivered the lecture on integrated nutrient management in custard apple crop. He guided the farmers about soil test based integrated nutrient management and

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TRAINING FOR CFLD PULSES FARMERS



R.S.Daware briefed about the CFLD programme

One day training was organized for pigeon pea, green gram and black gram demonstration farmer at KVK campus on 17.6.2019 under NFSM sponsored CFLD pulses programme. Mr. R. S. Daware SMS(Plant- protection) KVK washim cum CFLD pulses incharge worked as a expert cum resource person in the programme. During the technical session Mr. R. S. Daware presented the technological module on advance production and plant protection technology for pigeon pea, green gram and black gram. Mr. Daware in his presentation focussed on improved variety to be demonstrated in demonstration and its character, soil test based INM, seed treatment of bio fertilizer and bio fungicide, low cost in situ soil and water conservation practices, IPM and IDM module etc. In his further technical guidance Mr Daware urged the training participant to adopt the techniques imparted in the training on their own farm and also work as a technology ambassador for other farmers for further horizontal spread of demonstrated technology. At the end of technical session Mr Daware being a expert also clarified the different technological doubts raised by the farmers on the aspect of pigeon pea, green gram and black gram production and plant protection. The selected farmers from village Shelu Khadse and Bhapur attended the training programme. Mr B. P. Deshmukh conducted programme proceeding and offered vote of thanks.

Cont. From Pg. No. 1 also explained the importance of chemical as well organic fertilizers for quality fruit production. Dr. Sunil Lohate, Pathologist guided the farmers about major pest and diseases in custard apple crop. He thoroughly guided the farmers about the life cycle, symptoms and control measure of major pest like Fruit Fly and mealy bug. He also guided the preventing measures about various pest and diseases. Mr. Patil, guided the farmers about advance training and pruning techniques in custard apple to get quality fruit production. Mr. Gattani shared his experiences and experiments about custard apple crop. He urged the farmers to join Sitaphal Mahasangh for successful cultivation and marketing.

SWACHATA HI SEWA AND PRE KHARIF TECHNOLOGY WEEK

KVK Washim organized Swachata Hi Sewa and Pre Kharif Technology Week at KVK adopted villages Degaon, Shelukhadse, Shelgaon Bagade, Wanoja (Devi) and KVK campus in the month of May dated 10-21 May 2019 as per the directive of ATARI Pune. Swachata Hi Sewa and Pre Kharif Technology Week Organized at Degaon village on 10-5-2019 in the chief presence of APMC President Madhavraoji Bhutekar and Gram Panchayat Secretary Shri. Baliramji Bhutekar in this programme KVK scientist Shri. D.N.Ingole and T.S.Deshmukh were present and given speech on Swachata Hi Sewa and Pre Kharif Technology Week to the presence farmer of Degaon village. This programme successfully organized by Degaon village people. Swachata Hi Sewa and Pre Kharif Technology Week Organized on 11-5-2019 at KVK campus in the Chief presence of Dr.R.L.Kale Senior Scientist and Head. KVK adopted villages Asha workers at Kawtha, Chikhali, Pedgaon, Wyad and Chinchamba (pen) were present. Dr.R.L.Kale given valuable guidance on Swachata Hi Sewa and Pre Kharif Technology Week. This programme successfully organized by KVK Home Scientist and KVK Staff Member. Swachata Hi Sewa and Pre Kharif Technology Week Organized on 13-5-2019 at Wanoja (Devi) village in the Chief presence of Shri. Ramdasraoji Deshmukh progressive farmer and Wanoja Sarpanch and Up Sarpanch were present. KVK Scientist Shri.D.N.Ingole given speech on Swachata Hi Sewa and Pre Kharif Technology. This programme successfully organized by Wanoja (Devi) village people. Swachata Hi Sewa and Pre Kharif Technology Week Organized on 15-5-2019 at Shelu (Khadse) in presence of Shelu (Khadse) Sarpanch Shri.Nitin Khadse and KVK Scientist Shri.N.B.Patil and D.N.Ingole were present. Shri.N.B.Patil SMS Horticulture guided farmer on Pre Kharif Onion production technology and D.N.Ingole SMS Agri.Economics guided faremr on Swachata Hi Sewa and Pre Kharif technology This programme successfully organized by Shelu (Khadse) village people. Swachata Hi Sewa and Pre Kharif Technology Week Organized on 21-5-2019 at Shelgaon (Bagade) in presence of Shri. Panditraoji Sarnaik and Sarpanch Shri.Chavhan and KVK Scientist D.N.Ingole were present. D.N.Ingole SMS Agri.Economics guided faremr on Swachata Hi Sewa and Pre Kharif technology This programme successfully organized by Shelgaon (Bagade) village people.

OFT FARMERS TRAINING PROGRAMME ORGANIZED



Mr. R.S.Daware briefed about the on farm testing programme

One day pre sowing training programme had been organized for selected OFT farmers on the aspect of Assessment of IDM technology with incorporation of newly recommended fungicide seed treatment molecule Carboxin 37.5%+Thiram 37.5% @ 3gram/kg of the seed before sowing of Pigeon pea seed against wilt in pigeon pea followed by seed treatment of Trichoderma viride @ 10 gram/ Kg of seed at KVK campus on 28.5.2019. Mr. R. S. Daware SMS(Plant- protection) KVK washim worked as a expert cum resource person in the programme. During the technical session Mr. R. S. Daware presented the technological module on Integrated Management Strategy against Pigeon pea wilt with incorporation of newly recommended fungicide seed treatment molecule Carboxin 37.5%+Thiram 37.5% @ 3gram/kg of the seed before sowing of Pigeon pea seed followed by seed treatment of Trichoderma viride @ 10 gram/ Kg of seed. Mr. R. S. Daware in also conducted method demonstration of aforesaid seed treatment with participatory approach of trainee for skill impartement. At the end of technical session Mr Daware being a expert also clarified the different technological doubts raised by the farmers and provide hints to the participants for successful implementation of OFT on their respective field. The selected farmers from different multi location i.e. from different villages in Risod and Malegaon thasil attended the programme as a participants Mr B. P. Deshmukh conducted programme proceeding and offered vote of thanks.

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TRAINING ON NUTRITION KITCHEN GARDEN FOR EXTENSION WORKER



Mrs. Watane explaining the importance of kitchen garden

Vegetables occupy an important place in our daily life particularly for vegetarians. Vegetables are the only source to increase not only the nutritive value of foods but also its palatability. For balance diet, an adult should have an intake of 100gm of fruit and 300gm of vegetables per day as per the dietary recommended of nutrition specialists. But the present level of production of vegetables in our country can permit a per capita consumption of only 120gm of vegetables per day. Considering the importance of vegetables, to produce our own vegetable requirement in our backyards using the available fresh water as well as kitchen concept has emerged. That's why Home Science Department of KVK Washim had conduct training on "Planning of Nutrition Kitchen Garden" on dated 11th June 2019 at KVK Campus for Aganwadi sevika. In technical session Shubhangi Watane explain the importance of Kitchen garden for better health of human being. And brief about the planning of kitchen garden for whole year. She also explain the benefits of growing own fruits and vegetables that growing own fruits and vegetables can offer the opportunity to reduce the amount of pesticide. Growing own fruits and vegetables will save money, gardening increase physical activity etc.

Dr. R. L. Kale Principal Scientist & Head urged the participant to take advantage of this training and develop Nutrition Kitchen Garden at their home and told that growing a garden gives a new appreciation for nature when you can have the opportunity to see how things grow as well as use less pesticides or use natural pesticides and this will be less contamination to the environment. And also brief about integrated farming system. Total 43 participant were present for this programme.

TRAINING ON IMPROVED BULLOCK DRAWN IMPLEMENTS

Distribution of farm implements in presence of dignitaries

The use of renewable energy and animal power in farming can address the problems of fuel & labour by curtailing cost of various farming operations. To address these innovations in farming the AICRP on Animal Energy, Dr. VNMKV Parbhani organized one day training cum bullock drawn implement distribution programme for farming groups in Maharashtra on 20th June 2019. The programme was chaired by Hon. Dr. Ashok Dhawan Vice Chancellor VNMKV Parbhani, Dr. Dattaprasad Waskar Director of Research VNMKV Parbhani, Ranjit Patil Registrar VNMKV Parbhani & A.N. Rathod Comptroller VNMKV Parbhani. Prof. Smita Solanki Incharge & Head, AICRP on Animal Energy VNMKV Parbhani welcomed all the guest and farmers in the programme & gave introductory remarks about training programme. Hon. Dr. Ashok Dhawan Vice Chancellor VNMKV Parbhani during his address advised farmers to use the improved agricultural implements to curtail the cost of production & deal the labor unavailability problem in farming. Dr. Dattaprasad Waskar Director of Research VNMKV Parbhani stressed need to harness the potential of solar power for various farming operation through use of improved hybrid farm implements. Dr. R.L. Kale Head & Sr. Scientist KVK Washim told farmers to curtail the excess expenditure on chemical fertilisers by using farm waste recycling, household farm inputs, farm power & improved agriculture implements. During programme farmers get acquainted with the various farm tools exhibited at AICRP on Animal Energy VNMKV Parbhani. Among seven farming groups from Maharashtra, Karda Organic farm mechanisation group received the improved bullock drawn agriculture implements set by the auspicious hands of Hon. Dr. Ashok Dhawan Vice Chancellor VNMKV Parbhani and dignitaries. Sh. T.S. Deshmukh SMS Agronomy, Sh. Pramod Deshmukh farm Manager of KVK Washim along with Karda Organic farm mechanisation group farmers attended the programme.

TRAINING ON COMMERCIAL GOAT FARMING

Participants and dignitaries present during the training

Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Karda (Washim) has organized two day training on commercial goat farming during dated 30-31 May 2019 at VIDATA Hall Washim. This programme was chaired by Dr.S.N.Kanfade Deputy Commissioner, Animal husbandry department Washim, Shri.S.K.Deshmukh SMS, Extension Education, R.S.Daware SMS Entomologist, D.N.Ingole SMS Agri.Economics, Course Coordinator Dr.D.L.Ramteke animal Science discipline KVK were present during inauguration session. Dr.S.N.Kanfade guided trainee about feed management method and feed formulation for commercial goatry. Shri.S.K.Deshmukh shared his views about importance and benefits of goat farming in rural India. R.S.Daware briefed about importance of additional income generation through agri allied enterprise. D.N.Ingole present the cost economics of goat farming. Dr.D.L.Ramteke guided on location specific goat bread, construction of low cost shed, feed management and nutritive up scale important of vaccination and disease preventive majors for successfully goatary management he further guided farmer on project report for commercial goat rearing.

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