



# CICR Happenings News Bulletin

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## Institute Research Committee (IRC) meeting 2023

The Annual Institute Research Committee (IRC) meeting of ICAR-CICR was conducted as combined IRC for CICR, Nagpur and CICR, RS, Sirsa during 14-17<sup>th</sup> March and 20<sup>th</sup> March 2023 at CICR, Nagpur. A total of 37 Scientists from CICR, Nagpur and CICR, RS, Sirsa attended the Annual IRC 2023. Professor Pradeep Tekale, Genetics and Plant Breeding, Professor Jayashankar Telangana State Agricultural University was invited as a subject expert.



## Farmers' training cum seed distribution under TSP scheme

One day "Farmers' training cum seed distribution" program was organized on 2<sup>nd</sup> March, 2023 at KVK, Sonapur, Gadchiroli under DAPST (formerly Tribal Sub Plan) scheme. Training included summer moong cultivation and crop production technologies



## Farmers' meet under TSP scheme



Training programme organized under SCSP & TSP for tribal farmers from Hingna and Parseoni, Nagpur in farmers' meet during national conference held on 4<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 at Dr. Ambedkar college, Deekshabhoomi, Nagpur.

Farmers meet on Agri-innovations for sustainable productivity. Dr. Jayant Meshram & Dr. Chinna Babu Naik coordinated the event.

## Distribution of critical inputs to the tribal farmers



Distribution of tarpaulin as critical inputs to the tribal farmers belonging to Hingna, Nagpur district on 9<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 under TSP scheme at ICAR-CICR, Nagpur

Distribution of tarpaulin, Battery operated sprayer and pesticide protection kit as critical inputs to the tribal farmers belong to Parseoni, Nagpur on 13<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 under TSP scheme at ICAR-CICR, Nagpur



## Training on livestock management cum input distribution

Training on livestock management cum input distribution of Cattle feed & Mineral Salt Block Distribution program held at Mendhpathar, Taluka Katol, Nagpur on 9<sup>th</sup> March 2023. Three villages from Katol taluka (Mendhpathar, Vadvihara, Chikhali Maina) participated in this program. Total 54 beneficiaries benefited in this program under SCSP Scheme.



## International Womens' Day



ICAR-CICR and KVK, Nagpur celebrated International Womens' Day wherein 50 rural women participated. Dr. Y. G. Prasad, Director, ICAR-CICR, Nagpur presided over the programme.

## Demonstration of cotton stalk shredding to farmers



Total 65 farmers from Saoner and Kalmeshwar, Nagpur comprising of 25 males and 40 females, were given a demonstration of the cotton stalk shredder at ICAR-CICR, Nagpur on 11<sup>th</sup> March, 2023. During the visit, the farmers were educated on the benefits and significance of cotton stalk shredding in enhancing soil organic carbon content. This field trip was organized by ICAR-NBSS & LUP, Nagpur under the SCSP scheme.

## Krishi Kirtan



Dr Babasaheb B Fand, Senior Scientist (Agril. Entomology) and Dr Shailesh P Gawande, Senior Scientist (Plant Pathology) performed "Krishi Kirtan" programmes for creating awareness about cotton pest and disease management among the cotton farmers in "District Krishi Mahotsav 2023" organised at Amravati and Yeotmal on 1<sup>st</sup> March, 2023 and 20<sup>th</sup> March, 2023. In each of the programmes about 300 farmers attended and benefitted from the guidance.

## International Shree Anna Conference

KVK, ICAR-CICR, Nagpur arranged farmers' meeting on 18<sup>th</sup> March 2023, wherein 95 Stakeholders participated. The Director, ICAR-CICR,



Nagpur presided over the programme. On this occasion, webcasting of an online programme on International Shree Anna Conference held at NASS Complex, New Delhi and address of PM and Agriculture Minister was done

## Health awareness program

The ICAR-CICR, Nagpur and Dr. Ram Ghodeswar, MD, DM, New Life Hospital, Besa Nagpur jointly conducted an "Health Awareness Program & Heart Health Check-up Camp" for the benefit of employees of the CICR staff and villagers from nearby areas of ICAR-CICR on 24<sup>th</sup> March, 2023.



## Farmers' awareness programme on agromet advisory services and demonstration of drone technology

KVK, ICAR-CICR, Nagpur arranged a "Farmers' Awareness Programme on Agromet Advisory Services" under KVK GKMS ACROSS and demonstration of Aerial Spraying using by Drone was arranged on 27<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 at village Chargaon, Tahsil Umred, District Nagpur wherein 70 farmers participated.





## Conference on Making India a Global Hub for Shree Anna

Online webinar of Strategies & implementation of SAMARTH attended by Dr. Y. G. Prasad, Director, ICAR-CICR, Nagpur, Scientist & stakeholders and ICAR\_CICR, Nagpur arranged a "Conference on Making India a Global Hub for Shree Anna".



## Global Millet conference

Mrs. Sunita Chauhan, SMS, KVK, ICAR-CICR, Nagpur attended "Global Millet Conference" at NASC Complex, New Delhi on 18-19<sup>th</sup> March, 2023.



## Drone Project on "Agricultural Mechanization"

Drone Spraying demonstrations in Farmers fields of Adasa, Chargaon, Panjari (Wakeshwar) and Dhuti, district Nagpur under Drone Project on "Agricultural Mechanization". Forty-one farmers attended the demonstrations. They were also exposed to the technological aspects of drone spraying and optimum conditions to maximise the potential of drones for agriculture".

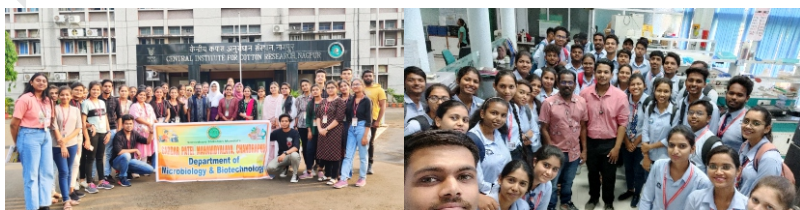


## हिंदी कार्यशाला

डॉ. वाय. जी. प्रसाद, निदेशक, भा.कृ.अनु.प.– केन्द्रीय कपास अनुसंधान संस्थान, नागपुर की अध्यक्षता में संस्थान में कार्यरत समस्त अधिकारियों एवं कर्मचारियों हेतु 'हम सभी इंसान जुड़े हुए हैं धरती पर, इस विश्व में : एक वैज्ञानिक दृष्टिकोण' विषय पर दिनांक 21 मार्च, 2023 को हिंदी कार्यशाला का आयोजन किया गया।



## Student's Visit



Students from Priyadarshini College of Engineering, Nagpur and Department of Microbiology & Biotechnology, Sardar Patel Mahavidyalaya, Chandrapur visited Biotechnology and tissue culture laboratories at ICAR-CICR Nagpur on 28<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 & 17<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 respectively, where they interacted with scientists and got basic exposure about ongoing research activities.



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