

Report on Swachhta Pakhwada (16-31 May, 2017)

ICAR-DIRECTORATE OF WEED RESEARCH, JABALPUR

In pursuance of Council's Endorsement F.No.7-1/2017-Cdn(Tech.) dated the 22.03.2017, Swachhta Pakhwada under the 'Swachh Bharat Abhiyan' was observed during 16-31 May, 2017 at ICAR-Directorate of Weed Research, Jabalpur. Different activities undertaken during Swachhta Pakhwada 16-31 May, 2017 are as follows:

16.05.2017

- Dr. P.K. Singh, Director, inaugurated Swachhta Pakhwada (16-31 May, 2017) at ICAR-DWR, Jabalpur. In his inaugural address, he appealed to join hands for transforming India into Green India : Clean India. He urged to adopt and innovate measures to utilize solid and liquid waste management for pollution free environment.
- Dr. Singh briefed about the objective of Swachhta Pakhwada and made the suggestion like adoption of eco-friendly practices, transparency in system and importance of punctuality and regularity in attendance. He also informed the proposed schedule of various events that would be taken up / conducted during the Swachhta Pakhwada.

All the employees (regular & contractual) took part in cleanliness drive actively. The glimpse of the activities are as follows:



18/05/2017

- The Swachhta Shapath (Oath) was taken by all the staff/participants and committed to make self, community, society, villages, cities clean and influence other peoples to participate in Swachh Bharat Abhiyan.



(Employees of ICAR-DWR taking Swachhta Oath)

Uprooting of the *Parthenium* & other weeds/grasses in premises of the Directorate

- To spread awareness programme under Swachhta Pakhwada cleaning of the campus was and uprooting of the *Parthenium* & other weeds/grasses in the premises of the Directorate (along with boundary wall of the Directorate) were carried out. Glimpses of the cleanness activities conducted are as below:



(Canal before the cleaning)



(Canal during the cleaning)



(Canal after the cleaning)

22/05/2017

Demonstration & activities on Vermicomposting:

- A demonstration lead by Dr. Sushil Kumar, Pr. Scientist under the guidance of Director using the dung & agricultural waste was carried out at the Directorate. Photographs are as follows:



(Preparation for the Vermicomposting)



(Mixing of dung during Vermicomposting process)

27/05/2017

ICAR-DWR celebrated Swachhta Pakhwada in the presence of Dignitaries

As per the instruction of the Council to invite dignitaries for wide publicity of the Cleanliness drive, Sri Sharad Jain, Hon'ble MoS Health Family welfare and parliamentary affairs, M.P. Govt. (as Chief guest) and Sri Sushil Tiwari, MLA Panagar constituency (as special guest) were invited at the Directorate on 27th May, 2017,.

The programme commenced by welcoming the Chief Guest by Dr. P.K. Singh, Director, ICAR-DWR, Jabalpur with bouquet of flowers. Dr. Singh explained about the ongoing activities of the Directorate, he specially emphasized about the activities being carried out in regards to Swachhta. He informed the house that , employees of the Directorate are regularly giving two hours in each week for cleanliness activities, in and out the Directorate premises, nearby ponds, and lawn /garden of the city, apart from the activities under the 'Mera Gaon Mera Gaurav' and FARMERS FIRST programme. Additionally Swachhta activities are also conducted in adopted villages from districts of Jabalpur, Narsinghpur, Katni, Seoni and Mandla. The Scientist of the Directorate used to give the information on *Parthenium* management, weed management, conservation agriculture, and awareness on swachhta at farmers gosthies, farmer-scientist interactions, field days etc. especial attention was being given for litter free village, use of sauchalaya and polythene free village apart from scientific knowledge sharing.



Sri Sharad Jain, Chief Guest of the Programme appreciated the activities being undertaken at the Directorate on research and extension activities, and also the efforts are being done towards Swachhta Abhiyan. MOS appraised the contribution of scientists, policy makers and farmers of the state to achieving the consecutive fourth time prestigious "Krishi Karman Award". He emphasized about upcoming activity of Govt. of MP for plantation of about 6 crors tree in the basin area of Narmada River which is in the range of 5-6 km's from river bank. He also expressed his concern on the rivers of Jabalpur such as Pariyat, Gour and others for their pollution level and decreasing their water quality. He motivated and requested the gathering to plant at least 25 saplings by each individual whoever were presented in the occasion. He also addressed the gathering on health issues and possible remedies from cleanliness.



Sri Sushil Tiwari, MLA Panagar shared his experiences and the activities are being carrying out by him in his constituency. He also requested the authority of the Directorate to showcase the developed technologies at local level such as control of water hyacinth at Adhartal Pond to show the existence and effectiveness of the directorate.

In the Occasion Scientists of the Directorate showed their concern on various issues related to pollutions and cleanliness. At The end, Dr. Sushil Kumar, Principal Scientist proposed the vote of thanks.



29/05/2017

Programme organized in village Ghogri Nagan under Swachhta Pakwada on 29/05/2017

A Swachhta programme was organized on 29/05/2017 in village Ghogri Nagan in Dhooma (Seoni) locality under **Swachhta Pakhwada**. Under this programme following events were done:

1. A meeting was organized in the village Panchayat Office where about 150 persons participated including men, women and children. A few farmers from nearby villages *viz.* Khoont Khamaria and Nagan Deori also participated in this meeting. In the meeting, a lecture was given on the importance of cleanliness. The villagers were motivated to use toilets instead to go in the open for natural calls. It was also suggested to make compost and vermicompost from the agro waste and vegetable waste.
2. After meeting, all participated to clean nearby area of Panchayat premises including street and temples.
3. Dustbin (one each) was donated to schools of Ghori Nagan, Khoont Khamariaya and Nagan Deori.
4. A rally was organized in the village Ghogri Nagan by the participants in the meeting to convey the message of cleanliness in the village
5. Caps carrying the message and logo of "Cleanliness drive" was distributed among the villagers.



The Directorate organised *Swachhta* Awareness Programme at Banda, Katni

On 29th May 2017, A *Swachhta* Awareness Programme was organised at village Banda of district Katni. A participation of about 50 farmers from different villages, viz. Banda, Lakhapateri, Bichhiya, etc. graced the occasion. Dr. R.P. Dubey, Principal Scientist, ICAR-DWR, Jabalpur described the significance of observing *Swachhta Pakhwada*. He emphasized that *swachhta* is required for all-round development of the nation. Keeping '*swachh*' is not only important from aesthetic point of view, but also vital for healthy and disease-free society. He also stressed upon sensitization of the children, who will be a guiding force to further persuade the rural masses to make all facets of life clean. At this occasion, a progressive farmer Shri Heeramoni Haldkar also shared his views about '*Swachh Bharat Abhiyan*'. He insisted villagers to make use of the '*souchalay*'. Mr. Jagdish Haldkar, *Sarpanch* of the village Banda requested villagers to convert agricultural and household wastes into compost. The programme was organised by Dr. R.P. Dubey, Principal Scientist, Dr. P.P. Choudhury, Principal Scientist, Mr. C.R. Chethan, Scientist and Mr. K.K. Tiwari, Technical Assistant.



31/05/2017

The Directorate organised *Swachhta* Awareness Programme at Khamariya, Narsinghpur

On 31st May 2017, A *Swachhta* Awareness Programme was organised at village Khamariya (adopted under scheme *Mera Gaon Mera Gaurav*) of district Narsinghpur, Madhya Pradesh. More than 60 50 farmers from different localities were participated in the programme. Dr. P.J. Khnakhane, Sr. Scientist, ICAR-DWR, Jabalpur briefed the significance of *Swachhta Pakhwada*. Dr. Subhash Chander, Scientist, ICAR-DWR, Jabalpur described the vision of Hon'ble Prime Minister regarding Swachh Bharat Abhiyan and its importance in our day to day life. Cleanliness is not only important from aesthetic point of view, but also vital for healthy and disease-free society. Sarpanch Ashok Kumar Patel also delivered a talk regarding cleanliness drive and its implementation in village areas. He insisted upon to make Sauchalaya in every house hold, it will make a significant step toward Clean India mission. Two dustbin was also distributed to villagers from Directorate. The programme was organised by Dr. P. J. Khankhane, Sr. Scientist, Dr. Subhash Chander, Scientist, and Mr. M.K. Meena, Technical Officer.



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Swachhta Pakhwara at ICAR-DWR underway

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SWACHHTA Pakhwara programme is being organised to encourage its officers, employees and farmers towards cleanliness at ICAR-DWR from May 16 to 31. Chief guest on the occasion was Minister of State for Public Health and Family Welfare Sharad Jain, while MLA Sushil Tiwari was special guest during the programme.

Speaking on the occasion, MoS Sharad Jain appreciated activities being undertaken at the directorate on research and extension activities and also efforts being made towards Swachhta Abhiyan. He applauded contribution of scientists, policy makers and farmers of the State to win prestigious 'Krishi Karman Award' fourth time in a row.

He emphasised on upcoming activity of the State Government for plantation of about 6 crore trees in basin area of river Narmada which is in the range of 5 to 6 kilometres from river banks. He also expressed concern over rivers of Jabalpur including Parlyat, Gaur and others for their pollution level and decreasing water quality.

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At the outset, Dr P K Singh, Director, ICAR-DWR welcomed the guests and explained about ongoing activities of the institution. He informed that employees are regularly giving two hours time every week for cleanliness activities in and out of the Directorate premises, near ponds, lawns and gardens in the city apart from activities under 'Mera Gaon Mera Gaurav' and Farmers First programme.

Additionally Swachhta activities are also being organised in adopted villages in Jabalpur, Narsinghpur, Katni, Seoni and Mandla. Along with benefits of cleanliness, scientists are giving information on Parthenium management, weed management, conservation agriculture, farmer-scientist interactions, field days etc. MLA Sushil Tiwari also shared his experiences and applauded initiatives of Directorate towards cleanliness and controlling water hyacinth at Adhartal pond.



MoS Sharad Jain addressing Swachhta Pakhwara programme at ICAR-DWR.

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जबलपुर। भारतीय कृषि अनुसंधान परिषद के खरपतवार अनुसंधान निदेशालय द्वारा 16 मई से 31 मई के दौरान स्वच्छता पखवाड़ा मनाया जा रहा है। इस पखवाड़े के दौरान विभिन्न कार्यक्रमों के अलावा दिनांक 27 मई 2017 को निदेशालय के सभागार में जागरूकता कार्यक्रम आयोजित किया गया। जिसमें मुख्य अतिथि के रूप में राज्य के स्वास्थ्य मंत्री शरद जैन एवं विशिष्ट अतिथि के रूप में सुशील कुमार तिवारी विधायक पनागर क्षेत्र उपस्थित रहे। कार्यक्रम की शुरुआत में निदेशक डॉ. पी.के. सिंह ने स्वागत उद्बोधन के साथ ही कार्यक्रम की उपयोगिता एवं रूपरेखा प्रस्तुत की। अतिथियों इस पखवाड़े के दौरान आयोजित विभिन्न कार्यक्रमों से अवगत कराया। इस अवसर पर मुख्य अतिथि शरद जैन ने संस्थान को आयोजन के लिये बधाई दी। उन्होंने वर्तमान में आ रही चुनौतियों और उनके समाधान हेतु प्रयासों पर वर्षों की एवं स्वच्छता के विषय में कृषकों एवं अन्य नागरिकों में जागरूकता फैलाने पर जोर दिया। श्री शरद जैन जी इस अवसर पर उपस्थित जनसमूह को सम्बोधित करते हुए बताया कि आज हमारी जिंदगीवासी रूपसे नर्मद गौर परिवट उनसे मिलने वाले नालों को गंदगी एवं बर्बाद खरपतवारों के कारण प्रदूषित होती जा रही है जिसे साफ करने हेतु म.प्र. शासन द्वारा एक तुल्य कार्यक्रम चलाया जा रहा है। इस अवसर पर विशिष्ट अतिथि के रूप में सुशील कुमार तिवारी जी ने खरपतवार प्रबंधन को स्वच्छता का हिस्सा बताते हुए खरपतवार प्रबंधन तकनीकों को अपनाने पर जोर दिया। उन्होंने अपने व्याख्यान के माध्यम से सभी उपस्थित जनों से अपील की कि वे इस अभियान में यथासंभव अपना योगदान दे जो भारत को समृद्ध राष्ट्र बनाने में उपयोगी सिद्ध होगा। इस अवसर पर निदेशालय के वैज्ञानिकों के अलावा कृषकों ने भी अपने विचार व्यक्त किये। इस कार्यक्रम में बड़ी संख्या में विभिन्न गांवों से आये कृषक बंधु, जनप्रतिनिधि, निदेशालय के वैज्ञानिक अधिकारी, कर्मचारी एवं छात्र उपस्थित रहे। अतिथियों के सम्मान के परचात डॉ. सुशील कुमार प्रधान वैज्ञानिक द्वारा-आभार प्रदर्शन किया गया तथा कार्यक्रम का संवादन डॉ. योगेश चरडे वैज्ञानिक द्वारा किया गया।

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