

Training on 'Forestry Management' for field staff of IFFDC, Gurgaon, Haryana from 13th - 15th July 2015

A short-term training on 'Forestry Management' for field staff of Indian Farm Forestry Development Cooperative Limited (IFFDC), Gurgaon, Haryana, from 13th - 15th July 2015 was organized by the Silviculture division of Forest Research Institute at Dehradun on special request from the Project Coordinator, IFFDC, Gurgaon. 20 personnel of IFFDC from the states of UP, MP and Rajasthan participated in this training programme.

Shri. Saibal Dasgupta DDG (Admin), ICFRE was the chief guest during the inauguration of the training course. He said that IFFDC is doing commendable work on afforestation and development of wasteland through tree plantation and also contributing towards enhancing the socio-economic status of rural poor through sustainable Natural Resource Management by collective action of the society and this training will provide scientific inputs on nursery raising and plantation management. Shri Kunal Satyarhi, Head Silviculture division, said that the institute is regularly organizing training programmes on nursery and plantation technology for State Forest Departments and other stakeholders from all over the country and their feedbacks have been very positive in past. He said that the course programme was structured as per the requirements of IFFDC. Shri SP Singh, Deputy Chief Executive IFFDC explained about the afforestation and farm-forestry activities of IFFDC and said that the co-operative had developed thousands of hectares of wastelands as farm forestry through different co-operatives in different states thus providing employment opportunities to marginalized sections of society. He said that the training programme was very beneficial for the participants and they would go back with more scientific knowledge on seed handling, nursery sowing, disease and pest management, agroforestry models, NTFPs, management of plantations, etc.

Dr. Savita Director Forest Research Institute was the Chief Guest during the valedictory session of the training. She said that IFFDC has done outstanding work in the field of farm-forestry through which livelihood support has been provided to people in rural areas, in terms of fodder and fuelwood. She said that all the institutions like FRI, IFFDC, State Forest departments, etc. have to work in unison to tackle the issues of conserving forests, enhancing productivity of the farm-forestry models and livelihood. She hoped that whatever scientific techniques participants have learnt during the training would be implemented in the field. Dr. Manisha Thapliyal, Course

Coordinator gave a detailed report of the course and told that more emphasis was given on practical exposure in nursery & plantation activities. The training module included the techniques of seed handling and dormancy pretreatments, seed storage, different agroforestry models, nursery techniques of important tree species of UP, MP and Rajasthan, medicinal plants in agroforestry with practical exposure in nursery and field. The topics of soil fertility management in nursery and plantations, afforestation of difficult sites and management of fungal diseases & insect-pests in nursery & plantations, were also covered. She told that participants had given very encouraging feedback about the training. They appreciated the efforts all the subject specialists took in responding to their queries and had scientific interactions with them and specially appreciated the field visits to the nursery, agroforestry models in Gurukul Narsan near Roorkee.

Glimpses of the training course on 'Forestry Management' for field staff of IFFDC, Gurgaon from 13th - 15th July 2015







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Training on 'Forestry Management' held for field staff of IFFDC

By OUR STAFF
REPORTER

DEHRADUN, 13 Jul: Short-term training on 'Forestry Management' for field staff of Indian Farm Forestry Development Cooperative Limited (IFFDC), Gurgaon, began today and will continue till 15 July at the Silviculture Division of Forest Research Institute, here, on special request from the Project Coordinator, IFFDC. In this training programme, 20 personnel of IFFDC from the states of UP, MP and Rajasthan are participating.

During the inauguration of the training course, Chief Guest Saibal Dasgupta, DDG (Admin), ICFRE, said that IFFDC is doing commendable work on afforestation and development of wasteland through tree plantation and also contributing towards enhancing the socio-economic status of the rural poor through sustainable Natural Resource Management by collective action of society and this training will provide scientific inputs on nursery raising and plantation management. He expressed the hope that the participants would benefit from such courses and gain knowledge from the scientific inputs on various aspects.



Kunal Satyarhi, Head, Silviculture Division, said on this occasion that the institute is regularly organising training programmes on nursery and plantation technology for State Forest Departments and other stakeholders from all over the country and their feedbacks have been very positive in the past. He said that the course programme was well-structured as per the requirements of IFFDC and hoped that participants would have good interaction with the resource persons.

SP Singh, Deputy Chief Executive, IFFDC, briefly explained the afforestation and farm-forestry activities of his organisation and said that the cooperative had developed

thousands of hectares of wastelands as farm forestry through various cooperatives in different states thus providing employment opportunities to marginalised sections of society.

Earlier, Dr Manisha Thapliyal, Course Coordinator, gave a detailed report on the course and said that more emphasis was being given to practical exposure in nursery and plantation activities. The training module includes the techniques of seed handling and dormancy pre-treatments, seed storage, different agroforestry models, nursery techniques of important tree species of UP, MP and Rajasthan, medicinal plants in agroforestry with practical exposure in nursery and field. The training lectures also include

soil fertility management in nursery and plantations, afforestation of difficult sites and

management of fungal and insect-pest diseases in nursery and plantations.

Soil health cards within 6 months for plains

By OUR STAFF
REPORTER

DEHRADUN, 13 Jul: Chief Minister Harish Rawat has instructed officials to ensure that soil health cards are distributed within the next 6 months to the farmers of Udham Singh Nagar, Haridwar, Nainital and Dehradun.

The CM said that micro-nutrient deficiency was being observed in agricultural land, so soil health cards were a must for

the farmers. The water level was decreasing in the state, and Nitrogen fertilisers were useless due to deficiency of carbon in the soil. Farmers had to be made aware about the appropriate use of fertilisers and water in agricultural activities. He wanted officials to ensure that Walnut saplings were available for the Mera-Pedh Mera Dhan scheme. Mahua plants also had to be planted in the plains, he instructed.

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Forestry management course gets underway

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A short-term forestry management course for field staff of Indian Farm Forestry Development Cooperative Limited (IFFDC), Gurgaon, is being organised by the silviculture division of Forest Research Institute (FRI) at Dehradun. The course, initiated on special request from the project coordinator, IFFDC, Gurgaon, Haryana, started here today.

In the three-day training programme, 20 personnel of IFFDC from UP, MP and Rajasthan are participating.

At the inauguration of the training course, chief guest Saibal Dasgupta, DDG (administration), ICFRE, said IFFDC was doing commendable work for afforestation and development of wasteland through tree plantation. It was also contributing towards enhancing the socio-economic status of rural poor through sustainable natu-

ral resource management by collective action. The training would provide them scientific inputs on nursery raising and plantation management. He hoped that the participants would benefit from such courses and gain knowledge from the scientific inputs on various aspects.

Kunal Satyarhi, head, silviculture division, said the institute was regularly organising training programmes on nursery and plantation technology for forest departments and other stakeholders from all over the country and their feedbacks had been very positive in past. The course programme was well-structured as per the requirements of IFFDC and hoped that participants would have good interaction with the resource persons.

SP Singh, deputy chief executive, IFFDC, explained the afforestation and farm-forestry activities of IFFDC. He said the co-

operative had developed thousands of hectares of wastelands through different co-operatives in various states, thus providing employment opportunities to marginalised sections of the society.

Earlier, Dr Manisha Thapliyal, course coordinator, gave a detailed report of the course and said more emphasis was on practical exposure in nursery and plantation activities. The training module includes techniques of seed handling and dormancy pretreatments, seed storage, different agroforestry models, medicinal plants, nursery techniques of important tree species of UP, MP and Rajasthan with practical exposure in nursery and field.

The lectures also included soil fertility management in nursery and plantations, afforestation of difficult sites and management of fungal and insect-pest diseases in nursery and plantations, she added.

शाह टाइम्स
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छाया: शाह टाइम्स

वन संवर्धन प्रभाग ने आयोजित किया वन प्रबन्धन पर प्रशिक्षण

आजीविका मुद्दों पर एक साथ करें काम: सविता

मुख्य संवाददाता
देहरादून। भारतीय कृषि वानिकी विकास सहकारी लिमिटेड, गुड़गांव के परियोजना समन्वयक के विशेष अनुरोध पर भारतीय कृषि वानिकी विकास सहकारी लिमिटेड, गुड़गांव के कर्मियों के लिए वन अनुसंधान संस्थान की वन संवर्धन प्रभाग द्वारा वन प्रबन्धन पर एक अल्पकालिक प्रशिक्षण कार्यक्रम का आयोजन वन अनुसंधान संस्थान में किया गया। इस कार्यक्रम में उत्तर प्रदेश, मध्य प्रदेश व राजस्थान के राज्यों से भारतीय कृषि वानिकी विकास सहकारी लिमिटेड, गुड़गांव के 20 कर्मियों ने भाग लिया।

मुख्य अतिथि निदेशक वन अनुसंधान संस्थान डॉ. सविता ने प्रशिक्षण कार्यक्रम के समापन सत्र के दौरान कहा कि भारतीय कृषि वानिकी विकास सहकारी लिमिटेड,

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गुड़गांव ने कृषि वानिकी के क्षेत्र में उत्कृष्ट कार्य किया है। इनके द्वारा ग्रामीण क्षेत्रों में चारा एवं जलाऊ ईंधन, आजीविका सहारा आदि प्रदान किए गए। यह प्रशिक्षण कार्यक्रम भारतीय कृषि वानिकी विकास सहकारी लिमिटेड द्वारा संचालित की जाने वाली वनीकरण गतिविधियों के लिए वैज्ञानिक सूचना प्रदान करेगा। उन्होंने कहा कि सभी संस्थान जैसे वन अनुसंधान संस्थान, भारतीय कृषि वानिकी विकास सहकारी लिमिटेड, राज्यों के वन विभागों को वन संरक्षण, कृषि वानिकी मॉडल की उत्पादकता बढ़ाने एवं आजीविका के मुद्दों से निपटने के लिए एक साथ कार्य करना होगा। उन्होंने कहा कि उन्हें आशा है

कि इस प्रशिक्षण से जो कुछ प्रतिभागियों ने सीखा है वह फील्ड में लागू किया जाएगा। वन संवर्धन प्रभाग प्रमुख कुणाल सत्यार्थी ने कहा कि यद्यपि यह प्रशिक्षण कार्यक्रम छोटी अवधि का था किन्तु इसमें भारतीय कृषि वानिकी विकास सहकारी लिमिटेड की आवश्यकतानुसार व्याख्यानों और व्यावहारिक प्रदर्शनों को रखा गया। उन्होंने कहा कि भविष्य में और अधिक व्यावहारिक प्रदर्शनों की व्यवस्था फील्ड में की जाएगी। उप मुख्य कार्यकारी भारतीय कृषि वानिकी विकास सहकारी लिमिटेड एसपी सिंह ने कहा कि यह प्रशिक्षण कार्यक्रम प्रतिभागियों के लिए बहुत

फायदेमंद रहा और वे नर्सरी, बुआई, रोग, कीट प्रबंधन, कृषि वानिकी मॉडल, अकाष्ठ वन उपज, वृक्षारोपण के प्रबंधन आदि विषय पर और अधिक वैज्ञानिक ज्ञान के साथ वापिस लौटेंगे। भारतीय कृषि वानिकी विकास सहकारी लिमिटेड काफी हद तक स्व-सहायता समूहों के माध्यम से किसानों और महिलाओं के साथ कृषि वानिकी पर काम कर रहा है। डॉ. मनीषा थपलियाल, पाठ्यक्रम समन्वयक ने पाठ्यक्रम के बारे में विस्तृत रिपोर्ट दी और कहा कि प्रतिभागियों ने प्रशिक्षण कार्यक्रम के बारे में बहुत ही उत्साहवर्धक प्रतिक्रिया दी है। उन्होंने सभी विषय-विशेषज्ञों द्वारा प्ररनों का जवाब देने में किए गए प्रयासों गुरुकुल नारसन में नर्सरी दौरा व वैज्ञानिक बातचीत और कृषि मार्डलों की सराहना की।

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'Institutions need to work together for forests conservation'



Forest Research Institute director Dr Savita speaks at the conclusion of the training programme
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Various institutions like the Forest Research Institute, Indian Farm Forestry Development Cooperative Limited (IFFDC), State Forest Departments and other bodies concerned need to work in unison to tackle issues like conservation of forests, enhancing productivity of the farm-forestry models and livelihood. FRI director Dr Savita said this at the conclusion of a short-term training on forestry management for field staff of IFFDC at the institute.

The FRI director commended work done by IFFDC in the field of farm-forestry through which livelihood support has been provided to people in rural areas, in terms of fodder and fuel wood. This training programme will provide scientific inputs to the afforestation activities being carried out by IFFDC, she added. FRI Silviculture division head Kunal Satyarthi said that as this training was of short duration efforts were put in to schedule the lectures and practical demonstrations as per the requirement of IFFDC. He

THE FRI DIRECTOR APPRECIATED WORK DONE BY IFFDC IN THE FIELD OF FARM-FORESTRY THROUGH WHICH LIVELIHOOD SUPPORT HAS BEEN PROVIDED TO PEOPLE IN RURAL AREAS, IN TERMS OF FODDER AND FUEL WOOD

said that in future more practical demonstrations would be arranged in field. The IFFDC deputy chief executive SP Singh said that the training programme had provided the participants with scientific knowledge on seed handling, nursery sowing, disease and pest management, agroforestry models, NTFPs and management of plantations. The IFFDC has been working in farm-forestry with farmers and women through self-help groups, he added. Course coordinator Dr Manisha Thapliyal also spoke on the occasion along with 20 personnel of IFFDC from Uttar Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh and Rajasthan.

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Training on 'Forestry Management' for field staff of IFFDC, Gurgaon concludes

DEHRADUN,
JULY 15 (HTNS)

Training on 'Forestry Management' for field staff of IFFDC, Gurgaon concluded at FRI here today. A short-term training on 'Forestry Management' for field staff of Indian Farm Forestry Development Co-operative Limited (IFFDC), Gurgaon was organized by the Silviculture Division of FRI on special request from the Project Coordinator, IFFDC, Gurgaon, Haryana from July 13. In all 20 personnel of IFFDC from the states of UP, MP and Rajasthan participated in this training program.

Dr. Savita, Director, FRI, was the Chief Guest during the valedictory session of the training. She said that IFFDC has done outstanding work in the field of farm-forestry through which livelihood support has been provided to people in rural areas, in terms of fodder and fuelwood. This training



program will provide scientific inputs to the afforestation activities being carried out by IFFDC. She said that all the institutions like FRI, IFFDC, State Forest Departments etc. have to work in unison to tackle the issues of conserving for-

ests, enhancing productivity of the farm-forestry models and livelihood. She hoped that whatever scientific techniques participants have learnt during the training would be implemented in the field. Kunal Satyarthi, Head Sil-

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would be arranged in field.

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He said that IFFDC has largely been working in farm-forestry with farmers and women through self-help groups.

Dr. Manisha Thapliyal, Course Coordinator gave a detailed report of the course and told that participants had given very encouraging feedback about the training. They appreciated the efforts all the subject specialists took in responding to their queries and had scientific interaction and specially appreciated the field visits to the nursery, Agro-forestry models in Gurukul Narson.