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Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav

- FRI, Dehradun organized two orientation programmes for the PG students on methods and techniques employed in the natural products chemistry on 2 and 4 November 2022. Trainees under the Department of Science & Technology- STUTI from Doon University, Dehradun and 15 M.Sc Chemistry students from D.B.S. (PG.) College, Dehradun attended the programme.



FRI, Dehradun organized two orientation programmes for the PG students

- TFRI, Jabalpur organized a Women Empowerment Programme on 3 November 2022. The aim of the programme was to enhance their skills and provide livelihood, besides improvement in quality of work in the workplace.

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- FRC-SD, Chhindwara conducted a session on Biodiversity Conservation and Environmental Awareness for the students of class 11 and 12 on 3 November 2022.
- RFRI, Jorhat conducted an awareness programme on Health and Wetness (*Har Ghar Ayurveda*) on 4 November 2022.
- IWST, Bengaluru organized a programme on Integration of wood and wood based products in Green Building in hybrid mode (online and offline) on 11 November 2022. Engineers, builders, Scientists, Academicians, Wood Interior designers, Architects as well as other Stake holders attended the programme.

- TFRI, Jabalpur organized programme on Best out of Waste Competition for Environmental Amelioration among Women and Project Fellows on 11 November 2022. Women scientists, technical staff, and project fellows of TFRI, Jabalpur participated in the programme.
- IWST, Bengaluru organized a programme on Electric Resistance Tomograph (ERT): A Novel Technology in estimation of Heartwood in Standing Trees on 11 November 2022.
- AFRI, Jodhpur organized a talk on Rajasthani Dingal Bhasha (Kaviya Shaili) on 14 November 2022.



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TFRI, Jabalpur organized programme on Best out of Waste Competition



IWST, Bengaluru organized a programme on Electric Resistance Tomograph (ERT)

- IFB, Hyderabad celebrated Health and Wellness (with emphasis on AYUSH) on 14 November 2022. Trainees- Forest Range Officers (FROs) of West Bengal, Karnataka and Uttar Pradesh participated in the programme.

- FRC-LE, Agartala conducted a programme on Hands-on Training on Low cost Vermicomposting Technology on 15 November 2022. Women SHGs members of Gomati, Khowai and West Tripura districts of Tripura participated in the programme.



IFB, Hyderabad celebrated Health and Wellness (with emphasis on AYUSH)



FRC-LE, Agartala conducted a programme on Low cost Vermicomposting Technology

- TFRI, Jabalpur organized a tree plantation programme on the occasion of 147 Birsa Munda Jayanti at Rani Durgavati Samdhi, Narai Village, Jabalpur on 15 November 2022.

- IFP, Ranchi celebrated Birsa Munda Jayanti 2022 on 16 November 2022. Heads of departments, scientists, officers, Staff and Research Fellows participated and expressed their views by throwing the light on the life of Bhagvan Birsa Munda



TFRI, Jabalpur organized a tree plantation programme on the occasion of 147 Birsa Munda Jayanti



IFP, Ranchi celebrated Birsa Munda Jayanti 2022

- IFB, Hyderabad conducted Swachhta Programme on 21 November 2022. Trainees- Forest Beat Officers (32nd Batch- B section) of Telangana State Forest Academy (TSFA), Hyderabad participated in the programme.

- FRI, Dehradun organized a orientation programme to create scientific awareness on importance and utilization of forest derived products for socio-economic benefits on 23 November 2022. School students of Social Balooni Public School, Dehradun along with their faculty attended the programme.



IFB, Hyderabad conducted Swachhta Programme



FRI, Dehradun organized a orientation programme



- Constitution Day 2022 was celebrated by ICFRE, Dehradun and its institutes on 26 November 2022.



ICFRE, Dehradun celebrated Constitution Day 2022



FRI, Dehradun celebrated Constitution Day 2022



IFGTB, Coimbatore celebrated Constitution Day 2022



AFRI, Jodhpur celebrated Constitution Day 2022



HFRI, Shimla celebrated Constitution Day 2022



IFP, Ranchi celebrated Constitution Day 2022



TFRI, Jabalpur celebrated Constitution Day 2022



RFRI, Jorhat celebrated Constitution Day 2022

- दिनांक 29 नवंबर 2022 को पारि-पुनर्स्थापन वन अनुसंधान केन्द्र, प्रयागराज द्वारा मूज आधारित आजीविका हेतु हस्तकला पर एक दिवसीय प्रशिक्षण कार्यक्रम का आयोजन किया गया। युवाओं, महिलाओं एवं किसानों ने कार्यक्रम में भाग लिया।



पारि-पुनर्स्थापन वन अनुसंधान केन्द्र, प्रयागराज द्वारा मूज आधारित आजीविका हेतु हस्तकला पर एक दिवसीय प्रशिक्षण कार्यक्रम का आयोजन किया गया

- FRC-SD, Chhindwara conducted a Cleanliness Campaign on 30 November 2022. Scientists, staff and project staffs actively participated in the campaign.



FRC-SD, Chhindwara conducted a Cleanliness Campaign

Significant Research Findings

- Physico-chemical properties including iodine value, free fatty acid content, ester value, unsaponifiable matter, Hehner value and acetyl value of the fatty oil isolated from *Prinsepia utilis* seeds collected from Kanasar, Dehradun (Uttarakhand) were determined and found to be 57.21, 7.89, 118.95, 0.4%, 95.47 and 35.5 respectively. These properties are important for quality control of the oil. (FRI, Dehradun)
- Under the project All India Coordinated Research Project on Bamboo - various taxonomic characteristics of *Dendrocalamus somdevai* were studied and recorded for future study. Herbarium specimens of *Bambusa nutans* flowering were prepared. Flowering reports of 15 bamboo species from different parts of country were incorporated in the flowering database. (FRI, Dehradun)
- Chromatographic characterization of *Wrightia tinctoria* through GC/MS/MS analysis revealed the presence of phytochemicals with significant anti-inflammatory, antiallergic and antinociceptive activities, these phytochemicals can be used for therapeutic application. (IFGTB, Coimbatore)

Consultancies

- Final Report of Carrying Capacity and Biodiversity Assessment of Daitari Iron Ore Mine of OMCL submitted to OMCL, Odisha by ICFRE, Dehradun.
- Draft Report of EC Compliance of 04 Coal Mines Audit Report of Manuguru Expansion OCP and Padmavathi Khani (PVK)-5 UG Mine Project, SCCL submitted to SCCL by ICFRE, Dehradun.
- ICFRE observations and recommendations:**
 - For stabilization of encroached Inactive OB Dump (EID-1) of Devadari Iron ore mine (ML No. 006) of M/s. JSW Steel Ltd. submitted to CEC of Hon'ble Supreme Court.
 - For removal of previously constructed Toe Walls (TW-1 & TW-2) and Garland Drains (GD-1 & GD-2) - constructed on the periphery of Inactive Dumps (ID-1 & ID-2) of Nandi Iron ore mine (ML No. 0005) of M/s. JSW Steel Ltd. submitted to CEC of Hon'ble Supreme Court.

**Participation in Exhibition/
Krishi Mela/Farmer's Fair**

- IWST, Bengaluru participated in Krishi Mela on 3 to 6 November 2022 at University of Agricultural Science, GKVK.
- RFRI, Jorhat participated in a one day Farmers' Fair organized by RARS, Titabor and took part in the Exhibition to showcase the research and development activities of the Institute on 9 November 2022.
- HFRI, Shimla participated in Krishak Mela on the theme Diversification in Agriculture for Self-Reliant India on 17 to 21 November 2022 at SKUAST, Jammu.
- RFRI, Jorhat participated in the Exhibition organized by Nonoi H.S. School, Nagaon where RFRI, Jorhat showcased the research and development activities of the Institute on 25 to 27 November 2022.



IWST, Bengaluru participated in Krishi Mela at University of Agricultural Science, GKVK



RFRI, Jorhat participated in a one day Farmers' Fair organized by RARS, Titabor



HFRI, Shimla participated in Krishak Mela



RFRI, Jorhat participated in the Exhibition organized by Nonoi H.S. School, Nagaon

**Workshops/Seminars/Webinars/
Meetings**

S.No.	Topic	Duration	Beneficiaries
Himalayan Forest Research Institute, Shimla			
1.	Workshop on Improving Research Writing Using Grammarly	9 November 2022	Scientists, officers, supporting research staff, SRF, JRF, JPF, FA and PA of the institute

2.	Seminar on Conifers of Western Himalaya: Status, problems and prospects	29 November 2022	Scientists, officers, technical staff, field functionaries, project staff and research scholars
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Rain Forest Research Institute, Jorhat

3.	A Case Study on Effect of Interventions on Spring Rejuvenation in Lathao Village of Namsai District, Arunachal Pradesh	18 to 19 November 2022	Students, Researchers and Academicians
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Training Programmes

S.No.	Topic	Duration	Beneficiaries
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Indian Council of Forestry Research and Education, Dehradun

1.	Ecology and Biodiversity	9 to 11 November 2022	Senior Executives of Central Mine Planning and Design Institute (CMPDI), Ranchi, a subsidiary organization of Coal India Limited (CIL)
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Forest Research Institute, Dehradun

2.	CADFEM simulation software of ANSYS	17 to 18 and 21 to 22 November 2022	Scientists of Forest Products Division, researchers from different divisions of FRI
3.	Forestry and Silviculture	21 to 25 November 2022	Participants from Eco Task Force of Territorial Army Personnel's



Training on Ecology and Biodiversity



Training on Forestry and Silviculture

4.	Trainings and research guidance	November 2022	2 Post doc. fellows and 7 Ph.D. Students under FRIDU, Dehradun
5.	Orientation programme was designed to create scientific awareness on importance and utilization of forest derived products for socio-economic benefits	23 November 2022	Students of Social Balooni Public School, Dehradun

Institute of Forest Genetics and Tree Breeding, Coimbatore

6.	Capacity building on development of Tree Rich Bio booster (TRB) an organic waste based bio product	11 November 2022	Irular tribes of Kallarputhur, Mettupalayam
7.	Assessing the availability of Tree Seed Science for forest and landscape restoration	28 November to 2 December 2022	Participants from Indonesia, Philippines, Bangladesh and Laos PDR

Arid Forest Research Institute, Jodhpur

8.	Various forestry and environment related topics	1 to 3 November 2022	Farmers and field functionaries
9.	Bio-fertilizer application at ARS Nagur and Jayal Nagur	17 to 18 November 2022	Rural women farmers



Training on Assessing the availability of Tree Seed Science for forest and landscape restoration



Training on Bio-fertilizer application at ARS Nagur and Jayal Nagur

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| 10. | Hands on training on Study of climate driven effects on Indian Forests | 21 to 25 November 2022 | - |
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Institute of Forest Biodiversity, Hyderabad

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| 11. | Induction Training Programme | 3 and 17 November 2022 | Forest Beat Officers |
| 12. | Plant Documentation, Preservation and Biodiversity Assessment | 29 November 2022 | Students |
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Institute of Forest Productivity, Ranchi

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| 13. | Information about the activities of the institute including tissue culture laboratory, genetic biotechnology laboratory and soil laboratory | 14 November 2022 | Forest guards of the Forest Department, Government of Jharkhand |
| 14. | Important information related to Bamboo propagation management | 21 to 25 November 2022 | Forest guards of Training School, Mahilong |
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Induction Training Programme



Training on Important information related to Bamboo propagation management

Institute of Wood Science and Technology, Bangalore

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| 15. | Wood Seasoning and Preservation | 15 and 18 November 2022 | Wood working personnel, Carpenters and Architecture students |
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Rain Forest Research Institute, Jorhat

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| 16. | Bamboo Resource Development for addressing livelihood concerns of communities | 14 to 18 November 2022 | IFS officers of different states of India |
| 17. | Skill Development Training on Bee-keeping, Value Addition and Entrepreneurship | 16 to 17 November 2022 | Villagers of Namsai, AP |

Forest Research Centre for Livelihood Extension, Agartala

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| 18. | Low cost vermicomposting techniques | 10 November 2022 | Villagers of South Tripura district of Tripura |
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Skill Development Training on Bee-keeping, Value Addition and Entrepreneurship



Training on Low cost vermicomposting techniques

Institute of Forest Productivity, Ranchi

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| 19. | Bamboo based agroforestry models : its management under NABARD project | 4 November 2022 | Farmers |
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Memorandum of Understanding

An Memorandum of Understanding was signed between IFB, Hyderabad and R&D Global Consultants PVT Ltd, Thane Maharashtra for development of Dye related Value added products on 4 November 2022.

Publication

Institute of Forest Biodiversity, Hyderabad

Brochure on Insect pest of Forest Nurseries plantations & their management in Telangana is prepared under VVK.

Prakriti Programmes

Institute of Forest Genetics and Tree Breeding, Coimbatore

- Hands on activity regarding the importance of forest and its conservation was organized for 127 students from Pink and Blue preschool, Coimbatore, NM Matriculation Higher Secondary School, Coimbatore, Avinashilingam Institute for Home Science, Coimbatore, Ennam College of Nursing, Coimbatore on 4 November 2022.
- 283 students from St Francis Anglo Indian Girls High School, Coimbatore, SR Leader Public School, Coimbatore, Bishop Heber College Trichy, were given exposure to them the various types of Forest in India on 4 November 2022.
- Lecture on Forest and Human life was delivered to 183 students from St. Michaels Hr sec school, Bharathiya Vidyabhavan Public school and Maharishi Vidya Mandir school, Coimbatore on 10 November 2022.



Students from St. Michaels Hr sec school, Bharathiya Vidyabhavan Public school and Maharishi Vidya Mandir school, Coimbatore visited Glass Museum of IFGTB

- 325 students from Pioneer mills Nursery and Primary School, Coimbatore, Kongu Public Senior Secondary School, Coimbatore, Nair Vidhya Mandir CBSE School, Coimbatore, Tips Kindercare, Coimbatore participated and the students were explained on Environmental conservation on 18 November 2022.
- 102 students from Carmel Garden Public School participated for the field activity on 22 November 2022.
- 203 students from Maharishi Vidhya Mandir Coimbatore and Delhi Public School, Coimbatore participated for the field activity on 23 November 2022 and students were explained

about the various trees. Since the trees are the important ones in the conservation of the biodiversity.

- Webinar was conducted for 185 college students in collaboration with CUBE (Centre for Urban Biodiversity Conservation & Education) for Government Arts College, Sri Krishna Arts and Science College, Sri Ramakrishna College, Sri Sakthi Engineering College by Scientists, Research officer and Technical staff of IFGTB, Coimbatore.
- 34 school students with one faculty from St. Michael's Higher Secondary School, Coimbatore visited herbarium on 10 November 2022.
- IFGTB, Coimbatore organized special offline awareness programme under PRAKRITI for 30 students from Avinashilingam Institute for Home Science and Higher Education for Women, Coimbatore on 21 November 2022. The main aim of conducting this programme was to create environmental conservation awareness among the college students.

Institute of Forest Productivity, Ranchi

96 students and 21 teachers along with their Principal from Navodaya Vidyalaya Samiti in three states of Eastern Zone (Bihar, Jharkhand and West Bengal) visited IFP, Ranchi on 24 November 2022 under the Science Congress.



Students and Teachers along with their Principal from Navodaya Vidyalaya Samiti in three states of Eastern Zone (Bihar, Jharkhand and West Bengal) visited IFP

Arid Forest Research Institute, Jodhpur

121 Students of Sarswati Bal Mandir Higher Secondary School, Nagaur (Rajasthan) visited Interpretation Centre, Model Nursery and Shisham clone VMG of AFRI, Jodhpur on 14 November 2022.

Institute of Forest Biodiversity, Hyderabad

- FRC-CE, Visakhapatnam, under Institute of Forest Biodiversity IFB, Hyderabad organized an awareness programme among students of Kendriya Vidyalaya, Kakinada on Coastal Ecosystem Services and Human Well Being on 4 November 2022. A total of 40 students including teachers were present in the programme.
- An awareness programme under Prakriti was organized among students of Kendriya Vidyalaya, Vijayanagaram on 7 November 2022. A total of 130 students participated in the programme.

Rain Forest Research Institute, Jorhat

- 45 students of Fallangoni Bapuji H. S. School, Golaghat, Assam visited RFRI, Jorhat on 4 November 2022.
- 51 students of Lambudar Borgohain Sankardev Vidya Niketon, Demow, Assam visited RFRI, Jorhat on 4 November 2022.
- 52 students from Sarucharai Gharphalia High School, Dhekargarah, Jorhat Assam visited RFRI, Jorhat on 14 November 2022.
- 34 School Students of Majuli, Assam visited Insectarium, Herbarium and other facilities of RFRI, Jorhat on 21 November 2022.



School Students of Majuli, Assam visited Insectarium, Herbarium and other facilities of RFRI, Jorhat

- RFRI, Jorhat organized an interactive programme between Scientist and Students at Jawahar Novodaya Vidyalaya, Dhing, Nagaon on 26 November 2022 where Scientist, RFRI, Jorhat delivered a popular talk to the students and a Quiz competition was held among the students.

Tropical Forest Research Institute, Jabalpur

- 70 school students of Class 7 and 8 from Stemfield International School Jabalpur (M.P) visited TFRI Museum cum Interpretation Center, Bambusetum having 40 bamboo species, National Insect Repository on 7 November 2022.



School students from Stemfield International School Jabalpur (M.P) visited TFRI Museum cum Interpretation Center, Bambusetum

- 100 Teachers of CM Rise School visited TFRI, Jabalpur on 9 November 2022.
- 150 Students of Krishna Kids School Jabalpur (M.P) visited TFRI, Jabalpur on 14 November 2022



Teachers of CM Rise School visited TFRI, Jabalpur

Forest Research Centre for Coastal Ecosystem (FRC-CE), Visakhapatnam

- FRC-CE, Visakhapatnam organized Prakriti: A scientist - student connecting initiative among students of Kendriya Vidyalaya, Kakinada on 4 November 2022. Also a presentation programme on Ecological role of Mangroves

was conducted for the students. 40 students including teachers attended the programme.

- FRC-CE, Visakhapatnam organized one more Prakriti: A scientist - student connecting initiative programme for school students of KVS Vijayanagaram on 7 November 2022. A total of 130 students from 9,10 and Intermediate, including teachers attended the programme.



FRC-CE, Visakhapatnam organized Prakriti Programme for students of Kendriya Vidyalaya, Kakinada

Awareness and Demonstration Programme

Institute of Forest Genetics and Tree Breeding, Coimbatore

- A lecture on Bioprospecting was delivered to students of Nirmala College for Women, Coimbatore on 10 November 2022.
- 40 M. Sc Forestry students accompanied by two faculties from FRI, Dehradun visited IFGTB on 10 November 2022. They were also taken to Vegetative Multiplication Garden and Gass Forest Museum of IFGTB, Coimbatore.



M. Sc Forestry students with two faculties from FRI, Dehradun visited IFGTB

- 50 college students with one faculty from Nehru Arts and Science College, Coimbatore visited IFGTB on 14 November 2022. Research activities of the institute were explained to them.



College students with one faculty from Nehru Arts and Science College, Coimbatore visited IFGTB

- A lecture on Types of DNA Markers was delivered to Ph.D students registered under FRI Deemed University at IFGTB, Coimbatore on 24 November 2022.
- 75 Students and 4 faculties from Sona College of Arts and Science, Salem visited Biotechnology labs of IFGTB. They were also taken to Gass Forest Museum of IFGTB, Coimbatore.

Himalayan Forest Research Institute, Shimla

- HFRI, Shimla organized a visit of the members of Amateur Garden & Environment Society (SAGES) to the Western Himalayan Temperate Arboretum (WHTA) at Potters Hill. The visitors numbering around 70 had the representation of students, teachers, academicians, lawyers, businessmen, eminent retired bureaucrats, etc. on 6 November 2022.



Members of Amateur Garden & Environment Society (SAGES) visited HFRI, Shimla

- 20 B.Sc, forestry students of Forestry College and Research Institute, Hyderabad, HFRI, Shimla on 25 November 2022.

Institute of Forest Biodiversity, Hyderabad

30 Students from MLR department, Andhra University visited Marine Interpretation Unit on 17 November 2022. All the display units and related information was shared by FRCCE team with the students.

Institute of Forest Productivity, Ranchi

- 38 students from Faculty of Forestry (Birsa Agricultural University, Kanke) visited IFP, Ranchi, under Institutional Educational tour. They also visited technology demonstration cum Interpretation Center, Bamboo Garden, Tissue culture laboratory, molecular biology laboratory, soil laboratory, ecology laboratory on 7 November 2022.
- 44 B.Sc./M.Sc. students of BBM University, Dhanbad, Jharkhand and GNS University, Sasaram, Bihar visited IFP, Ranchi for educational tour. They visited the Laboratory of Genetics Biotechnology, tissue culture laboratory and soil laboratory. The works in the bamboo garden and nursery were also explained in details on 14 November 2022.



B.Sc./M.Sc. students of BBM University, Dhanbad, Jharkhand and GNS University, Sasaram, Bihar visited IFP, Ranchi

Rain Forest Research Institute, Jorhat

- 125 students and youth from Sivasagar, Assam under the programme Leadership Development and Motivating Student and Youth visited the Research and development activities of RFRI, Jorhat viz. Bamboo Cultivation, Propagation, Nursery Management, Value addition & bamboo preservation techniques, Biotechnology and Tissue Culture, VPI Unit, Banh Bithika, Lac Cultivation, Botanical Garden, Orchidarium, Vermicomposting etc. on 1 November 2022.



Students and youth from Sivasagar, Assam under the programme Leadership Development and Motivating Student and Youth visited the Research and development activities of RFRI, Jorhat

- RFRI, Jorhat organized a demonstration programme on Bee-keeping, Value Addition and Entrepreneurship and distributed 10 nos. of Bee Boxes and 5 bee colonies to the beneficiaries at Namsai District, Arunachal Pradesh from 17 to 18 November 2022.

Tropical Forest Research Institute, Jabalpur

- 80 B.Sc Students from Guru RamdasKhalsa Institute of Science and Technology Kurkikheda, Barela Jabalpur (M.P.) visited TFRI, Jabalpur on 4 November 2022.



B.Sc Students from Guru RamdasKhalsa Institute of Science and Technology Kurkikheda, Barela Jabalpur (M.P.) visited TFRI, Jabalpur

- 45 B.Sc. students from Government P.G. College, Damoh, (M.P.) visited TFRI, Jabalpur on 14 November 2022.
- 100 B.Sc. Students from Guru RamdasKhalsa Institute of Science and Technology Kurkikheda, Barela Jabalpur (M.P.) visited TFRI, Jabalpur on 14 November 2022.
- 47 B.Sc. Forestry student, Jawahar Lal Nehru Krishi Vishwa Vidyalaya, Jabalpur. (M.P.) visited TFRI, Jabalpur on 16 November 2022.
- 50 Students of B.Sc Forestry from FCRI, Telangana visited TFRI, Jabalpur on 16 November 2022.

Visit to Institutes

- Forest Ranger Officers Trainees of Chandrapur Forest Academy of Chandrapur (Maharashtra) visited TFRI, Jabalpur on 8 November 2022.



Forest Ranger Officers Trainees of Chandrapur Forest Academy of Chandrapur (Maharashtra) visited TFRI, Jabalpur

- A Group of 47 RFOs Trainees from Chandrapur State Forest Academy of Administration, Development & Management, Chandrapur, Maharashtra visited AFRI, Jodhpur. They also visited Interpretation Centre, Clonal Trial of Shisham, and nursery of AFRI, Jodhpur on 14 November 2022.
- FRI, Dehradun facilitated exposure visit of a group of 48 farmers with their escorts from Jaipur, Rajasthan under Atma project for visiting FRI, Dehradun on 16 November 2022.



FRI, Dehradun facilitated exposure visit of a group of Farmers with their escorts from Jaipur, Rajasthan under Atma project

- 69 IFS Probationers (IGNFA, Dehradun) Exposure Visit at TFRI, Jabalpur on 17 November 2022.
- 42 RFO Trainees (Batch 2021-2023) visited AFRI, Jodhpur with leader Dr. C.K. Kavidayal, Retd. IFS from Uttarakhand

Forestry Academy, Haldwani. Director, AFRI, IFS & PCCF . A Short Documentary on AFRI shown to the visitors. Trainees also visited Interpretation Centre, Shisham Clone Trial at VMG and Model Nursery of AFRI, Jodhpur on 18 November 2022.



RFO Trainees (Batch 2021-2023) from Uttarakhand Forestry Academy, Haldwani visited AFRI, Jodhpur

- 52 Forest Range Officer (FRO) trainees from Odisha Forest Rangers' College, Angul, Odisha visited RFRI, Jorhat on 19 November 2022.
- Director, ICFAI, Hyderabad and IFS (Retd) Former PCCF & DDG (Extension), ICFRE visited IFB-Hyderabad on 23 November 2022.

Popularizing Forestry through All India Radio

Programme Topic	Channel	Date
Tropical Forest Research Institute, Jabalpur		
वृक्षा रोपण और वन विकास के लिए बीज भण्डारण तकनीक- Manish Kumar Vijay Scientist – 'B'	-	25 November 2022
Rain Forest Research Institute, Jorhat		
Live Phone-in Programme on 'Role of Forest based Entrepreneurs in Self-employment' (in Assamese)	AIR, Jorhat	11 November 2022
Terrace cultivation, its relevance on livelihood, water conservation and heat management (in Assamese)	AIR, Jorhat	5 and 24 November 2022

Miscellaneous

- दिनांक 18 नवंबर 2022 को हि.व.अ.सं., शिमला द्वारा प्रत्येक माह स्वच्छता अभियान कार्यक्रम का आयोजन किया गया। संस्थान के कर्मचारीयों द्वारा सभागार, केम्पस, रास्ते व आस पास के जंगल की साफ-सफाई की गई।



हि.व.अ.सं., शिमला ने प्रत्येक माह स्वच्छता अभियान कार्यक्रम का आयोजन किया

- RFRI, Jorhat conducted two cleanliness drives in the Campus on 18 and 25 November 2022.

HR News

Retirements

Name of Officer	Date
Dr. Ranjeet Singh, Scientist - 'G', FRI, Dehradun	30.11.2022
Smt. Suman Sharma, STO, FRI, Dehradun	30.11.2022
Dr. Maitrai Kundu, Scientist - 'F', TFRI, Jabalpur	30.11.2022

Repartration

Name of Officer	Date
Dr. Gandhe Rajeshwar Rao, Director, TFRI, Dehradun	19.11.2022

Deputation

Name of Officer	Date
Shri Imotemsu AO, IFS (CHH:2010), RFRI, Jorhat	04.11.2022

Promotion

Name of Officer	Date
Shri Vivek Goyal, Under Secretary	14.11.2022

Patron:

Shri A.S. Rawat, IFS, Director General, ICFRE, Dehradun

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