

Jai Kisan- Jai Vigyan Programme Organised

(25th December, 2017, Motihari)

ICAR Research Complex for ER, Patna organised "Jai Kisan- Jai Vigyan" programme on 25th December 2017 at KVK, Pipra Kothi, Motihari. The programme was organised on the auspicious occasion of 93rd birthday of our Former Prime Minister and Bharat Ratna, Shri Atal Bihari Vajpayee Ji.

Hon'ble Union Minister of Agriculture & Farmers Welfare, Govt. of India, Shri Radha Mohan Singh Ji grace the occasion as Chief Guest and Shri Parmod Kumar, Tourism Minister, Govt. of Bihar was Guest of Honour. Sri Radha Mohan Singh stressed upon the various noble initiatives launched by Sri Atal Bihari Vajpayee, like Annapurna Food Scheme, Antyodaya Anna Yojana, Pradhan Mantri Gramodaya Yojana, Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana, Kisan Credit Card, etc. He reiterated that these programmes helped a lot to the farming and rural community for better livelihoods.

Earlier, Dr Vishal Nath Director, NRC, Litchi, Muzaffarpur welcomed the dignitaries, participants from various organizations and farmers. The programme was sponsored by Small Farmers'

Agri- Business Consortium (SFAC). A Farmer- Scientists interaction was also organized wherein Sri Yogendra Kumar, Director (Marketing), IFFCO, Dr K K Jha, Programme Coordinator, KVK, Piprakothi, representatives from FPOs, Scientists from ICAR institutes, KVKs and about 1000 farmers attended the programme.

Dr Md Monobrullah, Principal Scientist, ICAR-RCER, Patna proposed vote of Thanks for the programme.

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