

Three days training program on ‘Repair, maintenance and operation of Power tiller’ at KVK, Ramgarh during 20-22nd and 23-25th September, 2021

Two farmer’s training programme on “**Repair, maintenance and operation of Power tiller**” was organized at Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Ramgarh, Jharkhand during 20-22nd and 23-25th September, 2021 under **CRP on Farm Mechanization & Precision Farming** project. The training provided information about different important parts of power tiller, their functions. The training programme was inaugurated by Sh. Brajeshwar Dubey, Joint Director, North Chhotanagpur. He stressed on the need of small tillage machine for small and undulating field of Jharkhand. Dr. DK Raghav, Incharge, KVK Ramgarh welcomed the farmers and apprised them about the course schedule of the 3-days training programme. The training course was conceptualized and accomplished by Dr. DK Raghav and Dr. Pawan Jeet under the suggestions and guidance of Dr. Bikash Sarkar, Principal Investigator of the Project.

Total fifty two farmers participated in the two three days training program. Most of them were young farmers and at least half of them were owner of power tiller. Dr. Bikash Sarkar gave an overall information about different parts of power tiller and their main function. Dr. AK Singh, Head, FSRCHPR, Ranchi emphasized on minimization of cost of cultivation by intervening the modern farm equipment and their efficiently application by taking proper repair and maintenance of machineries. Dr. Bikash Das, Principal Scientist, FSRCHPR, Ranchi emphasised on application of innovative farm technology for increasing the production of farm produce esp. fruits and vegetables. During training programme, participants experienced hand on practice of proper operation of power tiller by gearing various step before moving forward and backward, greasing of different parts of power tiller.

Glimpses of the three days training program



Training at KVK, Ramgarh



Demonstration of power tiller