

Awareness cum input distribution program organized by FSRCHPR (ICAR-RCER) under Scheduled Caste Sub Plan project

Under the Scheduled Caste Sub Plan project “Awareness cum input distribution program” was organized by Farming System Research Centre for Hill and Plateau Region (ICAR-RCER), Plandu, Ranchi on 28th September, 2021 which was attended by more than 20 beneficiaries including women participants. Dr. Meenu Kumari (Scientist, FSRCHPR, Ranchi) highlighted the importance of quality seed material and benefits of intercropping of legume vegetables in fruit orchards. She also advised the beneficiaries to utilize the advantage of early varieties by timely sowing of crop which will further improve their income. In the sequence, 100 Kg of garden pea variety ‘Arkel’ were distributed among SC farmers of Bahagada village (Chatra) of Jharkhand.

The input distribution program was followed by field visit of guava and tomato intercropping system of selected beneficiaries. Sh. Bijay Ganju and other beneficiaries expressed their satisfaction for tomato plants having no symptom of bacterial wilt under field condition and better establishment of guava saplings. They also expressed their willingness to adopt other technologies of the institution. The programme was co-ordinated by Dr. Meenu Kumari with the help of Mr. Rohit Kumar and support of Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Chatra.



