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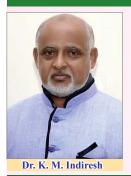


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Vice-Chancellor's Outlook....



University of Horticultural Sciences, Bagalkot has completed ten years on 22.11.2018. It is time to look back and make introspection of ourselves regarding our achievements. Though one feels that a lot has been achieved during these years by the hard work and responsible administration of two Vice Chancellors Dr. S. B. Dandin, Dr. D. L. Maheswar and their team of officers, faculty and staff, there is still lot to be achieved. There is a need to keep the tempo on.

The secret of success is constancy in purpose. Our purpose should have a Vision, the vision should be achieved. Vision without action is a day dream. Action without vision is a nightmare. Let all of us pledge for working to solve the problems of our stakeholders and produce the best human resource for the society.

Celebration of 10th Foundation Day of UHS, Bagalkot



University of Horticultural Sciences, Bagalkot celebrated its 10th Foundation Day on 22nd November, 2018. Dr. J. V. Goud, Former Vice Chancellor, UAS, Dharwad inaugurated the function by lightening the lamp and delivered the foundation day address. Hon'ble Members, Board of Management, Sri Y. B. Patil, Sri S. N. Manjunathgowda, Sri Shankarappa B. Malali and Dr. N. Rajeshwari were the chief guests on this occasion. Dr. Y. K. Kotikal, Registrar welcomed and briefed about the progress of the University. Dr. N. Basavaraj, Director of Research delivered the inaugural address and briefed the bio-data of the Chief Guest. Dr. K. M. Indiresh, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor presided over the function. Dr. Y. B. Patil, Hon'ble Member, BOM, UHS, Bagalkot addressed the gathering during the occasion and gave few suggestions for further development of the University.

The meritorious students, who were selected for Donors Scholarships and the donors were honoured during the occasion. Further, the teachers and the students who have secured State and National level awards in various academic, sports, NSS and cultural events were also honoured. Retired officers and Deans of the university were felicitated during the occasion.

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Best Teacher Award

Best Research Scientist Award

Best Extension Scientist Award

Dr. Kulapathi Hippargi, Professor (Fruit Science) College of Horticulture, Bagalkot, Dr. Satish D. Asst. Professor (GPB), KRCCH, Arabhavi, Dr. Sadananda G. K. Assistant Professor (PHT) College of Horticulture, Bengaluru were honoured with "Best Teacher Award". Dr. S. L. Jagadeesh, Professor (PHT), COH, Bagalkot and Dr. Vijaymahantesh, Assistant Professor of Agronomy, Directorate of Extension, UHS, Bagalkot were honoured with "Best Research Scientist Award" and "Dr. S. B. Dandin Best Extension Scientist Award" respectively. Dr. M. G. Kerutagi, Professor of Agril. Economics, COH, Bagalkot, Dr. Manjunath Hubballi, Asst. Professor of Plant Pathology, HRES, Arasikere and Dr. Raghavendra Gunnaih, Assistant Professor of Agril. Biotechnology, COH, Bagalkot were honoured with "Project Incentive Award". Further, Mr. Shripad Majali, Assistant Administrative Officer, UHS main campus, Mr. Shrimanth Dathe, Senior Lab Assistant, COH, Munirabad were awarded with "Best Non Teaching Staff Award" for the year 2018-19. Dr. T. B. Allolli, Dean, CHEFT, Devihosur (Bagalkot) proposed the vote of thanks.







Project Incentive Award

Best Non Teaching Staff Award

State and National Award Winners

10th UHS Intercollegiate Athletic Meet at Bagalkot

The 10th UHS Intercollegiate athletic meet was organized at the College of Horticulture, Bagalkot from 15th-16th October, 2018. On this occasion, the competitions were held for 15 events including 7 track events, 3 jumps, 3 throws, shuttle badminton and table tennis for both men and women categories. Around 450 athletes from nine constituent colleges of UHS, Bagalkot participated in these events. Sri C. B. Ryshyanth, IPS, the Superintendent of Police, Bagalkot district inaugurated the athletic meet and declared "open". All the events were conducted meticulously and peacefully on time. Dr. K. M. Indiresh, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, UHS Bagalkot presided over the closing ceremony held on 16.10.2018 and presented the prizes to the winning athletes.



CAFT programme on 'Conservation and utilization of plant genetic resources in plantation and spice crops'



ICAR sponsored 21 days training under CAFT programme on 'Conservation and utilization of plant genetic resources in plantation and spice crops' was organized from 11th -31st October, 2018 at COH, Bengaluru. Dr. P. Chowdappa, Director, ICAR-CPCRI, Kasargod inaugurated the programme and delivered inaugural lead talk. Total of 16 participants from various ICAR institutes and SAUs participated as trainees. Series of talks related to the topic were delivered by experts. Everyday hands-on sessions coupled with visits to field and institutions brought a rich learning experience to the participants. Dr. K. M. Indiresh, Course Director, Dr. Vishnuvardhana, Course Co-ordinator led the training programme along

with Dr. B. N. Maruthi Prasad and Dr. Harish B. S. as associate Course Co-Ordinators.

Training Programme on "Hi-tech Horticulture and Precision Farming" at Bagalkot

Four days training programme on 'Hi-tech Horticulture and Precision Farming' was organised jointly by Directorate of Extension, UHS, Bagalkot and SAMETI (North), UAS, Dharwad for officers of Agriculture and Horticulture Departments from 9th-12th Oct. 2018. The training programme was inaugurated by Dr. K. M. Indiresh, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, and called upon the trainees to enhance their knowledge about hi-tech horticulture and precision farming as it is need of the hour. Dr. Y. K. Kotikal, Director of Extension in his presidential address, informed the trainees about the importance of Hi-tech Horticulture and Precision farming in present day context and government schemes. Total of 18 technical sessions were



conducted in four days on various aspects related to the Hi-tech Horticulture and Precision farming. The trainees were also taken to exposure visit to farmers' fields in and around Bagalkot.

Training Programme on 'Integrated pest and disease management in Potato and Garlic'



HEEU, COH, Mysuru organized one day training programme on 'Integrated pest and disease management in Potato and Garlic' at Wadiyar Palya, Chamarajanagar on 16.10.2018 in association with Syndicate Bank and Institution of Agricultural Technologists (IAT), Chamarajanagar. Shri Vivek C. Hegde, Dy. Regional Manager of Syndicate Bank inaugurated the training programme and in his inaugural address highlighted various schemes of the Syndicate Bank in the upliftment of SHGs and farmers. Dr. Tanveer Ahmed, Extension Leader enlightened the trainees about the various farmer centric activities of the University, in general and HEEU, Mysuru, in particular.

The technical sessions were delivered by Dr. Sudarshan, G. K. on 'Integrated disease management of Potato and Garlic' and Dr. Mutthuraju, G. P. delivered a lecture on 'Integrated pest management of Potato and Garlic'. The interaction session between farmers and scientists was facilitated by Shri K. Krishnappa, Secretary, IAT and Shri Laxman, Field Officer, Syndicate Bank, Chamarajanagar.

Celebration of Mahila Kisan Diwas at ICAR-KVK, Kolar

'Mahila Kisan Diwas' was celebrated on 15.10.2018 at KVK, Kolar with a theme of "Farm women empowerment - India empowerment". The programme was inaugurated by Sri. Jagadesh, IAS, CEO, Zilla Panchayat, Kolar and he said that "land right for farm women" is need of the hour to get benefits of the Government schemes. Lectures were delivered on Importance of Integrated farming by Dr. T. B. Basavaraj, Professor of Agronomy, Role of farm women in the doubling the farm income by Dr. Prashanth M.



Associate Professor of Genetics & Plant breeding, "Importance of balanced diet to maintain good health for farm women by Smt. Jaya lakshmi Pawar, Asst. Professor of Agriculture Extension and "Women empowerment through value addition to agriculture and horticulture produce" by Dr. Chikkanna G. S, Scientist (Home Science), KVK, Kolar. Nearly 150 farm women have participated in the programme.

Rashtriya Ekata Diwas & Freshers' Day celebration at COH, Bengaluru

On 31.10.2018, 'Freshers' Day' for newly admitted students for the year 2018-19 and 'Rashtriya Ekata diwas' to commemorate the birth anniversary of Sri Sardar Vallabhai Patel was organized at College of Horticulture, Bengaluru. The pledge taking ceremony was organized for Staff and Students. Dr. Vishnuvardhana, Dean presided over the function. Mr. Chethan Singh Rathod, IPS, DCP (North Bengaluru) attended the function as the chief guest. Dr. S. B. Dandin, Former Vice Chancellor, UHS, Bagalkot, Dr. K. Umesha, Former Dean, & Emeritus Professor, COH, Bengaluru and



Dr. G. K. Halesh, Asst. Director of Students Welfare graced the occasion. Senior students of the campus organised various cultural programmes and games for the newly admitted students.

Training Programme on "Kitchen and terrace garden for nutritional security"



HEEU and COH, Bidar jointly organized the training programme on "Terrace and Kitchen Garden" sponsored by KSDH on 01.11.2018. Mrs. Reshma Kaur, Vice Chair Person, Gurunanak Group of Institutions, Bidar inaugurated the programme and appreciated the efforts of COH, Bidar in creating awareness on terrace and kitchen gardening among the city dwellers and rural community, further she visited the terrace garden demonstration models established on the terrace of college building. Dean Dr. Ravindra Mulge presided over the programme and delivered a lecture on 'Importance of kitchen garden,

terrace garden and management practices'. Dr. Mallikarjun Bavage, DDH, Bidar, Dr. Srinivas N., Extension Leader, Dr. Ashok Suryawenshi, Dr. Md. Farooq, Dr. Tippananan K. S. and staff of COH, Bidar and Gurunanak Group of Institutions were present during the occasion.

Training programme on 'Advances in production technologies of banana, watermelon and marigold'

HEEU, KRCCH, Arabhavi under the collaboration with Comprehensive Horticulture Development (CHD) programme of Karnataka State Department of Horticulture, Gokak organized one day training programme on "Advances in production technologies of banana, watermelon and marigold' on 22.11.2018. Dr. C. N. Hanchinamani, Professor of Vegetable Science presided over the function and delivered the inaugural speech and also delivered a lecture on 'Cultivation practices in watermelon'. Chief Guest of the programme, Mr. Mallikarjun Janamatti, SADH, Gokak spoke about the schemes of Dept. of



Horticulture available to the famers. Dr. Mukund Shiragur, Assistant Professor of FLA and Dr. Nataraj K. H, Assistant Professor of Fruit Science delivered the lecture on 'Cultivation practices of marigold and banana' respectively. Dr. Kantharaju. V., Extension Leader, HEEU, Arabhavi spoke on 'Plant protection measures in banana, watermelon and marigold'. Progressive Farmers *viz.*, Mrs. Prema Ganiger, Sri Santosh Patil and Sri Shivanagouda Patil shared their experiences in cultivating banana, watermelon and marigold. Dr. Preetham S. P., SMS (Horticulture) proposed the vote of thanks.

Field Day on Mulberry

Field day on 'Organic sources of nutrient management in mulberry for higher yield' was organized at Moorandahalli village, Kolar taluk on 13.11.2018. Dr. Shashidhar, Scientist (Sericulture), ICAR- KVK, Kolar gave information on growth and development of mulberry to overcome the application of chemical fertilizers. Around 30 farmers participated in the field day.



Tri-monthly Horticulture Workshop at COH, Mysuru



Second Tri-monthly Workshop for the year 2018-19 was organized on 28.11.2018 by HEEU, Mysuru to discuss the field problems experienced by the field staff and officers of KSDH and solutions to those problems. Deputy Directors of Horticulture, Mysuru, Mandya, Chamarajanagara and Hassan, along with their technical staff participated in the workshop and discussed the emerging issues and field problems of horticulture crops with the scientists. Dr. G. S. K. Swamy, Professor of Fruit Science delivered the lecture on 'High density planting in

mango' and the lectures on "Integrated disease and Pest management in mango" were delivered by Mr. Sudarshan, G. K., and Dr. Muthuraju, G. P., respectively. The workshop was co-ordinated by Dr. Tanveer Ahmed where in 48 officers of KSDH participated in the deliberations.

Gram Sabha with Khadi and Gramodyoga at Madawal village

'Gram Sabha' was organised under the project sponsored by Karnataka Agriculture Price Commission Govt. of Karnataka, Bengaluru on "Enhancing Income and Welfare of Farmers" at Madawal village, Gokak taluk by HEEU, KRCCH, Arabhavi in collaboration with Khadi and Gramodyoga, Hudali on 05.11.2018. Chief Guest Mr. Raghavendra Hammanavar, Regional Officer, delivered a talk on history and ongoing activities of the Khadi and Gramodyoga. He requested to adopt the Khadi and Gramodyoga in their village as an alternate



business in doubling of the farmers' income. Dr. Preetham S. P. Assistant Professor of FLA and Ms. Purnima Koppad coordinated the training programme.

Celebration of National Unity Day at UHS, Bagalkot



To commemorate the birth anniversary of Iron Man of India, Sri Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, 'National Unity Day' was celebrated at Udyanagiri, campus, UHS, Bagalkot on 31.10.2018. Dr. Y. K. Kotikal, Director of Extension presented the oath to all the staff of main campus. Dr. M. S. Kulkarni, Dean (PGS), Dr. S. I. Athani, Dean (Students Welfare), Dr. R. C. Jagadeesh, Administrative Officer, Dr. H. B. Patil, Dean, COH, Bagalkot, all the teaching, non-teaching staff, workers and students took oath on this occasion.

UHS Participation at Krishimela of UAHS, Shivamogga

Directorate of Extension, UHS, Bagalkot, COH, Sirsi, RHREC, Dharwad and HREC, Devihosur represented UHS, Bagalkot at Krishimela of UAHS, Shivamogga from 12th-15th October, 2018. UHSB technologies and varieties were exhibited systematically. Dr. Y. K. Kotikal, Director of Extension visited the stall and appreciated the efforts of all the staff members for nice exhibition of technologies.



Participation in UAS, Bengaluru Krishi Mela

COH, Bengaluru, RHREC, Bengaluru, HREC, Hassan, HREC, Arsikere, HREC, Hogalagere and ICAR-KVK, Kolar jointly represented UHS, Bagalkot at Krishimela of UAS, Bengaluru held from 15th to18th November, 2018 and exhibited UHS technologies. Sri N. H. Shivashankara Reddy, Hon'ble Minister for Agriculture, GOK visited UHSB stall and appreciated the efforts of staff for nice exhibition of technologies. UHSB stall got **first prize** under Govt. Institutions category.



World Diabetes Day at COH, Bidar



"World Diabetes Day" was organized by HEEU, Bidar jointly with Biomap, Bidar at COH, Bidar on 14.11.2018. Inaugurating the programme, Dr. Shivashankar, District Officer, FSSAI, Bidar called for use of ayurvedic treatment in eradicating the diabetes. Dr. Ravindra Mulge, Dean, COH, Bidar suggested for healthy life style, good food habit in overcoming the diabetes. Dr. R. P. Singh, President, BIOMAP, Bidar delivered a lecture on 'Management of diabetes through ayurvedic'. Dr. Srinivas N. Extension leader welcomed the gathering and Dr. Md. Farooq, Associate Professor proposed the vote of thanks.

Celebration of World Food day at ICAR-KVK, Kolar

'World Food Day' was celebrated at KVK, Kolar on 16.10.2018 with a theme "Our actions are our future - a zero hunger world by 2030 is possible". The programme was inaugurated by Dr. Nache Gowda Former Director of Research, UHS, Bagalkot, while speaking he said balanced diet is important to maintain good health and also growing back yard kitchen garden is need of the hour to get fresh fruits and vegetables for self consumption. In the programme, various lectures were delivered on "Functions of Heart" by Dr. Niranjan, Heart Specialist, Narayana Hrudalaya, "Important food required for children" by Dr. Beere Gowda, Paediatrician, Devaraja Urs Medical



College, Kolar and "our actions are our future-a zero hunger world by 2030 is possible" by Dr. Chikkanna G.S, Scientist (Home Science), KVK, Kolar. Nearly 150 Extension workers and Anganwadi teachers participated in the programme.

Training on Advanced Cultivation Practices in Vegetable cultivation



Horticulture Extension Education Unit, Bidar organized one day training programme on "Advanced cultivation practices in vegetable crops" at Chandanhalli village on 12.10.2018. Sri Prameshwar Patil, Member, Taluka Panchayath, Humnabad inaugurated the programme and in his inaugural address he called upon the farmers to adopt Israel technology for higher crop production. Dr. Ravindra Mulge, Dean, COH, Bidar presided over the function and in his presidential remarks, suggested the farmers to adopt improved varieties and latest technologies. Dr. Satayanarayana C. and Dr. Arunakumara K.T. spoke on 'Management of important pests and diseases of vegetable crops'

respectively. Dr. Rajkumar M. delivered a lecture and demonstrated the honey bee keeping. Dr. Imamsahab Jatt, briefed on Improved cultivation practices of cucurbit vegetables and importance of kitchen garden in eradicating the malnutrition. Dr. Srinivas N., Extension Leader briefed about the purpose of the training programme. More than 50 farmers participated in the programme.

VIP visits

Dr. Prem Nath, Chairman, Dr. P. N. Agricultural Science Foundation (PNASF), Bengaluru, Dr. N. Basavaraj, Director of Research, UHS, Bagalkot, Dr. R. C. Jagadeesh, Administrative Officer and Head, Dept. of BCI and Scientists visited *Mangaluru Sambar Southekayi* experimental plot at College of Horticulture, Sirsi on 27.11.2018.



VISITS ABROAD / AWARDS / RECOGNITIONS



Dr. Y. K. Kotikal, Director of Extension, UHS, Bagalkot presented a lead paper on 'Integrated Pest Management in Vegetables' and a research paper on 'Major insect pests of Fenugreek and their management' at Global Meet on Science and Technology held during

13-17th Nov. 2018 at Bali, Indonesia. He chaired the technical session II and he was conferred with "Distinguished Scientist Award" in the field of Entomology.



Dr. S. I. Athani, Dean (Students Welfare), UHS, Bagalkot presented a research paper on 'Effect of Gibberellic acid spray on grape yield' at Global Meet on Science and Technology held from 13-17th Nov. 2018 at Bali, Indonesia, besides chairing a session and he was conferred

with "Distinguished Scientist Award" in the field of Fruit Science.



Dr. Kulapati Hipparagi, Professor of Fruit Science, COH, Bagalkot presented a research paper on 'Evaluation of wine grape varieties for quality of wine' at Global Meet on Science and Technology held during 13-17th Nov. 2018 at Bali, Indonesia and he was conferred with

"Achiever in Horticulture-2018".



Dr. R. K. Mesta, Professor of Plant Patholgy, COH, Bagalkot has participated and presented papers on "Role of abiotic factors on the epidemiology of wilt of pomegranate caused by *Ceratocystis fimbriata*" and "Management of post harvest microbial decay of Banana" at

Intenational Conference on Plant Sciences held at Paris, France from 15^{th} - 16^{th} November, 2018.



Sri B. L. Tamadaddi, Associate Professor of Forestry, Main Horticultural Research and Extension Centre, Bagalkot and **Dr. S. M. Prasanna**, Assistant Professor of Soil Science and Agricultural Chemistry, COH, Bagalkot have participated in the 7th International course on Organic Farming organized by International Agricultural Research and Training Center, Menemen-IZMIR, Turkey from 19th-23rd November, 2018.





Dr. Sayeed Wajeed Mulla, Assisatnt Professor of Plant Biotechnology, COH, Bagalkot has participated and presented a paper on "Fingerprinting of different cultivars of Banana *Musa* sp. using microsatellite DNA marker" at International Conference on Plant

Sciences held at Paris, France from 15th-16th November, 2018.



Dr. Babu A. G. Assistant Professor of Crop Physiology, Directorate of Research, UHS, Bagalkot has secured **First position in oral presentation** in the National Seminar on 'Abiotic Stress Management: Challenges and Opportunities' held during October 25-26th,

2018 at TNAU, Coimbatore.



Dr. Manjunath Reddy, T. B. Assistant Professor of Plant Pathology, COH, Kolar has attended International Conference on "Role of soil and plant health in achieving sustainable development goals" held at Bangkok, Thailand from 22-25th Nov. 2018.



Dr. Vijaymahantesh, Asst. Professor of Agronomy, Directorate of Extension, UHS, Bagalkot has received **Best Paper Presentation Award** for "Entrepreneurial opportunities in Horticulture" at 1st International conference on Dynamics of

Entrepreneurship organized by Teresian College, Mysuru from 27th to 28th Nov. 2018.



Dr. R. M. Hiremath, Assistant Professor of Physical Education, Office of the Dean (Students Welfare), UHS, Bagalkot has participated and presented a paper entitled "Effect of polymeric training for development of speed among high jumpers of India" at the

first Conference on Interdisciplinary Approach in Sports organized by Faculty of Sport Sciences, University of Negeri Yogyakartha, Indonesia from 26th-27th October, 2018.



Dr. Kiran Kumar, K. C., Assistant Professor of Plant Pathology, COH, Bagalkot has received 'Young Scientist Award-2018' for his outstanding contribution in the field of Plant Pathology during International Conference on "Emerging Issues in agricultural,

environmental and applied sciences for sustainable development" organized by Agro-Environmental Developmental Society held at Sam Higginbottom University of Agricultural Technology and Sciences, Allahabad, Uttar Pradesh from 27th to 29th November, 2018.



Ms. Jayasudha S. M., Ph. D. Scholar, Dept. of Plant Pathology, COH, Bagalkot got third prize for oral presentation of research paper on "Management of bacterial blight of pomegranate using bacterial bio-control agents" during International Conference on "Emerging Issues in agricultural, environmental and applied sciences for sustainable development" organized by Agro-Environmental Developmental Society held at Sam Higginbottom University of Agricultural Technology and Sciences, Allahabad, Uttar Pradesh from 27th to 29th Nov. 2018.

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UHS IN THE NEWS

ಇದು ತೊಟ್ಟುರಹಿತ ಮೆಣಸಿನಕಾಯಿ!

ಮೂಗಿಗೆ ಘಾಟು ವಾಸನೆ ಬಡಿದರೆ ಸಾಕು ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯ ಎಪಿಎಂಸಿ ಮಾರುಕಟೆಯನು ಪರಿಚಯಿಸಿದ ಕೆಂಬಣ್ಣದ ಕಡ್ಡಿ ಮತ್ತು ಡಬ್ಬಿ ಮೆಣಸಿನಕಾಯಿ ಕಣ್ತುಂದೆ ನಿಲ್ಲುತ್ತವೆ. ಈ ಸಾಲಿಗೆ ವಿಶ್ವ ಮಟ್ಟದಲ್ಲೇ ಸದ್ದು ಮಾಡುವ ಹಂತದಲ್ಲಿ ಇದೀಗ ತೊಟ್ಟುರಹಿತ ಮೆಣಸಿನಕಾಯಿ ರೈತರ ಹೊಲಗಳಿಗೆ ಲಗ್ಗೆ ಇಡಲಿದೆ. ಮುಂದಿನ ವರ್ಷ ಈ ತಳಿಯನು ಲೋಕಾರ್ಪಣೆಗೊಳಿಸಲು ಸಕಲ ಸಿದ್ದತೆಗಳು ನಡೆದಿವೆ.

ನೋಡಿದೊಡನೆ ಹೇಟ್ ಬ್ರಾಡಗಿ ತಳ ಮೆಣಸಿನಕಾಯಿಯಂತೆ ಕಾಣುತದೆ. ಹಣಾದ ಕಾಯಿ ಬಿಡಿಸಿದರೆ ತುಂಬು ರಹಿತವಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಇತರೆ ತಳಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಹೋಲಿಸಿದಲ್ಲಿ ಅಧಿಕ ಇಳುವರಿ ರೋಗ ನಿರೋಧಕ ಶಕ್ತಿ ಮೈಗೂಡಿಸಿಕೊಂಡಿರುವ ಮೆಣಸಿನಕಾಯಿ ತಳಿ ಇದು

ಖಾರದಪ್ರಡಿ, ಓಲಿಯೋರಿಜನ್ ಮತು ಬಣ್ಣದ ಉದ್ಯಮಕ್ಕೆ ಉತ್ಕೃಷ್ಟ ತಳಿಯಾಗಿ ಇದು ಹೊರ ಹೊಮ್ಮಿದೆ. ಬಣ್ಣ, ರುಚಿ, ಶಕ್ತಿ ಜತೆಗೆ ಆರ್ಥಿಕಾಭಿವೃದ್ದಿಗೂ ತುಂಬು ರಹಿತ ಆರ್ಥಿಕಾಭಿವೃದ್ದಿಗೂ ಕೆ.ಜಿಗೆ 70 ಗ್ರಾಂನಷ್ಟು ತುಂಬು ರೈತರ ಪಾಲಿಗೆ ಆರ್ಥಿಕ ಹೊರೆಗೆ ಕಾರಣವಾಗಿದ್ದು, ಈ ಮೆಣಸಿನಕಾಯಿಗೆ ತುಂಬು ಇಲ್ಲದಿರುವುದು ಏನಿದರ ವಿಶೇಷತೆ?

ತೊಟ್ಟರಹಿತ ಕೆಂಪು ಮೆಣಸಿನಕಾಯಿ ವೀಕ್ಷಿಸುತ್ತಿರುವ ತಳಿ ತಜ್ಞ ಡಾ.ಪ್ರಭುದೇವ ಅಜ್ಜಪ್ರಳವರ

ಸತತ ಆರು ವರ್ಷಗಳ (2012 ರಿಂದ 2018) ಸಂಶೋಧನೆ ಪಲವಾಗಿ ಈ ತುಂಬುರಹಿತ ಮೆಣಸಿನಕಾಯಿ ತಳಿ ಮೈತಳೆದಿದೆ. ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ, ರಾಜ್ಯ, ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರ ಮತ್ತು ಅಂತರಾಷ್ಟ್ರೀಯ ಮಟ್ಟದಲ್ಲಿ ಪರಿಚಯಿಸಿಕೊಳ್ಳುವ ತವಕದಲ್ಲಿದೆ. ಈ ತಳಿಯನು ತಳಿ ವಿಜ್ಞಾನಿ ಡಾ. ಪ್ರಭುದೇವ ಅಜ್ಜಪ್ಪಳವರ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿಪಡಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಒಟ್ಟಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಆಹಾರ ಸಂಸ್ಕರಣೆ ಉದ್ಯಮದಲ್ಲಿ ತುಂಬುರಹಿತ ಮೆಣಸಿನಕಾಯಿ ಹೊಸ ಕ್ಯಾಂತಿಗೆ ಮುನುಡಿ ಬರೆಯಲಿದೆ. ವಿಶ್ವ ಮಾರುಕಟ್ಟೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಹೊಸ ಭಾಷ್ಕ ಬರೆಯಲಿರುವ ಈ ಮೆಣಸಿನಕಾಯಿಗೆ ತೋಟಗಾರಿಕೆ ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯದಿಂದ ಅಧಿಕೃತ ಮೆಣಸಿನಕಾಯಿ ವೈಶಿಷ್ಟ್ಯತೆ ಮೆರೆಯಲಿದೆ. 1 ಮನ್ನಣೆ ಪಡೆದು ಹೊಸ ವರ್ಷಕ್ಕೆ ರೈತರ ಉತ್ಸಾಹದಲ್ಲಿದೆ.

ತೊಟ್ಟುರಹಿತ ಮೆಣಸಿನಕಾಯಿ ತಳ ಸಂಶೋಧನೆ ಮೆಣಸಿನಕಾಯಿ ಉದ್ಯಮಕ್ಕೆ ಹೊಸ ಆಿಯಾಮ ಒದಗಿಸಲಿದೆ. ಹಣ್ಣಾದ ಮೆಣಸಿನಕಾಯಿ ಹರಿದಾಗ ಗಿಡದಲ್ಲೇ ಉಳಿಯುವ ತುಂಬು ಪುನಃ ಮಣ್ಣಲ್ಲೇ ಬಿದ್ದು ಉತ್ಪಷ್ಟ ಗೊಬ್ಬರಕ್ಕೆ ಕಾರಣವಾಗುತ್ತದೆ.

-ಡಾ.ಪ್ರಭುದೇವ ಅಜ್ಜಪ್ಪಳವರ, ತಳಿ

ತುಂಬು ಬಿಡಿಸುವುದು ಕಿರಿಕಿರಿಯ ಕೆಲಸ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಶ್ರಮ ಸಹ ಅಗತ್ಯ. ನೂತನ ತಳಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಗಿಡದಲಿಯೇ ತುಂಬು ಉಳಿಯುವುದರಿಂ

ಸಾಧನೆ ತೋಟಗಾರಿಕೆ ವಿಶ್ವಾನಗಳ ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾ ಲಯ ಜಗತ್ತಿನಲ್ಲಿಯೇ ಗಮನ ಸೆಳೆಯುವಂತಾಗಬೇಕು. ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರದ ನಾನಾ ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯಗಳಿಗಿಂತ ಈ ವಿವಿಯು ಅತೀ ಹೆಚ್ಚು ಸಂಶೋಧನಾ ಶಿಷ್ಕವೇತನಗಳನ್ನು ಪಡೆದಿ ರುತ್ತದ ಎಂದು ಸಾರವಾಡ ಕೃಷಿ ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯದ ವಿಶ್ರಾಂತ ಕುಲಪತಿ

ದಿನಾಚರಣೆ ಉದ್ಘಾಟಿಸಿ ಅವರು ಮಾತನಾಡಿದರು. ವಿಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯದ ಆವರಣವನ್ನು ನೋಡಿದ ಮೇಲೆ ಪ್ರಗತಿ ್ದ ಎದು ಕಾಣುತ್ತಿದೆ. ಆದರೂ ಸಹಿತ ತೋವಿವಿ ವಿಜ್ಞಾನಿಗಳು ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ತಳಿಗಳನು ಪರಿಚಯಿಸ ಬೇಕು. ಇನೊಂದು ಹಸಿದ ಚಿಯ ಅವಶ್ಯಕತೆಯನ್ನು ವಿಜ್ಞಾನಿಗಳು ಪೂರೈಸ

ಕಳೆದರೂ ಶೈಕ್ಷಣಕ, ಸಂಶೋಧನೆ ಮತ್ತು ವಿಸ್ತರಣೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ರ್ನೇಜನೆ ಹಾಕುವುದರಲ್ಲಿಯೇ ಕಾಲ ಕಳೆಯುತ್ತವೆ. ಆದರೆ

ಆಧ್ಯಕ್ಷತೆ ವಹಿಸಿದ್ದ ತೋವಿವಿ ಕುಲಪತಿ ಡ್ಯಾಇಂದಿರೇಶ, ಶ್ವವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯದ ಇಂತಹ ಪ್ರಗತಿಗೆ ನಮ್ಮ ಹಿಂದಿನ ಲಪತಿಗಳು ಮಾಡಿದ ಪರಿಶ್ರಮ, ನಿಷ್ಠೆ ಕಾರ್ಯವೈಖರಿ ಳನ್ನು ಇಂದು ನಾವು ಕೃತಜ್ಞಾ ಮೂರ್ವಕವಾಗಿ ಸ್ಪರಿಸಲೇ eಕಿದೆ. ನಮ್ಮ ತೋವಿವಿಯ ಸಂಶೋಧನಾ ಕೇಂದ್ರಗಳಲ್ಲಿ



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ವರ್ಷಗಳು ಕಳೆದರೂ ಶೆ.ಕಣಿಕ್ಕ ಸಂಶೋಧನೆ ಮತ್ತು ವಿಸ್ತರಣೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಯೋಜನೆ ಹಾಕುವುದರಲ್ಲಿಯೇ ಕಾಲ ಕಳೆಯುತ್ತವೆ. ಆದರೆ ಈ ವಿಶವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯವು ಮೂಡಿದ ಸಾದನೆ ಅವಲೋಕಿಸಿದಾಗ ಹರ್ಷವೆನಿಸುತ್ತದೆ.

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ವಿಭಾಗದ ಮುಖ್ಯಸ್ಥ ಡಾ.ಎಸ್.ಎಲ್.ಜಗದೀಶ, (ಅತ್ಯುತ್ತಮ ಸಂಶೋಧನ ವಿಜ್ಞಾನಿ), ಬೇಸಾಯಶಾಸ್ತ್ರದ ಡಾ.ವಿಜಯಮಹಾಂತೇಶ (ಅತ್ಯುತ್ತಮ ವಿಸ್ತರಣ್ಣಾ ವಿಜ್ಞಾನಿ), ಹಾಗಲಿಕೋಟ ಮಹಾವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯದ ಪ್ರಾಧ್ಯಾಪಕ ಡಾ. ಎಂ ಪ್ರಕಟಕೋಟ ಮಹಾವಿದ್ಯಾಲಯದ ಪ್ರಾಧ್ಯಪಕ ಡಾ. ಎಂ ಪ್ರತಿ ಕೆರುಟಗಿ, ಡಾ.ದಾನವೇಂದ್ರ ಗುನ್ನಯ ಮತ್ತು ಡಾ.ಮಂಜಾಸಾಥ ಹುಬ್ಬಳ (ವಿವಿಗೆ ಅತಿ ಹೆಚ್ಚು ಬಾಹ್ನ ಅನುದಾನ ತಂದ ವಿಜ್ಞಾನಿ) ಪ್ರಶಕ್ತಿ ಪಡೆದರು. ಅತ್ಯಕ್ಷಮ ಬೋಧಕೇತರ ಪ್ರಶಕ್ತಿಯನ್ನು ಸಹಾಯಕ

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