

FARMERS FIELD DAY ON PEARL MILLET HYBRIDS

22 September 2016, Mandor, Jodhpur

Farmers field day on Pearl Millet hybrids (MPMH 17 & RHB 177) was organized by ICAR-AICRP on Pearl Millet, Mandor at Kiramsariya village. The grain yield of Pearl Millet hybrids is expected to be higher as compared to local variety of Pearl Millet. Dr. Om Vir Singh, Project Coordinator ICAR-AICRP on Pearl Millet, Dr. S.K. Gupta, Principal Scientist (Millet) ICRISAT-Hyderabad, Sh. J.N. Swami, Regional Manager, RSSC- Mandor, Dr. G. Ram Kherwa, Professor PC unit Mandor and other staff of ICAR-AICRP on Pearl Millet, Mandor and local body representatives were present on this occasion.



The main objective of the programme was to demonstrate the success of performance of pearl millet hybrids viz. MPMH 17 & RHB 177 at farmer's field. Farmers were briefed about the advanced production technology of pearl millet cultivation, hybrid seed production techniques, cropping system, identification of weeds, moisture conservation technology, weed management and nutrient management etc.

The programme was attended by 250 farmers from different villages of Jodhpur district.



(Source: ICAR-AICRP on Pearl Millet, Mandor, Jodhpur)