



**RASS- Krishi Vigyan Kendra
Vanasthali, Karakambadi (P), Renigunta (M), Chittoor (Dt.) – 517520**



Significant Activity for the month of August, 2022

Exposure Visits to KVK

RASS – Krishi Vigyan Kendra has hosted two exposure visits during August, 2022 i.e. Exposure visit of 125 School students from Gitam Educational Academy and Exposure visit of 42 Farmers from Yadamarri Mandal, Chittoor District behalf of Social Unit for Community Health and Improvement (SUCHI) NGO on 01.08.2022 and 10.08.2022 respectively.

During the visit students were educated about Activities of KVK, importance of Agriculture and its role in the development of country's economy. They also enlightened about role of youth in future agriculture for soil and water conservation, pollution control, sustainable agriculture goals for supplying healthy food for healthy nation. Whereas farmers were enlightened about the Dryland agriculture, Importance of soil testing, Soil testing Procedure and soil test Based Fertilizer Application, Integrated Pest Management, Integrated Nutrient Management, Integrated Farming Systems, Soil and water conservation measures, bio fertilizers, organic farming, Natural Farming, Medicinal and aromatic plants uses in daily life, drudgery cultivation, Value addition and cost reduction technologies for enhancing the production and productivity of crops. Later they visited the demonstration units at KVK instructional farm.



Exposure Visit of farmers from Yadamarri Mandal, Chittoor



Exposure Visit of Students from Gitam educational Academy, Tirupati

Awareness campaigns on Soil Health Management

RASS – KVK has conducted three awareness campaigns on soil health management for 65 farmers in association with rotary club, Tirupati at Vedurukuppam, Narayanavanam and Nagari mandals on 08.08.2022, 18.08.2022 and 25.08.2022 respectively. During the campaigns farmers enlightened with the knowledge on scientific procedure of soil sample collection, importance of soil testing and soil test based fertilizer application and usage of soil Health cards. Later farmers were facilitated with soil health cards.

Dr. S.Sreenivasulu, Senior Scientist and Head, RASS – KVK, Sri Damodaram Naidu, Rotary Club, Tirupati, Smt. A. Padmaja, SMS, Sericulture, Dr. V. Divya, SMS, Agronomy and L.Priyanka, Soil Testing lab technician and farmers from respective mandals were participated in the campaigns.



Soil Health Campaign at Nagari



Soil Health campaign at Kondalcheruvu



Soil Health Campaign at Goduguchinta



Farmers attended the programme