

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



## Significant Activity for the month of October, 2025

## Kisan Mela and Farmer Scientist Interaction on Management of Rabi Crops

RASS- Krishi Vigyan Kendra with the support of ATMA, Chittoor organised "Kisan Mela and farmer Scientist Interaction on Management of Rabi crops" at KVK on 15.10.2025. Dr. J.V. Ramana, Vice Chancellor, Sri Venkateswara Veterinary University, Tirupati was the Chief Guest of the Programme. At the earlier scientists, Officials, and farmers visited the stalls in the agricultural exhibition arranged at Kisan Mela.

Chief Guest Dr. J.V. Ramana, VC, SVVU, Tirupati said that farmers can get additional income with the maintenance of livestock along with the farming. He also spoke about various activities organized by the Veterinary University, Government Subsidy Schemes, Identification and management of high milk and meat producing cattle breeds.

Dr. B. Shobhamani, DE, SVVU explained about value addition of the Milk and meat for getting additional income. She also explained the precautions to be taken in the management of livestock for prevention of rabies and other zoonotic diseases.

Dr. V. Sumathi, ADR, RARS, Tirupati said that KVKs are the one-stop solution centers in disseminating the latest farming technologies to the farmers. She also spoke about balanced fertilizer application, green manuring, bio fertilizers.

Later, district level officials and scientists explained about management practices to be followed in Rabi crops, Various services and subsidy Schemes of respective departments, Farmer Identity Card, Fertilizer Card, Natural Farming, subsidy Schemes in farm mechanization, Intercropping, Post-harvest management in Agri and horticultural crops was explained. The Dignitaries released the publications developed by KVK and supplied critical inputs to farmers for conducting demonstrations at farmer fields.

Dr. J.V. Raman, Vice Chancellor, Sri Venkateswara Veterinary University, Dr. Shobhamani, Director of Extension, SVVU, Dr. V. Sumathi, ADR, RARS, Tirupati, Dr. Rooth, ADR, RHRS, Tirupati, Dr. S. Srinivasulu, Senior Scientist and Head, RASS-KVK, Tirupati District Agriculture Officer Sri Prasada Rao, Chittoor District Horticulture Officer Sri Dasaratha Rami Reddy, Sri Ramanjineyulu, Deputy Director, ATMA, Chittoor, Dr. Ramakrishna Rao, Coordinator, DAATC, Chittoor, Sri Shanmugam, DPM, APCNF, Regional Agricultural Research Station Scientists Dr. Tagore, Dr. Kadiri Mohan, Dr. Viswanath, Smt.

Soubhagya Lakshmi, Sri Venugopal, Sreenivasulu from District Resource Centre, RASS KVK Scientists, Input Dealers, Agriculture students and more than 500 farmers participated in the event.

