

Eastern Regional Station of ICAR-IVRI, Kolkata participated in Regional Agriculture Fair for Eastern Region held at Sabour, Bhagalpur, Bihar

Eastern Regional Station (ERS) of ICAR-Indian Veterinary Research Institute (IVRI), Kolkata participated in Regional Agriculture Fair for Eastern Region organised by Bihar Agricultural University at Sabour, Bhagalpur, Bihar w.e.f 24-26 February, 2018. The Hon'ble Union Minister of Agriculture & Farmer's Welfare, Sri Radha Mohan Singh Ji graced the occasion as Chief Guest and the Hon'ble Minister of Agriculture, Bihar, Dr Prem Kumar Ji also graced the occasion. Dr. A.K. Singh ji , Hon'ble Vice Chacellor, BAU, Sabour presided over the programme.



An exhibition stall was set up by this Regional Station and four scientists, namely, Dr U.K.Bandyopadhyay, Dr B.C. Das, Dr P. Dandapat and Dr P.K. Nanda participated in the Agriculture Fair, Bihar.

The exhibition stall was set up with banners and festoons which revealed about scientific management of animal husbandry with special emphasis on vaccination, deworming and zoonotic diseases. As part of awareness programme, the scientists from this Regional Station used to address the problems faced by the farmers related to animal health and



production. Leaflets were distributed among the farmers to raise awareness about vaccination, zoonotic diseases and scientific animal farming systems. The farmers were explained about how to introduce scientific practices within the traditional animal farming systems practiced in rural areas through banners and posters displayed in the stalls. The exhibition stall of IVRI, ERS, Kolkata bagged third best prize among ICAR institutes



group in the Regional Agriculture Fair for Eastern Region. The stall was visited by the farmers who were found to be highly motivated.

