

CELEBRATION OF CONSTITUTION DAY

Activity for the month: February, 2020

ICAR -DCR, Puttur is taking up different activities to honour the 70th year of the adoption of Constitution of India as per the directives of ICAR. As directed by Council, the brochures, standees and banners of Constitution Day were uploaded in our institute website besides updating the monthly activities conducted under this programme.

As part of these activities, a meeting was organized on 04.03.2020 at ICAR-DCR, Puttur in the mini Conference Hall at 3.00 pm for the DCR staff. The programme started with ICAR song. Dr. K. Vanitha, Scientist (Agricultural Entomology) and Nodal officer of the activity welcomed Dr. M.G. Nayak Director (Acting), ICAR-DCR, Puttur, resource person of the meeting Dr. M. Dattathreya Rao, Former Head, Department of Sociology, St. Philomena College, Puttur and staff members of ICAR-DCR. Dr. M.G. Nayak delivered the introductory remarks and welcomed the gathering.

Dr. M. Dattathreya Rao delivered a detailed talk on 'Land Legislations and Reforms'. He briefed about the agriculture systems prevailed pre independence and about the three tier system. In his talk, he mentioned that India is rich in agriculture but the natural resources are not properly utilized. To solve the problem of unequal distribution of agricultural land, lack of land ownership to the farmers, and to bring justice for the farming community, Government has introduced land reform and the legislations. Land reforms refer to the efforts to reform the ownership and regulation of land in India act. He explained about the six categories of reforms. He urged that like most of the plans and schemes of Government, land reforms have also been successful only in pockets of the country, as people have often found loopholes in the laws. He invited sincere involvement of educated youth in agriculture to bring a change in agricultural sector. The meeting came to a close at 4.30 pm with vote of thanks by Mr. Sandesh, Research Associate, DCR, Puttur.

