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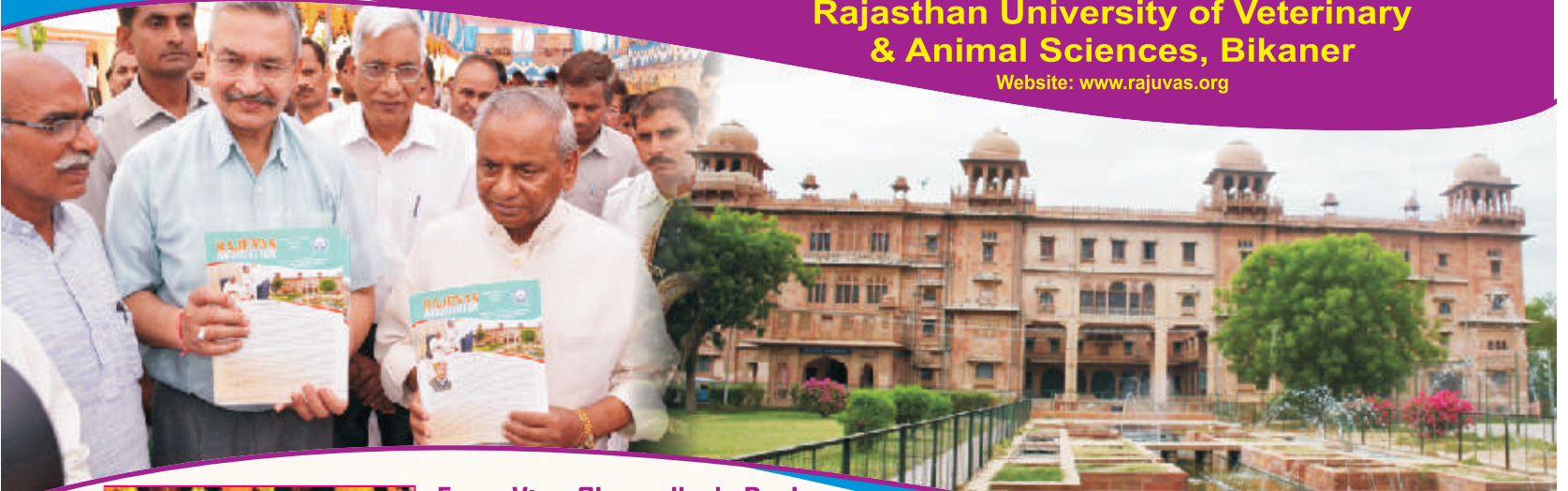
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From Vice-Chancellor's Desk

"Best Way to Predict the Future is to Create it"

This proverb stands perfect for RAJUVAS as the University entered the fifth year of its establishment with a prepared road map of progress of the University in the coming years. Well begun is half done. The budget of the University has raised to 137 crore from a mere of 15 crore. Since then University is consistently working hard not only for veterinary education but for animal welfare as well. During this quarter impulse came from none other than Hon'ble Governor of Rajasthan and Chancellor Sh. Kalyan Singh Ji who visited LRS, Kodemdesar. H.E. Sh. Kalyan Singh acknowledged with the services offered by the University for the livestock owners. He also had an interaction with local farmers there and motivated them to take full advantage of all the facilities provided to them. With ongoing computerization, tele-connectivity and internet, a large number of e-Governance initiatives were taken at University level. Online system for recruitment, fees deposition, attendance, feeding of marks, smart classrooms, onscreen evaluation and advanced examination management system has already been implemented. University is also very active on social networking sites. What's app groups of students and faculty members have been created for quick transmission and dissipation of news and ideas among them. Not only for students, social media network will also be used for sorting the problems of farmers & livestock owners.

RAJUVAS was promoting the conservation and improvement of five indigenous breeds viz., Sahiwal, Gir, Rathi, Tharparkar and Kankrej at its Livestock Research Stations, to these indigenous breeds, a new Malvi cattle breed has also been added. Government has sanctioned budget for Malvi cattle breeding farm at Dug (Jhalawar) for the implementation of the scheme. University has advertised 165 new posts which Government had already sanctioned. A journey of thousand miles begins with a single step, soon we expect to roll down the procedure of fresh recruitments, this will not only add to the manpower but also enhance the capability of RAJUVAS to work even more efficiently for the betterment of animal husbandry sector. Now baby RAJUVAS is growing thus fulfilling all its commitments serve the cause of veterinary and animal sciences in the State.

(A. K. Gahlot)
Vice-Chancellor

Activities

देशी गौवंश का उन्नयन और पशुपालन को शिद्दत के साथ अपनाना हमारे हित में: राज्यपाल कल्याण सिंह

राज्यपाल एवं वेटरनरी विश्वविद्यालय के कुलाधिपति श्री कल्याण सिंह ने 28 अप्रैल, 2015 को पशुधन अनुसंधान केन्द्र, कोडमदेसर में देशी गौवंश साहीवाल व कांकरेज के लिए इजराइली तर्ज पर बनाए गए पशुघरों (आधारभूत सुविधाओं) का विधिवत् उद्घाटन किया। राज्यपाल के पशुधन अनुसंधान केन्द्र पर पहुंचते ही वेटरनरी कॉलेज की आर. एण्ड वी. एन.सी.सी. स्कवाड्रन के घुडसवार केडेट्स ने उनकी अगवानी की। कुलाधिपति ने नवनिर्मित आधुनिक पशुघरों का अवलोकन किया। वेटरनरी विश्वविद्यालय के कुलपति प्रो. ए.के. गहलोत ने वहां पर मौजूद देशी गौवंश की साहीवाल नस्ल की 25, 24 और 20 लीटर दूध तथा कांकरेज नस्ल की 19, 16 और 16 लीटर प्रतिदिन अधिकतम दूध देने वाली देशी गौवंश की जानकारी देकर उनका अवलोकन भी करवाया। राज्यपाल एवं कुलाधिपति श्री सिंह ने विश्वविद्यालय की अनुसंधान, शिक्षा और प्रसार की तमाम गतिविधियों को दर्शाने वाली प्रदर्शनी का अवलोकन



किया। इस अवसर पर राज्यपाल ने बड़ी संख्या में उपस्थित ग्रामीणों, पशुपालकों और कृषकों से सीधा संवाद किया। राज्यपाल महोदय ने एक-एक पशुपालक महिलाओं और कृषकों से उनके घर की आर्थिक स्थिति, उपलब्ध पशुधन, शिक्षा, खेती और पारिवारिक जिम्मेदारियों के मद्देनजर सवाल पूछकर ग्रामीणों की वर्तमान स्थिति का जायजा लिया। संवाद कार्यक्रम को सम्बोधित करते हुए राज्यपाल महोदय ने विश्वविद्यालय द्वारा पशुपालकों के लिए किए गये सकारात्मक और रचनात्मक कार्यों हेतु अपनी ओर से बधाई दी। उन्होंने कहा कि भारत वर्ष के ग्रामीण क्षेत्रों में स्वदेशी गौवंश के प्रति लोगों में विश्वास और गहरी आस्था है। देशी गौवंश से अधिक दूध उत्पादन के प्रयासों से इसको ओर अधिक मजबूती मिलेगी। उन्होंने हरे चारे के उत्पादन और संरक्षण की तकनीकी कार्यों की सराहना करते हुए कहा कि यहां की जमीन उपजाऊ है। कृषकों को

खाद्यान के साथ-साथ हरे चारे के उत्पादन को भी प्राथमिकता देनी चाहिए। हमारे यहां खेती में स्थिरता आ रही है अतः हमें पशुपालन को भी पूरी शिद्दत के साथ अपनाना है। मरुस्थलीय क्षेत्रों में जहां उद्योगों की संभावना कम है वहां पर गौपालन को बढ़ावा देने से सकारात्मक परिणाम मिल सकते हैं। पंचगव्य का भी अपना विशेष महत्व है। गौमूत्र, गोबर की खाद और गौजन्य उत्पादों को भी बड़े पैमाने पर अपनाया जाना चाहिए। उन्होंने कहा कि वेटरनरी विश्वविद्यालय इसमें सक्रियता से कार्य कर रहा है जिसकी मुझे बहुत खुशी है। संवाद कार्यक्रम में तारानगर (चूरू) से आई महिला पशुपालक प्रशिक्षणार्थी चामाली, संपत्ति कुमारी, लक्ष्मीनारायण और बीकानेर से गीता, सुषमा व श्रीगोपाल उपाध्याय सहित कृषकों से राज्यपाल महोदय ने सीधी बातचीत की। वेटरनरी विश्वविद्यालय के कुलपति प्रो. ए.के. गहलोत ने कार्यक्रम के आरम्भ में विश्वविद्यालय की सुदृढ़ शैक्षणिक व्यवस्था, प्रशासनिक और मजबूत वित्तीय स्थिति से अवगत करवाया। इस अवसर पर वेटरनरी विश्वविद्यालय के डीन, डायरेक्टर, फ़ैकल्टी सदस्य और स्नातकोत्तर छात्र/छात्राओं सहित ग्रामीण जन बड़ी संख्या में उपस्थित थे। कुलाधिपति ने वेटरनरी विश्वविद्यालय के जनसम्पर्क प्रकोष्ठ द्वारा तैयार त्रैमासिक राजुवास न्यूजलेटर के ताजा अंक का विमोचन किया और नीम का एक पौधा केन्द्र परिसर में रोपित किया।



Activities under Swachh Bharat Mission

PGI-VER, Jaipur

Cleanliness campaign under Swachh Bharat Mission was organized by PGI-VER, Jaipur in its adopted village Kanarwas on 24th April and 30th May, 2015. Prof. Vishnu Sharma, Dean, PGI-VER, Dr. D.S. Meena, ADSW, Dr. S.S. Verma, students and villagers actively took part in this event to clean the various areas of the village. Dr. S.K. Rewani, Assistant Professor coordinated this event.



CVAS, Bikaner

Cleanliness campaign and baseline survey was conducted by CVAS, Bikaner in the adopted village Kan Singh-Ki-Sid under Swachh Bharat Mission on 11th May, 2015. Faculty, students and villagers actively participated in this event to clean the various areas of the village.



CVAS, Navania

Under Swachh Bharat Mission, volunteers of CVAS, Navania indulged themselves in the cleaning activity outside college campus under supervision of Dr. Hemant Joshi and Dr. S.S. Shekhawat on 9th May, 2015. Cleaning activity at boys and girls hostel was done under supervision of Dr. Sunil Arora and Dr. Tikam Chand Goyal on 23rd May, at animal shed of biodiversity unit under supervision of Dr. Sunil Kumar and Dr. Vishnu Kumar on 30 May, at TVCC under supervision of Dr. Rakesh Kumar Khinchi and Dr. Pradeep Kumar on 6th June and at college campus under supervision of Dr. Monika Joshi and Dr. Tarunpreet on 20 June, 2015.



Regional Workshop on “Strengthening Small Ruminant Based Livelihood in Western India”

A regional workshop on “Strengthening Small Ruminant Based Livelihood in Western India” was jointly organized by RAJUVAS, Bikaner and Centre for microFinance (CmF), Jaipur in collaboration with Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying and Fisheries (DADF), Government of India and South Asia Pro-Poor Livestock Policy Programme (SAPPLPP), New Delhi on 23rd May, 2015 at Jaipur. About 100 delegates representing different institutions and organizations from different parts of the country participated in this workshop. Inaugurating the workshop the Chief Guest Mr. S.R. Bhoosreddy, Joint Secretary (Administration and National Livestock Mission), Department of Animal Husbandry, Dairying and Fisheries, Ministry of Agriculture highlighted the importance of small ruminant farming for the poor people in India. Prof. A. K. Gahlot, Vice-Chancellor, RAJUVAS, Bikaner in his key-note address emphasized on the importance of



participation of women in livestock farming. He also highlighted the problem of small ruminant migration from Rajasthan to the nearby states. He called upon the scientists and delegates of the workshop to deliberate upon how to solve the problems of small ruminant farmers. Mr. Aswani Bhagat, Secretary, Department of Animal Husbandry, Government of Rajasthan emphasized on working together of all stakeholders for the benefit of small ruminant farmers. Dr. A.J. Kachhia Patel, Director, Department of Animal Husbandry, Government of Gujarat, Dr. Ajay Gupta, Director, Department of Animal Husbandry, Government of Rajasthan, Mr. Yatesh Yadav, Executive Director, CmF, Ms. Varsha Mehta, Team Leader, SAPPLPP and Mr. Ganesh Neelam, Representative, Tata Trust also presented their views in the workshop. Prof. Vishnu Sharma, Dean, PGI-VER and Dr. Umesh Agarwal, OSD to VC were the Nodal Officers for the workshop. A common understanding among government, non-government and civil society stakeholders was developed in the workshop regarding status of policies and programmes for small ruminants and livelihood based on sheep and goat in the state of Rajasthan and Gujarat. Issues and constraints in promotion and development of small ruminants based livelihoods based on experiences in the region were identified.

RAJUVAS Issued Monsoon Advisory for Farmers

Directorate of Extension Education, RAJUVAS issued Monsoon advisory in lieu of weak monsoon in response to advisory issued by National Rainfed Area Authority, Planning Commission, Govt. of India. After reviewing monsoon rainfall scenario up to 22nd

June, 2015, the University issued animal husbandry advisory accordingly. The RAJUVAS advisory identified green fodder production, animal health care, migration of livestock to neighboring states, efficient use of water and prevention of animal diseases as important issues.

Injured Bird Treatment Camp

To provide treatment facilities to birds injured during kite flying on Akshaya-Tritiya, RAJUVAS had organized a bird treatment camp in the TVCC, CVAS, Bikaner for seven days i.e. 21-27 April, 2015. Specialists treated forty-four injured birds in this camp.

Animal Infertility Treatment Camp

CVAS, Bikaner organized one-day animal infertility treatment camp in collaboration with Mahaveer International, Bikaner at village Malasar (Lunkaransar tehsil) on 20th May, 2015. In this camp, 105 animals were treated for different ailments. Dr. J.S. Mehta, Prof. & Head, Department of Veterinary Gynaecology, CVAS, Bikaner organized this camp.



Dignitaries Visits

Visit of Japanese Scientists delegation

A delegation of Japanese agricultural and animal science scientists including Dr. Kimiharu Inagaki, Dr. Wang Guangxi and Dr. Hayashi Yoshiaki, from the Meijo University, Japan visited PGI-VER, Jaipur on 6th May, 2015. Vice-Chancellor, RAJUVAS Prof. A.K. Gahlot, briefed them about the various research schemes and activities of the University. Vice-Chancellor discussed in detail about the various avenues on which collaboration can be done between RAJUVAS and Meijo University and invited them for working together. Prof. Vishnu Sharma, Dean, welcomed them and introduced with the faculty. The delegation visited the campus & farm complex and acquainted with teaching, research and extension activities of the University.



NDDB Chairman Visited Advance Milk Testing Research Laboratory

Sh. T. Nandkumar, Chairman, National Dairy Development Board, Dr. M.R. Garg, Director, Animal Nutrition Division, NDDB along with the other team members from NDDB and RCDF visited Advance Milk Testing Research Laboratory at PGI-VER, Jaipur on 29th May, 2015. They observed various facilities available at milk testing lab and appreciated the establishment and dedication of the scientists of the project for analysis of various adulterants, pesticide residues, highly pathogenic microorganism and their molecular characterization. On this occasion, Prof. Vishnu Sharma, Dean, PGI-VER, Prof. Sanjita Sharma, PI of the project & Dr. Umesh Agarwal, OSD to VC were present along with other faculty members.



Visit of Founder Secretary of VCI

Prof. (Dr.) Rama Kumar V., Founder Secretary of Veterinary Council of India visited PGI-VER, Jaipur on 23rd April, 2015. A formal interaction of all teaching faculty & students was organized on this occasion. Prof. Vishnu Sharma, Dean, PGI-VER, welcomed him and introduced with the faculty and students. Later on, in his formal address, Prof. Rama Kumar discussed the importance and role of veterinarians for the community development and stressed on more 'hands on training' for field veterinarians to deal with the field conditions.



Administrative Decisions

Meeting for Future Plans of RAJUVAS

A meeting of RAJUVAS officials was held at RAJUVAS on 4th April, 2015 under the Chairmanship of Vice-Chancellor Prof. A.K. Gahlot to discuss the developmental activities at RAJUVAS and future strategies for enhancing research, teaching and extension activities in the University. All Deans- Directors of the University attended this meeting

Rajasthan Forum for Goat and Sheep Development

A meeting regarding Rajasthan Forum for Goat and Sheep Development and the role of RAJUVAS, Bikaner in furthering policy discussion with in the forum as well as with the departments was organized on 8th April, 2015 under the Chairmanship of Vice-Chancellor Prof. A.K. Gahlot. In this meeting, RAJUVAS agreed to take over the role of the Forum Secretariat for promotion of small ruminants' development in the state of Rajasthan. Now, RAJUVAS will make policy dialogue with government departments and concerned ministries, along with members of the core group; organize half-yearly state-level workshops; prepare the documents and disseminate good practices in the field. An institutional mechanism will be established for sustained policy dialogue with the state government on issues pertaining to goat and sheep development for small holders. Dr. Umesh Agarwal was appointed as Nodal Officer of this Secretariat. Dr. Varsha Mehta, Team Leader, SAPPLPP, Sheela Koyana, Programme Manager, Dr. Umesh Agarwal along with all Deans- Directors of the University attended this meeting.



Meeting on "Camel Genomics & Immunology" at PGI-VER, Jaipur

A meeting on Camel Genomics & Immunology was organized at PGI-VER, Jaipur on 10th April 2015 under the Chairmanship of Sh. Rajeshwar Singh, Principal Secretary, Dept. of Animal Husbandry, GOR. Prof. A.K. Gahlot, Vice-Chancellor, RAJUVAS, Prof. K.M.L. Pathak, DDG, ICAR, Dr. Arun Ninawe, Scientist-G, DBT, Dr. A.K. Rawat, Director, DBT, Dr. N.V. Patil, Director, NRCC, Bikaner, Prof. Vishnu Sharma, Dean, PGI-VER and other scientists from ICAR-NRCC and PGI-VER attended this meeting. Various ways to intensify research efforts towards conservation of natural properties of camel by studying genetics and immunology as well as utility of its milk for human health were discussed.

First Annual Review Meet of AICRP

First Annual Review Meet of the AICRP on "Nutritional and physiological approaches for enhancing reproductive performance in Cattle and Buffaloes" and AICRP on "Outreach programme on methane emission" was organized by CVAS, Bikaner on 17-18 April, 2015. Prof. K.M.L. Pathak, DDG (Animal Science), ICAR along with Dr. B.S. Prakash, ADG (AS), ICAR reviewed the progress of all the centers working in the country and discussed future plan of these projects. Project Incharges of all 18 centers working in India have participated and presented the reports of respective centers for year 2014-15. In the inaugural Session Prof. A.K. Gahlot, Vice-Chancellor, Dr. C.S. Prasad, Ex. Vice-Chancellor, Maharashtra Veterinary University, Dr. Raghvendra Bhatta, Director, NIANP, Bangalore, Dr. N.V. Patil, Director, NRCC, Bikaner, Dr. B.N. Tripathi, Director, NRCE, Hisar, Dr. S.M.K. Naqvi, Director, CSWRI, Avikanagar also graced the occasion. Dr. J.S. Mehta, Prof. & Head, Department of Veterinary Gynaecology, CVAS, Bikaner organized this meeting.



Meeting of KVK Coordinators of Zone VI

A meeting of KVK coordinators and officers of Zone VI was organized at CVAS, Navania, Vallabhnagar on 24th May, 2015. Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, Prof. A.K. Gahlot interacted with delegates. Dr. P.P. Rohilla, ZPD, Jodhpur, Dr. I.J. Mathur, DEE, MPUAT, Udaipur and Dr. Tribhuwan Sharma, DEE, RAJUVAS, Bikaner attended the meeting. Dr. R.K. Nagda, Dean, CVAS, Navania briefed about different projects and activities of CVAS Navania. All the delegates visited different units of LRS and college campus. The foundation stone laying ceremony of the college main entrance gate of CVAS, Navania was also held on this day under auspicious presence of all the dignitaries.



What's New?

Launching of All India Network Programme & Inauguration of Downers Animal Bay

All India Network Program on Diagnostic Imaging and Management of Surgical Conditions in Animals (AINP-DIMSCA) was launched by Prof. K.M.L. Pathak, DDG (Anim. Sci.), ICAR, New Delhi at TVCC, RAJUVAS on 18th April, 2015. As new treatment facilities for the livestock owners, Prof. A.K. Gahlot, Vice-Chancellor and Prof. K.M.L. Pathak DDG inaugurated Downers Animal Bay. Maharaja Ganga Singh Trust, Bikaner donated this Bay. Dr. T.K. Gahlot, Director Clinics presented vote of thanks.



Sanction of Sirohi Goat Farm under RACP

A sanction was accorded by Project Director, RACP, Jaipur on 13th May, 2015 to establish a Sirohi Goat farm at LRS Bojunda, Chittorgarh for project cost not exceeding Rs. 10 crore under Rajasthan Agricultural Competitiveness project as per World Bank guidelines. RAJUVAS will establish Sirohi goat farm with foundation stock of 1000 Sirohi goat and 35 bucks and will supply does & bucks to RACP project beneficiary free of cost as per approved action plan.

Online Applications Invited for Recruitment of Teachers

Government of Rajasthan has permitted RAJUVAS to fill up 279-sanctioned posts of teaching and non-teaching as per University norms. RAJUVAS has invited online applications for recruitment of teachers on 165 posts after obtaining permission from Government of Rajasthan. Filling up of online application forms were started from 25th May, 2015 and last date is by 11.59 PM of 14th June, 2015.

Sanction of New Posts of Teaching and Non-Teaching

Government of Rajasthan has sanctioned 68 posts of teaching and non-teaching to RAJUVAS. To start the UG programme at PGI-VER, Jaipur, Govt. has sanctioned 17 teaching, 5 technical and 3 supporting posts along with 13 posts on job basis. Further, Govt. has also sanctioned 10 permanent and 20 contractual posts to establish Malvi Cattle Breeding Farm and to start Animal Husbandry Diploma Programme at Dug (Jhalawar).

Celebrations

World Veterinary Day

CVAS, Bikaner

World Veterinary Day on the theme of "Vector-borne diseases with a zoonotic potential" was celebrated on 25th April, 2015 at CVAS, Bikaner. There was a great participation of the students in professional quiz & poster making and elocution competition. At the end of function, Vice-Chancellor Prof. A.K. Gahlot and Dean Prof. B.K. Beniwal distributed prizes to the winners. Dr. Rakesh Mathur organized this event.



PGI-VER, Jaipur

PGI-VER, Jaipur also celebrated WVD in which all the faculty members and students were present. M.V.Sc. students presented papers on different aspects related to the theme. The faculty members also shared their views on the theme. Dr. D.S. Meena, ADSW, PGI-VER coordinated this programme.



CVAS, Navania

WVD was celebrated at CVAS, Navania, Vallabh Nagar by organizing one day seminar on prudent use of antibiotics to treat



livestock diseases. Field veterinarians from Udaipur district, college staff and students participated in seminar. Total 10 expert lectures were delivered in the seminar. Sh. Randhir Singh Bhinder (MLA, Vallabh Nagar) inaugurated the programme. Dr. R.K. Nagda, (Dean), Academic Coordinator and ADSW were present on this occasion. Seminar was conducted in the supervision of Dr. Abhishek Gaurav and Dr. Deepak Sharma.

RAUVAS Foundation Day

6th Foundation Day of RAJUVAS was celebrated on 18th May, 2015 in the college auditorium. Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor Prof. A.K. Gahlot presided over the function and Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor of MGSU Prof. C.K. Padya was the Chief Guest. In the beginning of function, Dr. Tribhuvan Sharma, Acting Dean, CVAS welcomed all the guests and gave a presentation depicting the growth of RAJUVAS after its inception. All faculty members and students of CVAS, Bikaner in a good number, attended the function. Dr. Rakesh Rao, Registrar, RAJUVAS gave vote of thanks.



World Earth Day

World Earth Day was celebrated at CVAS, Navania, Vallabh Nagar on 22nd April, 2015. Staff and students planted 40 plants at college campus. The programme was organized in supervision of Dr. Devi Singh Rajput and Dr. Hemant Joshi.

World Environment Day

World Environment Day was celebrated at CVAS, Navania, Vallabh Nagar on 5th June, 2015. Lectures on effect of pollution on wild & aquatic life and hazards of pollution on human health were delivered by Dr. Hemant Joshi and Dr. Arpit. A competition was organized among students on theme of "Best out of the waste". Students prepared different useful items such as flowerpot, wind chime, pen stand, animal housing model etc., using waste material. The entire programme was organized under the supervision of Dr. D.S. Rajput.

International Yoga Day

CVAS, Bikaner

Hundreds of yoga enthusiasts bent and twisted their bodies in complex postures at RAJUVAS to mark the first International Yoga Day on 21st June 2015. About 65 NSS volunteers along with other UG & PG students including girls and many family members of the staff participated in the event. There was one-hour session of yoga positions to motivate people to adopt these in their daily life. An essay competition was organized for the students of CVAS, Bikaner on the topic "Yog ka jeevan shaily par prabhav". Students took part enthusiastically in this competition and the winners were given mementoes after the end of yoga session. NCC cadets of 1Raj R&V Sqn, CVAS, Bikaner participated in large numbers in another function at SKRAU stadium.

PGI-VER, Jaipur

A Yoga Practice Camp was organized at PGIVER, Jaipur on the occasion of "International Day of Yoga" on 21st June, 2015. All teaching and non-teaching staff and students of the institute practiced different Yoga and Pranayam under the guidance of Dr. D.S. Meena, Assoc. Prof. & Head, Department of Veterinary Medicine. An essay competition on the topic "Importance of Yoga in day-to-day life" was also organized for the students. Prof. Vishnu Sharma, Dean, PGI-VER, Jaipur presided over the programme.

CVAS, Navania, Vallabh Nagar

Different activities such as jogging, pranayam and yoga were performed by staff members and students of CVAS, Navania, Vallabh Nagar on 21st June 2015. Under NSS Unit, Dr. D.S. Rajput, Assistant Professor organized this event.



Vice-Chancellor's Visits

Jaipur: VC Coordination Committee Meeting, Raj Bhawan

Prof. A.K. Gahlot, Vice-Chancellor attended meeting of VC Coordination Committee at Raj Bhawan, Jaipur on 5th May, 2015.

New Delhi: VC Conference of SAU

Vice-Chancellor Prof. A.K. Gahlot had attended Annual Vice-Chancellors' Conference of the State Agricultural Universities and Interface Meeting with ICAR Directors at New Delhi from 14-16 May, 2015.

Jaipur: Meeting of SLPAC

Prof. A.K. Gahlot, Vice-Chancellor attended a meeting of SLPAC related to RKVY at Jaipur held under the Chairmanship of Additional Chief Secretary, Agriculture and Animal Husbandry on 21st May, 2015.

Jaipur: Meeting of Animal Husbandry

Prof. A.K. Gahlot, Vice-Chancellor attended a meeting at Jaipur conducted under the Chairmanship of Secretary, Animal Husbandry, Gopalan and Fisheries on 29th May, 2015.

Jaipur: Pant Krishi Bhawan

Prof. A.K. Gahlot, Vice-Chancellor attended a meeting at Pant Krishi Bhawan, Jaipur on 3rd June, 2015. In this meeting, VRS Infratech Pvt. Ltd. Company gave a presentation under the Chairmanship of Hon'ble Minister for Agriculture and Animal Husbandry Sh. Prabhulal Saini.

New Delhi: Meeting of VCI

Prof. A.K. Gahlot, Vice-Chancellor attended 52nd meeting of Veterinary Council of India held at New Delhi on 5th June, 2015.

Jaipur: Meeting of NITI Ayog State Level Task Force on Agriculture

Vice-Chancellor Prof. A.K. Gahlot attended a meeting of NITI Ayog State level task force on agriculture on 10th June 2015 under the Chairmanship of Additional Chief Secretary Agriculture at Pant Krishi Bhawan, Jaipur. In this meeting, Vice-Chancellor had stressed about adopting the policies for higher animal production, conservation and improvement of indigenous breeds, improving veterinary services, fodder production, availability of clean drinking water for animals, infrastructural development and enhancing fisheries production in the State.

Memorandum of Understanding

MOU for Sewan Grassland Development

RAJUVAS joined hands with Sharah Nathaniyan Gochar Bhoomi Sanrakshan Evam Vikas Samiti, Bikaner on 16th April, 2015. RAJUVAS will provide technical support for the development of Sewan grassland, conservation of Indigenous cattle, training of Gaupalak, research on medicinal plants available in Gochar and extension activities. On behalf of RAJUVAS, Prof. A.K. Gahlot, Vice-Chancellor, Dr. Tribhuwan Sharma, Director Extension and Dr. Rakesh Rao, Director Research and Sh. Brijnarayan Kiradoo- President, Amit Kumar- Secretary, Sangram Singh Rathore- Treasurer on behalf of Sharah Nathaniyan Gochar Bhoomi Sanrakshan Evam Vikas Samiti signed the MOU. Dr. H.P. Vyas, Sh. K.L. Rathi, Sh. Ganesh Ojha, Dr. Deva Ram Kankad were also present.



Staff Accomplishments

Nomination of Dr. Galav in IAEC of DIPAS, New Delhi

Dr. Vikas Galav, Assistant Professor & Incharge, Deptt. of Veterinary Pathology, PGI-VER, Jaipur has been nominated by Ministry of Environment and Forest, Gol, as the main nominee/inspector to the Institutional Animal Ethics Committee (IAEC) of Defence Institute of Physiology and Allied Sciences (DIPAS), New Delhi, a premier institute of national importance under Defence Research Development Organization, Ministry of Defence, Govt. of India. Dr. Galav, has also been nominated as member of Scientific Advisory Committee of Dabur Research Foundation, Sahibabad, Ghaziabad (UP).

Participations in Professional Activities

- Dr. R.K. Nagda, Dean, CVAS, Navania participated in the meeting of Rajasthan Agricultural Competitiveness Project held at Jaipur on 27th May and 8th June, 2015. Dr. Nagda also participated in meeting of CAS held at CIRG, Makhdoom on 29th May, 2015.
- Dr. Sunanda Sharma, Associate Professor, Department of Veterinary Gynaecology & Obstetrics participated in training on use of ultrasonography in large animal reproduction from 22-27 June 2015 organized by CIRB, Hisar.
- Dr. Vikas Galav, Assistant Professor and Incharge, Department of Veterinary Pathology conducted the CPCSEA Annual Inspection of the Lab Animal Facility of Institute of Industrial Research and Toxicology (IIRT), Ghaziabad and Sunderdeep College of Pharmacy, Hapur Road, Ghaziabad on 13th June, 2015.
- Dr. Mohan Lal Yadav, Teaching Associate, Department of Veterinary & Animal Husbandry Extension Education attended workshop on Upgradation of communication skills for effective extension services for extension functionaries from 27th April, 2015 to 2nd May, 2015 organized by Extension Education Institute, Anand, Gujarat.
- Dr. Pratishtha Sharma, Assistant Professor, Department of Pharmacology, CVAS, Bikaner participated in Summer School on heavy metal pollutants in environment, effects on animal and mitigation sponsored by ICAR at Division of Medicine, IVRI, Izatnagar during June 3-23, 2015.
- Dr. Ashok Gaur, Assistant Professor, Centre of Etheno Veterinary Medicine, RAJUVAS, Bikaner participated in Summer School on heavy metal pollutants in environment, effects on animal and mitigation sponsored by ICAR at Division of Medicine, IVRI, Izatnagar during June 3-23, 2015.

Superannuation

- ❖ Sh. Rewat Singh Rajpurohit, Class-IV, CVAS, Navania has retired from Dean Office on 30th April, 2015.
- ❖ Sh. Bhanwar Singh Rajput, Class-IV, LRS, Vallabhnagar has retired from Vallabhnagar campus on 30th April, 2015.
- ❖ Sh. Ratan Das, Class-IV, LRS, Vallabhnagar has retired from Vallabhnagar campus on 30th June, 2015.
- ❖ Smt. Rukhmani Devi, Class-IV, CVAS, Bikaner has retired from Department of Veterinary Microbiology and Biotechnology on 30th June, 2015
- ❖ Sh. Nure Khan, Class-IV, Centre of Etheno Veterinary Medicine, RAJUVAS, Bikaner has retired on 30th June, 2015.
- ❖ Prof. B.K. Beniwal, Faculty Chairman & Dean, CVAS, Bikaner, Dean Student Welfare, Convener, Public Relation Cell, Chief Placement Officer, University Placement Cell, RAJUVAS, Bikaner has superannuated on 30th June, 2015.



Smt. Rukhmani Devi



Sh. Nure Khan



Prof. B.K. Beniwal

Trainings Organized

Training on Disaster Management Technology for Animals

Centre for Disaster Management Technology for Animals, RAJUVAS, Bikaner, organized Animal Disaster Management Training for livestock farmers at village Meghasar, Kolasar and Bacchasar of Bikaner district on 14th, 15th and 16th May, 2015, respectively. Pictorial presentation delivered by Mr. Sohel Mohammad and Dr. Amit Sangwan, Teaching Associates. Shri Gopal Upadhyay (Member, Research Council, RAJUVAS, Bikaner) supported to organize such camps.

Farmers Training by KVK, Nohar

Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Nohar organized four off campus trainings of one day duration each at Aradki and Domasar on 23rd & 27th April and at Padampura and Lalania villages of Hanumangarh district on 16th & 28th May, 2015, respectively. In these training camps, 91 livestock owners were benefitted. Dr. Naveen Saini and Sh. Akshay Ghintala organized these trainings.

Farmers Training by VUTRC, Nagaur

Veterinary University Training and Research Centre, Bakalia (Nagaur) organized ten off campus trainings of one day duration each at Marndasari, Bithooda, Reengan and Srikrishanpura on 10th, 15th, 18th & 21st, April, at Goredi, Khokhari, Baldoo and Rodu on 9th, 12th, 13th & 26th May and at Sardi and Anaseriya villages of Nagaur district on 29th & 30th June, 2015, respectively. In these training camps, 340 farmers were benefitted. Dr. Kamal Purohit, Assistant Professor organized these trainings.

Training on Hydroponics Technology

Training for 38 livestock owners on hydroponics technology was organized by LFRMTC, Bikaner from 27-28 April, 2015. Vice-Chancellor Prof. A.K. Gahlot inaugurated the training programme and also interacted with the farmers of Taranagar (Churu). Hands on practice about advanced animal nutrition technique and hydroponics technology was arranged by Prof. R.K. Dhuria, PI of the centre.



Farmers Training by VUTRC, Suratgarh

VUTRC, Suratgarh organized six off campus trainings at 5 PSDA- Ghadsana on 17th, April, at 13SD and Silwani on 13th & 26th May and at Padampura, 8 SHPD and Ramgarh on 11th, 22nd & 23rd June, 2015, respectively. Total 186 livestock owners were benefitted. Dr. Ashok Baindha, Assistant Professor organized these trainings.

Farmers Training by VUTRC, Bharatpur

VUTRC, Kumher (Bharatpur) organized ten off campus trainings of one day duration each at Helak, Mehgaya and Ajan on 21st, 23rd & 25th April, at Sami-Deeg, Umra-Deeg, Gangroli-Nadbai and Hernera on 6th, 13th, 15th, & 29th May and at Mandhera, Khohari and Karua villages of Bharatpur district on 17th, 24th & 26th June, 2015, respectively. In these training camps, 356 livestock owners were benefitted. Dr. Subhash Chandra, Assistant Professor organized these trainings.

Farmers Training on Importance of Organic Animal Production

Centre for Organic Animal Product Technology organized one day training camp on "Importance of organic animal production in present scenario" at village Jalvali on 15th June, 2015. Forty-seven farmers attended this training. Dr. Vijay Bishnoi, Dr. Mohan Lal Yadav, Dr. Promod Kumar Singh and Dr. Rajendra Singh Gadwal delivered lectures in this training. Prof. Basant Bais, PI of the centre organized this training.



Farmers Training by VUTRC, Dungarpur

VUTRC, Dungarpur organized four off campus trainings at Jhontri and Sansarpur on 1st & 13th, May and at Asiyavav and Paldeval villages of Dungarpur district on 5th & 20th, June, 2015, respectively. In these training camps, 177 farmers were benefitted. Dr. Sudeep Solanki, Assistant Professor organized these trainings.

Farmers Training by VUTRC, Kota

VUTRC, Kota organized four off campus trainings at Baori Kheda and Rangpur on 8th & 16th, May and at Gawdi and Kevalnagar villages of Kota district on 11th & 23rd, June, 2015 respectively. In these training camps, 127 farmers were benefitted. Dr. Atul Shankar Arora, Assistant Professor organized these trainings.

Farmers Training by VUTRC, Chittorgarh

VUTRC, Bojunda (Chittorgarh) organized three training of one day duration each at Bojunda and Thukrawa on 13th & 23rd May and at Jalampura villages of Chittorgarh district on 25th, June, 2015, respectively. 78 farmers were benefitted from these trainings. Dr. Manish Agrawal, Assistant Professor organized these trainings.

Farmers Training by VUTRC, Tonk

VUTRC, Tonk organized one day training at Deoli Village of Tonk district on 26th, June, 2015. Total 40 livestock owners were benefitted. Dr. Nirmal Kumar Jeph, Assistant Professor organized this training.

Farmers Training by VUTRC, Churu

VUTRC, Churu organized nine off campus trainings of one day duration each at Depalsar, Shyopra, Sahnali Choti, Nakrasar, Satra and Jasrasar on 7th, 9th, 12th, 15th, 27th & 29th May and at Binasar, Balrasar and Dhadhriya villages of Churu district on 10th

, 15th, & 23rd June, 2015, respectively. In these training camps, 323 Livestock were benefitted. Dr. Rajesh Singathia, Assistant Professor organized these trainings.

Farmers Training on Conservation of Animal Bio-Diversity

Centre for Conservation of Animal Biodiversity organized a two days training camp for 24 livestock owners from 27-28 April, 2015. Dr. H.K. Narula, Dr. Rajesh Nehra, Dr. Arun Jhirwal and Dr. Mohan Lal Choudhary gave lectures focusing on conservation of animal biodiversity and its importance in current scenario. Prof. S.C. Goswami, PI of the centre organized this training.

Students Activities

Seminar on Fulbright Nehru and Fulbright Fellowship opportunities to the US

A seminar on Fulbright-Nehru and Fulbright fellowship opportunities to the US and higher education in the US was organized by CVAS, Bikaner for students and faculty on 9th April 2015. Gayatri Singhal, representative of USIEF, New Delhi gave presentations about the Fulbright fellowships available for students and researchers to study in USA. Vice-Chancellor Prof. A.K. Gahlot presided over the function. All faculty members and students of CVAS, Bikaner in a good number, attended the function. Dr. Pratishtha Sharma anchored the function.



Lecture under Career Development Colloquium

University Placement Cell organized lecture on “Career opportunities for veterinarians in private sector” under Career Development Colloquium on 10th June 2015. Dr. E. Bhuvendra Babu, Manager, Mars India (Delhi) delivered lecture on Pet Nutrition and Career opportunities for veterinarians in private sector to final year B.V. Sc & A.H., internees and PG students of CVAS, Bikaner. Prof. B.K. Beniwal, Dean and Chief Placement Officer also addressed the students. Prof. R.K. Dhuria as Placement Officer organized this event.



Exposure Visit of AHDP Students

One-day educational visit of AHDP students to “Frozen Semen Bank, Bassi” was organized by PGI-VER, Jaipur on 13th May, 2015. Students were demonstrated about collection and processing of semen by the experts. Dr. S.S. Verma, In-charge, AHDP and Dr. Mayank Chaturvedi, Teaching Associate, Department of Veterinary Physiology & Biochemistry coordinated this visit.

Educational Visit to Jaipur Dairy

An educational visit for M.V. Sc. students to “Jaipur Dairy” was organised on 4th June, 2015 by PGI-VER, Jaipur under the guidance of Dr. R.K. Berwal, In-charge, Department of Livestock Products Technology. Students visited different units of the dairy plant and were acquainted with its functioning right from collection of milk to sale by Mr. Govind Gupta, Deputy Manager, Jaipur Dairy.

Rally on World Tobacco Prohibition Day

On “World Tobacco Prohibition Day” i.e. 31st May, 2015, NCC cadets of 1 Raj R&V Sqn NCC, Bikaner organized a rally from the campus to collectorate office with cards, banners and posters to spread awareness among people about hazzards associated with tobacco use. Vice-Chancellor Prof. A.K. Gahlot flagged off the rally. Col. Pradeep Punia, Dr. R.N. Kachwaha, Dr.Rajesh Nehra and Dr. Sunita Choudhary were also present on this occasion.



M.V.Sc./Ph.D Awardees

Seventeen students were awarded provisional degree certificates of M.V.Sc. and Ph.D. during 1st April to 30th June 2015 by RAJUVAS. The University congratulates all of them and wishes best for their bright future.

S. No.	Title of Thesis	Name of Department	Name of Advisor	Name of Student
1.	Selection strategies for genetic improvement of Marwari sheep	Animal Breeding and Genetics	Prof. S.B.S. Yadav	Khushbu Kannoja
2.	Phenotypic and genotypic characterization of enterococcus species isolated from poultry and study on antibiotic resistance	Veterinary Microbiology	Dr. B.N. Shringi	Kanchan Jangir
3.	Production performance of Kankarej cows in arid zone of Rajasthan	Livestock Production and Management	Dr. Basant Bais	Minali Jain
4.	Gross and radiological imaging of stifle joint of camel (<i>Camelus dromedaries</i>)	Veterinary Surgery & Radiology	Dr. T.K. Gahlot	Amit Sangwan
5.	Clinical and ultra-sonographical examination of diverse ophthalmic affections in canines (<i>Canis lupus familiaris</i>)	Veterinary Surgery & Radiology	Dr. T.K. Gahlot	Niraj Pal Singh
6.	A video-otoscopic study of canine ear (<i>Canis lupus familiaris</i>)	Veterinary Surgery & Radiology	Dr. T.K. Gahlot	Ajay Singh
7.	Clinico-biochemical and oxidative stress studies in ketotic cows	Veterinary Clinical Medicine, Ethics & Jurisprudence	Dr. D.K. Bihani	Jagtap Hanumant Vasantao
8.	Survey of some infectious diseases of buffaloes	Veterinary Epidemiology & Preventive Medicine	Dr. R.K. Tanwar	Virendra Kumar
9.	Occurrence and pathology of various conditions of urinary system in camel (<i>Camelus dromedaries</i>)	Veterinary Pathology	Dr. Hemant Dadhich	Karmveer Saini
10.	Occurrence and pathology of various conditions of upper gastro intestinal tract in camel (<i>Camelus dromedaries</i>)	Veterinary Pathology	Dr. Indu Vyas	Mahendra Kumar
11.	Effect of shatavari (<i>Asparagus racemosus</i>) supplementation on production performance of Kankrej cows	Livestock Production and Management	Dr. Vijay Kumar	Manjeet Soni
12.	Identification and molecular characterization of heat shock protein gene of <i>hyalomma anatolicum</i> tick of cattle and <i>hyalomma dromedarii</i> tick of camel	Veterinary Parasitology	Dr. G.S. Manohar	Nitin Kumar
13.	Effect of feeding gram straw based complete ration in diverse physical forms to goats	Animal Nutrition	Dr. Vishnu Sharma	Anita
14.	Effect of mineral mixture supplementation on performance of Gir calves	Animal Nutrition	Dr. Sheela Choudhary	Poonam Yadav
15.	Imaging diagnosis using ultrasonography and computed radiography for diverse abdominal disorders in canines	Veterinary Surgery & Radiology	Dr. T.K. Gahlot	Kapil Kachwaha (Ph.D.)
16.	Studies on minerals, biomarkers of oxidative stress and energy status during transition period in dairy cows	Veterinary Clinical Medicine, Ethics & Jurisprudence	Dr. A. P. Singh	Subhash Chandra Kachhawaha (Ph.D.)
17.	Effect of ascorbic acid vis-a-vis herbal vitamin-C on performance of broilers	Livestock Production and Management	Dr. R.S. Choudhary	Rupendra Kumawat

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