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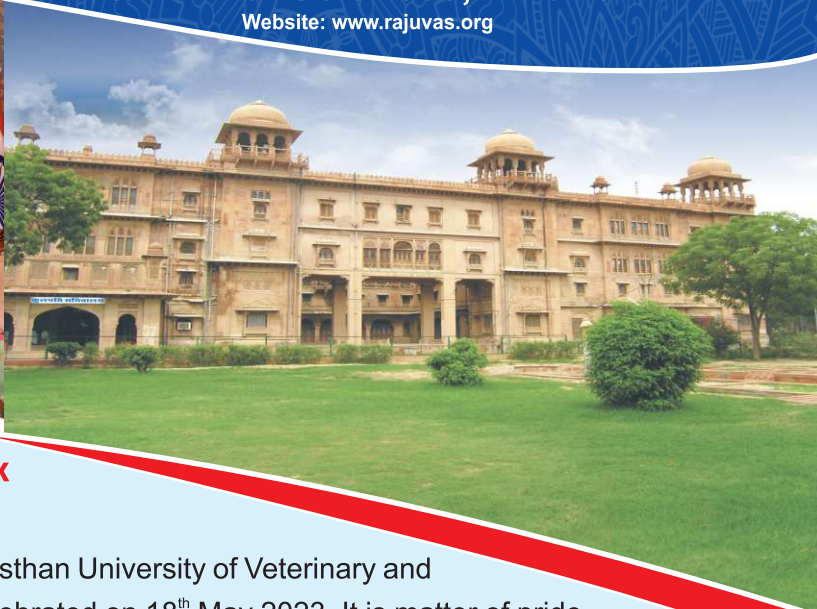
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## From Vice-Chancellor's Desk

Dear Readers,



14<sup>th</sup> foundation day of Rajasthan University of Veterinary and Animal Sciences, Bikaner was celebrated on 18<sup>th</sup> May 2023. It is matter of pride that, RAJUVAS has made remarkable progress in teaching, research and extension within a short span. Growth and development of any organization is possible only with the mutual cooperation and coordination of its all unit. Along with structural developments, we have to ensure intellectual and social development of students and faculty members. We have to move forward understanding the values of dedicated sacrifice, hard work and time. I strongly believe

that dreaming during day time while awake and believing in your strength and capability is the first step to success. Progress and achievements of any university can be judged from better performance of its alumni. University should endeavour for continuous improvement in quality of educational ecosystem and all-round development and growth of students. The academic excellence and achievements of students and faculty members are core indices for reputation of any university. We should endeavour holistic approach for encouraging our student to be mindful of the global challenges and need for professional skills and competencies to be a successful professional and entrepreneur. National Education Policy-2020 warrants change and improvement in our approach with focus on outcome based learning to make individuals innovators, entrepreneurs and job providers. For this, innovative pedagogical modules with focus on holistic development of students to foster and ensure cognitive, emotional, and societal connect and growth. Vocational education contributes to Nation's human capital wealth. With focus on teaching in regional and local languages, a multi-category curriculum alignment, ICT labs, and offline digital learning content are required. With the adaptability of various technologies, e-platforms and operating systems, socio-economic and physical barriers to learning and teaching have been eliminate. These tools and on-line modules are very valuable for career advancement and personal growth. These equip the teachers and students with various skills and developing mindset required for facing the current and emerging challenges, and needs to stay relevant and in demand in the rapidly evolving job market.

  
**(Satish K. Garg)**  
Vice-Chancellor



## Academic Activities

### Courtesy Meeting with Hon'ble Governor

Vice-Chancellor Prof. Satish K. Garg makes a courtesy meeting with Hon'ble Governor and Chancellor of Rajasthan Mr. Kalraj Mishra on 4<sup>th</sup> May 2023. Vice-Chancellor Prof. Garg apprise the Hon'ble Governor about the training programmes being organized by the university for the benefit of animal husbandry, technology transfer, innovative research as well as educational progress, financial strengthening and future work plans of the university. Hon'ble Governor and Chancellor Sh. Kalraj Mishra expressed happiness over the expected progress of the university. OSD Mr. Govind Jaiswal was also present on this occasion.



### Kisan Sammelan on Gobar Gaumutra Processing

A Kisan Sammelan was organized in view of the possibility of making organic pesticides, vermin-composting and organic fertilizers from cow dung and urine and its marketing on 12<sup>th</sup> April, 2023 under the joint aegis of RAJUVAS, Bikaner and Rajasthan Gau Sewa Parishad, Bikaner. Addressing the Kisan Sammelan Chief Guest Sh. Neeraj K. Pawan, Divisional Commissioner, Bikaner said that cow dung and cow urine should also be made the basis of economic progress along with cow's milk. The cow dung and cow urine should not be considered as waste and may use it as fertilizers and pesticides through processing. On this occasion, Prof. Satish K. Garg, Vice-Chancellor, RAJUVAS, Bikaner, Prof. A.K. Gahlot, Founder Vice-Chancellor RAJUVAS, Swami Vimershanand Ji Maharaj, Dr. Lal Singh, Sh. Hem Sharma and Sh. Gajendra Sankhala motivated and inspired the farmers regarding use of organic manure by emphasizing on conservation and promotion of indigenous cattle. 800 livestock owners of Bikaner district participated in the seminar. Prof. R.K. Dhuria was the Nodal Officer of the programme.



### Rajasthan Kisan Mahotsav, Jaipur

The three-day Rajasthan Kisan Mahotsav was organized by the State Government from 16-18, June 2023 at the Exhibition and Convention Centre, Sitapura, Jaipur. Sh. Ashok Gahlot, Hon'ble Chief Minister, Rajasthan was the Chief Guest of Kisan Mahotsav. The programme was presided over by Sh. Lalchand Kataria, Hon'ble Minister for Agriculture, Animal Husbandry and Fisheries Department, GoR and other ministers and dignitaries were also present during programme. On this occasion, 175 crores rupees were transferred to the accounts of more than 41,000 livestock owners, whose milch animals were died due to lumpy skin disease. Prof. Satish K. Garg, Vice-Chancellor, RAJUVAS, Bikaner also participated in the programme. Dr. R.K. Dhuria, Director Extension Education, RAJUVAS, Bikaner informed in detail about the different activities being conducted by the University for the benefit of animal owners in the conference organized during the programme.



### University Exhibition

A University level exhibition was also organized in Rajasthan Kisan Mahotsav from 16-18 June, 2023. Sh. Lalchand Kataria Hon'ble Minister for Agriculture, Animal Husbandry and Fisheries, Rajasthan, Mr. Krishna Kunal, Former Secretary, Department of Animal Husbandry, Rajasthan visited exhibition. Dr. Arun Kumar Jhirwal and Dr. Ashok Baidya were the coordinator of the exhibition. Thousands of farmers and livestock owners visited this exhibition.



### Jajam Chaupal

A Jajam Chaupal on Animal Husbandry was organized in the three-day Rajasthan Kisan Mahotsav by the DEE. Prof. R.K. Dhuria, Director Extension Education, Prof. Sheela Chaudhary, Dean, PGIVER, Jaipur, Prof. D.S. Meena, Dean, CDFT, Bassi, Jaipur Dr. Samita Saini, Dr. C.S. Saraswat, Dr. Prakash Sharma, Dr. Vikas Galav, Dr. Nawab Singh and Dr. Umesh Surodkar deliberated on various topics of animal husbandry and solved the problems of livestock owners and farmers.



### Kisan Mahotsav, Udaipur

RAJUVAS organized an exhibition and Jajam Chaupal in the two-day divisional level Kisan Mahotsav from 26-27 June, 2023 in Udaipur. In this exhibition, scientific and modern techniques of veterinary and animal husbandry were displayed. Various literatures related to animal husbandry were distributed to livestock owners and farmers. Dr. B.S. Saini was the coordinator of exhibition. Prof. R.K. Nagda, Prof. S.K. Sharma, Dr. Mitesh Gaur, Dr. Monika Joshi, Dr. M.C. Sharma, Dr. Deepak Sharma, and Dr. Mahendra Meel delivered talk on various topics to the livestock owners and farmers.





## 14<sup>th</sup> Foundation Day of RAJUVAS

### CVAS, Bikaner

14<sup>th</sup> Foundation Day of RAJUVAS was celebrated on 18<sup>th</sup> May, 2023. Prof. Satish Kumar Garg, Vice-Chancellor, RAJUVAS, Bikaner during his presidential address briefed about the progress made by university during last year's. Prof. Arun Kumar, Vice-Chancellor, SKRAU, Bikaner was Chief Guest. Special guest of the function Dr. Suresh Kumar Mittal, Professor, Purdue University, USA gave a presentation on the Importance of veterinary profession, contribution to the society and future prospects. Former and Founder Vice-Chancellor of RAJUVAS Prof. A.K. Gahlot congratulated everyone on the Foundation Day and said that the progress of any university can be identified by the better performance of its students. Dean Prof. A.P. Singh delivered the welcome address. DSW Prof. Praveen Bishnoi announced the winning teams of sports, cultural and academic competitions during Spocal-23, who were awarded trophies and certificates.

### CVAS, Navania (Udaipur)

The 14<sup>th</sup> Foundation Day of RAJUVAS, Bikaner was celebrated with enthusiasm on 18<sup>th</sup> May 2023 at CVAS, Navania. On this occasion a blood donation camp was organized. Prof. Rajeev Kumar Joshi, Dean, CVAS, Navania explained in detail about the importance of blood donation to the Staff and Students. Dr. Mitesh Gaur, ADSW, Dr. Sunil Arora, Dr. Mitha Lal Gurjar and Dr. Govardhan Singh had special cooperation in organizing the programme.

### PGIVER, Jaipur

Different programmes were organized at PGIVER on the occasion of 14<sup>th</sup> Foundation Day of RAJUVAS on 18<sup>th</sup> May, 2023. Prof. Sheela Choudhary best wishes to everyone and said that it is necessary for teachers and students to work together for the progress of any educational institution. On this occasion, the students and faculty members planted saplings in the premises of girls' hostel of the institute. Water pots for birds were also tied in different parts of the campus. The programme was organized under the supervision of Dr. Ashok Baidha and Dr. Surendra Singh Shekhawat.



## Awareness Campaign on Disposal of Biomedical Waste

An awareness programme on disposal of biomedical waste was organized by Animal Biomedical Waste Disposal and Technology Centre at Government Girls Higher Secondary School Sursagar, Bikaner on 6<sup>th</sup> May 2023. Dr. Deepika Dhuria Principal Investigator of Centre informed the students about the One Health and gave information about infectious diseases spreading from animals to humans. Dr. Manohar Sain told about the principle and methods for proper disposal and management of biomedical waste. Dr. Devendra Choudhary and school teacher Ramrakh Bana were present during the programme.



## PG and Ph.D Admission Counselling

Students counselling process for admission in PG and PhD for the academic session 2022-23 in all the three constituent colleges of RAJUVAS was conducted on 5<sup>th</sup> April, 2023. Chairman Admission Board and Dean PGS Prof. A.P. Singh informed that counselling was conducted for admission of 115 PG and 54 Ph.D seats.



## MoU with Homeopathy University, Jaipur

A Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) was signed between RAJUVAS, Bikaner and Homeopathy University, Jaipur on 7<sup>th</sup> June 2023. Vice-Chancellor Prof. Satish K. Garg and Vice-Chancellor of Homeopathy University, Prof. A.N. Mathur signed the MoU and transferred documents to each other. Vice-Chancellor Prof. Satish K. Garg said that purpose of this MoU is to explore the usefulness, prevalence and new possibilities of research of homeopathy in the veterinary field. Director, HRD Prof. B.N. Shringi coordinated the programme.





### Blood Donation Camp

#### CVAS, Bikaner

Cadets of NCC unit of CVAS, Bikaner participated in blood donation camp organized by Sumanglam Jankalyan Trust, Bikaner on 21<sup>st</sup> April, 2023. Lt. Col. Pushpendra Singh Kshatriya CO 1 Raj R&V Sqn, Bikaner and Sunita Choudhary, NCC Associate Offices was present.



#### PGIVER, Jaipur

A Blood Donation Camp was organized in collaboration with Blood Bank, SMS Hospital on 14<sup>th</sup> June, 2023 at PGIVER, Jaipur on the occasion of World Blood Donor Day. Prof. Dharm Singh Meena inaugurated the camp. A total of 43 faculty members and students donated the blood. This camp was organized by Dr. Sandeep Kumar Sharma, In-charge and Programme Officer, NSS in collaboration with Dr. Satyaveer Singh, In-charge, Sports and Games and Dr. Pradeep Kumar, In-charge, NCC.



### Blood Test Camp at PGIVER, Jaipur

In the series of programmes being organized under Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav, a Blood Test Camp was organized in collaboration with Dr. Lal Pathlabs at PGIVER on 27<sup>th</sup> May, 2023. A total of 85 faculty members, students and non-teaching staffs, got their blood tests during the camp. This camp was organized by Dr. Y.P. Singh, ADSW and Dr. Sandeep Kumar Sharma, In-charge and Programme Officer, NSS under the supervision of Prof. Sheela Choudhary, Dean, PGIVER.



## Administrative Meetings

### 30<sup>th</sup> Meeting of Board of Management

30<sup>th</sup> meeting of Board of Management RAJUVAS was conducted under chairmanship of Vice-Chancellor Prof. Satish K. Garg on 18<sup>th</sup> May 2023. In the meeting, it was approved to implement the old pension scheme for university teachers and employees as per the instructions of the state government. Approval was also given to the proposal for establishment of Directorate of Para-Veterinary Education. Subject-wise division of sanctioned academic posts for five Pashu Vigyan Kendra was also approved in the meeting. Smt Bindu Khatri, Registrar presented the agenda in the meeting. Hon'ble member of the BOM Prof. A.K. Gahlot, Mr. Premsoh Bishnoi, Dr. Amit Nain, Prof. J.B Phogat, Mr. Ashok Modi, Mrs. Krishna Solanki, Mr. Purkharam, Prof. A.P. Singh, Prof. R.K. Dhuria, Mr. B.L. Sarva and representatives Dr. S.N. Purohit, Dr. Virendra Netra, Dr. Geeta Beniwal attended meeting.



### Meeting for Academic Excellence

An interaction meeting was conducted on hybrid mode for discussion on different educational issues under the chairmanship of Vice-Chancellor Prof. Satish K. Garg on 21<sup>st</sup> April 2023. During the meeting Vice-Chancellor Prof. Garg said that academic improvement and excellence in the university is our main objective. For this, all the physical facilities in the college will be expanded on priority. During the meeting, Dean Prof. A.P. Singh, Dean PGIVER Prof. Sheela Choudhary, Dean CVAS Navania Prof. R.K. Nagda, Controller of Examinations Prof. Urmila Pannu, Director HRD Prof. BN Shringi, Director PME Prof. Basant Bais and teachers were present.



### Interaction Meeting with Students

An interaction meeting was conducted with students and teachers for discussion on different educational issues under the Chairmanship of Vice-Chancellor Prof. Satish K. Garg on 13<sup>th</sup> April 2023. During the meeting Vice-Chancellor Prof. Garg talked about class attendance of students, completion of courses according to academic session, timely evaluation of answer books and hostel and sports facilities available to students. The Vice-Chancellor gave many important suggestions and guidelines for educational reform and ensuring availability of facilities for the students. Dean Prof. A.P. Singh, DSW Prof. Praveen Bishnoi, teachers and students were present.





### Meeting of Affiliated Veterinary Colleges Officials

A review meeting for academic quality improvement was organized under Chairmanship of Vice-Chancellor Prof. Satish K. Garg on 14<sup>th</sup> June 2023 with all Deans and Principal of the constituent and affiliated Veterinary Colleges under RAJUVAS. Vice-Chancellor Prof. Garg said that affiliated colleges are an important part of the university. All colleges should make efforts for continuous improvement for quality educational environment and all-round development of students. Along with this, a detailed discussion was held on affiliation fee, counselling enrolment details of students, all-round development of students, professional ethics and other administrative issues. In the meeting, all Deans-Directors of constitute and affiliated college were present.



### Review Meeting for CM Budget Announcements

A review meeting was organized under the Chairmanship of Vice-Chancellor Prof. Satish K. Garg for smooth implementation of different budget announcements of Chief Minister for Rajasthan on 26<sup>th</sup> May 2023. Vice-Chancellor Prof. Garg said state government has announced to open one new veterinary college each at Sirohi, Bassi (Jaipur), Lalsot (Dausa) and Sikar district. Prior to this, in the year 2022-23 and 2021-22, approval was also given to open new veterinary colleges in Bharatpur, Kotputli and Malsisar (Jhunjhunu) and Nawa (Nagaur) under the RAJUVAS. Approval of teaching and non-teaching posts has been issued by the state government for these colleges. Similarly, administrative and financial approval has been given by the state government for the implementation of new PVK in Jojawar (Pali). Three Embryo Transfer Technology laboratories were approved by the State Government. Vice-Chancellor gave necessary guidelines to all the concerned officials and Estate Officer of the University to start and complete these announcements of the State Government on time.



### Review Meeting of LRS

Vice-Chancellor Prof. Satish K. Garg reviewed the action plan and progress of LRS working under the Directorate of Research of RAJUVAS on 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2023. Officers' In-charge of LRS Bikaner, Kodamdesar, Beechwal, Chandan, Nohar, Vallabh Nagar, Bojunda, Dag and Sarmathura (Dholpur) presented the progress reports of the research centres. Director Research Prof. Hemant Dadhich presented the overall progress of the research undertaken under Directorate of Research.



### SAC Meeting of KVK, Hanumangarh-II

The 10<sup>th</sup> Scientific Advisory Committee Meeting of Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Hanumangarh-II (Nohar) was organized on 28<sup>th</sup> June, 2023 at KVK. Prof. Satish K. Garg, Vice-Chancellor RAJUVAS, Bikaner attended the meeting through online mode and said that Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Nohar has contributed significantly in the development of the farmers of the region. Prof. Garg also said that farmers can increase their income by adopting scientific techniques and skills. Prof. R.K. Dhuria Director Extension Education, RAJUVAS, Bikaner and Dr. P.P. Rohilla Principal Scientist, ATARI, Jodhpur shared their suggestions related to impact assessment study, need based training and income generation activities in the meeting. On this occasion, Dr. Suresh Chand Kantwa, Senior Scientist & Head, KVK, Nohar and other SMS presented the achievements of the previous year and the upcoming action plan of KVK.



## Vice-Chancellors Visits

### PGIVER, Jaipur

Prof. Satish K. Garg, Vice-Chancellor, RAJUVAS, Bikaner visited PGIVER, Jaipur on 17<sup>th</sup> May, 2023 and observed different activities of the institute. During his visit to VCC, he directed the In-charge to ensure presentation and discussion of at least two clinical cases by the students in each department every day. He also inspected the boys' hostel and staff quarters and instructed to allot them at the earliest so that they could be put to proper use. During the visit, Prof. Sheela Choudhary, Dean, PGIVER informed about all activities and facilities at campus.



## Dignitaries' Visits

### Director, CIRG Dr. Manish Kumar Chetli

Director, CIRG, Makhdoom Dr. Manish Kumar Chetli inspected Sirohi Goat Breed Improvement Project (AICRP, ICAR) operated at Livestock Research Centre Vallabh Nagar. He took information about registered goat breeders and registered goats through the project. Prof. R.K. Nagda PI-AICRP apprised about the different activities of project. Dr. Chetli examined the data collected from the field and the computerized data thoroughly and inspected the goats available at the centre and appreciated the efforts of project work for goat herders.





## Celebrations

### Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar Jayanti

#### PGIVER, Jaipur

On the occasion of Ambedkar Jayanti all paid tribute to Dr. B.R. Ambedkar by garlanding his photo and with flowers at PGIVER, Jaipur on 14<sup>th</sup> April, 2023. Prof. Satish K. Garg, Vice-Chancellor, RAJUVAS, Bikaner was the Chief Guest. Vice-Chancellor Prof. Garg congratulated everyone on Ambedkar Jayanti and paid tribute to Baba Saheb. He believed that Baba Saheb was the well-wisher of the entire society and all castes. The coming generations will remember him for the work he has done for the upliftment of the society. On this occasion, the students presented poems and speeches based on the life of Baba Saheb. A speech competition on Life philosophy of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar was also organized for the students. Dr. Sheela Choudhary Dean also expressed her views on this occasion. Dr. Y.P. Singh, ADSW proposed vote of thanks and Dr. Monika Karnani conducted the stage.



#### CVAS, Bikaner

132<sup>nd</sup> birth anniversary of Bharat Ratna Dr. B.R. Ambedkar was celebrated at RAJUVAS, Bikaner on 14<sup>th</sup> April, 2023. Dean Prof. A.P. Singh, Director HRD Prof. BN Shringi, DSW Prof. Praveen Bishnoi, Dr. S.K. Jhirwal expressed his view on Babasaheb life and their contributions. Dipesh Dabi and Rati Jalthuria also expressed their views among the students. Dr. Neeraj Kumar Sharma conducted the event.

#### CVAS, Navania (Udaipur)

Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar Jayanti was celebrated in CVAS, Navania on 14<sup>th</sup> April 2023. The ceremony was celebrated with great enthusiasm. Dr. Rajeev Kumar Joshi, Dean CVAS, Navania garlanded the photo of Dr. Bhimrao Ambedkar. Prof. Dr. Balwant Meshram briefed about life history and contribution of Dr. Ambedkar. Students and faculty were also present.

### Foundation Day of CVAS, Navania (Udaipur)

17<sup>th</sup> Foundation Day of CVAS, Navania was celebrated with great enthusiasm. Different programme were organized on the occasion of foundation day on 15<sup>th</sup> April 2023. Former and founder Vice-Chancellor Prof. A.K. Gahlot presided over the function and Prof. Rajesh Katoch, DSW, Sher-e-Kashmir University, Jammu, attended the programme as a special guest. On this occasion, rangoli, poster and clay modelling competitions were organized for the students. Prof. Rajeev Kumar Joshi, Dean, CVAS, Navania said that the students of the college have brought laurels by performing excellently at the university level.



### World Red Cross Day

World Red Cross Day was celebrated under the joint aegis of RAJUVAS and Indian Red Cross Society, Bikaner on 8<sup>th</sup> May 2023. The chief guest of the programme Sh. K.L. Meena, Commissioner Municipal Corporation, Bikaner explained the importance of contribution of sanitation workers in the society. Deputy Commissioner of Municipal Corporation Sh. Rajendra Kumar also addressed the meeting. During the programme, more than 100 sanitation workers of Bikaner city were honoured with hygiene kits. Secretary Indian Red Cross Society, Bikaner Vijay Khatri described cleanliness as a divine work. Acting Dean, CVAS, Bikaner Prof. Hemant Dadhich thanked all the guests. Assistant Professor.



### International Biodiversity Day

Animal Biodiversity Conservation Centre, Bikaner organized different programmes on International Biodiversity Day at village Garhwala and CVAS, Bikaner on 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2023. Dr. Mohan Lal Choudhary, Incharge of Centre emphasized about the importance, utility and protection of animal biodiversity. A booklet on An Introduction to Biodiversity was distributed to the farmers. On this occasion, to save the birds from the scorching heat, drinking water bowls were distributed to the farmers and drinking water bowls for birds were also installed at different places in the Veterinary College, Bikaner campus. Dr. Arun Kumar Jhirwal, Dr. Narsi Ram Gurjar, Dr. Bhanu and Dr. Mrinalini Saran cooperated in organizing the programme.





### World Veterinary Day

#### CVAS, Bikaner

World Veterinary Day 2023 was celebrated with enthusiasm in collaboration with Indian Red Cross Society, Bikaner on 29<sup>th</sup> April 2023. Essay writing, drawing and quiz competitions were conducted for students. Lecture on one health was presented by Dr. Tanveer Malawat, Vice-President, Indian Red Cross Society. Chief Guest of the function was Prof. R.K. Tanwar, Retd. Director Clinics, RAJUVAS, Bikaner who presented a lecture on the theme of WVD 2023. Special guest was Dr. Gopesh Nag, Commandant, BSF, Jodhpur Sector who presented lecture on diversified opportunities for vets. Dean Prof. A.P. Singh presented vote of thanks. Large number of students and faculty members attended this function.

#### CVAS, Navania (Udaipur)

The World Veterinary Day was celebrated at CVAS, Navania on 29<sup>th</sup> April 2023. Dr. Surya Prakash Trivedi, Additional Director, Department of Animal Husbandry, Udaipur acted as Chief Guest, Mrs. Jyotsna Salvi as special guest and Prof. Rajeev Kumar Joshi, Dean, CVAS, Navania, presided over the function. Various competitions were organized in the college on this occasion. Prof. Balwant Meshram thanked all the guests and organizers.

#### PGIVER, Jaipur

On the occasion of World Veterinary Day i.e. 29<sup>th</sup> April, 2023, a free rabies vaccination and medical camp was organized at PGIVER, Jaipur. Dr. Shailesh Sharma, Former Director, Department of Animal Husbandry, GoR and Prof. Sheela Choudhary, Dean, PGIVER inaugurated the camp. Chief Guest Dr. Shailesh Sharma in his address threw light on the future challenges in the life of the students and told that it is necessary for the students to have complete knowledge of veterinary education. Dr. C.S. Saraswat and Dr. Surendra Singh Shekhawat delivered technical lectures on the theme of World Veterinarian Day and One Health, respectively. A technical lecture was also given by the representative of Virbac Company on the occasion. Dr. Y.P. Singh, ADSW proposed vote of thanks and Dr. Monika Karnani conducted the stage.



### World Milk Day

#### CVAS, Bikaner and CDST, Bikaner

Different programme was organized on the occasion of 'World Milk Day' at CVAS, Bikaner and CDST, Bikaner on 1<sup>st</sup> June 2023. Presiding over the programme, Vice-Chancellor Prof. Satish K. Garg said that today the state of Rajasthan ranks first in the country in terms of milk production. The milk production of indigenous cows is very good in the state even in adverse conditions; we have to further promote the conservation and upgradation of these indigenous cows. For the economic upliftment of cattle owner's skill development regarding value addition of milk and milk products is need of the day. The Chief Guest Mr. Ashok Modi, Managing Director of Lotus Dairy interacted with the students and teachers about the current status of milk business in the state and Bikaner district. Dean, CDST, Bikaner Prof. Hemant Dadhich said in his welcome speech told about the purpose of celebrating milk day and importance of milk and milk business. Dean, CVAS, Bikaner Prof. A.P. Singh presented vote of thanks. The winners of different competitions organized on the occasion of World Milk Day were also honoured on the occasion.

#### CVAS, Navania (Udaipur)

On the occasion of World Milk Day on 1<sup>st</sup> June 2023 various programme were organized at CVAS, Navania, Udaipur. Dean, Prof. Rajeev Kumar Joshi expressed his views about the immense possibilities in the field of milk and milk products in Rajasthan, as well as highlighted the importance of organic milk production. Dr. Dinesh Chavan, Dr. Mamta Kumari and Dr. Mahendra Singh Meel informed the students and staff about the innovations in the field of milk production and storage. Dr. Mitesh Gaur, ADSW proposed the vote of thanks.

#### PGIVER, Jaipur

Pashupalak gosthi and health check-up camp was organized in adopted village Kanarwas by PGIVER, Jaipur on World Milk Day i.e. 1<sup>st</sup> June, 2023. Prof. Sheela Choudhary, Dean, PGIVER enlightened about the importance of milk and dairy sector. She said that many diseases like blood pressure, diabetes, constipation, obesity etc. can be kept under control by the consumption of milk. Dr. Savita Arya, Medical Officer, also expressed her views on the consumption of milk and said that it is a complete diet which is rich in calcium and other nutrients.





### World Environment Day

#### CVAS, Bikaner

NSS unit of CVAS, Bikaner and CDST, Bikaner organised an awareness rally on the occasion of World Environment Day, 5<sup>th</sup> June, 2023. On this occasion Prof. Satish K. Garg Vice-Chancellor, RAJUVAS, Bikaner addressed the NSS volunteers and told that conservation of environment is our first duty and to conserve the environment it is essential to protect flora and fauna. Today's conserved environment will be lifeline and boon for future generation. All the Dean-Directors, faculty members and students were present on this occasion. Dr. Neeraj Kumar Sharma made all necessary arrangements for this programme.

#### CVAS, Navania (Udaipur)

On the occasion of World Environment Day different programmes were organized at CVAS, Navania, Udaipur on 5<sup>th</sup> June 2023. Prof. Rajeev Kumar Joshi, Dean, started the programme by planting a sapling and urged all the students for minimum use single use plastic and understands their responsibility in saving the environment. Slogan writing competition on the theme of beat plastic pollution conducted under the supervision of Dr. Abhishek Gaurav. Programme was organized by Dr. Goverdhan Singh and Dr. Abhishek Gaurav.

#### PGIVER, Jaipur

On World Environment Day people were made aware of the pollution spreading in the environment through a street play by the students of PGIVER, Jaipur. They effectively presented the damage caused to the environment by various activities of the people in the changing times and the measures to deal with it. Prof. Sheela Choudhary, Dean, PGIVER said that this year's theme of WED is 'Beat Plastic Pollution' which aims to make nature plastic free and save the environment. Protection of nature and protection of environment is necessary for a happy and healthy life. Environment protection oath was also taken by the students, faculty members and non-teaching staffs.



### International Yoga Day

#### CVAS, Bikaner

9<sup>th</sup> International Yoga Day was celebrated on 21<sup>st</sup> June, 2023 in University campus, Bikaner. On this occasion Prof. Satish K. Garg, Vice-Chancellor, RAJUVAS, Bikaner emphasized that yoga and meditation are our traditional means of healthy lifestyle. In this time of very fast and busy life that leads to stress and may cause many health problems like high blood pressure, diabetes, hypertension etc. Vice-Chancellor also told that through yoga and meditation, we can free from these lifestyle diseases to make healthy Bharat. Yoga teacher Suresh Gupta conducted the whole session of yoga. Prof. Hemant Dadhich, Acting Dean, CVAS, Bikaner gave vote of thank. All the Dean-Directors, faculty members, NSS and NCC volunteers and students actively participated in this programme.

#### CVAS, Navania (Udaipur)

9<sup>th</sup> International Yoga Day was organized on the theme Yoga for Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam at CVAS, Navania, Udaipur on 21<sup>st</sup> June, 2023. Prof. Rajeev Kumar Joshi, Dean, CVAS, Navania said that there are innumerable benefits of doing yoga daily which positively affects a person physically and mentally. Mr. Mukesh Kumar Kalal, Officer of Rajasthan Administrative Service explained in detail about meditation and informed the present students about heartfulness, a special method of meditation. Mr. Arun Yadav, Manager, SBI, Vallabh Nagar and Mr. Jagdish Menaria were also present on the stage as volunteers of Heartfulness organization.

#### PGIVER, Jaipur

International Day of Yoga was celebrated in the institute on 21<sup>st</sup> June, 2023. On this occasion, a yoga practice camp was organized in which all teaching and non-teaching staffs and students of the institute practiced different yoga and pranayam under the guidance of Mr. V.P. Shukla, Yogacharya of Patanjali Yogpeeth. Prof. Sheela Choudhary, Dean, PGIVER said that this year the theme of Yoga Day has been kept as One World-One Health on the principle of "Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam" which means the earth is a family and this year's theme aims at the usefulness of yoga for the health of all people on earth.



### World Blood Donor Day

World Blood Donor Day was organized at CVAS, Navania on 14<sup>th</sup> June 2023. The Acting Dean Prof. Dr. Shiv Kumar Sharma addressed the students and faculty members and highlighted the importance of blood donation and gave detailed information on measures to prevent genetic disorders of blood. Dr. Mitesh Gaur, ADSW, Dr. Tarunpreet and Dr. Sunil Arora coordinated a quiz for the students.





## What's New

### Inauguration of Farmers' Hostel at KVK, Nohar

The newly constructed building of Farmers' Hostel at KVK, Nohar (Hanumangarh-II) was inaugurated on 26<sup>th</sup> April, 2023 by Sh. Rahul Kashan, MP, Churu, Prof. Satish K. Garg, Vice-Chancellor, RAJUVAS, Bikaner, Dr J.P. Mishra, Director, ICAR-ATARI, Jodhpur and Prof. R.K. Dhuria, Director Extension Education, RAJUVAS, Bikaner. On this occasion, folders on backyard poultry farming, zero budget natural farming advanced farming of kachari prepared by scientists of KVK, Nohar were also released. An exhibition was also organized by the progressive farmers of the area and seeds were distributed to the animal owners for fodder production.



### Inauguration of Girls Hostel at PGIVER, Jaipur

Prof. Satish K. Garg, Vice-Chancellor, RAJUVAS, Bikaner inaugurated the newly constructed second and third floors of the Girls Hostel at PGIVER, Jaipur on 14<sup>th</sup> April, 2023. On this occasion, Mrs. Manju Garg, the first lady of RAJUVAS, Dean Prof. Sheela Choudhary, Chief Hostel Warden Dr. Samita Saini, Warden Dr. Manju, officers, employees and students were present.



### Inauguration of Building of PVK, Jalore

Hon'ble Minister of Agriculture, Animal Husbandry Sh. Lalchand Kataria inaugurated the newly constructed building of Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Ramsin (Jalore) on online mode on 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2023. On this occasion Sh. Lalchand Kataria said that Rajasthan is a livestock-dominated state, animal husbandry is the main basis of economic self-reliance of farmers in adverse climatic conditions. He requested to take advantage of different schemes of the state. Vice-Chancellor Prof. Satish K. Garg gave information about the extension activities of the university, different training programmes, veterinary services, toll free helpline service, cow dung processing etc. Prof. Garg said that 17 PVK are being operated under the RAJUVAS. Director Extension Education Prof. R.K. Dhuria conducted the entire programme and thanked everyone at the end of the programme. During the inauguration programme, Registrar Bindu Khatri, Comptroller B.L. Sarva and the Dean-Directors of the University were present. Officer in-charge of PVK Jalore Dr. Rajesh Singathia and a large number of livestock owners were present during the programme.



### Inaugurations of PG Hostel, Solar Plant, Central Laboratory and Gymnasium at CVAS, Navania

Prof. Satish Kumar Garg, Vice-Chancellor, RAJUVAS, Bikaner and Smt. Preeti Gajendra Singh Shaktawat, MLA, Vallabh Nagar inaugurated the PG Hostel, Solar Plant, Central Laboratory and Gym at CVAS, Navania, Udaipur on 17<sup>th</sup> April 2023. The special guest of the programme was Dr. Rajesh Katoch, DSW, Sher-e-Kashmir University of Veterinary and Animal Sciences, Jammu.



## New Assignments

- ❖ Dean and Faculty Chairman Prof. A.P Singh assigned additional charge of Director Works, RAJUVAS, Bikaner on 29<sup>th</sup> May 2023.
- ❖ Director Extension Education Prof. R.K. Dhuria assigned additional charge of Dean Post Graduate Studies of RAJUVAS, Bikaner on 29<sup>th</sup> May 2023.





## Capacity Building and Skill Development

### Seminar on Millet at KVK, Nohar

A seminar on Millet was organized on 26<sup>th</sup> April, 2023 at Krishi Vigyan Kendra Nohar (Hanumangarh-II). Four lectures were delivered by experts Dr. Rajesh Shivran, Senior Scientist and Head, KVK, Chandkothei, Churu, Dr Anoop Kumar, Senior Scientist and Head, KVK, Sangria, Dr Balveer Khatri, retired Deputy Director Agriculture, Hanumangarh and Dr Kanchan Shilla, SMS, Home science, KVK, Nohar. Total 150 farmers participated in the programme.

### Training of Pashu Mitra

Training Programme of Pashu Mitra was conducted under the joint aegis of Department of Animal Husbandry Udaipur on 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2023. Total 30 farmers from Rajsamand, Chittor and Banswara participated in two days training at CVAS, Navania, Udaipur. They also visited Gir, Surti Buffalo, Goat, Sheep farm at LRS.

### Exposure Visits of Farmers at CVAS, Navania

One day training cum exposure visits of farmers sponsored by ICICI foundation organized at CVAS, Navania, Udaipur. A total of 35 livestock farmers from villages of Salumber located in tribal area of Udaipur district visited the Azola Unit, Biogas Unit, Gir Cattle, Surti Buffalo, Sonadi Sheep, Sirohi Goat, Poultry Units, LRS and VCC of CVAS, Navania. The visit was supervised and organized by Dr. Deepak Kumar Sharma.



### Training by KVK, Nohar

Krishi Vigyan Kendra (KVK), Nohar organized one online and twelve off-campus training programmes in this quarter. Total 401 farmers were benefitted. Dr. Suresh Chand Kantwa, Senior Scientist and Head organized these training programmes.

## Farmers Trainings by PVKs and KVK

### Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Suratgarh (Sriganganagar)

Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Suratgarh (Sriganganagar) organized fifteen online and one off campus training programmes in this quarter. Total 534 livestock farmers were benefitted. Dr. Arun Kumar Jhirwal, Assistant Professor organized these training programmes.

### Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Lunkaransar (Bikaner)

Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Lunkaransar (Bikaner) organized thirteen online training programmes in this quarter. Total 431 livestock farmers were benefitted. Dr. Amit Kumar, Assistant Professor organized these training programmes.

### Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Ratangarh (Churu)

Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Ratangarh (Churu) organized twenty one off campus training programmes in this quarter. Total 491 livestock farmers were benefitted. Dr. Ashok Kumar, Assistant Professor organized these trainings.

### Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Kumher (Bharatpur)

Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Kumher (Bharatpur) organized sixteen off-campus training programmes in this quarter. Total 308 livestock farmers were benefitted. Dr. Arun Kumar, Assistant Professor organized these training programmes.

### Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Sirohi

Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Sirohi organized one online and two off campus training programmes in this quarter. Total 74 livestock farmers were benefitted. Dr. Sunil Kumar, Assistant Professor organized these training programmes.

### Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Bakalia (Nagaur)

Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Bakalia (Nagaur) organized four off campus training programmes in this quarter. Total 70 livestock farmers were benefitted. Dr. Mahendra Tanwar, Assistant Professor organized these training programmes.

### Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Kota

Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Kota organized twelve off campus training programmes in this quarter. Total 310 livestock farmers were benefitted. Dr. Atul Shanker Arora, Assistant Professor organized these training programmes.

### Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Dholpur

Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Dholpur organized two online, seventeen off-campus training programmes in this quarter. Total 561 livestock

farmers were benefitted. Dr. Subhash Chand, Assistant Professor organized these training programmes.

### Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Tonk

Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Tonk organized eleven online and five off campus training programmes in this quarter. Total 398 livestock farmers were benefitted. Dr. Madan Mohan Mali, Assistant Professor organized these training programmes.

### Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Bojunda (Chittorgarh)

Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Bojunda (Chittorgarh) organized eight online and seven off campus training programmes in this quarter. Total 379 livestock farmers were benefitted. Dr. Mukesh Kumar Sharma, Assistant Professor organized these training.

### Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Jhunjhunu

Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Jhunjhunu organized ten online and seven off campus training programmes in this quarter. Total 410 livestock farmers were benefitted. Dr. Pramod Kumar, Assistant Professor organized these training programmes.

### Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Dungarpur

Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Dungarpur organized five off-campus training programmes in this quarter. Total 150 livestock farmers were benefitted. Dr. Rajesh Singathia, Assistant Professor organized these training programmes.

### Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Jalore

Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Jalore organized seven off campus training programmes in this quarter. Total 233 livestock farmers were benefitted. Dr. Mahendra Singh Meel, Assistant Professor organized these training programmes.

### Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Jobner (Jaipur)

Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Jobner (Jaipur) organized twenty four off campus training programmes in this quarter. Total 527 livestock farmers were benefitted. Dr. Ashok Baidha, Assistant Professor organized these training programmes.

### Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Jodhpur

Pashu Vigyan Kendra, Jodhpur organized seven off campus training programmes in this quarter. Total 183 livestock farmers were benefitted. Dr. Goverdhan Singh Rajpurohit, Assistant Professor organized these training programmes.



## Students Activities

### Fresher Programme "RooBaroo-2023"

The students of 2020 batch organized fresher's welcome party RooBaroo 2023 on 20th April 2023 for the students of 2021 batch at CVAS Bikaner. Dean Prof. A.P. Singh while congratulating the students for the fresher's programme told the history and achievements of the college. DSW Prof. Praveen Bishnoi encouraged the students to participate in all the cultural and sports competitions of the university and talked about all-round development. Senior students welcomed the newly arrived students by applying Tilak. In the Fresher's Welcome Party, Yashvardhan was elected Mr. Fresher and Renu Gurjar was elected Miss Fresher. Dean-Directors, teaching staff and students of the college were present during the programme. Dr. Pratishtha Sharma conducted the fresher programme.



### Orientation of Newly admitted P.G. students

Orientation programme for newly admitted M.V.Sc. and Ph.D. students of session 2022-23 was organized at PGIVER, Jaipur on 13<sup>th</sup> April, 2023. Prof. Sheela Choudhary, Dean, PGIVER welcomed the newly admitted students and apprised them about various activities and achievements of the institute in her address. Academic Coordinator Dr. Monika Karnani gave detailed information about the rules related to syllabus, time table, attendance etc. In-charge, Student Cell Dr. Subhash Chand shared information related to university scholarship, identity card etc. with the students. ADSW Dr. Y.P. Singh apprised the students about the discipline and other information of the institute.



### Technical Session for Students

A technical session was held at CVAS, Bikaner on 12<sup>th</sup> May, 2023 for the students of Fourth professional B.V.Sc. & A.H. and Internee students by the Virbac Animal Health Pvt. Ltd. A professional quiz was also held during the session. The programme was conducted under guidance and supervision of Prof. A.P. Singh, Dean & Faculty Chairman, CVAS, Bikaner.



### NCC Cadets Participation in Yoga Festival

The NCC Cadets of CVAS, Navania, Udaipur participated in Shri Ramchandra Mission Yoga Festival organized by the Ministry of Culture and heartfulness Organization at M.B. College Ground, Udaipur on 4<sup>th</sup> April 2023. On this occasion, Prof. Rajeev Kumar Joshi, Dean, CVAS, Navania said that yoga asanas help to control the body, mind and soul. The cadets were led by Lt. (Dr.) Goverdhan Singh, Associate NCC Officer and ADSW Dr. Mitesh Gaur was also made their presence.

### On-Campus Placement Drive

A one day On-Campus Placement Drive was organised at all the three constituent college campuses by Placement Cell, RAJUVAS, Bikaner on 10 April 2023. About 30 participants appeared for the on-spot interview and the selected candidates were issued appointment letters to join after a short training at EMRI Green Health Services, Ahmadabad, Gujarat. Dr. S.K. Jhirwal, Convenor Placement Cell, RAJUVAS along with Prof. Sheela Choudhary, Dean, PGIVER, Jaipur and Prof. Rajiv Joshi, Dean, CVAS, Navania managed the smooth conduction of the placement drive.

### Inter College Sports-Cultural Competition "SPOCUL-23"

Inter-collegiate sports and cultural competitions "SPOCUL-23" for the students of all the three constituent Veterinary Colleges and two Dairy Colleges of RAJUVAS were inaugurated on 15<sup>th</sup> May 2023. The Chief Guest Prof. A.K. Gahlot, founder and former Vice-Chancellor of RAJUVAS inspired the youth to become participants in maximum sports activities and said that sports competitions strengthen team spirit, mutual cooperation and personality development among the students. Dean, Prof. A.P. Singh welcomed everyone and told that various committees have been formed for smooth organization of sports and cultural competitions. DSW Prof. Praveen Bishnoi told that during this period basketball, volleyball, tug-of-war, table-tennis, badminton, lawn-tennis, debate competition, elocution, rangoli competitions were organized. Prize distribution was held on 18<sup>th</sup> May, 2023. CVAS, Bikaner grabs the General Championship trophy.



## Superannuation

❖ Sh. Ema Ram, Class IV, Director Research, RAJUVAS, Bikaner has superannuated on 31<sup>st</sup> May, 2023.





## University Social Responsibility

### Sangosthi on Integrated Child Development

A Sangosthi on Integrated Child Development was organized on 27<sup>th</sup> April, 2023 by the Directorate of Extension Education at Anganwadi Centre of Gadhwala village adopted under USR in collaboration with Women and Girl Child Development Department, Bikaner. Smt. Nirmala Devi, Assistant Supervisor told about various activities conducted by the centre and various schemes of Rajasthan government for women and child development. Dr. Neeraj Kumar Sharma, coordinator USR made rural women aware on different topics related to cleanliness, vaccination of pregnant women and infants, deworming and nutrition.



### Training on Disaster Management

Centre for Disaster Management Technology for Animals, RAJUVAS, Bikaner organized disaster management training on 12<sup>th</sup> May, 2023 at Gadhwala village under USR. Shailendra Singh Shekhawat, TA demonstrated the fire safety model for cattle during training and also demonstrated the safety and security of livestock during fire accidents. Dr. Sohail, TA informed the farmers about various techniques which are used during disasters. Dr. Neeraj Kumar Sharma, Coordinator, USR motivated the livestock owners to adopt various innovations made by the university in the field of animal husbandry.



### Awareness on World Environment Day

On the occasion of World Environment Day, an awareness programme was organized on 5<sup>th</sup> June, 2023 in adopted village Gadhwala under USR by the Centre of Disaster Management Technology for Animals, RAJUVAS, Bikaner. Sh. Shailendra Singh Shekhawat and Dr. Sohail provided detailed information to the villagers about the importance of environmental protection and effects of plastics on earth. Free saplings were distributed to the livestock owners and an oath was taken to protect the environment.

### Animal Health and Awareness Camp

Centre for Conservation of Biodiversity, RAJUVAS, Bikaner organized animal health camp and awareness program on 21<sup>st</sup> June, 2023 at Gadhwala village. Dr. Mohan Lal Choudhary, PI of this centre said that in the camp, the livestock owners were given information about the causes and prevention of various infectious diseases occurring in the animals. Dr. Narsiram Gurjar told about anthelmintic medicine and vaccination to protect animals from various diseases. Dr. Pratikshit Sanel provided detailed information to the farmers on infertility problem in animals. During the camp, anthelmintic medicines and mineral mixture were also distributed to the livestock owners. Total 27 livestock owners participated in this camp.



### Awareness Rally for Water Conservation

A Water Conservation Awareness Rally was organized by NSS Unit, CVAS, Bikaner at adopted village Gadhwala on 28<sup>th</sup> June, 2023. Dr. Neeraj Kumar Sharma, Coordinator, USR told about the importance of water in agriculture and animal husbandry along with our day to day life and motivated the NSS volunteers to participate in rally. Gadhwala's Sarpanch representative Mohan Lal Saran inaugurated the rally by showing the green flag.



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