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Recent activities...

DRCSC participated in the **Lesson Learnt**



in the workshop. WHH officials from Germany and India appreciated the efforts done by various organizations to enhance food & nutrition security.



Workshop of Fight Hunger First Initiative supported by Welthungerhilfe (WHH) was held at Puri from 24th – 26th March 2015. Partner organizations from various states shared their learning and display best practices

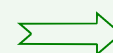


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5TH NATIONAL ORGANIC FARMING CONVENTION

Jointly Organised by: OFAI, NITTR, ASHA, KVM
 At: NITTR, Sector 26, Chandigarh
 On: Feb.28th to Mar.2nd 2015



The 5th National Organic Farming Convention 2015 was held from 27thFeb - 2nd Mar at Chandigarh. It was jointly organized by OFAI (Organic Farming Association of India), NITTR (National Institute

of Technical Teachers Training & Research), ASHA and KVM (Kheti Virasat Mission). Supports were also there from NABARD, Punjab National Bank, Punjab Technical University, Govt of Punjab, Govt of Haryana for making the event a grand success. DRCS has actively participated in the program. DRCS put up two stalls to dem-

onstrate Integrated farming System in West Bengal and exhibited several native varieties of seeds of West Bengal. The effort from DRCS is appreciated



by the visitors.

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State Level Seed Savers Network Workshop

17 February 2015
WBVHA Tower, 580 Anandapur, Kolkata 700107



Organised by **DRCSC** Supported by **SWISSAID**



A state level seed savers network meeting was organized by DRCSC at WBVHA, Kolkata on 17th feb,2015. Main objective

of this workshop was to create a network of Seed savers in West Bengal and popularizes the traditional varieties between the farmers. The farmers shared their experience about organic farming and native variety of seed production. A discussion on purity of seed was held

by the farmers. Raj Krishna Mukherjee held another discussion on objective of this network.



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State Level Seed Savers Network Workshop



3rd Sub-Regional Workshop on Community Resilience to Climate Change in Bay of Bengal

Date: 11-12 March, 2015
Venue: Hotel Hindustan International, Kolkata,



West Bengal
The event had facilitated by Concern Worldwide and BCAS, Bangladesh with the organizing support of DRCS from West Bengal and RCDC from Orissa. The workshop se-

cretariat was hosted by PRISM in Kolkata to coordinate with the all participating agencies.

The objective of the workshop was to provide an opportunity to multi-stakeholders for knowledge exchange on issues related to climate change adaptation linked with disaster risk reduction action and contribute to enhanced community resilience for sustainable development. Additional objective of the workshop

was to focusing on importance of enhanced investment in community resilience at local levels and a sub-regional collaboration and civil society convergence for climate change and disaster risk reduction in Bay of Bengal.



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3RD SUB-REGIONAL WORKSHOP ON COMMUNITY RESILIENCE TO CLIMATE CHANGE IN BAY OF BENGAL



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Upcoming Events

State Level Consultation
Meet on Child Nutrition,
Innovations and Challenges

Venue: Hotel Stadel, Salt
Lake Stadium, Kolkata

Date: 27 April 2015

Time: 10am - 4:30 pm



2nd State Level Seed
Savers Network Meeting

Venue: Seva Kendra

Date: 3 May, 2015



Venue: Seva Kendra,
Kolkata

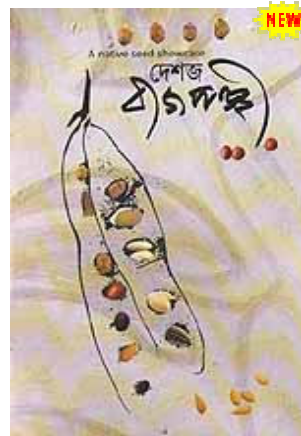
Date: 2 & 3 May 2015



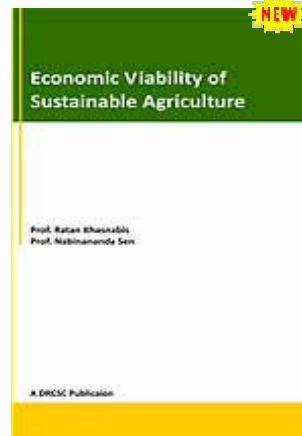
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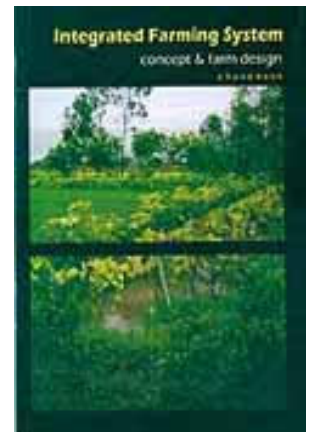
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A native seed showcase



Economic Viability of Sustainable Agriculture



Integrated Farming System



Kitchen garden



Pusti (Nutrition)



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