

ICAR-CIFA organized Awareness cum training programme on Freshwater aquaculture under SCSP scheme in Bhadrak District of Odisha

One day Awareness cum training programme for the skill development of men & women members of SC communities of Bhadrak district on the topic of scientific aquaculture was organized by ICAR-Central Institute of Freshwater Aquaculture, Bhubaneswar at Kulana, Bhadrak on 22 February, 2023 as a part of Scheduled Caste Sub Plan Programme of ICAR-CIFA, Bhubaneswar. Around 150 men & women beneficiaries of different self-help groups attended the event.

Swami Ashrayanandaji Maharaj, Chief of Ramakrishna Sevasharm, Kulana, Bhadrak, underlined the importance of human welfare through the development of skills in fish care and management which is essential for human health. Continuous dissemination of scientific aquaculture technologies is required to provide better quality services for raising awareness and capacity building to the general public.

During the technical session, Dr C K Misra, Principal Scientist of ICAR-CIFA, described the various freshwater aquaculture technologies for enhancing the abilities of SC women beneficiaries in order to boost their family income and employment chances. Shri Durgaprasad Rath, Senior Technical Officer at ICAR-CIFA discussed the health advantages of eating fish which is itself a complete food.

The event was closed with vote of thanks proposed by Shri Durgaprasad Rath, Senior Technical Officer of ICAR-CIFA.

