

Research-Extension-Farmers Interface and Input Distribution Programme Organized for Small Holder Tribal Pig Farmers

ICAR-National Research Centre on Pig, Guwahati has organized a farming input distribution programme for small holder tribal pig farmers at Gogamukh, Dhemaji District of Assam on 16th June, 2023. Inputs suitable for scientific pig farming, including pig feed, antiseptic spraying machines, feeding utensils etc. were distributed to 550 tribal farmers as an essential step for accomplishing their inclusive growth. The programme was presided over by Dr. Vivek Kumar Gupta, Director, ICAR-National Research Centre on Pig. Dr. Anil Pegu, OSD to Chief Executive Member, Mising Autonomous Council; Executive and General Members from Mising Autonomous Council; Scientists from ICAR-IARI, Gogamukh; members of SAAR Pig Producer Company were graced the occasion. The beneficiaries opined that the support extended by the institute will definitely add to their economic, educational and human development as well as the security and social dignity, achieving equality with the non-Scheduled Tribe population in a time bound manner. Dr. Pranab Jyoti Das, Principal Scientist and Dr. R. Thomas, Senior Scientist, ICAR-NRC on Pig have shared the knowledge on scientific pig production practices with the farmers.





