

Glimpses of
World Wetlands Day
Celebrations
2 February 2010

World Wetlands Day celebrations Rallis - Bangalore Region

WWD – at Davangere - Bangalore

The Sales & Marketing and R&D teams of Bangalore zone celebrated World Wetland Day on 2nd Feb 2010 in Davangere at Taralabalu Krishi Vigyan Kendra, in association with TKVK (NGO) and Agriculture Department Davangere.

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Wetlands day – Farmers were given a deep understanding of their role in mitigating climate change.

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A presentation on Wetland conservation by Dr. S. Mallikarjunappa explained about methane emission from paddy field and importance of Biodiversity in relation to Global warming, and best practices to control it.

Farmers have agreed to adopt:-

- Replacement of N broadcasting with foliar sprays.
- Use Single Super Phosphate basally, which addition to supply P2O5 could mitigate methane by supplying S.
- Intermittent irrigation in place of flooding of fields.

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Joint Director of Agriculture
addressing the farmers

WWD – Student Participants



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A field visit by College students to understand the importance of wetlands and their role in climate change.



A visit by DRM, College students to vermi-composting yard at Taralabalu Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Davangere.

WWD – at Davangere - Winners



Winners of Painting competition were given prizes and certificates.

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Students feed back :-

- 1.They expressed their happiness and this was the first time they were attending this type of programme which was educative, practical and entertaining.
- 2.Learnt about biodiversity and Global warning.
- 3.Learnt about the agricultural methods of rural farmer.