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Dear Readers,

"Progress can happen only with Changes". The introductory meeting of all Vice-Chancellors of the State with the Honourable Governor-Chancellor later last month was a learning experience to all the Vice-Chancellors as the status and accomplishments of each of the 21 State Universities were presented in brief to the Governor. Tamil Nadu Dr. J. Jayalalithaa Fisheries University, being the youngest of all the Universities with the least number of students and staff drew the attention of everyone. A few of our accomplishments were complimented while a few suggestions were given for making our growth sustainable and progressive in all fields.

Some of the top Universities in the State and the Nation have a robust quality monitoring system that helps both the faculty members and the students to monitor the progress continuously and comprehensively providing scope for feedback that helps the administration to quickly identify the weak areas and strategize for corrections. This largely centres on self-evaluation and corrections than complaining about the system. The Hon'ble Governor-Chancellor insisted on the improvement of the quality of research as the prime focus to be taken up by all Universities. As our University is functioning on the State Agricultural University model, we are mandated to carry out Teaching, Research and Extension. But it is time that we make an introspection of our professional growth and its trajectory.

"An unexamined life is not worth living" – Socrates.

We are doing fairly well in research, but if we sincerely make a self-assessment of our contributions to research, not only the individuals are to gain but also the collective gain can enhance our University's standing in research. We are in the process of establishing an Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) for the University and the institutes and directorates. The guidelines will be released soon for effective adoption to ensure better clarity and focus in institutional functioning towards quality enhancement.

This year's admission process for undergraduate and postgraduate courses has been well planned and set on rolling by the office of the Controller of Examination. The Hon'ble Chief Minister inaugurated our new buildings at DIVA, Muttukadu and Trichy CeSA. Thirty-one of our faculty members could benefit from the ICAR-NAARM sponsored 5-day Faculty Development Programme held at our university headquarters. Vigilance awareness week was observed at all our constituent units. Rallies and competitions were held by our students on some of the campuses. The final year students' project demonstration at CoFE was quite impressive. Our KVK has been active in organizing several programmes serving the community. TNJFU organized the inter-collegiate mini-marathon (Run for Unity) at FCRI, Thoothukudi to mark the birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel on 31.10.2021 and I congratulate all the participants and the organizing team. I request all campus officers to take up earnest measures on preparedness for NW monsoon and involve our students in rainwater harvesting and greening of campuses.

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VC EVENTS

Introductory Meeting at Raj Bhavan, Chennai

The Vice-Chancellor participated in the introductory meeting conducted by the Hon'ble Governor-Chancellor with all the Vice-Chancellors of State Universities of Tamil Nadu on 30.10.2021 at Raj Bhavan, Chennai.



New Buildings Inaugurated by the Hon'ble Chief Minister

The Hon'ble Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu inaugurated the new buildings constructed at DIVA, Muttukadu and Trichy CeSA of Tamil Nadu Dr. J. Jayalalithaa Fisheries University through Video Conferencing on 18.10.2021. The Respected Vice-Chancellor participated in this programme along with the Hon'ble Minister of Fisheries and Fishermen Welfare, Chief Secretary to Government and the Additional Chief Secretary to Government, Animal Husbandry, Dairying, Fisheries and Fishermen welfare Department.



Inauguration of Faculty Development Programme

The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor inaugurated the 5 day (04.10.2021 to 08.10.2021) ICAR-NAARM sponsored Off-Campus Faculty Development Programme (FDP) on "Competency Enhancement in Agricultural Research and Education for the Faculty of TNJFU" at the University Headquarters on 04.10.2021. Dr.M.Balakrishnan, Principal Scientist and Programme Director, ICAR-NAARM, Hyderabad welcomed the gathering and briefed about the programme. 31 faculties from constituent colleges of TNJFU participated in this programme. Director of Extension Education, Dr.M.Rajakumar co-ordinated the event.



Final Year Student's Project Demonstration at CoFE

The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor visited the College of Fisheries Engineering, Nagapattinam on 05.10.2021 to attend the final year B.Tech (Fisheries Engineering) students' project demonstrations

and to interact with them. Dr.P.Krishnan, Principal Scientist, NAARM also accompanied the Vice-Chancellor.



Online Meeting for Sectoral Activities

The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, TNJFU conducted a separate online meeting on 06.10.2021 with all the University Officers to discuss on the Sectoral Activities suggested by the Vice-Chairman of the State Planning Commission.

Online Meetings for Conducting the 12th IFAF

The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, TNJFU conducted meetings with all the University Officers for hosting the 12th Indian Fisheries Aquaculture Forum (IFAF) through virtual mode on 09.10.2021 and 13.10.2021.



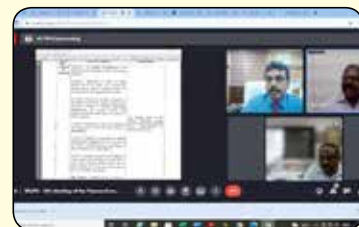
UG Admission – Rank List Released

The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor released the rank list for UG admissions for the year 2021-22 online, at the University Headquarters. The Chairman of Admission Committee Dr.P.Jawahar and Dr.M. Rajakumar, Director of Extension Education, TNJFU on 11.11.2021 received the hard copies of the rank list.



12th Meeting of the Finance Committee

The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, TNJFU conducted the 12th Meeting of the Finance Committee through virtual mode on 12.10.2021.



Met with the Hon'ble Minister for Social Welfare

The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor met with the Hon'ble Minister for Social Welfare and Women Empowerment, Tmt. P. Geetha Jeevan in Thoothukudi on 19.10.2021.

"Boomi Poojai" at Mylaudy site



The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, TNJFU participated in the "Boomi Poojai" for the construction of Loach Breeding Centre at Mylaudy site on 20.10.2021 and also visited the Kanyakumari ParakkaiCeSA and GanapathipuramCeSA centres. During the visits, the Vice-Chancellor met with the staff and discussed the activities of the units, and viewed the availability of all facilities and resources at the premises. He also interacted with the trainees from Holy Cross College, Nagercoil.

UG Admission 2021-22 – Counselling for Special Categories



Counselling for the admission to undergraduate degree courses for the year 2021-22 under special categories was conducted at the Auditorium, Tamil Nadu Dr. J. Jayalalithaa Fisheries University, Nagapattinam on 21.10.2021. The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor handed over the provisional admission letters to the selected candidates. Dr. A. Srinivasan, Registrar in-charge, Dr. P. Jawahar, Chairman, UG Admission Committee, and Deans of the various colleges participated in this programme.

University Officers Meeting

The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, TNJFU conducted the 46th University Officers meeting through virtual mode on 22.10.2021.



TNJFU launched Online Application for PG Courses

The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor launched the online application for the academic year 2021-22 for Postgraduate admissions on 28.10.2021 at the University headquarters. The Controller of Examinations and the Registrar in-charge were present on the occasion.

TNJFU – Junior Teacher Research Fellowship (JTRF)

The final screening and selection of the proposals for funding support under TNJFU – Junior Teacher Research Fellowship (JTRF) for the year 2021-22 was conducted by the respected Vice-Chancellor on 28.10.2021 through virtual mode.



Attended Task Force Committee Meeting

The Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor participated in the online meeting of the Task Force Committee for Agro-Climatic Zone-XII, organized by the ICAR-CIFE, Mumbai on 29.10.2021.

COLLEGE NEWS

Fisheries College & Research Institute, Thoothukudi

Awareness programme:

An awareness programme on "Rain Water Harvesting" was conducted among the students for the observance of the "Rainwater Harvesting Week" starting from 04.10.2021. In this programme, clearing of leaf litter to prevent water logging in all open terrace of the campus, ensuring free outflow of rain water through flood channel, monitoring of the building for any major leakage, storing of large quantum of water in reservoir and all fish ponds, strengthening of the bunds of reservoir at vulnerable points were explained to the students.



Vigilance Awareness Week 2021:

All the staff and students observed the "Vigilance Awareness Week 2021" Integrity pledge on 26th October, 2021 at 11.00 a.m.



Essay Writing Competition:

As a part of Vigilance Awareness Week, NSS unit organized the Essay Writing Competition in Tamil and English on the theme "Effective measures of anti-corruption in administration and politics". The competitions were conducted among students and the prizes and certificates were distributed to the winners.



Training programme:

A three-day skill development training programme on "Sprouting Entrepreneurship in Marine Products" for the period from



26.10.2021 to 28.10.2021 was organised. A total of 28 beneficiaries from Bishop Heber College, Trichy attended. Dr.P.Ganesan, Assistant Professor and Head & Project Coordinator of EDII-MPBI, welcomed the gathering. Mrs. D. Muneera and Mrs. S. Bavithra, Assistant Professors, Department of Food Science and Nutrition, Bishop Heber College, Tiruchirappalli, spoke about the importance of the training programme. Dr. N.V. Sujathkumar, Dean in-charge, presided over the function.

Mini Marathon "Run for Unity" :

On the 146th birth anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, Mini Marathon "Run for Unity" was organised by the TNJFU at Fisheries College and Research Institute, Thoothukudi on 31.10.2021. A total of 80 boys and 52 girls from the constituent colleges of the University took part.



Mr. S. Jeyakumar, Superintendent of Police, Thoothukudi District flagged off the race. In the boy's category, the top three places went to Mr.P.Thileepan (College of Fish Nutrition and Food Technology, Madhavaram), Mr. A. Aashlin Joyel (Paraprofessional Institute of Aquaculture, Muttukadu), and Mr. V. Nithish (College of Fisheries Engineering, Nagapattinam), while the first three places went to Ms. M.P.Snekha (College of Fish Nutrition and Food Technology, Madhavaram), Ms. T.Kalpana (Dr.MGR Fisheries College and Research Institute, Ponneri) and Ms. K. Archana (College of Fish Nutrition and Food Technology, Madhavaram) in the girl's category. The Medals and Trophy were presented to the winners by Mr. S. Jeyakumar, Superintendent of Police, Thoothukudi District.



Dr.N.V.Sujathkumar, Dean i/c, presided over the function and congratulated the winners. Capt. S. Viswanathan, Dean, College of Fisheries Nautical Technology also participated. Mr. F. Parthiban, the Sports Secretary, welcomed the gathering and Dr. D. Natarajan, Assistant Director of Physical Education proposed the vote of thanks.



Dr. M.G.R Fisheries College and Research Institute, Ponneri Swachh Bharat – Campus cleanliness programme:

Celebrated the 152nd birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi and 75th Anniversary of Independence, by taking part in Swachh Bharat Mission on 04.10.2021. Under the guidance of Dr. B. Ahilan, Dean i/c, the NSS unit conducted the campus cleaning programme. Plastic waste and weed plants in the

campus and play ground were removed. Mr.R.Velmurugan NSS programme officer and Asst. Professor, DFT&FE coordinated the event.



Training Programme:

Training programme on "Freshwater Aquaculture techniques - for beginners" was organized on 5th and 6th October 2021 by the Advanced Research Farm Facility (ARFF), Department of Aquaculture, at Aquatic Rainbow Technology Park (ARTP), TNJFU Madhavaram campus, Chennai. A total of 27 participants attended. Dr. B. Ahilan, Dean i/c, presided over the inaugural function. During the training the various aspects of fresh water aquaculture and culture of *L.vannamei* in fresh water were delivered and demonstrated to the participants. The training was coordinated by Dr. K. Ravanewaran Professor and Dr. Mahadevi, Asst.Professor Madhavaram Campus, Chennai.



The National Agriculture Development Programme sponsored training programme on "Advanced limited water exchange technologies" was conducted on 07.10.2021 & 08.10.2021. Dr. B. Ahilan, Dean i/c, inaugurated. A total of 50 participants from various districts have participated.



Vigilance Awareness Week:

"Vigilance Awareness Week" [26.10.21 – 01.11.21] was observed on 27.10.2021. All the Students, teaching and non-teaching staff took pledge. On the occasion, the NSS unit organized "Vigilance Awareness Rally" on 29.10.2021.

The rally was inaugurated and lead by Mr.P. Selvam, Revenue Divisional officer, Ponneri in the presence of



Dr. B. Ahilan, Dean i/c of the institute. Mr. R. Velmurugan, NSS Programme officer and Assistant Professor, organized and coordinated the rally.

Dr. M.G.R Fisheries College & Research Institute, Thalainayeru World Food Day 2021

On the occasion of World Food Day 2021, a cooking competition was conducted for the students on 13.10.2021. Three groups each consisting of two members participated and prepared Exotic Sweden Fish masala, Fish Burger with mayonnaise and Indian style Fish fry.

An Awareness programme on "Fish in Human Nutrition" was conducted at Arifa College of Technology, Eesanoor, and Keezhaiyuron in connection with World Food Day 2021. Value-added products Posters and flyers were displayed. Dr. V. Alamelu, Ms. S. Vimaladevi and Mr. V. Vijayarahavan, Assistant Professors, Department of Fish Processing Technology coordinated the activities.



NSS Camp:

The NSS Camp for 2018-19 batch students at Manakkudi was organised from 25.10.2021 to 28.10.21 by the NSS coordinator, Mrs. S. Vimaladevi, Assistant Professor. Cleaning of community places, plantation of tree saplings, eye camp and awareness campaign on fisheries technologies, general health check-up for villagers, veterinary camp, sports activity and cultural programme were organised for the benefit of villagers. About 500 people of Manakkudi village benefited.



Vigilance awareness week - 2021:

The "Vigilance Awareness Week 2021" was celebrated from 26.10.2021 to 01.11.2021 under the theme of "Independent India @ 75: self-reliance with integrity". All the Teaching, Non-teaching staff and students have taken the "Integrity Pledge and some have also taken e-pledge, "Integrity Pledge for Citizens" in the website www.cvc.gov.in. A special talk on "Vigilance and Anti-Corruption" was delivered by Thiru. R. Chitravelu, Deputy



Superintendent of Police, Thiru. G. Ramesh Kumar and Tmt. M. Arul Priya, Inspector of Police, Department of Vigilance and Anti-Corruption, Nagapattinam attended.

In this regard, essay writing, poetry and drawing competitions were conducted. A total of 34 students have actively participated in the competition. Distributed leaflets in Tamil to create



awareness about anti-corruption and protection of informer to residents of Thalainayeru on 31.10.2021.

College of Fisheries Engineering Skill development programme:

Dr. N. Manimehalai, Dean in-charge, inaugurated the skill development Programme "Production of value-added fish products and its preservation technologies" conducted for the B.Voc (Marine Food Processing and Preservation Technology) students ADM College for women, Nagapattinam from 27th to 29th October 2021. Dr. P. Karthickumar, Assistant Professor and Training Coordinator explained about business opportunities in value-added fish products and demonstrated production of ready to eat value-added fish products.



Guest lecture:

Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru College of Agriculture & Research Institute, Karaikal and Fisheries department jointly organized a stakeholders meeting of PMFME- State level upgrading plan under One District One Product (ODOP) Scheme at Fisheries department, Karaikal on 29.10.2021. Dr. P. Karthickumar, Assistant Professor delivered a guest lecture on business opportunities in value-added fish products and production technologies to the potential entrepreneurs of Karaikal.



Vigilance Awareness Day Pledge:

Vigilance Awareness Day was observed on 27.10.2021. The pledge was administered by Dr. N. Manimehalai, Dean i/c The

Programme was organized by Er.C.Mercy Amrita, Assistant Professor.

Vigilance Awareness Week-2021

"Vigilance Awareness Week-2021" was observed on the theme of "75th Indian Independence Anniversary and Independent India @ 75 - Self-reliance with Integrity".

On this day, competitions such as drawing, essay writing, slogan writing and elocution were conducted and the certificates were distributed to the winners. Mr.S.K.Chrispin Binesh, NSS & RRC Secretary i/c proposed the vote of thanks. The event was organised by NSS & RRC co-ordinators Dr.M.Ramar, and Er.S.Monikandon, Assistant Professors, CoFE.



Institute of Fisheries Postgraduate Studies

Seeds stocking protocol demonstrated:

Penaeus vannamei shrimp seeds (PL-11) were stocked at the rate of 23,000 per tank for nursery rearing on 02.10.2021. Brackishwater Research Farm Facility has two units of RAS with 32 m² each. Totally 46,000 seeds were stocked in both tanks. Technical staff from M/s. Sheng long Bio-Tech (India) Pvt. Ltd., demonstrated stocking protocol. Dr. S.A. Shanmugam, Dean (Basic Science) and students attended.



College of Fish Nutrition and Food Technology

SICCI - National Food Conclave Cum Expo :

The B.Tech (Food Technology) students participated in the SICCI - National Food Conclave Cum Expo, Food Processing in India: Perspectives and Opportunities, and took part in the Eat Right quiz contest with the theme of "Eat right, Eat Safe; Food Safety and Adulteration" at Chennai on 23.10.2021. Mr.R.S. Kamlesh Raj, Ms. G. Keerthi and Mr. R. Yuvaraj (B.Tech IV Year Students) won the second prize.



Vigilance Awareness Week 2021

The B. Tech (Food Technology) students participated in the Vigilance Awareness Week 2021 on line quiz competition from 26th October to 1st November 2021



in the theme of "Vigilant India – Prosperous India", FSSAI. M. Jerish and B. Aiswarya won II and III prizes, respectively. The 'Vigilance Awareness Week 2021' was conducted with the theme "Will Strength of Integrity make Corruption Free India?". Certificates were issued to the Winners.

College of Fisheries Nautical Technology

Vigilance Awareness Day Pledge

Vigilance awareness day pledge was observed by the staff of College



DIRECTORATES

Directorate of Extension Education

Exhibition at "Nagai 30"

The Dr.M.G.R. Fisheries College & Research Institute, Thalainayeru and the College of Fisheries Engineering, Nagapattinam have participated in the four days exhibition (18th, 20th to 22nd October 2021) organized to commemorate the formation of 30th year of Nagapattinam district. Value-added fishery products viz., pickles (fish and prawn), chutney powder (fish and prawn), bakery products (cake and biscuit), extruded products (ready to cook products like pasta, noodles and ready to eat fish corn puff), solar-dried fishes and retort processed ready to serve fish curry, prawn curry, crab soup, Apple snail soup powder, Fish Kure, Fish wafer, Fish Meal, Fish/shrimp/Squid curry in retort pouch and fish/prawn biriyani in retort pouch were displayed and sold during the event. The Hon'ble Collector of Nagapattinam Dr. A. Arun Thamburaj, Mr. AKS Vijayan, Special Representative to Tamil Nadu Government in New Delhi, MP Selvarasu, and MLAs Aloor Shanavas and Nagai Mali along with other officials visited the stalls of TNJFU on 18.10.2021. Dr. P. Karthickumar, Dr. V. Alamelu, Ms. S. Vimaladevi and Mr. V. Vijayaraghavan, Assistant Professors, coordinated. More than 2500 farmers, entrepreneurs and the public visited the stall.



LEDP Training Programme:

Training Programme on Alternate Poultry farming to vulnerable women groups of Nagapattinam District refresher Skill Training was conducted at Karuvelankadai village on 07.10.2021 and 08.10.2021. Similar training was also conducted from 16.10.2021 to 18.10.2021 at KVK, Nagapattinam. In this training programme, Regional Joint Director of Animal Husbandry, District Development Manger NABARD, DEO-TNRT, Nagapattinam and Director-RSETI, LDM-IOB, Coordinator-SOS NGO attended and delivered keynote address. Dr.S.Muthukumar, SMS (Animal

Husbandry) imparted the technical session. 30 women farmers in each training programme have attended.



Skill Development Training (STRY):



A Skill Development Training programme on Organic Farming Technologies for Rural youth of Nagapattinam in association with State Agricultural Management & Extension Training Institute, Kudumiyamalai and National Institute of Agricultural Extension Management (MANAGE), Hyderabad was organized at Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Sikkal, Nagapattinam for six days from 25.10.2021 to 30.10.2021.

The training programme was inaugurated by Mr.S.Panneerselvam, Joint Director of Agriculture, Nagapattinam. Dr. A. Gopalakannan, Programme Coordinator, KVK, Sikkal welcomed the participants. Dr.V.Kannan, Subject Matter Specialist (Agronomy) organized and coordinated the training. Dr.K.Chandrasekar, SMS(Agri. Entomology), Dr.A.Mathivanan, SMS(Fish Processing Technology), Mr.K.Ragu, SMS(Horticulture) of KVK, Nagapattinam, Dr.S.Rethinasababady, PC, KVK, Karaikal, Dr.V.Aravinth, SMS (Agronomy) KVK, Karaikal and Mrs. Sutha, Assistant Director of Seed Certification, Nagapattinam handled the technical and practical sessions.

Directorate of Sustainable Aquaculture Vigilance Awareness day pledge

The Vigilance Awareness day pledge on 27-10-2021 at 11-00 AM was administered by the centres of Directorate of Sustainable Aquaculture, - Thanjavur, Trichy, Parakkai, Ganapathipuram, Bhavanisagar, Barur and Mandapam.



Training programmes:

Skill Development Training programme for Youth on "Freshwater Fish Culture" was conducted from 4.10.2021 to 11.10.2021 at Thanjavur Centre for Sustainable Aquaculture, Thanjavur. The training programme



was funded by MANAGE, Hyderabad. Twenty Eight trainees attended the programme. The Joint Director of Agriculture Th. A.Justin was the Chief Guest for the valedictory function. Tmt. T.Balasaraswathi, Deputy Director of Agriculture felicitated the participants. Dr.V.Senthilkumar, Assistant Professor and Head coordinated the training programme.



The Assistant Director of Fisheries, Mandapam has trained 50 youths and fishermen of Mandapam on skill development qualification pack 'Marine Capture Fisherman cum Primary Processor'. Mr. R. Dinesh, Assistant Professor, Mandapam Centre for

Sustainable Aquaculture (MCEsa) initiated and explained the role of ASCI, certification benefits, theory and practical examination and assessed the skill development trainees on 29th October 2021.

Kanyakumari Parakkai Centre for Sustainable Aquaculture, Parakkai conducted three days training programme on Ornamental Fish Culture from 20.10.2021 to 22.10.2021. 27 students participated from the Department of Zoology, Scott Christian College, Nagercoil. Apart from theory, construction of aquarium tank and preparation of feed were also demonstrated. Certificates along with the pamphlet on Ornamental Fish Culture were distributed by the Director, DSA, TNJFU, Nagapattinam.



A training programme on "Basics of Ornamental Fish Culture Practices" funded by NADP-Upgradation Scheme was conducted at Trichy CeSA from 11.10.2021 to 13.10.2021 and co-ordinated by Ms. S. Sangavi Assistant

Professor. Topics on ornamental fish keeping for beginners, indigenous ornamental fishes, basics in breeding and rearing of live-bearers and egg layers, the role of live food organisms, common management practices and economic returns of ornamental fish culture were delivered. Twenty unemployed women youth and home-makers from Jeeyapuram have attended and benefitted.



Swachhata Hi Seva campaign:

The Mandapam Centre for Sustainable Aquaculture (MCEsa) joined hands with CMFRI, Mandapam along with Directorate of Incubation and Vocational Training in Fisheries (DIVF), Indian Coast Guard



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To

Station, Mandapam and INS Parundu, Uchipuli in cleanliness drive at Ariyaman Beach, Ramanathapuram as part of the Swachhata Hi Seva campaign on 13.10.2021.

Directorate of Incubation and Vocational Training in Aquaculture

"Vigilance Awareness Week":



The pledge was administered at the Directorate of Incubation and Vocational training in Aquaculture, Muttukadu on 27.10.2021. Staff and B.Voc students (Industrial Aquaculture) have taken the pledge. Dr. N. Felix, Director,

DIVA administered the Vigilance Awareness week pledge.

An essay writing competition was also conducted on 29.10.2021 as part of Vigilance awareness week.

Directorate of Incubation and Vocational Training in Fisheries Training Programmes:

A training programme on "Deep Sea Fishing" was organised from 04.10.2021 to 09.10.2021". A total of 40 fishermen from Tharuvaikulam of Thoothukudi district participated. Mr.R.Amal Xavier, Joint Director of Fisheries and Fishermen Welfare, participated as Chief Guest and graced the occasion. Dr.N.Neethiselvan, Director, DIVE, presided over the function. Capt.S.Viswanathan, Dean, College of Nautical Science, Dr.N.V.Sujathkumar, Dean, Fisheries College and Research Institute, Tmt. Aunto Princy Vyla, Assistant Director, Dept of

Fisheries and Fishermen Welfare, Th.T.Vijayaragavan, Assistant Director, Dept of Fisheries and Fishermen Welfare, delivered felicitation addresses. During the valedictory function of Er.M.Muthukumar, Dean of Tamilnadu Maritime Academy, participated as chief guest and distributed the certificates to the trainees.

A training programme on "Deep Sea Fishing" was organised



from 25.10.2021 to 30.10.2021. A total of 32 fishermen from Thengapattinam and Thoothoor of Kanyakuramai district participated. The inaugural function was held on 25-10-2021. Mr.M. Kasinathapandian, Deputy Director of Fisheries

and Fishermen Welfare, Kanyakuramai participated as Chief Guest and graced the occasion. Dr.N.Neethiselvan, Director, DIVE, presided over the function. Capt.S.Viswanathan, Dean, College of Nautical Science, Dr.N.V.Sujathkumar, Dean, Fisheries College and Research Institute, Tmt. M. Virgil Cross, Assistant Director, Dept of Fisheries and Fishermen Welfare, delivered felicitation addresses. Er.M.Muthukumar, Dean of Tamilnadu Maritime Academy, Thoothukudi participated as chief guest and distributed the certificates to the trainees.



Research Publications :

T.Anand, A. Srinivasan, P. Padmavathy, P.Jawahar and J. Stephen Sampath Kumar (2021). Structure, proximate composition, nutrient dynamics and growth characteristics of *Penaeus vannamei* in indoor biofloc systems with three different salinities and carbon sources, Israeli Journal of Aquaculture -Bamidgeh, Vol. 73, pp 1-16. (NAAS Rating: 6.28).



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