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Department of Animal Science, B. A. College of Agriculture and NAHEP-CAAST Project, Anand Agricultural University, Anand jointly organized lectures on "Goodness of Chicken Egg: Natures Perfect Food" on Friday, 14th October 2022

On the occasion of World Egg Day - 2022, the Department of Animal Science, B. A. College of Agriculture and NAHEP-CAAST Project, Anand Agricultural University, Anand jointly organized lectures on **"Goodness of Chicken Egg: Natures Perfect Food"** on **Friday, 14th October 2022** at Auditorium, BACA, AAU, Anand, Gujarat. The programme was organized in hybrid mode where about 350 participants mainly students, faculty members, university officers, poultry farmers, veterinarians and poultry professionals attended in person as well as more than 800 participants viewed in online mode. Dr. M. K. Jhala, Director of Research and Dean PG studies, AAU, Anand presides over the programme.

The said programme started with the welcome address by Dr. F. P. Savaliya, Principal Scientist & Head, Poultry Research Station & CC-PI, NAHEP-CAAST, AAU, Anand which was followed by a floral welcome of eminent speakers and invited guests. After the verbal and floral welcome of speakers and guests, Dr. R. S. Pundir, Principal and Dean, IABMI & PI, NAHEP-CAAST, AAU, Anand briefed about the activities of NAHEP to the august gathering. Dr. Y. M. Shukla, Principal and Dean, BACA, AAU, Anand addressed the participants and briefed them about the World Egg Day programme.

The presidential address was delivered by Dr. M. K. Jhala, Director of Research and Dean PG studies, AAU, Anand and he focused on the goodness of chicken egg and how it is a perfect food and also briefed the participants about poultry activities carried out by AAU, Anand.

One of the two speakers Dr. S. R. Anand, Director, Anand Animal Health Pvt. Ltd. delivered a very interesting talk on "The Incredible Egg" and covered various aspects of production, nutritive values, myths bursting and facts about the chicken egg. Another eminent speaker Mr. Samir Patel, Managing Director, Qper India Pvt. Ltd. delivered a talk on "Nutritive Enhancement, Processing and Marketing of Chicken Eggs." Both lectures were informative and appreciated by participants. Some of the queries from participants were invited and attended nicely by both speakers.

As a token of love, respect, and gratitude both speakers were felicitated by presenting mementoes by the organizers.

The programme was concluded by a vote of Thanks by Dr. R. M. Rajpura, Assistant Professor & Organising Secretary of the programme, Dept. of Animal Science, BACA & Co-PI, NAHEP-CAAST, AAU, Anand.











