## Vocational Training Programme on 'Scientific Poultry Farming' organized by KVK, AAU, Dahod

A 'Vocational Training Programme' of 7 days duration on 'Scientific Poultry Farming' was organized by Krishi Vigyan Kendra, Anand Agricultural University, Dahod , from 16/10/2023 to 22/10/2023.

The first day of the programme, was started as per schedule with the registration of participating trainee farmers followed by the inaugural session. The inaugural event was started by playing our University song followed by the traditional lighting of the lamp ceremony. Thereafter, Dr. H.L. Kacha, Senior Scientist and Head, KVK, AAU, Dahod, welcomed the participants and provided an overall gist of the seven days schedule. After the inaugural session, the participants were asked to fill a preevaluation form. Further, the programme continued smoothly with Lectures, Slide shows and Film shows as per schedule by Dr. R. Radha Rani, Scientist (Animal Science), KVK, AAU, Dahod. The trainees had hands on practical experience of vaccination, debeaking and other routine chores involved in poultry farming at KVK's Poultry unit. A one day exposure visit was also organized wherein the participants were shown a live demonstration of the workings of a hatchery at IPDP, Dahod. On the $7^{\text {th }}$ day, a test was conducted to evaluate the trainees and in the afternoon session of the last day a valedictory programme was held wherein the trainees were conferred with certificates. The programme ended with feedback from the trainees and vote of thanks by Dr. N.D. Makwana, Scientist (Agronomy), KVK, AAU, Dahod. The entire programme was smoothly anchored by Dr. G.K. Bhabhor, Scientist (Extension Education), KVK, AAU, Dahod. The training programme saw an active participation by 27 enthusiastic farmers.



