

REGISTRATION FEE & MODE OF PAYMENT

The registration fee (non-refundable) for the seminar will be Rs. 500/- (Five hundred only). Fee may be sent by Demand Draft drawn in favour of “Golden Jubilee, Veterinary College, Anand” payable at Central Bank of India, Institute of Agriculture Campus Branch, Anand.

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STATE LEVEL SEMINAR

on

“CAMEL WELFARE AND PRODUCTIVITY ENHANCEMENT THROUGH HEALTH MANAGEMENT”

(30th December, 2014)



Organized by

Department of Livestock Production Management
College of Veterinary Science and Animal Husbandry
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In collaboration with

Department of Animal Husbandry, Gandhinagar, Gujarat

Invitation

Dear colleagues,

Camel, popularly known as the "*ship of the desert*" is the only livestock species which was originally domesticated for milk. It is the most efficient in milk production on per unit feed consumption basis. Camel milk contains nearly five times more vitamin C compared to cow milk. It also contains insulin like protein and is therefore used to treat Diabetes mellitus. Camel milk also contains medicinal properties against certain diseases. Simultaneously, Camel meat is also healthier as they produce carcasses with less cholesterol than other meat animals. Camel is better as riding animal than horse and can carry more weight. Camel is resistant to many notorious diseases like foot and mouth disease, mad cow disease (BSE) and Brucellosis etc. India is having 0.52 million nos. of camel which is about 2.5% of total world camel population. Highest camel population is in Rajasthan followed by Haryana and Gujarat. In view of this a one day state level seminar is being organized which will cover the important themes like draftability, behavior and welfare, health care management, milk, meat, hair productivity enhancement, marketing of milk, meat, hairs and their by-products, feed, fodder and nutrient requirements of camel. The present seminar entitled "*Camel welfare and productivity enhancement through health management*" is being held on 30th December, 2014 will provide suitable platform to our scientists, teachers, NGOs, camel keepers to deliberate on recent developments in the area of camel production and management in India and abroad.

VENUE

Anand is the administrative center of Anand district in Middle Gujarat and is popularly known as "Milk Capital of India". It hosts many important institutes such as AMUL (Anand Milk Union Limited), NDDB (National Dairy Development Board), IRMA (Institute of Rural Management Anand),

AAU (Anand Agriculture University), Sardar Patel University etc. The Veterinary College was established in the year 1964 and is celebrating its golden jubilee year. This college is conducting Under Graduate (B.V.Sc. & A.H.) and Post Graduate (M.V.Sc. & Ph.D.) programs in veterinary and animal science with quality research. The college also conducts refresher courses/short term courses, technical sessions and extension activities at various stages from time to time in addition to seminars on current topics.

TRANSPORT & ACCOMMODATION

Anand city is well connected to major cities of India by road and rail. It is located 60 kms south of Ahmedabad and 35 kms north of Vadodara at the main Ahmedabad-Mumbai western railway line. It is also well connected by road from Vadodara and Ahmedabad airport. The venue of college is about 5 kms from main bus stand and railway station of Anand. The veterinary college is located near Jagnath temple and NDDB Head Quarter.

Accommodation will be arranged for delegates at the guest houses of university, other institutes and standard hotels at Anand on payment basis for delegates.

TECHNICAL SESSION

The seminar will be conducted in two different technical sessions and one plenary session on the following themes.

1. Camel behavior and welfare
2. Draftability of camel.
3. Camel milk, meat and hair productivity enhancement
4. Camel health care management
5. Marketing of Camel milk, meat and hairs and their by-products
6. Feed, fodder and nutrient requirements of camel