

Mandapam Regional Centre of ICAR-CMFRI

As a part of the Prime Minister's "Swachh Bharat Abhiyan" the special National Sanitation Campaign, cleaning of office and work places was undertaken from 02.10.2016 to 26.10.2016 (15.30 – 16.30 hrs) in the following areas.

1. Adjoining places to the main entrance to Stores
2. Near Marine finfish Hatchery
3. Near RAS facility
4. Near New Aquarium
2. Near Administrative Block
5. Near Broodbank facility

Swachhta Pledge was taken by all the staff members on 17.10.2016 at Guest House premises. Dr.A.K.Abdul Nazar, Principal Scientist & Scientist-in-Charge, said that besides cleaning activities, awareness programme, tree plantation and various other events will be conducted during the period. Later cleaning of areas in and around the guest house was undertaken. Staff of Mandapam Regional Centre actively participated in the cleaning activities.

On 18.10.2016, staff of Mandapam Regional Centre actively involved in cleaning of the rear portion of guest house and surrounding areas of water tank.

On 19.10.2016, staff of Mandapam Regional Centre actively involved in cleaning the areas in and around the International Guest House.

On 20.10.2016, the staff of Mandapam Regional Centre actively involved in cleaning the areas opposite to Post Office.

Awareness about cleanliness was widely created among the general public and fishers in the adjacent villages namely Mandapam Camp, Marakayarpattinam, Vedalai and Valayarvadi.

This event has also created awareness and brought forth the message of cleanliness among the family members of staff who are residing in the residential quarters.



Staff of Mandapam Regional Centre cleaning the areas near main entrance to Stores



Staff of Mandapam Regional Centre cleaning the areas near hatchery



Staff of Mandapam Regional Centre cleaning the areas near RAS facility



Staff of Mandapam Regional Centre cleaning the areas near aquarium and broodbank facility



Staff who were actively involved in 'Swachh Bharat Abhiyan' activities

Guest House premises and surrounding area of water tank





Cleaning the areas in and around the International Guest House





Cleaning the areas opposite to Post Office



Mandapam Regional Centre of CMFRI - Tree plantation programme - 'Swachhta Pakhwada' Activities at 21-22, October 2016

On 21st and 22nd October 2016, the staff of Mandapam Regional Centre actively involved in preparation of pits and planting the saplings. Dr.A.K.Abdul Nazar, Principal Scientist & Scientist-in-Charge initiated the planting programme. Nearly 150 saplings were planted within office premises and residential areas. The tree saplings include:

1. Indian Tulip - (*Thespesia populnea*), *Poovarasu* in Tamil
2. *Malai Vembu* in Tamil (*Melia dubia*)
3. Indian Beech (*Millettia pinnata*), *Pongam* in Tamil
4. Neem (*Azadirachta indica*), *Vembu* in Tamil
5. Indian Almond (*Terminalia catappa*), *Badam* in Tamil
6. Mango (*Mangifera indica*), *Maa* in Tamil



Mandapam Regional Centre of CMFRI Activities on 24th October 2016

On 24.10.2016, the staff of Mandapam Regional Centre actively involved in cleaning the areas adjacent to CMFRI Nursery School and old residence block.



Mandapam Regional Centre of CMFRI Activities on 25th October 2016

On 25.10.2016, the staff of Mandapam Regional Centre actively involved in cleaning the areas on roadside from Main entrance to National Highway.



Mandapam Regional Centre - 'Swachhta Pakhwada' activities done at near seashore entrance of CMFRI on 26.10.2016

