

### **ICAR NIANP reach out to farmers of Kolar District of Bengaluru**

In a significant event, ICAR-NIANP organized National Farmers' Day 2024 at Segenahalli MPCs, Mulbagal Tq, Kolar district of Karnataka. The event observed a notable participation of 144 farmers, including 34 SC dairy beneficiaries.

The function was chaired by the Dr. Artabandhu Sahoo Director of ICAR-NIANP, who distributed 30 tons of cattle feed (DAPSC) and 97 rubber mats (NICRA) to SC dairy farmers under DAPSC scheme. In his address, the Director emphasized the importance of the DAPSC scheme initiated by the Government of India, highlighting its role in improving the livelihood of SC dairy farmers. He also stressed the significance of balanced nutrition for dairy cows to ensure healthy and quality milk production. The programme was co-chaired by Dr Chandre Gowda Principal Scientist ICAR ATARI Bengaluru, Dr G T Ramaiah Ex.Deputy Director Kolar District, Dr A Arangasamy Nodal Officer DAPSC, Dr C Devaraj, Dr Krishnappa Balaganur. This program also supported by AH&VS and district Gopalsangh, Kolar.