Training on Improved Agronomic Practices for *Kharif* Crops organized under SCSP by ICAR-CAZRI-RRS, Jaisalmer

A training program under SCSP was organised at ICAR-CAZRI, RRS Jaisalmer on 26.10.2020. Twenty-five farmers of Basanpeer village participated in the program. Dr. Deepak Chaturvedi, Head of KVK, Jaisalmer was the Chief guest of the program. Dr. Chaturvedi briefed about the improved package of practices that should be followed by the farmers for higher production. Further, Dr. M. Patidar, Head of the station, emphasised on improved agronomic practices of *kharif* crops. Dr. S. C. Meena and Harjendra Singh delivered brief lecture on importance of integrated pest management in arid area. Dr. Archana Sanyal discussed with farmers about significance of quality seed and methods to test seed quality at field level itself. Dr. Sankar Lal Jat briefly described the disease management in livestock. Atul Galav told farmers the significance of weather forecasting in crop production. Dr. Dileep Kumar, coordinator of the program briefed the farmers about role of organic farming to improve soil health and crop production. Dr. Archana Sanyal, Dr. Dileep Kumar and Dr. Saranya R. organized the program. Registration of the farmers was done by the Technical Sumit Kumar and Roshan Lal Meena.

