

Dr. B. K. Kikani Hon'ble V.C. addressing
Krishi Shibir at Bilkha

The festival is one of its own kinds in the world when the scientists interact with the farmers directly face to face and door to door. This created a great deal of zeal and zest among the farming community.



A team of subject matter specialists and crop specialists from the university provided the guidance to about 1.79 lakh farmers. The university deputed 350 scientists and teachers for the transfer of agricultural and animal husbandry technologies to the farmers. There



has been overwhelming response from the farmers. This mahostav provided an excellent opportunity of interaction between agricultural scientists, developmental agencies, governmental official and the farmers. Dr. B. K. Kikani Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, JAU, participated in most of the shibirs in all the seven districts of Saurashtra region.

NEW RESEARCH PROJECT

- WG as a source of sulphur nutrient in Groundnut, sponsored by Sulphur Mills Limited, Mumbai at the Department of Agricultural Chemistry and Soil Science JAU, Junagadh with an outlay of Rs. 2.60 lakh for two years.
- 2. Demonstration of recommended IPMIINM Technologies for Management of Coconut eriophyidmite attack affected of Gujarat. Department of Entomology, JAU, Junagadh, sponsored by National Horticultural Mission, Department of Horticulture, Gujarat State, Gandhinagar and

- Coconut Development Board with an outlay of Rs. 38.0 lakhs.
- 3. Evaluation of Bt Cotton hybrids (H x H). sponsored by various organizations like Nuziveedu Seeds Ltd., Green Gold Seeds Ltd., Navkar Hybrid Seeds, Ltd. Yasoda Hybrid Seeds Ltd., Pravardhan Seeds Pvt. Ltd., Vikram Seeds Ltd., Kaveri Seeds co. Ltd., Solar Agrotech Pvt. Limited, with a total outlay of Rs. 23.52 lakh, be carried out at the Regional Cotton Research Station, JAU, Junagadh.
- 4. To Judge efficacy of Bt. Bioenzyme on cotton, sponsored by Biostandt India Ltd., at Regional cotton Research Station, JAU, Junagadh with an outlay of Rs. 1.47 lakh.

Agricultural Exhibitions at Amreli



- 1. Dr. B. K. Kikani Hon'ble V. C., Dr. D.B. Kuchhadia, Director of Research and Dr. R. L. Savalia, Director of Extension Education.
- 2. Shri Narendrabhai Modi, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Gujarat addressing the huge gathering at Amreli on Gujarat Gaurav Deen.
- 3-4. Women farmers watching the vegetable and fruit exhibition.