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ATMA conducts one day training

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Jammu, Dec 29: One day training program of farmers of Jammu District and Exposure Visit of Women Food Security Groups of Chak Bana, Bishnah and Badyal Brahmana (R.S. Pura) was conducted by Agricultural Technology Management Agency (ATMA), Jammu under National Mission on Agriculture Extension Technology (NMAET) at Krishi Vigyan Kendra (KVK), SKUAST-J, R.S. Pura, Jammu.

In the said training program more than 100 farmers from different areas of Jammu District including women farmers of WFSGs participated.

Arun Kumar Makhnotra, District Agriculture Officer (Extension), Jammu while addressing gave stress on the strengthening of the groups and instructed to the staff of ATMA and Agriculture Department to educate the women farmers particularly the new techniques of Mushroom Cultivation throughout the year, Management of Apiaries, training regarding canning and food preservation so that the women groups are established and will set an example for other groups.

Dr. Vikas Tandon, Head KVK, R.S. Pura also spoke on the occasion and gave a detail of several techniques by which the Women Food Security Groups are strengthen.

Dy. Project Directors B. B. Sidha and Ravinder Kachroo also spoke and gave a detailed overview of the activities of ATMA in Jammu District. Dr. Rakesh of KVK, R.S. Pura delivered a lecture on yellow rust of wheat. Exposure to Mushroom unit and Vermi compost unit of the farmers was conducted by Dr. Poonam. Among others who were present include Rakesh Gandotra, Program Coordinator, Ashwani Jojra, Dr. Meenakshi, Dr. Deepshikha Sharma, S. K. Munshi, S. Baljinder Singh, Ashwani Kaw, Rekha Sharma and Devanshi Pandit, ATMs of ATMA, Jammu.