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Report

Two Days National Workshop on “Development of Entrepreneurial Skills in Women - The Futuristic Role of Extension Education for Sustainable Development”

The two-day National Workshop on the Development of Entrepreneurial Skills in Women - The Futuristic Role of Extension Education for Sustainable Development was held on 23rd and 24th September 2020. The workshop was organized by the Extension Education Department of S. S. Girls' College, Gondia, in collaboration with the College of Agriculture and Research Station, Narayanpur. The online workshop, conducted via the Zoom platform and YouTube, aimed to empower women with entrepreneurial skills and explore the role of extension education in sustainable development.

The first day of the workshop focused on developing entrepreneurial skills among women. The resource persons for the day included Hon'ble Dr. R. K. Bajpai, Director of Research at Indira Gandhi Krishi Vishwavidyalaya, Raipur (Chhattisgarh); Hon'ble Mrs. Gigi Thomas, former Head of the Department of Extension Education at L.A.D and S.R.P. College, Nagpur; and Hon'ble Dr. Ratna Nashine, Professor and Dean at the College of Agriculture and Research Station, Narayanpur. They shared their expertise and experiences, providing valuable insights into entrepreneurship for women.

Mrs. S. A. Moon and Mr. M. B. Kurve conducted the anchoring for the first day, ensuring the smooth flow of the sessions. Mrs. N. D. Khandekar, Head of the Extension Education Department, delivered an introductory speech, setting the context for the workshop and emphasizing the importance of entrepreneurial skills for women's empowerment.

Hon'ble Principal Dr. N. K. Bahekar of S. S. Girls' College, Gondia, delivered the presidential speech, highlighting the significance of the workshop and extension education in promoting sustainable development. Dr. Ratna Nashine expressed gratitude on behalf of the organizing committee and thanked the resource persons, participants, and everyone involved in making the first day of the workshop successful.

The second day of the workshop focused on mushroom cultivation and the establishment of small enterprises for the self-reliance of farm women. The resource persons for the day were Hon'ble Dr. T. M. Thakur, Director, Instructions/Controller at Indira Gandhi Krishi Vishwavidyalaya, Raipur (Chhattisgarh), and Hon'ble Dr. Rekha Tiwari from KVK, Ujjain, RVSKVV, Gwalior (Madhya Pradesh). They shared their expertise on mushroom cultivation and discussed how it can be an effective means for small-scale entrepreneurship.

Dr. Rekha Lilhare and Dr. J. D. Punde took charge of anchoring the second day, ensuring the smooth conduct of the sessions. Mrs. N. D. Khandekar, Head of the Extension Education Department, delivered the vote of thanks on behalf of the organizing committee, expressing gratitude to the resource persons, participants, and everyone involved in making the second day of the workshop successful.

The workshop saw active participation from a total of 421 individuals, including students, faculty members, researchers, and other stakeholders interested in women's entrepreneurial development and sustainable practices.



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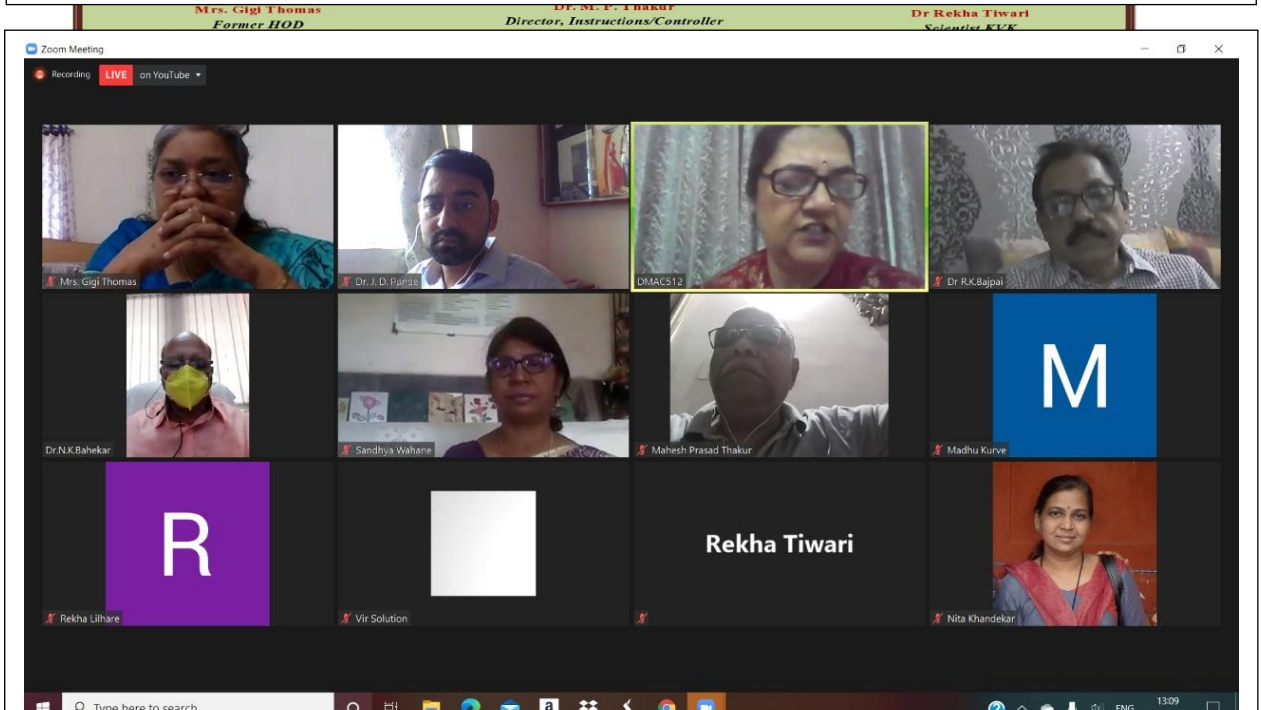
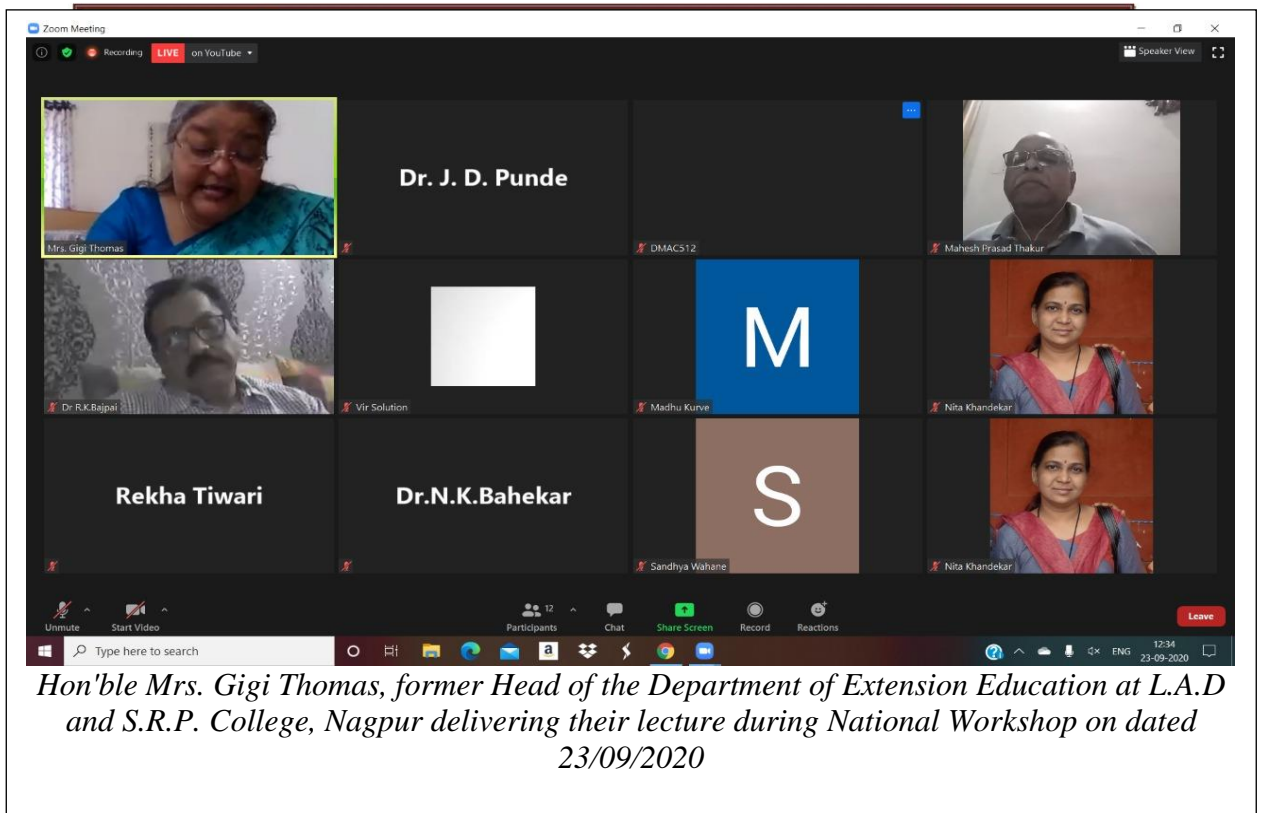
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The National Workshop on the Development of Entrepreneurial Skills in Women provided a platform for knowledge sharing and discussion on the role of extension education in empowering women and promoting sustainable development. The workshop, conducted online via the Zoom platform, featured renowned resource persons who shared their expertise and experiences. The active participation of 421 individuals demonstrated the significance of the workshop in addressing women's empowerment and sustainable development goals. The event proved instrumental in equipping women with the necessary skills and knowledge to embark on successful entrepreneurial journeys and contribute to the sustainable development of their communities.





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How To Develop Women Entrepreneurs?

- Consider **women as specific target group** for all developmental programmers.
- Better educational facilities and schemes** should be extended to women folk from government part.
- Adequate training programme** on management skills to be provided to women community.
- Encourage **women's participation** in decision-making.
- Vocational training** to be extended to women community that enables them to understand the production process and production management.
- Skill development** to be done in women's polytechnics and industrial training institutes. Skills are put to work in training-cum-production workshops.
- Training on professional competence and leadership skill** to be extended to women entrepreneurs.

Dr. J. D. Punde
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Hon'ble Dr. T. M. Thakur, Director, Instructions/Controller at Indira Gandhi Krishi Vishwavidyalaya, Raipur (Chhattisgarh) delivering their Presentation during National

PYAARI BAI: VEGETABLE CULTIVATION THROUGH ORGANIC FARMING

- NAME: PYARI BAI
- AGE: 38 YEARS
- VILLAGE: MITTAPUR
- BLOCK: CHHERRA
- DISTRICT: RAJNANDGAON
- NO. OF FAMILY MEMBERS: 7
- LAND HOLDING: 3 ACRES
- MAJOR INCOME SOURCE: YEAN
- CROPS: RICE AND VEGETABLES
- PRODUCTION: TURMERIC
- ANIMALS: 4 COWS 3 OR AND 2 BUFFALOES
- POULTRY BIRDS: 25

YouTube Channel Link:
<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCwsIrKxJwdNX4yjlCTp6Ag>

The resource persons delivering their Lectures during National Workshop on dated 24/09/2020 on YouTube Platform