

**TWO DAYS TRAINING FOR FARMERS & UNEMPLOYED YOUTHS UNDER  
VVK MIZORAM**

**ON**

***BAMBOO VALUE ADDITION***

**Venue: ARCBR, Aizawl, Mizoram**

**Duration: 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> February, 2018**

A group of 20 farmers and unemployed youth mostly comprising the women from two localities namely Bethlehem Vengthlang, and ITI Veng of Aizawl district of Mizoram were invited through respective village council for the training on bamboo value addition at ARCBR.

After the registration of the participants inaugural session started with the welcome address and brief introduction about the research activities of ARCBR by Sh. M. Z. Singson, Head, ARCBR. He also briefed them about the training programme. The main objectives of this training were to create awareness and impart training on the importance of bamboo preservation and its value addition.

Inaugural session was followed by light refreshment and after that Sh Sandeep Yadav, Scientist-C, ARCBR and his Research fellows delivered a lecture to the farmers on Bamboo charcoal and its uses highlighting the bamboo briquettes and soap making especially.

The farmers and unemployed youths were taken to the Bamboo charcoal making kiln where Shri M.Z.Singson, Head ARCBR & Shri H.R Bora, ACTO, ARCBR Demonstrated the farmers and unemployed youths on loading of bamboo in the charcoal kiln

On 7<sup>th</sup> February, 2018 Shri Hans Raj and Sh. Sandeep Yadav, Scientists, ARCBR demonstrated hands on training on bamboo briquettes and soap making which was followed by a brief PPT by Shri Hans Raj, Scientist, ARCBR and his fellow Research staff on

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bamboo preservation and working of the Boucherie instrument for bamboo preservation through impregnation method. Ms Malsawmtluangi, lab assistant, ARCBR demonstrated the working of the Boucherie instrument to the farmers and unemployed youths and treated the bamboo poles by use of CCB chemical.

In the valedictory session, feedback from the farmers and unemployed youths were taken regarding the training programme. The participants were then awarded certificates in the concluding valedictory session.



Welcome address by Sh. M. Z. Singson, Head ARCBR





**Power Point Presentation by Sh Sandeep Yadav, Sc-C and his Project Staff on Bamboo Charcoal and its uses**



**Demonstration to farmers and unemployed youths on loading of bamboo in the charcoal kiln**





Sh. Hans Raj, Sc-C and Project staff delivered a PPT on Bamboo preservation and working of Boucherie Instrument



Ms Malsawmtluangi, Lab Assistsnt, ARCBR demonstrating the participants on working of Boucherie Instrument and chemical preservation by use of CCB





**Bamboo charcoal and briquettes making by farmers and unemployed youths**





Bamboo charcoal soap making by farmers and unemployed youths



Group Photo