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CELEBRATION OF 75TH INDEPENDENCE DAY AT INSTITUTE OF HORTICULTURE TECHNOLOGY, GREATER NOIDA

The 15th August is celebrated across the nation with full enthusiasm and fervour to mark the Independence Day. On this day, August 15 1947, India became independent, and the British colonial rule ended. The 75th Independence Day of India was celebrated with gaiety and patriotic fervour at Institute of Horticulture Technology at Greater Noida Campus amidst the beautiful morning of 15th August, 2021. The ceremony took place in the presence of Sh. Sandeep Sudan and Sh. Sanjay Sudan, Co-Chairman IHT, Dr. Vijay, K. Koul, Assoc. Director, IHT and other faculty and administration staff of the Institute. The ceremony commenced with the unfurling of the National Flag by Sh. Sandeep Sudan. This was accompanied by the rendition of National Anthem led by the institute's staff. Sh. Sandeep Sudan, Sh. Sanjay Sudan and other speakers detailed out the struggle of the freedom fighters made preceding the 15th August 1947 and emphasised the need to be responsible citizens and contribute to the nation building. The program ended with the message to create a great nation through collective efforts from all individual.



TECHNOLOGY DEMONSTRATIONS

Demonstration of Tissue Cultured Cut Flower Orchid Production in Villages of Assam and Meghalaya

Institute successfully organized training on tissue cultured cut flower orchid production in protected condition at IHT Mandira campus as well as at nearest farmer's fields in this month. This training was conducted under the project of "Demonstration of Tissue Cultured Cut Flower Orchid Production in Villages of Assam and Meghalaya".



Hands on Training in IHT Mandira Assam on Orchids Cultivation



Hands on Training in Farmers Field in Assam on Orchids Cultivation

IHT EDUCATION

Capacity building training programmes

Modern Gardener Practices for Embassy Gardeners: A gardener is responsible for maintaining lawns, trees, shrubs, ground covers; he needs to be aware of the soil and nutrition requirements of plants, pests and diseases and their control and drainage. Gardeners also need to acquire skills in grafting, pruning, weeding and harvesting of flowers, fruits and vegetables. Institute of Horticulture Technology organized 2 weeks training programme for the embassy gardeners of Delhi on “Modern Gardener Practices”. Innovative garden practices and its proper utilization attracted the participant most as this helps them to trouble shoot the problems in garden management and enhance the efficiency of their gardens.



Glimpses of Hands on Training of Embassy Gardeners on Modern Gardener Practices



Landscape Horticulture: Knowledge is only part of what makes a landscape designer exceptional. IHT organized 2 weeks' landscape horticulture training programs from 23rd August – 7th September for trainee(s) seeking career in landscaping. The trainees had the opportunity to work in a professional setting with residential and business spaces, follow landscape designs, use machinery, and build landscape structures. Landscape Gardening courses designed by IHT are descriptive in creating awareness and developing all of these capabilities.

Capacity Building – Online Programmes

Mushroom Production Technology: Institute organized 3 days training program for trainees from different states of India in different slots from 2nd -4th August and from 11th – 13th August in online mode.

Commercial Hydroponics: IHT organized 2 weeks training programmes on “Commercial Hydroponics” in different slots from 2nd -7th August and 23rd August – 4th September for entrepreneurs came from different regions from India. The course was being delivered 50% online and 50% offline, i.e. hands on training in institute, supported with online and offline classes and practical's.

Upcoming Training Programmes:

The covid-19 pandemic has brought a not to expected halt in our lives in terms of career growth, nevertheless, this halt may slow down for months, but the opportunity to learn and grow your skills have increased. Even in these bleak times, people around the world have not decided to give them strive for a better career. These sit at home time are being converted into great skill addition opportunities. Globally and in India too people have shown a great interest in the following courses.

S. No.	Title	Date	Duration	Mode of Training
1.	Mushroom Production Technology	1st -3rd Sept 2021	3 Days	Online
2.	Protected cultivation of vegetables crops	6th -11th Sept 2021	1 Week	Online
3.	Commercial Hydroponics	6th -11th Sept 2021	1 Week	Online
4.	Organic farming	9th -11th Sept 2021	3 Days	Online
5.	Vegetables nursery production	13th -15th Sept 2021	3 Days	Online
6.	Vegetables nursery production	16th -18th Sept 2021	3 Days	Offline

**Customized courses on protected cultivation of vegetable crops, commercial hydroponics, mushroom cultivation, vegetables nursery production, forest plant nursery management, commercial hydroponic also offered on demand.*

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