

## Awareness Campaigns organized under PMEGP Scheme

The A&N Islands Khadi & Village Industries Board jointly with the Directorate of Industries organized an Awareness Campaign-cum-People's Education programme on Prime Minister's Employment Generation Programme (PMEGP), PM Formalization of Micro Food Processing Enterprises (PMFME) scheme and other Govt Sponsored Self employment Schemes at Gram Panchayat, Calicut, South Andaman in association with the Directorate of Fisheries, NABARD and PRIs. The programme was attended by 23 beneficiaries.

During the programme, the package assistance available with the Khadi Board such as training, finance and marketing for providing gainful self employment opportunities for the unemployed youths were explained in detail. The participants were given information on the modified guidelines of PMEGP scheme recently received from the Ministry of MSME, GoI, New Delhi. The Participants were also motivated to work on handicrafts sector making optimum use of the locally available resources. The Manager (FT) from Industries Department elaborated on the benefits that are available under the PMFME scheme for the welfare of beneficiaries who have established food processing units.

In his key note address, the Up Pradhan, Gram Panchayat, Calicut articulated his gratitude towards the all associating departments for their legitimate effort for the welfare of the unemployed/ under employed youths towards self employment and exhorted the participants to make best use of the information shared by different developmental agencies towards their future livelihood support.

Further, the general public are informed that another Awareness Campaign-cum-People's Education programme on Prime Minister's Employment Generation Programme (PMEGP), PM Formalization of Micro Food Processing Enterprises (PMFME) scheme and other Govt Sponsored Self employment Schemes will be organized at the Community Hall, Chouldari Gram Panchayat on 07/09/2022 (Wednesday) at 1000 hrs. Interested beneficiaries are hereby requested to attend the programme and avail the benefits under Govt. sponsored schemes.

  
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Executive Officer [I/c]