

**CELEBRATION OF
AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION DAY-2024
(December 03, 2024)**

AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION DAY-2024 on theme of **“AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERING IN THE FUTURE AND FUTURE IN AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERING”** was celebrated by College of Agricultural Engineering & Technology, Junagadh Agricultural University, Junagadh, on **03.12.2024**

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The said event was organised under motivation and guidance of **Dr. V P Chovatia saheb, Hon. Vice Chancellor, JAU, Junagadh.** The continues supports from Dr. R B Madariya, Director of Research & Dean, PG Studies, Dr. N B Jadav, DEE, Dr. Y H Ghelani, Registrar, JAU and Dr. R M Solanki, Registrar, JAU, Junagadh has also helped to make the even successful.

At the first outset, Prof. A L Vadher, Assistant Professor, FMPE, CAET, JAU, Junagadh had welcome all dignitaries seated on and off the dais as well as faculties/staff. Dr. M N Dabhi, HoD. PFE, Dr. V K Chandegara, HoD-AEEE and Dr. M S Dulawat, HoD, REE, other faculties and technical staff of CAET were remained present.

Dr. H D Rank, Principal & Dean, CAET, JAU, Junagadh made brief presentation on **“Agricultural Education: Past, Present & Future”**. He gave brief explanation about the objectives of Agricultural Education Day celebrated all over the India. He presented facts on the history of Agricultural Education in India from ancient education in world famous Nalanda & Takshshila universities, then from first Agricultural College at Saidapet (Chennai) in 1877 to present modern agricultural education system after implementations of recommendations of 6th Dean’s committee report for UG and BSMA report for the PG programme adopted all over the India under umbrella of ICAR, New Delhi.

Dr. H D Rank, Principal & Dean, CAET, JAU, Junagadh, in his presidential speech, emphasized the role of young generations for the agricultural development. He also briefed on importance and roles of Agricultural experts in the nation’s development as well as water-food-energy securities for the ever growing population of the nation under era of changing climate. He also gave importance and issues of the agricultural productions in India. The sustenance of farmers’ livelihood was emphasized by him particularly under the uncertain climates and water scarcities.

He congratulated the team of CAET, JAU, Junagadh for organizing successfully **"AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION DAY-2024 "** was celebrated on theme of on theme of **“AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERING IN THE FUTURE AND FUTURE IN AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERING”**

The following schedules was followed during the celebration of the said event.

PROGRAM		
Venue : CAET Seminar hall. Date : 03.12.2024, Tuesday Time : 16.30h onward		
Time	Particular	Speaker
16.30-16.35	Welcome address	Prof. A L Vadher Assistant Professor, CAET, JAU, Junagadh
16.35-16.55	Agricultural Education : Past, Present & Future	Dr. H D Rank Principal & Dean, CAET, JAU, Junagadh
16.55-17.55	Elocution by students on “Agricultural Engineering in the Future and Future in Agricultural Engineering”	CAET Students
17.55-18.05	Views on importance of Agricultural Education	HoDs/Faculties
18.05-18.10	Remarks by	Dr. H D Rank Principal & Dean, CAET
18.10-18.15	Vote of Thank	Prof. G. S. Kharadi, PFE, CAET, JAU, Junagadh

The following competitions were organized in two groups.

- (I) **Elocution competitions among M Tech Students of CAET on theme : AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERING IN THE FUTURE AND FUTURE IN AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERING”**

SN	Student Name	Total
1	Ms.Dhruvi Asodiya, 1st Sem. M Tech-PFE	Participated & Ranked I
2	Mr. Venktaish Sai, 1st Sem. M Tech-FMPE	Participated & Ranked II
3	Mr. Sushant Patel, 1st Sem. M Tech-PFE	Participated & Ranked III
4	Ms.. Maru jay, 1 st Sem. M Tech-PFE	Participated
5	Ms.Shital Sankhaliya, 1 st Sem. M Tech-PFE	Participated

- (II) **Elocution competitions among Ph.D. Students of CAET on theme : AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERING IN THE FUTURE AND FUTURE IN AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERING”**

SN	Student Name	Total
1	Ms. Vipal Mansuriya, 7th Sem. PhD-FMPE	Participated & Ranked I
2	Ms. Jugnu B Dhodia, 1st Sem. PhD-SWCE	Participated & Ranked II
3	Mr. Shubham Yadav, 3rd Sem. PhD-PFE	Participated & Ranked III
4	Ms. Ananya Mishra, 5 th Sem. PhD-SWCE	Participated
5	Mr. Dhiraj Kumar, 5 th Sem. PhD-SWCE	Participated
6	Mr. Dhruv Faldu, 1 st Sem. PhD-REE	Participated
7	Mr. Rahul Kumar, 3 rd Sem. PhD-SWCE	Participated
8	Ms. Rina Sabalpara, 5 th Sem. PhD-PFE	Participated
9	Mr. Dhruv Chocha, 1 st Sem. PhD-REE	Participated
10	Ms. Macedonia Devi, 3 rd Sem. PhD FMPE	Participated

The following panel of judges were constituted vide office order No. No. JAU/CAET/PA3993-4003/2024, Junagadh, Dt. 03/12/2024 by Principal & Dean, CAET, JAU, Junagadh.

S.No.	Name with Designation	
1	Dr. H V Parmar, Associate professor, JAU, Jaunagadh	Convener
2	Prof. N. B. Parmar, Asstt. Prof., FMPE, CAET, JAU, Jaunagadh	Member
3	Dr. S V Kelaiya, Asstt. Prof., REE, CAET, JAU, Jaunagadh	Member
4	Prof. G. S. Kharadi, Asstt. Prof., PFE, CAET, JAU, Jaunagadh	Member Secretary

Dr. V K Chandegra, HoD-AEEE had briefed on importance of Agricultural education in the current scenarios in India. Dr. M N Dabhi, HoD-PFE, briefed on scopes of Agricultural Engineering in Agro processing, Value additions and Marketing chain for increasing the farmers income. Dr. M S Dulawat, HoD-REE briefed on potential of Agricultural Engineering Education specifically in the field of Renewable Energy.

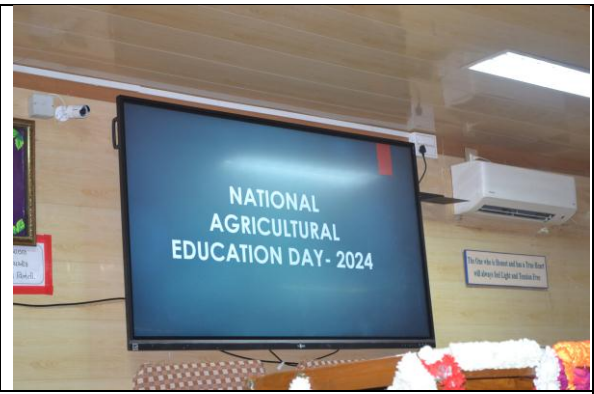
At the end, Prof. G. S. Kharadi, Assistant Professor, PFE, CAET, JAU, Junagadh, expressed the vote of thanks.

Total 210 UG/PG students and 15 faculties, 10 technical/supporting staff have participated in the said event. The few clicks of the event are as below.



Presentation by Dr. H. D. Rank, Principal & Dean, CAET, JAU, Junagadh





Faculties expressing their views on Agricultural Education Day



Students participating in the event





Winner team with CAET Faculties

Vote of Thanks by Prof. G. S. Kharadi,
Assistant Professor ,PFE, CAET, JAU,
Junagadh