<u>Celebration of National Productivity Week-2017 (12th-18th February, 2017)</u> <u>at ICAR-NIHSAD, Bhopal</u>

The National Productivity Week-2017 was observed at ICAR-NIHSAD, Bhopal during 12th-18th February, 2017. The theme for the celebration was "From Waste to profits through Reduce, Recycle and Reuse". The observance commenced with the essay competition (Hindi/English) on the theme & announcement of Slogan Competition on 13th February, 2017. The staffs and students of NIHSAD took part in the competition.

Awareness programs regarding the 3 R's (Reduce, Recycle and Reuse) were conducted for the staff and students. Videos regarding Air Pollution, Environmental Conservation, Plastics Waste Management & Recycling, Recycle Kitchen waste, Garbage Problem and its solution were screened during the programs.

The productivity week celebrations concluded with Guest lecture by Dr. S. S. Pandya, Senior Scientist, Madhya Pradesh Pollution Control Board, Bhopal on 18th February, 2017. The lecture gave thorough information on the three R's viz. Reduce, Recycle and Reuse and its economics. In the concluding remarks Director, ICAR-NIHSAD, Dr. V. P. Singh has emphasized the need for waste management including micro-management at the household level to reduce the detrimental effect of wastes on environment. Prizes for the winners of First, Second & Third position in the essay and slogan competitions were distributed by the Director.





