

TEC, ICAR-IVRI, Pune organised an Animal Health Camp on 6th June 2018 at *Kulwandi* village and monitored progress of TSP programme in *Gawandh* village of Nashik district

Training and Education Centre (TEC), ICAR – IVRI, Pune in collaboration with State Animal Husbandry Department, Govt. of Maharashtra, organised an animal health camp on 6th June 2018 at *Kulwandi* tribal village of Peint taluka in Nashik district. A total of 213 animals (cattle-84, buffaloes-37 and goats-92) of 34 farmers were treated, of these 15 were young and 198 were adult. Majority of the cases were of parasitic infection, followed by malnutrition (19), skin allergy (1) and enteritis (1). Deworming was done in 131 cases, and acaricidal spray was done in 61 animals. After the camp, visited a goat farm of a progressive tribal farmer maintaining about 40 local goats. The farmer was advised on improvements in housing, feeding and health management. Dr SK Das and Dr HP Aithal, Pr Scientists of TEC, Pune and Dr Santosh Shinde, Livestock Development Officer, State Animal Husbandry Department have participated in the animal health camp.

On 5th June 2018, monitoring of goats distributed to 20 tribal farmers under TSP programme at *Gawandh* village was done. The body weight of new born kids (15) was recorded, and the animals were checked for health condition and the sick goats were treated. The farmers were also advised to ensure proper housing, feeding and management of goats for better growth and health during the rainy season. Mineral mixture was distributed to all the beneficiary farmers. In addition, Marvel grass was also distributed to all the farmers and demonstration was given on its plantation.



Animal Health Camp- animals brought for treatment



Animal Health Camp- distribution of medicines and mineral mixture



Animal health camp- spraying of acaricide



Animal health Camp- treatment of a buffalo



A tribal farmer with a flock of goats



A tribal woman with a flock of goats



Goat shed built in a farmer's house



Distribution of Marvel grass