

Fundamental farmer training on a new method of increasing rice productivity through System of Rice Intensification (SRI)

In the training the participant farmers were four famers per ward from nine wards of Khaduwa Bangai VDC, Rupandehi. The training started on 22nd May 2009 and ended at 23rd May 2009. On the first day, the participant farmers were trained about the principle and practices of System of Rice Intensification (SRI) and on the second day, the farmers were trained with practical courses in the field and on the same day, each farmer were given one kg seed of Ramdhan variety for practicing the given method of rice cultivation.

Training Schedule

Date	Time	Activities
2009/5/22	11.00-11.20	Inauguration ceremony
		<p><u>Chief guest</u> Mrs. Puspa Bhusal Community development Coordinator(Livelihood) World Vision International Nepal Butwal A.D.P.</p> <p><u>President</u> Mr. Narayan Ghimire Sunaulo Bihani Society Development Center Khaduwa Bangai-7, Rupandehi, Nepal</p> <p><u>Trainer Guest</u> Researchers Mr. Sharad Pandey Institute of Agriculture and Animal Science Rampur, Chitwan, Nepal</p> <p>Mr. Narayan Kafle Institute of Agriculture and Animal Science Rampur, Chitwan, Nepal</p>
	11.20-12.00	Introduction among participants farmers
	12.00-12.30	Introduction about System of Rice Intensification(SRI)
	12.30-14.00	Detail information about SRI
	14.00-14.30	Refreshment
	14.30-15.30	Audiovisual Demonstration of different practices of SRI
	15.30-16.00	Discussion interaction and closing
2009/5/22	11.00-11.15	Group division of participants farmers
	11.15-11.45	Discussion interaction of previous day activities
	11.45-12.15	Information on method of seed selection

	12.15-12.30	Information on method of seed treatment
	12.30-13.30	Information on preparation of nursery bed
	13.30-14.00	Information on field preparation
	14.30-15.00	Information on methods of
	15.00-15.45	Information on transplanting method
	15.45-16.15	Information on weeding methods
	16.15-16.45	Discussion and interaction about different practices
	16.45-17.00	Closing ceremony