Regional Research Station, Leh (Union Territory of Ladakh) of the ICAR-Central Arid Zone Research Institute organized "World Environment Day" on 5th June, 2022 at Tsogsti Village. During the programme, Dr. R.K. Goyal, Principal Scientist and Head of CAZRI, RRS Leh, Mr. Neeraj Kumar of Power Grid Corporation of India and other staff of the station including Drs. Mahesh K. Gaur, Dipankar Saha, Noor Mohmad, Ms. Changchuk Lamo, Mr. Jigmat Stanzin, Ms Stanzin Landol, Mr. Yogendra Singh, Mr. Rigzin Dorje and Mr. Mohd Raza were present and programme was attended by more than 15 farmers of Tsogsti village.

Dr. R.K. Goyal briefed about the programme and said that over-exploitation and pollution of natural resources, the environment of the earth has been badly affected. Time has come to seriously think about it. We all together have to remain aware and follow our moral duties towards the protection of environment. Dr. Mahesh K. Gaur said that the main aim of the 5th June is to create awareness among people about the importance of nature and how we can prevent and conserve them. He emphasized upon various ways through which we can save nature as well as ourselves from its repercussions. He also highlighted the theme for this year for environment day "Only One Earth-Living Sustainably in Harmony with Nature". Mr. D. Saha said that these programmes focus on the importance of living sustainably and in peace with nature. We should encourage people to plant new trees and also opt for other ways through for preserving nature.

An interactive session was followed with Dr. Noor Mohmad, Ms. Changchuk Lamo, Mr. Jigmat Stanzin and Ms. Stanzin Landol. At the end, farmer of the village expressed their feeling and thanked the RRS CAZRI for helping them in various modes.



