## RFRI PARTICIPATED IN SWANIYOJAN: JORHAT CONCLAVE FOR ENTREPRENEURSHIP DEVELOPMENT

Rain Forest Research Institute, Jorhat participated at Swaniyojan: Jorhat Conclave for Entrepreneurship Development, organised by Jorhat Administration at Jorhat during 7<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> April, 2022. This conclave was an effort of Jorhat Administration to promote entrepreneurship and self-employment. The three-day long event aimed at motivating young minds for stepping into the world of entrepreneurship to achieve self-reliance. Various activities were conducted in this event such as Sessions by resource persons from renowned institutions and motivational talks by successful entrepreneurs. An exhibition was also held where various research institutes and departments such as Agriculture, Veterinary, Sericulture, Forestry, Fishery etc participated.

RFRI installed an exhibition stall to showcase various research achievements to the public. Hundreds of students, farmers, artisans, Forest Officers, NGO members, young entrepreneurs visited RFRI Stall during this three-day period.

The Session on Agriculture, Horticulture and Forestry on 7th April, 2022 was conducted by Shri R. K. Kalita, Head, Extension Division. More than two hundred people participated in this Session. There were six resource persons who delivered their presentations on various employment opportunities. Five successful entrepreneurs delivered motivational talks and shared their experiences and success stories.

A Souvenir was published on the occasion. Dr. R. S. C. Jayaraj, Director, RFRI got privilege to publish a Message in it. Shri R. K. Kalita, Head, Extension Division also contributed an article (in Assamese) describing about the forest-based employment opportunities and role of RFRI in it.

## Glimpses of Swaniyojan: Jorhat Conclave for Entrepreneurship Development













