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District level farmers training conducted

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ITANAGAR, Jul 24: A district level farmers training programme was conducted by Agriculture Technology Management Agency (ATMA), Lohit in collaboration with Krishi Vigyan Kendra (KVK), Lohit district at Menkeng Miri village on July 23. The programme – arranged by Rajeev Sukrang, ASM of the village, GBs and farmers – was attended by about 68 farmers. ATMA Project Director M Chowlu made the farmers known about the activities of ATMA, while the organizer of the programme B Biswas, SDAO Namsai requested the farmers to seriously take part in its technical session. D Borah, SMS (Agronomy) discussed about scientific cultivation of Ahu and Sali rice, weed management in rice, insect and disease management practices of rice. P Deb, HDO discussed about scientific cultivation practices of banana, coconut and lemon. Dr K Sharma, Sr Vety Officer, Mahadevpur gave a lecture on scientific management of local pigs, the methods of housing, feed and vaccination of pig, and taking care of pregnant pigs. Dr D Sasmal, SMS (Fishery) talked about the paddy cum fish culture. In the interaction session, the farmers took active part where the scientists answered their various questions on different crops like rice, coconut, gourds, vegetables, citrus, mustard, potato, cattle, fishery etc.