

## World Milk Day

The World Milk Day was celebrated on June 1, 2019 with great fervour and gaiety at Sanjay Gandhi Institute of Dairy Technology, Patna. A number of events were organized by the faculties, staffs and students to mark the occasion. Students of the institute also participated in a debate and song competition organized on the eve of World Milk Day. To create awareness about benefits of milk consumption, a camp was organized in the morning and flavoured milk was distributed among the children in the slums near Jagdeopath, Patna. Besides, a milk day lecture was organized in which Dr J B Prajapati, Principal and Dean, SMC College of Dairy Science, Anand, Gujarat was the key speaker. Dr Prajapati presented a comprehensive overview of Dairy sector in India and abroad. Dr Rameshwar Singh, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Bihar Animal Sciences University, Patna chaired the session and emphasized the role of dairy sector which is expected to increase many folds in the near future. Dr. B. S. Beniwal, Dean, SGIDT raised concerns over media hype about synthetic milk, which creates confusion in the minds of consumers. A number of senior officers of the Bihar Animal Sciences University, Patna were also present and attended the lecture.



Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, BASU; Dr. B. S. Beniwal, Dean, SGIDT; Dr J B Prajapati, Principal and Dean, SMC College of Dairy Science, Anand, Gujarat on the occasion of World Milk Day, 2019



Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, BASU inaugurating "World Milk Day", 2019



Dr J B Prajapati, Principal and Dean, SMC College of Dairy Science, Anand, Gujarat delivered a speech on World Milk Day, 2019



Faculties and students of SGIDT on World Milk Day, 2019



Faculties and students of SGIDT distributing milk of poor children on World Milk Day, 2019