



Report on 12th Nov.2025 (ICAR-NRC on Pig)

Observance of Janjatiya Gaurav Diwas 2025

Theme: “Public awareness Campaigns in area with predominantly tribal population”
at Kolongpur, Sonapur, Kamrup District, Assam Date: 12th November, 2025

Venue: Kolongpur Village, Sonapur, Assam

Organized by

ICAR-National Research Centre on Pig, Rani, Guwahati, Assam

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As part of the observance of Janjatiya Gaurav Diwas 2025, the ICAR–National Research Centre on Pig, Rani, Guwahati organized a one-day “Health-cum-Awareness Camp on Scientific Piggery and Pig Feed Distribution Programme” at Kolongpur, Sonapur, Kamrup District, Assam under the Tribal Sub-Plan (TSP) on 12th November 2025. The programme was conducted in alignment with the theme “*Public Awareness Campaigns in Areas with Predominantly Tribal Populations*”. The event honored the contributions of tribal communities to India’s freedom struggle and was attended by 160 Scheduled Tribe beneficiaries. The programme began with a welcome address by Dr. Seema Rani Pegu, Senior Scientist, highlighted the objectives of the TSP and the government’s continued efforts to uplift tribal pig-rearing communities through scientific interventions. She also discussed farm management practices, common swine diseases, and shared her professional experiences. Dr. Naba Jyoti Deka, Research Associate (DBT Project), delivered a talk on the importance of biosecurity in pig farming. To enhance practical understanding, the team distributed awareness leaflets on Biosecurity Measures in Scientific Pig Farming, African Swine Fever, Japanese Encephalitis Virus (JEV), and PRRS prevention and control (50 copies of each). As part of input support under TSP, 18 tones of pig feed (360 bags of 50 kg each) and 160 kg of mineral mixture were distributed among the beneficiaries. The entire programme was successfully coordinated under the guidance and leadership of Dr. Pranab Jyoti Das, Principal Scientist and Incharge TSP of the institute whose efforts ensured smooth organization, community participation and effective outreach. Participants expressed their gratitude to ICAR-NRC on Pig, Rani for the knowledge and input support. The event concluded with thanks to all tribal farmer friends of Kolongpur, Sonapur.

Glimpses of the programme



