

A Report

National Seminar and Dairy Exhibition 2019 organized by IDA (West Zone)



Lighting of ceremonial lamp by the President, IDA. To his right is Mr. Arun Patil and on left Dr. Ashish Paturkatr.

Indian Dairy Association (West Zone) and KMYA Tradefair Pvt. Ltd. jointly organised the India International Dairy Expo (IIDE) 2019 and a two-day national seminar on 'Technological Developments in Dairy Industry' during 3-5 April, 2019 at Bombay Exhibition Centre, Goregaon, Mumbai.

IIDE 2019, India's biggest dairy equipment exhibition was inaugurated by Dr. G.S. Rajorhia, President, Indian Dairy Association (IDA) in the presence of Dr. Fabrizio Giustarini, Trade Commissioner, Trade promotion section of the Consulate General of Italy; Mr. Sanjay Singal, COO Dairy & Beverages, ITC Ltd.; Dr. Ashish Paturkatr, Vice Chancellor,

Maharashtra Animal & Fishery Science University (MAFSU); Mr. Arun Patil, Chairman, IDA (West Zone); Mr. Denis Steker, Vice President International, Koelnmesse GmbH; Mr. Ashwani Pande, Managing Director, Koelnmesse YA Tradefair Pvt. Ltd. and other dignitaries.

While the inaugural session of the seminar was presided over by Dr. G.S. Rajorhia, President, IDA, Dr.



Office bearers and Zonal Executive Committee members of West Zone of IDA with President-IDA and Vice Chancellor of MAFSU, Nagpur

Ashish Paturkar, Vice-Chancellor, MAFSU, Nagpur was the Guest of honour. Mr. Arun Patil, Chairman, IDA (West Zone); Shri K Shyju, Vice Chairman, IDA (West Zone) and Mr. Rajesh Lele, Secretary, IDA (West Zone) graced the occasion.

The speakers narrated the technological developments in the dairy industry during the last five decades that enabled India to reach the top position globally in milk production. The achievements in AI, Cloning, Embryo Transfer and latest Sex Sorted Semen boosted the milk production. New processing and packaging technologies for milk & milk products enabled the processors to pay higher prices to rural milk producers. This acted as a game changer and boosted milk production!

There were 18 speakers who delivered talks on various topics in eight technical sessions spread over two days. The seminar was attended by dairy fraternity from India and neighbouring countries.

The India International Dairy Expo 2019 welcomed the dairy fraternity to witness the latest technological advancements in the dairy industry. It was an international level show with a gross area of 8000 sq. mtrs. More than 5227 one time registered trade visitors including conference delegates visited the Expo.

182 exhibitors including 27% from abroad showcased their products and technologies during the three trade fair days ■



Inauguration of Exhibition



Lighting of ceremonial lamp at the Exhibition



Delegates attending the Seminar