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Introduction

Save Our Rice Campaign aims to build a movement towards achieving food security and sovereignty, reviving rice culture and sustaining rice eco-systems. Save Our Rice attempts to sustain rice by creating linkage between different sectors, developing capacities to address local/ regional concerns, building alternatives models for sustainable ecological rice cultivation and developing a platform of people with rice culture as a common concern. The campaign was launched in 2004 in the Second International Year of Rice in Kumbalangi, Kerala. The Campaign is coordinated by Thanal and CREATE. The campaign is active in five states - Tamilnadu, Kerala, Karnataka, Orissa and West Bengal, where it is coordinated by partners in those States.

The major campaign objectives are

- .. Conserving Rice Ecosystems
- .. Sustaining Rice Culture and Diversity
- .. Protecting Traditional Wisdom
- .. Preventing GMOs and Toxics
- .. Ensuring Safe and Nutritious Food

This Photo Album is a collection of Photos of Various Programme and work done in five states by Save our Rice Campaign from October 2009 to September 2012.



Biodiversity based ecological rice cultivation in Mammadpur ,West Bengal



Organic Desi rice cultivation in Mammadpur Village West Bengal



Paddy diversity block set up by Children of Siddanahundi School ,Mysore,Karnataka



Rice field art in Paddy field of Anjaneya, Farmer of Davangere district, Karnataka



HMT rice variety field maintained in Padeytti Palakkad as a part of ABRP Project.



Rice Museum set up by farmer named Boregowda in his house, Karnataka



Organic Farmer Ambazhavalan With traditional Paddy variety, In Tamilnadu



School children involved in Rice Nursery activity In Banvasi, Karnataka



Seed Selection work by women farmers of Karnataka



Farmers Consultation meeting in West Bengal



Annual State level Paddy festival held in Adhirenham Tamilnadu



Farmers consultation meeting in Atghara Village ,North 24 Parganas on Oct 2010



Training on seed conservation ,Adhirengam ,Tamilnadu , Dec 2011



Seed savers meeting in Noolpuzha , Wayanad,Kerala



Training on biodiversity based integrated ecological farm,West Bengal June 2010



Marikamba Samudaya Seed Bank, Guduvi, Shimoga district Karnataka



KOTTAI - A traditional Seed storage practice in Tamilnadu , April 2012



Annual State level Paddy festival in Adirengam Tamilnadu



Seminar on community seed bank-Tamilnadu



Exposure visit of farmers from various state at Debel Debs Basudha farm in West Bengal



Field trip to students in SoR rice field in Wayanad , Kerala



Training on Organic farming by support of State Biodiversity board Palakkad,Kerala



Seminar on traditional Seed Conservation -Wayanad,Kerala



State level Seminar on Organic farming in West Bengal



Orientation workshop at KVK,Davanagere,Karnataka



Seed distribution done in Banavasi, Karnataka



SoR Campaign exhibition of traditional seeds of Kerala ,at Wayanad



Biodiversity education camp organised in Makkimala LP School by SoR, Kerala



Trekking of students to forest as a part of Camp



Deep water rice mela conducted by students, in Banvasi, Karnataka



Awareness on Safe food for TTC students, Paramakudi, Tamilnadu On April 2010



Heritage food festival done in Thiruthoorai, Tamil Nadu



Kadambotsava awareness programme done in Banvasi Karnataka



Munduga Rice Variety release in Karnataka



Desi Rice festival inauguration in Shimoga district Karnataka



Award given to Shankara Guru ,Farmer for developing NMS-2Variety Karnataka , March 2012



TOT Workshop organised at Vanagam Training center on July 2010



Safe food Mela conducted in Karnataka June 2012



Programme on Atghara high School at Baduria block, West Bengal On issues regarding environment Oct 2010



Seed festival done in Pingaleswar, South 24 Parganas, West Bengal with support of SoR Campaign, May 2012



Seed variety displayed in Seed festival- Westbengal, May 2012



Seed Caravan – A Jatha to spread the awareness about conservation of Traditional seeds, Kerala February 2012



Valedictory function of seed caravan at Thrissur, Kerala



Upland Paddy Harvest in Sulthan Bathery , Wayanad,Kerala



Vermicompost tank maintained in Padeytti, Palakkad. Kerala



Desi Rice Mela held in Bangalore , April 2012



Desi Rice Mela in Bangalore



Seminar organised for Consumers in Thiruvarur Tamilnadu Dec 2011



Programme of releasing farmer developed variety Shimoga district, Karnataka , June 2011



Organic fair conducted by Karnataka to promote Organic products



Paddy seed distribution by Shri Mullakkara Rathnakaran, Ex Agriculture Minister Kerala in State level Paddy Festival, Tamilnadu



Exhibition Stall by SoR Campaign Tamilnadu in State level Paddy festival Tamilnadu May 2012



Organic Rice Mela held in YMCA Hall, Thiruvananthapuram



Rice Mela organised by SoR Karnataka at Gandhi Bhavan Bangalore May 2011



Award given to Pasumaivikatan a Magazine from Tamilnadu, for supporting SoR Campaign through various Reports



2nd Indian workshop on rice, Bhubaneswar, Orissa, September 2012



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Declaration of Organic farming policy by Government of Kerala



Conference on food security Bill in Delhi

