



“Livelihood Opportunities”

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Sl.No	Date	Location	Male	Female	Participants
1.	10 th August 2023	Pamban	1	22	23
2.	23 rd August 2023	Kundukkal	2	29	31
3.	24 th August 2023	Vadakadu	4	29	33
4.	24 th August 2023	Erakadu	0	22	22
5.	26 th August 2023	MRT Nagar	0	27	27
6.	26 th August 2023	Ramakrishnapuram	1	25	26
7.	26 th August 2023	Sannathi Street	12	12	24
8.	26 th August 2023	SK Patti	4	31	35
9.	27 th August 2023	Sambai	3	17	20
10.	27 th August 2023	Mankaadu	1	41	42
11.	29 th August 2023	Pamban	8	18	26
	Total		36	273	309

Vivekananda Kendra - NARDEP conducted a series of awareness programs in Rameswaram Island to introduce alternative livelihood options to the local community, particularly focusing on fisherwomen and men. The aim was to diversify income sources and promote sustainable practices. The programme is supported by L & T Technology Service, Bangalore. The project team assessed the livestock options available to the community.

The number of cows, goats and poultry owned by participants was documented, indicating existing livestock practices. The project noted a growing interest among households in establishing kitchen gardens. It was decided to give training to the selected 100 stakeholders after carrying out the survey for better livelihood. The options suggested are (i) Kitchen garden (ii) Backyard poultry and (iii) Goatery.



Shri. Ramakrishnan, Director, VK-Nardep, interacting with the stakeholder at Pamban



Shri. Sridhar conducting awareness camp at Kundukkal



Sis.Saraswathi interacting with the stakeholders at Vadakadu

Green Transport

E-Autos reached out to 8069 pilgrims. Out of which, we have provided free services to Senior citizens 105 nos., children 86 nos. and differently-abled 38 nos.

