

Dr J K Jena, DDG(Fy Sci. & AS) visited ICAR DCFR Bhimtal

24th June, 2017

Dr. Joykrushna Jena, Honourable Deputy Director General (Fisheries Science & Animal Science), ICAR, New Delhi visited ICAR-Directorate of Coldwater Fisheries Research, Bhimtal, Nainital on 24th June 2017. Dr Jena first visited various facilities available at the directorate including laboratory facility, ornamental fish unit and fish farm ponds. Later, he inaugurated the newly established "Fish Parasitology & Mycology Laboratory". An interactive session was also convened along with the scientists, technical and administrative staffs. At the outset, Dr. A. K. Singh, Director, DCFR gave a brief overview of the major activities and recent developments made by the Directorate. While interacting with scientists DDG (Fy.), advised them to be very holistic in approach while conducting laboratory work or field works. While working in the laboratories scientist should also visit the farmers often to understand their requirements and to learn real field situation. He also appealed scientists to work even beyond regular office hours to approach research work with passion. He suggested them to work on culture and breeding of different endangered cold-water fish species having aquaculture & ornamental potential. Further he suggested the need of timely publishing the results in good impact factor Journals. At the end, Director thanked the DDG for his visit and for his kind words and encouragement.

