



MONTHLY PROGRESS

REPORT JULY, 2025





OUR VISION

GVT is passionately committed to transforming Indian economy back to the **'Sone ki Chidiya'** period by multiplying farmers' income through sustainable agriculture at scale

FROM MY HEART

Save Every Drop – The future of farming depends on it

Rain has come, but will it stay? Our farmers depend on water—but wasting even a little can cost us a lot.

With climate change and rising droughts, water is no longer just a resource—it's a lifeline.

At Global Vikas Trust, we are helping farmers adopt better water practices: drip irrigation, farm ponds, mulching, and moisture-retaining soil methods. These small steps bring big results—healthier crops, lower costs, and water that lasts longer.

Saving water isn't just about today. It's about the next season, the next generation.

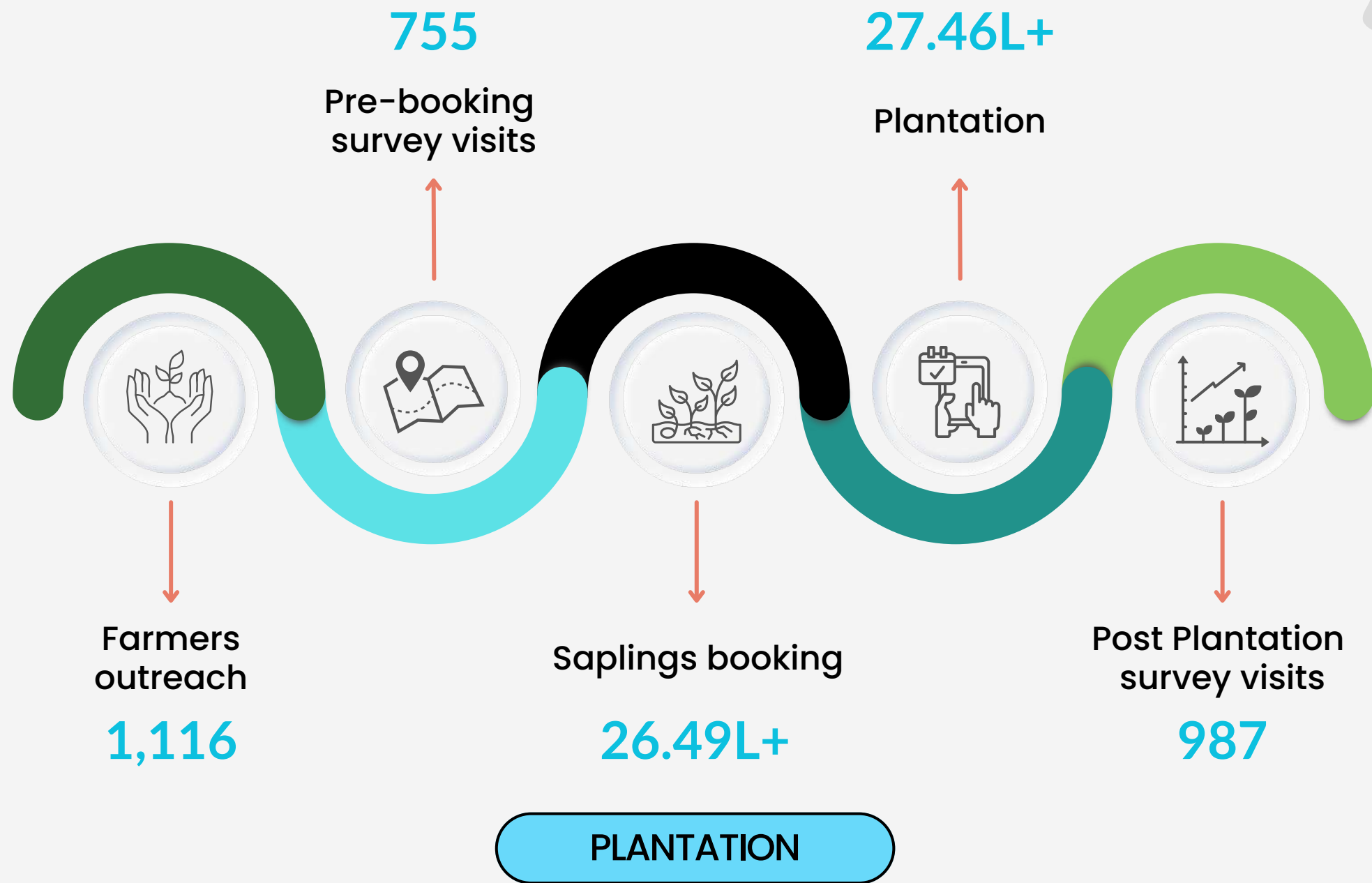
Because when we save every drop, we protect every dream.

INDIA CAN WAIT NO MORE!



Update for July- 2025

6.31+ Cr. FRUIT TREES
PLANTED (TILL DATE)



GVT KRISHIKUL

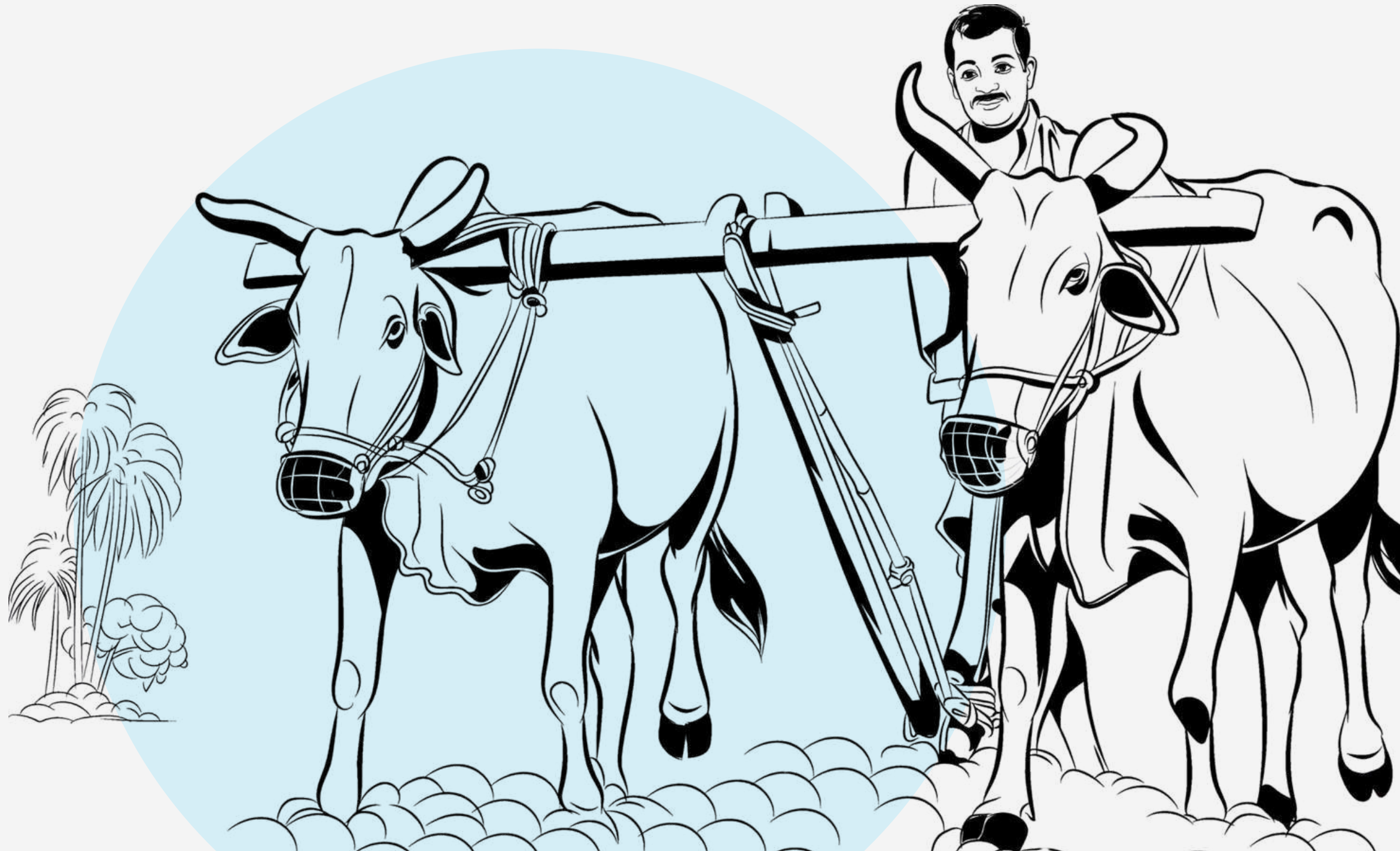
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EVENTS

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EMPOWERING SERICULTURE FARMERS THROUGH MODERN TECHNIQUES & TRAINING

Global Vikas Trust hosted a Sericulture Farmers Seminar at GVT Krishikul – Farmer Training Centre, attended by over 500 silk-producing farmers from across the state. Dr. M. B. Dhawale, Deputy Director, State Sericulture Directorate, was the chief guest. Sessions covered modern sericulture technologies, government schemes, sustainable practices, pest management, and market opportunities, along with expert insights on silkworm rearing, cocoon farming, and processing. A live demonstration of the silkworm reeling machine enhanced the learning experience. The event aimed to equip farmers with the latest knowledge, tools, and techniques in sericulture, enabling them to improve productivity, enhance silk quality, and secure better market returns – ultimately strengthening livelihoods and promoting sustainable rural development.



EMPOWERING AGRI GRADUATES: GVT'S CAMPUS PLACEMENT DRIVES

Campus Placement Drives – 01 & 02:

Global Vikas Trust, in collaboration with the College of Agriculture, Dharashiv, organized two campus placement drives aimed at creating employment opportunities for agriculture graduates. The initiative focused on bridging academic knowledge with practical applications in the agricultural sector.

Across both drives, final-year students actively participated and were evaluated by GVT representatives on their technical skills, professional readiness, and sectoral understanding. Selected candidates will contribute to various development projects of the Trust, marking a significant step in their career journey and strengthening the future of agri-based development.



PROMOTING DRONE SPRAYING TECHNOLOGY

Under the CSR initiative of Dorf Ketal, GVT demonstrated drone spraying on horticulture crops in Dahanu taluka of Palghar district & Parli taluka in Beed district, to reduce farmer exposure to harmful agrochemicals and improve efficiency. In Dahanu, with the support of the Government Research Department and KVK Kosbad, the trials showed uniform spraying, time and labour savings, and drew strong farmer interest. This initiative seeks to promote drone-based spraying and training, furthering GVT's mission of making farming safer, smarter, and more sustainable.



EMPOWERING TAMIL NADU FARMERS WITH MODERN, SUSTAINABLE PRACTICES

Farmers from Thiruvarur, Tamil Nadu, attended a two-day programme at GVT Krishikul – Farmer Training Centre on sustainable agriculture and modern technology. Sessions covered soil testing, AI-based weather forecasting, and IoT-enabled irrigation, along with field demonstrations on fruit and vegetable crops, crop protection, and orchard management. Visits to the cowshed, biogas unit, and compost shed offered practical insights into livestock, renewable energy, and organic composting, combining theory with hands-on learning.



TATA TRUST VISITS GVT KRISHIKUL TO DISCUSS POTENTIAL CSR COLLABORATION

Global Vikas Trust organised a one-day workshop at GVT Krishikul for farmers from villages identified for upcoming watershed development projects, where riverbed surveys are already complete. The session focused on watershed management techniques, including riverbed treatment, recharge structures (CNBs, GRAs), rainwater harvesting, catchment area development, and organic farming. Farmers engaged actively, sharing experiences and showing strong interest in adopting these practices. During the ongoing session, Ms. Debasmita from Tata Trust CSR visited Krishikul, interacted with farmers to understand local challenges, and explored possibilities for a joint CSR initiative.



JALSAMVAD 2025 WATER CONFERENCE AT GVT KRISHIKUL

Global Vikas Trust and Vibha Vani India jointly organized 'JalSamvad 2025', a two-day conference held at GVT Krishikul on July 19–20, bringing together 61 organizations working on water conservation and rural development.

The event featured experts and dignitaries who shared insights on water management, biodiversity, organic farming, and community-led water planning. Participating organizations presented success stories and future plans. The conference served as a powerful platform to promote integrated water governance, rural sustainability, and collective action for a water-secure future. Special appreciation was given to the GVT team for the successful coordination of the event.



OPERATIONAL REVIEW AND PLANNING AT WADA OFFICE

A review meeting was recently held at the GVT Wada office, led by a GVT Trustee who oversees the organization's operations. Grounded in real challenges faced in the field, the discussion aimed to chart practical, farmer-centric solutions. It was a positive and energetic session that helped the team reflect, plan, and move forward with greater clarity.

The meeting focused on the present ongoing work and upcoming priorities, such as identifying suitable locations for water projects, earmarking land for research plots, and planning sites for nurseries and crop trials. It further reinforced GVT's commitment to creating meaningful, on-ground impact for rural communities.



MOSL EXPLORE CSR OPPORTUNITIES IN PALGHAR



A CSR team from Motilal Oswal Financial Services Ltd. (MOSL) and ISKCON visited Devgaon village, Wada Taluka, to assess GVT's work in Mogra cultivation. They interacted with farmers on cultivation practices, pest management, market linkages, and income potential, supported by inputs from GVT's technical team. The visit offered valuable insights into how CSR support could strengthen the floriculture value chain, improve market access, and enhance farmer incomes in the Palghar region.



LEARNING FROM SAHYADRI FARMS TO STRENGTHEN FARMER VALUE CHAINS

The GVT team recently visited Sahyadri Farms in Nashik, led by Mr. Vilas Shinde. As one of India's top farmer-owned collectives, Sahyadri has built a strong model around fruit processing and direct market access.

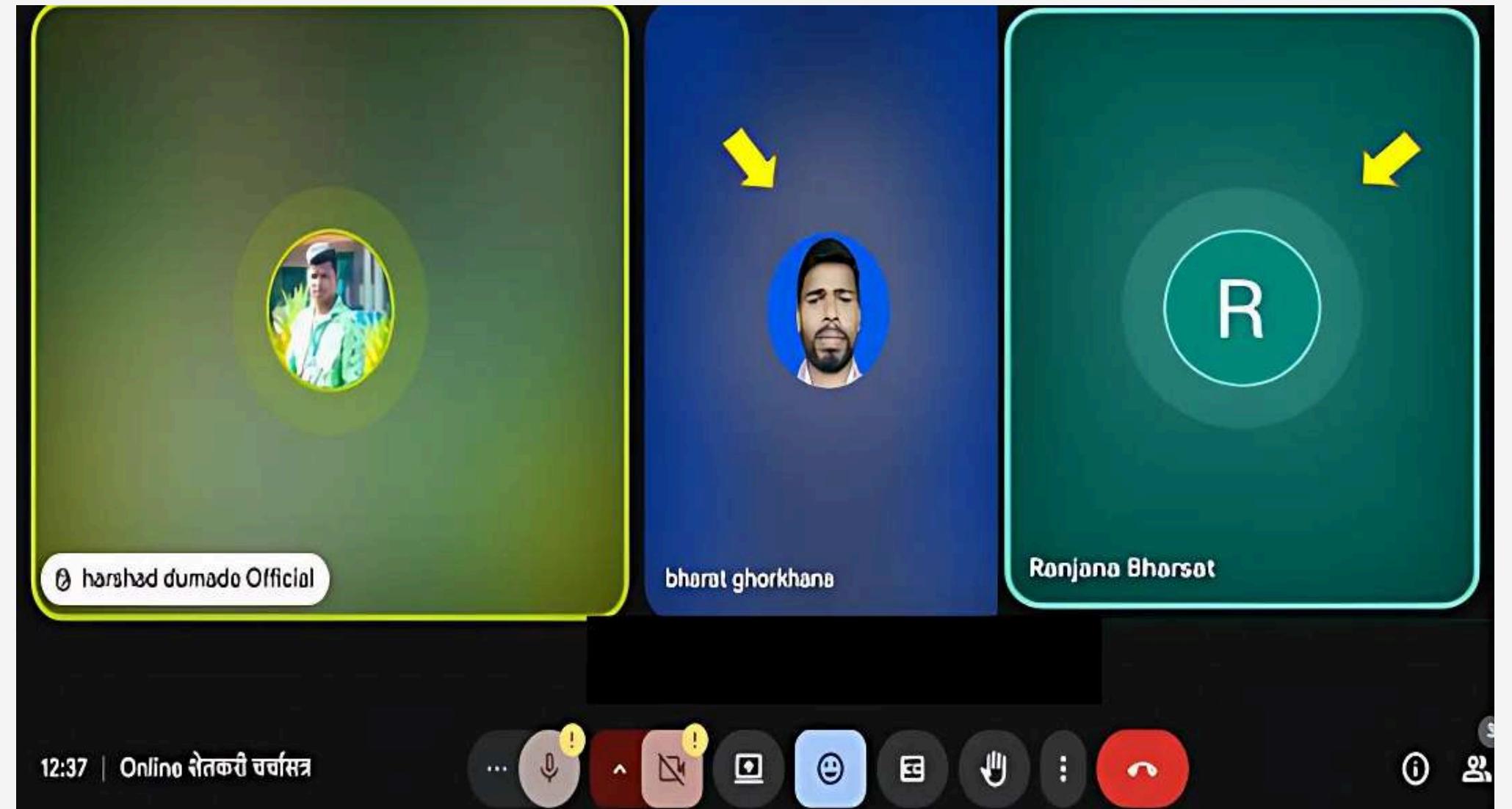
The visit was a great opportunity to learn about building better value chains, ensuring fair prices for farmers, and promoting sustainable farming practices. GVT aims to apply these learnings to support small and marginal farmers across the country.



GVT'S FARMER CONNECT: FROM QUESTIONS TO SOLUTIONS

As part of our monthly series, an online farmers' session was conducted on July 25th from the GVT Wada office.

Farmers from Vikramgad and Dahanu taluka participated in the session. Harshad Dumade from the GVT team guided them on the impact of climate, soil conditions, water management, and farming practices on Mogra cultivation. He also shared practical strategies to tackle environmental challenges, boost crop health, and improve yields.



 PALGHAR

TOWARDS A STRONGER RURAL INDIA: PARTNERSHIP IN ACTION

Collaborating for Rural Growth: GVT Meets Ajmera Realty

The discussion explored ways to deepen collaboration in farmer livelihood initiatives, building on Ajmera Realty's past CSR support to create a larger impact in rural India.



Meeting with Shri Sashank Mani, MP from Deoria

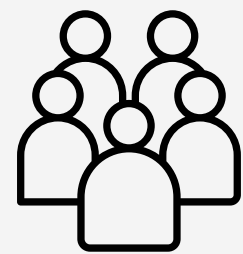
Exploring impactful collaboration with Shri Sashank Mani Tripathi, Member of Parliament (Deoria, Uttar Pradesh) and BJP leader, to drive rural transformation and strengthen farmer welfare initiatives.



SPECIAL GUEST VISIT AT GVT KRISHIKUL

As part of our ongoing capacity-building efforts, GVT Krishikul hosted 1,158 visitors this month, including farmers, FPO/NGO leaders, students, and officials from government and private sectors. Sessions were led by our agronomists on key agricultural topics.

The growing participation reflects strong interest in sustainable farming. Photos of select dignitaries are attached.



Till date – Total visitors

9,182



Total visitors in July

1,158



Ms. Sanjivani Rathod,
Tal. Agriculture Officer –
Ambejogai & Parli



Mr. Pavan Dongare,
Manager – CSR, HDFC Bank Ltd



GVT KRISHIKUL

SUCCESS STORY - 1

Our farmer from Ghansawangi, has transformed his life by shifting from **Cotton** to **Banana** cultivation. This has led to a significant boost in his annual profit showcasing the success of crop diversification. He earned a profit of **₹5,84,251 per year from 1.27 acre.**



Rajjak Shaikh Rahim

Dist. Jalna, Tal. Ghansawangi



1.27 Acre
(50.8 Guntas)
Plantation area



2,000
Plantation Qty



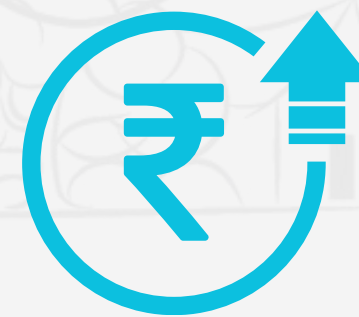
Cotton
Previous Crop



₹ 30,000
Previous income



Banana
Current Crop



₹ 5,84,251

Current annual net profit/acre

 **MARATHWADA**

For detailed report kindly [click link](#)

SUCCESS STORY – 2

Our farmer from Mangrul Village, Palghar, has transformed his life by shifting from Rice to cultivating Mogra-Banglori. This has led to a significant boost in his annual profit showcasing the success of crop diversification; as per pro-data calculation, he now earns a profit of ₹112,173 per year from 0.23 acre.

Deu Govind Pawar

Dist. Palghar, Tal. Wada



0.273 Acre
(9.2 Guntas)
Plantation area



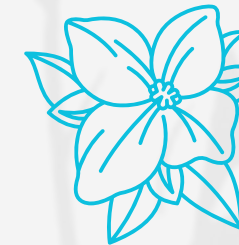
500
Plantation Qty



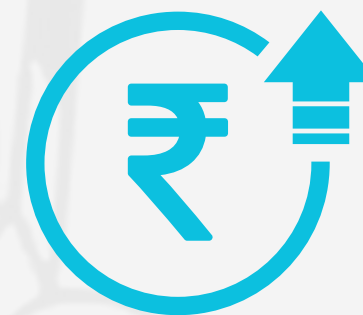
Rice
Previous Crop



₹ 20,000
Previous income



Mogra-Banglori
Current Crop



₹ 1,12,173
Current annual net profit/acre



 **PALGHAR**

For detailed report kindly [click link](#)

OUR SOCIAL MEDIA PRESENCE FOR THIS MONTH

Transforming Deoria with Mr. Shashank Mani



In collaboration with Mr. Shashank Mani Tripathi, Member of Parliament (BJP, 18th Lok Sabha), to boost farmer incomes and create a model for rural India.

Transforming Agriculture Through River Integration



Exploring India's River-Linking Vision with Union Jal Shakti Minister CR Paatil to Transform Farmer Futures

From Soybean to Success



Athan Shafayed Khan income jumped from ₹40K to over ₹9 lakhs through banana farming and GVT training.

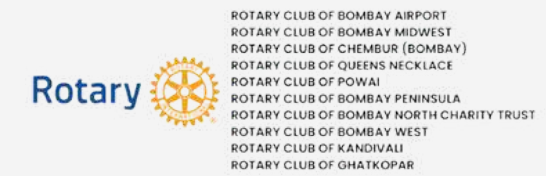
Spreading GVT's Message Through Art



GVT Advisory Board Member, hosted "Life of Buddha" in New York to support GVT. A millet song inspired by PM Modi's message was featured, promoting health and sustainability.



OUR SUPPORTERS



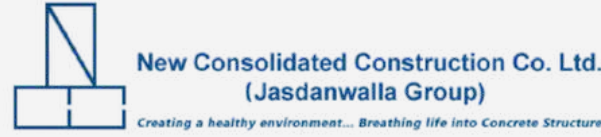
OUR SUPPORTERS



Energising Quality



Mehta Softsolution Private Limited



Vasant Family Charitable Trust



TAURUS HOME FURNISHINGS LIMITED



Atman Investments Pvt. Ltd



KHORSHED PHIROZ VIVIAN TRUST



Satyanarayan Somani Memorial Foundation



Kothari Group Csr Trust



Ajmera Realty



Pranav Securities Pvt. Ltd



Chimanram Khaitan Chhatra Trust



 **THANK YOU!**



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