

The CEO, HKKP visited Sunflower Fields of Progressive Farmer in Village Kheri, Emphasized on Scientific Crop Management

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The Chief Executive Officer of Haryana Kisan Kalyan Pradhikaran, Dr. R. S. Chauhan, visited the fields of Sh. Bhagat Singh, Ex-President, Kisan Club, Panchkula and a progressive farmer of village Kheri, Block Raipurani, District Panchkula, to assess the condition of sunflower crops and provided expert guidance on crop management practices.



During the visit, Dr. Chauhan conducted a detailed inspection of the sunflower fields, which are currently at a crucial stage of growth. He observed certain instances of insect pest infestation and discussed their potential impact on yield and crop quality. He interacted with the farmer and emphasized the importance of timely identification and management of pests using scientific and eco-friendly approaches.

Special focus was laid on adopting Integrated Pest Management (IPM) techniques, including the use of bio-control agents, pheromone traps and need-based application of recommended pesticides. Dr. Chauhan also advised maintaining proper field sanitation and regular crop monitoring to prevent the spread of pests.

In addition to pest management, he guided the farmer on the nutritional requirements of the sunflower crop. He highlighted the importance of balanced fertilization, including the application of essential macro and micronutrients such as nitrogen, phosphorus, potassium and boron, to ensure healthy plant growth and better seed development. Recommendations were also made regarding irrigation scheduling and soil health management.



Dr. Chauhan appreciated the efforts of Sh. Bhagat Singh in adopting improved agricultural practices and encouraged him to continue sharing his experiences with other farmers in the region. He further directed the concerned agriculture officials to provide continuous technical support for promotion of oil seed crops in Haryana.

The visit reflects the administration's proactive approach towards promoting scientific farming practices and supporting

progressive farmers in enhancing productivity and sustainability in the district.

