

Madukunj – Power house of good health



A bottle full of sweet energy and power packed with medicinal goodness of honey always attracted Shri Bhabesh Mahanata, an undergraduate youth so much so that he decided to pursue this passion of bee keeping into a career. But before taking a leap, he took preliminary hands on experience from his uncle's farm and formal training at SBEC, Guwahati. Subsequently, he also worked under an NGO Darpan for Five years.

Having gained adequate knowledge of bee-keeping activity Shri Bhabesh established his own unit Madhukunj under the aegis of PMEGP scheme of KVIC to the project cost of Rs.1,58,000 lakh from Assam Gramin Vikas Bank, Dhuni Branch. Today, he is earning around Rs.12,000.00 per month and supporting his two employees and their families.

The venture has tremendous scope of self independence and potential for the youth if pursued vigorously, said Shri Bhabesh.

Name & address of the Entrepreneur	:	Shri Bhabesh Mahanta Vill. Pendar, Post. Telyara, Via Beuni, West Mangaldoi, Dist. Darang, Assam
Category of the entrepreneur	:	i) Social Category : General ii) Sex : Male
Industry/Activity (Name of the Industry)	:	Bee-keeping (Honey)
Unit financed by the Bank(Name & Address)	:	Assam Gramin Vikas Bank, Dhuni Branch
Project Cost (Rs.)	:	1,58,000/-
Annual Turnover (Rs.)	:	2,40,000/-
Employment provided by the entrepreneur in the unit	:	2 Persons