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## Pradhan Mantri Matsva Sampada Yojana (PMMSY) awareness Camp at Khowai

On 10<sup>th</sup> August, 2022 an awareness camp on aquaculture was held at the Khowai Panchayat Samiti Hall on Pradhan Mantri Matsya Sampada Yojana. The camp was officially inaugurated by the Sabhadipati of Khowai Zilla Parishad, Joydeb Debbarma by lighting a lamp. He said that the government is working on priority to achieve self-sufficiency in aquaculture. He urged the fishermen to make Khowai district self-reliant in aquaculture through coordination with the Department of Fisheries. At the programme, MLA Prashanta Debbarma said that initiatives have been taken to make the families in rural areas self-reliant under Mukhyamantri Swanirbhar Yojana (MSY). Tapas Kanti Das, vice chairman of Khowai Panchayat Samiti, said that the state government is working for the economic development of the people and the overall development of various sectors including agriculture and aquaculture. Soma Majumder, fisheries Supervisor of Khowai Sub-Division, Champi Debbarma, fisheries Supervisor of Teliamura Sub-Division discussed in detail about various benefits of the Pradhan Mantri Matsya Sampada Yojana, including science-based fish farming and selection of reservoirs, comprehensive food service for fish. Eighty fishermen from different areas of the district participated in the camp.

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