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Generally cloudy sky and light to moderate rain is likely over Sri Vijaya Puram. Maximum and Minimum temperature will be around 30.0°C and 24.0°C respectively on Monday 29/06/2026.

Weather Report

Maximum Temperature (°C) of Date: 28.9
Minimum Temperature (°C) of Date: 25.0
Relative Humidity (%) at 0830 IST: 95.2
Relative Humidity (%) at 1730 IST: 89.0
Sunrise time on 29/06/2026 (in IST): 0458
Sunset time on 29/06/2026 (in IST): 1747
Rainfall upto 0830 hrs of date (last 24 hrs)- in mm: 008.8
Rainfall upto 1730 hrs of date in mm: 002.2
Rainfall (Progressive total from 1st January 2026 upto 0830 hrs (of date) in mm: 968.6

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Khet Bachao Abhiyan- 2026 held in Diglipur ICAR-KVK & Deptt. of Agriculture organize awareness prog. on sustainable farming practices

Sri Vijaya Puram, June 28
ICAR-KVK,
Nimbudera, organized
a series of awareness
programmes on
sustainable farming
practices under "Khet
Bachao Abhiyan 2026"
during 25-26 June, 2026
at Subhasgram and
Madhupur villages of
Diglipur Block, North &
Middle Andaman, in
collaboration with
UTATMA, Department
of Agriculture, A & N
Administration.

The programme
aimed to create
awareness among
farmers about
sustainable agricultural
practices for enhancing
crop productivity,
conserving soil health,
improving resource-use
efficiency, reducing
dependency on external



inputs, and increasing
farm income.

During the
programme, farmers
were sensitized on
various components of
sustainable agriculture &
educated about the
importance of adopting
improved crop varieties,
and quality seeds of
improved paddy and
vegetable varieties were
distributed to encourage
the adoption of better-
performing crops and
enhance farm
productivity. During
the farmer-expert

interaction sessions,
experts provided
technical guidance on
efficient input
management, integrated
nutrient and pest
management, climate-
resilient farming
practices, and the
adoption of improved
agricultural
technologies for
sustainable crop
production. A total of 42
farmers and
farmwomen actively
participated in the
programme, a press
release from CIARI said.