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ICAR-Central Institute of Fisheries Education

ORNAMENTAL FISH FAIR AND AQUARIUM SCIENCE WORKSHOP

Transforming hobby into Passion

31st January and 1st February, 2026 | 10:00 AM-9:00 PM

📍 ICAR-CIFE, Panch Marg, off Yari Road, Versova

Organised by

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Maharashtra Aquaculture Farmers Association (MAFA)

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Background

This event aims to promote the aquarium hobby and showcase colourful ornamental fishes from around the world. It will create awareness about aquaculture among students and encourage research and development in ornamental fisheries. The programme includes hands-on training and demonstrations on aquarium setup, aquascaping, live feed culture, and aquarium management. Student competitions will also be organised to build interest and knowledge in the ornamental fisheries sector.

Aim & Objectives

- Promoting aquarium hobby and display of colourful fishes
- Creating science awareness among the students
- R&D on ornamental fishes
- Hands on training and demonstration on aquarium making, landscape, aquarium management etc.

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