

A shift from cattle to camel and goat farming can sustain milk production with lower inputs and emissions...

The United Nations has declared 2024 to be the International Year of Camelids and RSS Gaushala of Radhasoami Satsang Sabha Dayalbagh, Agra -282005 recently welcomed some adult camels and camel calves to its dairy livestock of about 1100 Cows and Buffaloes and goats.

Keeping in view the ecological requirements for the acclimatisation of these camelids, customised shelters with high ceiling with arrangements for water, food and grazing area was prepared near Chandmari ka tila in the Anupam Upvan Biodiversity park. These newly built camel shelters have arrangements for remote surveillance. When the world is witnessing wrath of climate change and global warming, these camelids with the ability to survive at extreme whether conditions with lower water and food intake have been considered as hopeful addition to the traditional cow/buffalo based dairying.

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