

Testimony of Mr. Tamilveran

Chisel Plough has helped to improve soil conditions for tilling and rooting of crop

“ Vanakkam!!!, I am Tamilveran from Vallam village. I have 2 acres of land and have been using traditional methods of farming. After Apollo Tyres Foundation together with National Agro Foundation approached us to provide training on best agriculture practices, they also introduced the use of chisel plough in the field. I have used the chisel plough and have seen that it has helped to uniformly plough the land and helps in better water retention capacity during the dry season. Earlier, I used to have to hire a pump to irrigate my land and would spend a lot of money to prepare the land; however after using the chisel plough in my 2 acres of land, I am witnessing better and uniform crop growth with better water retention capacity of the soil as well, The plants are able to root and fix to the soil in a better manner, thereby improving the overall crop health. I am extremely grateful to Apollo Tyres Foundation and National Agro Foundation for providing this service and for providing constant guidance to all farmers.”

