## **Project Update: September 2009**

This is last month of the RSG project. Report writing and communication of the results with other level is going on.

**15**<sup>th</sup> **August (Independence Day of India):** plantation programme organized along Adan River. About 200 people, including NREGA labour government officers, press reporters gathered for plantation.

**18**<sup>th</sup> **August:** a peaceful demonstration made at agriculture department regarding delay in the payment of the NREGA.

**24**<sup>th</sup> **August:** Yavatmal - meeting arranged with the students of B.Ed. College. This was essential interaction meeting for the future expansion of the project.

**25**<sup>th</sup> **August:** Dhanaj - meeting arranged with the health officials of the primary health centre regarding conservation of the wetland resources.

**29**<sup>th</sup> **August:** Pune - meeting arranged with the notable ecologist Prof. Madhav Gadgil regarding Lower Penganga Dam Construction (LPDC).

**30**<sup>th</sup> **August:** Ralegan Siddhi - meeting arranged with the notable social activist Anna Hajare regarding LPDC.



Left: Plantation programme at Adan River. Right: Visit to Agriculture department by River Conservation Union for peaceful demonstration.