

CBSE VOLLEYBALL CLUSTER XII TOURNAMENT (U-19) BOYS & GIRLS 2016 INAUGURATED AT GGIS

On 12th October 2016 Wednesday Gyan Ganga International School hosted the inaugural function of CBSE Volleyball Cluster XII Tournament Boys and Girls (U-19) 2016, in a great blithesome manner.

This great event was organized in the lush green campus of GGIS in the presence of various luminaries from different field. This four days long tournament was inaugurated by the Hon'ble Mayor of Jabalpur city Dr. Swati Godbole as the Chief Guest of the day. The programme was fortified with the graceful presence of Hon'ble D.C. Jain the Chairperson of Gyan Ganga Group of Institutions as the Guest of Honour. The other distinguished dignitaries who were present for this inaugural function were - Dr. Rajneet Jain Managing Director GGIS, Dr. Nitin Jain Executive Director GGIS, School Principal Dr. Rajesh Kumar Chandel, CBSE Observer Mr. Avinash James, Technical Head Mr. Chandrakant Chaturvedi, Chief Referee Mr. S.A. Khan, Assistant Chief Referee Mr. M.S. Chandel, Mr. Mathew Joseph Secretary Jabalpur Volleyball Association, Mr. Shailendra Singh Thakur President, Jabalpur District Volleyball Association & Kashatriya Mahashabha, Jabalpur.

More than 50 teams, 100 Coaches, Coach Managers, Referees across the Madhya Pradesh participated in the inaugural function. The commencement of the function was done by the lighting of the traditional lamp of GGIS and by praising Lord Saraswati the goddess of wisdom and knowledge. Mayor Dr. Swati Godbole and other distinguished luminaries were present for the same. The Deep Prajawalan ceremony was followed by the hoisting of CBSE flag. The other end of the function was decorated with beautiful group dance and group song presentations.

Speaking on the occasion School Principal Dr. Rajesh Kumar Chandel welcomed the Chief Guest, Guest of Honour, Observer, Coaches, Technical Head, Referees, Coach Managers and above all the different teams from various CBSE schools across the state. He boosted up the determination and motivated the players and also highlighted the importance of participation of the players and sports.

In the same sequence Chief Guest of the day Dr. Swati Godbole congratulated the players and everyone present in the inaugural function for their participation and presence. She also

emphasized the importance of sports in one's life along with the academics. She declared the opening of the CBSE VOLLEYBALL CLUSTER XII TOURNAMENT 2016 BOYS & GIRLS (U-19) open by releasing the bunch of balloons along with the Guest of Honour, Members of Management Committee, Coaches and Referees.

The centre of attraction in this inaugural function was the demonstrator of Free Style Football by Mr. Puneet Dindole the famous world class demonstrator. He demonstrated the free style football and infused the true love for sports. He motivated the players and everyone present for the function by his presentation.

After the declaration of tournament open the oath taking ceremony was organized in which all the teams, referees and coaches took an oath for playing the game with true sportsman spirit and dedication.

Following first session matches were scheduled under boys & girls category on the very first day of the tournament - Daly College, Indore Vs Mitthi Gobind Ram Public School, Bhopal, St. Joseph's Convent School, Kotma Vs St. Johns Hr. Sec School, Damoh, Gyan Ganga International School, Jabalpur Vs Gyan Ganga International Academy Bhopal, St. Aloysius School, Rimjha, Jabalpur Vs Sandipani Academy Khargone, St. Mary Convent School, Bhopal Vs Chavara Vidyapeeth, Narsinghpur, Gyanodaya Vidya Mandir, Damoh Vs Jain Public School Barnagar. Matches scheduled for girls category were Daisy Dales School, Indore Vs Emerald Heights School Indore, Army Public School Sagar Vs St. Johns Hr. Sec School Damoh, St. Joseph's Convent School Bhopal Vs Sica Sr Sec School No.54 Indore, St. Aloysius School Rimjha Jabalpur Vs Delhi Public School Indore.

Winner of the following matches of the first session were - Mitthi Gobind Ram Public School Bhopal, St. Joseph's Convent School Kotma, Gyan Ganga International School Jabalpur, Sandipani Academy Khargone, Gyanodaya Vidya Mandir Damoh, Emerald Heights School Indore, Army Public School Sagar, St. Joseph's Convent School Bhopal and Delhi Public School Indore.

School Principal Dr. Rajesh Kumar Chandel congratulated the winner and motivated the players for the outstanding performance.