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WORKSHOP ON EMPOWERMENT OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES THROUGH SPORTS Including Interstate Wheelchair Cricket 2017

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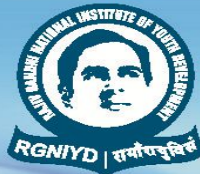
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INETR-STATE WHEELCHAIR CRICKET TOURNAMENT

21th- 22th October, 2017

Cricket Stadium Panjab University, Chandigarh

Participating Teams

Uttar Pradesh, Haryana, Punjab and Delhi

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GROUP PICTURE OF WHEELCHAIR CRICKETERS

Cricket Teams:

- HARYANA (BLACK JERSEY),
- UTTAR PRADESH (RED JERSEY),
- PUNJAB (SKY BLUE JERSEY),
- DELHI (BLUE JERSEY)

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MESSAGE

I feel immense pleasure in witnessing a special event of its kind for the Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities through Sports organized by Association of Professional Social Workers & Development Practitioners from 21st October, 2017 to 23rd October, 2017.

I appreciate the way Wheelchair Cricket was planned for the first time in the Chandigarh through this event which was widely cherished and welcomed by every corners of the city. I am confident that this social idea will go a long way in developing leadership of Persons with Disabilities and will give an identity to wheelchair players at national and international level in coming time.

I congratulate Ms. Rekha Trivedi, who is working for persons with disabilities for bringing transformation in the lives of persons with disabilities.

(Asha Kumari Jaswal)

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MESSAGE

I feel happy and privileged in witnessing an exclusive programme for the empowerment of Persons With Disabilities (PWDs) through sports organized by Association of Professional Social Workers & Development Practitioners from 21st October, 2017 to 23rd October, 2017.

I appreciate the way Wheelchair Cricket was introduced in the Chandigarh for the first time through this programme, which has no doubt gained the momentum and caught the attention of every sections of the society.

I am sure this social initiative will go a long way towards empowerment and leadership development of Persons With Disabilities (PWDs).

With regards,

Ajit Balaji Joshi, IAS,

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MESSAGE

It was a great opportunity to have witnessed the Wheel Chair Cricket Tournament, under 'Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities through Sports' from 21st October to 23rd October 2017 organised by Association of Professional Social Workers and Development Practitioners, Chandigarh. I consider myself blessed to be associated with this event because, I personally felt extremely motivated to see the spirit of all the participants who were overcoming any hurdles / obstacles life had in store for them.

I appreciate this unique event that showcased the immense potential and sportsman's spirit of the players.

I congratulate Mrs. Rekha Trivedi and her dedicated team for initiating such an event that would definitely lead to physical, mental & spiritual growth of these differently abled persons. I fervently hope & wish that this wonderful event will go a long number of years and become an everlasting brand created for this City Beautiful.

With regards,


(Nirmal Chand)

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BACKGROUND

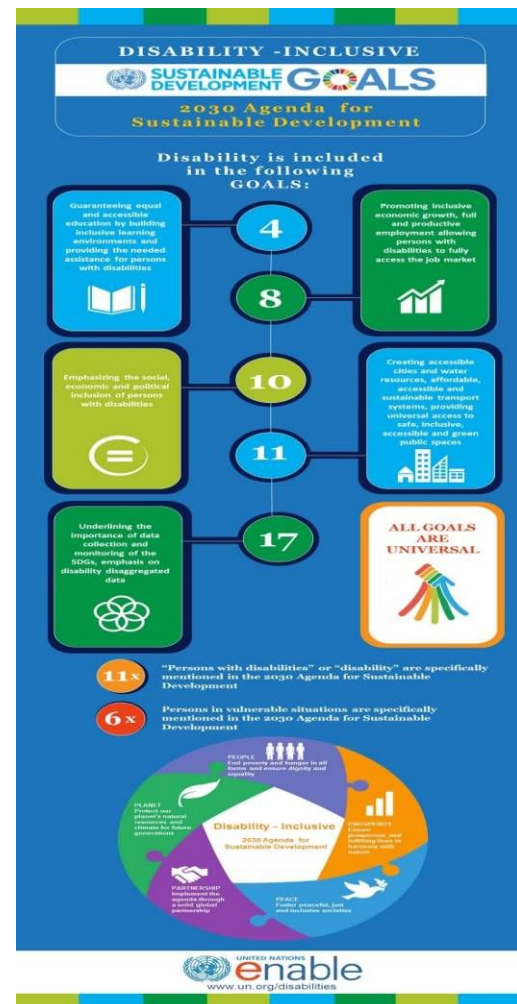
Inspired by the Sport for Development and Peace International Working Group (SDP IWG) hosted by the United Nations Office on Sport for Development and Peace (UNOSDP); Association of Professional Social Workers & Development Practitioners (APSWDP) in principal partnership with Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Youth Development (RGNIYD), Regional Center under Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports, Government of India has initiated an innovative step to host a Workshop on Peace and Development Through Sports for young persons with disability on wheelchair.

Imagine the World in 2030, fully inclusive of Persons with Disabilities (PwDs)

In September 2015, the General Assembly adopted the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development that includes 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Building on the principle of “leaving no one behind”, the new Agenda emphasizes a holistic approach to achieving sustainable development for all. Although, the word “disability” is not cited directly in all goals, the goals are indeed relevant to ensure the inclusion and development of persons with disabilities. The newly implemented 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development holds a deep promise for persons with disabilities everywhere.

Envision 2030 will work to promote the mainstreaming of disability and the implementation of the SDGs throughout its 15-year lifespan with objectives to:

- Raise awareness of the 2030 Agenda and the achievement of the SDGs for persons with disabilities;
- Promote an active dialogue among stakeholders on the SDGs with a view to create a better world for persons with disabilities; and
- Establish an ongoing live web resource on each SDG and disability.



Sports and Sustainable Development Goals

With the overarching aspiration of bringing people and the planet closer together and leaving no one behind, the 2030 Agenda is a unique opportunity to inspire global action for development worldwide, including in the field of Sport for Development and Peace. Sport has proven to be a cost-effective and flexible tool for promoting peace and development objectives. Since the inception of the MDGs in 2000, sport has played a vital role in enhancing each of the eight Goals, a fact that has been recognized in numerous resolutions of the General Assembly. In resolution 70/1, entitled “Transforming our world: the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development”, adopted in 2015, sport’s role in advancing social progress is further acknowledged:

Sport is also an important enabler of sustainable development. We recognize the growing contribution of sport to the realization of development and peace in its promotion of tolerance and respect and the contributions it makes to the empowerment of women and of young people, individuals and communities as well as to health, education and social inclusion objectives.



Harnessing this tremendous potential of sport, the United Nations Office on Sport for Development and Peace (UNOSDP) has long been bringing people together through sport and supporting sport for peace initiatives, from mega sport events to grass-roots activities. These initiatives help sport achieve its fullest potential in realizing the Goals.

Regular participation in sport and physical activities provides various social and health benefits. Not only does it have a direct impact on physical fitness, but it also instills healthy lifestyle choices among children and young people, helping them remain active and combat non-communicable diseases. A number of studies conducted by the World Health Organization have also highlighted that physical exercise can stimulate positive mental health and cognitive development.

Despite these challenges, the vast positive power and passion of sport will continue to bring people together, promoting a more inclusive and peaceful world through its universal values and principles.

Historically, sport has played an important role in all societies and acted as a strong communication platform that can be used to promote a culture of peace.

Disability and Sports

The unique ability of sports to transcend linguistic, cultural and social barriers makes it an excellent platform for strategies of inclusion and adaptation. Furthermore, the universal popularity of sport and its physical, social and economic development benefits make it an ideal tool for fostering the inclusion and well-being of persons with disabilities.

Persons with disabilities often face societal barriers and disability evokes negative perceptions and discrimination in many societies. As a result of the stigma associated with disability, persons with disabilities are generally excluded from education, employment and community life which deprives them of opportunities essential to their social development, health and well-being. In some societies persons with disabilities are considered dependent and seen as incapable, thus fostering inactivity which often causes individuals with physical disabilities to experience restricted mobility beyond the cause of their disability.



Sport can help reduce the stigma and discrimination associated with disability because it can transform community attitudes about persons with disabilities by highlighting their skills and reducing the tendency to see the disability instead of the person. Through sport, persons without disabilities interact with persons with disabilities in a positive context forcing them to reshape assumptions about what persons with disabilities can and cannot do.

Sport changes the person with disability in an equally profound way by empowering persons with disabilities to realize their full potential and advocate for changes in society. Through sport, persons with disabilities acquire vital social skills, develop independence, and become empowered to act as agents of change.

The UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities

The UN Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities is the first legally binding international instrument to address the rights of persons with disabilities and sport. Article 30 of the Convention addresses both mainstream and disability-specific sport and stipulates that “States Parties shall take appropriate measures to encourage and promote the participation, to the fullest extent possible, of persons with disabilities in mainstream sporting

activities at all levels”. It also calls upon Governments, States party to the Convention, to ensure that persons with disabilities have access to sport and recreational venues – as spectators and as active participants. This also requires that children with disabilities be included in physical education within the school system “to the fullest extent possible” and enjoy equal access to “play, recreation and leisure and sporting activities”.



OBJECTIVE OF THE WORKSHOP

The workshop is planned for leadership & capacity building of persons with disabilities through sports and also as a forum for exchange of ideas and concrete ways in which to make effective Sport for Development programmes. It will provide a platform that can bring together the persons with disabilities struggling in daily life for their mainstreaming and recognition in sports.

The emphasis will be on creating a network of sports organization working with persons with disabilities to foster the Sport for Development & Peace, enable practitioners, Non-Government Organizations, donors, and corporate houses to learn about and implement effective Sport for Development programmes.

PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

The workshop is a commitment to achieving outcomes as well as a celebration of diversity - of society, sport and people. It therefore has a balance of sessions that allow experts, practitioners and players to interact and hear each other, as well as events and spaces that enable sharing on a more enlightening level.

- Technical Sessions on disability, national laws, policy and programmes
- Sport Event (Interstate Wheelchair Cricket)
- Cultural Evening by persons with disability in the campus.
- Visiting city sites (city excursion)

TECHINICAL SESSIONS

- Session on National Policy for Persons with Disabilities,
- The Right of Persons with Disability Act, 2016
- Policies, Programmes and Schemes for Persons with Disabilities In India
- Capacity Building, Developing Leadership and Skill Building among Persons with Disabilities

SPORTS EVENT & WORKSHOP (Interstate Wheelchair Cricket)



First Interstate Wheelchair Cricket Tournament is organized among 50 participants representing four teams from north Indian states of Uttar Pradesh, Haryana, Punjab and Delhi to be participating. The matches organized at Cricket Stadium, Panjab University Campus, Chandigarh during the workshop period on 21-22 October, 2017 is a unique experiment of blending sport with capacity building and leadership development. It will only bring players from marginalized community to gather at one place through wheelchair cricket and also give them chance to have technical sessions for their capacity enhancement.

Motivated by Indian Cricket team, persons with disabilities has organized themselves in teams to fulfill their dreams and desire of playing cricket using wheelchair like any other sports e.g. rugby, basketball, baseball etc. in several parts of the country. Gradually, such workshops and consultations among various stakeholders may push a Wheelchair cricket team in future like any other national team, which will surely give place to our budding players to cherish their dreams globally.

The entire programme has been designed with:

- **Day 1 and Day 2:** Interstate Wheelchair Cricket Tournament
- **Day 3:** Workshop on Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities through Sports

DAY 1: October 21, 2017 (Saturday)

INTRODUCTION**Inaugural**

The inaugural session was kept at Cricket Stadium, Panjab University, Chandigarh on 21st October 2017, in which Smt. Asha Jaswal, Hon'ble Mayor Municipal Corporation Chandigarh and Sh. Nirmal Chand, Regional Director, Reserve Bank of India, Chandigarh was the Chief Guest and Guest of Honour respectively at the launch of first ever Interstate Wheelchair Cricket 2017 event organized in Chandigarh. The event was supported by Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Youth Development (RGNIYD), Regional Centre Chandigarh as a key partner by providing institutional support.

Welcome Session:

The Chief Guest Smt. Asha Jaswal, Mayor, Municipal Corporation Chandigarh and Sh. Nirmal Chand, Regional Director, Reserve Bank of India, Chandigarh was formally welcomed by Smt. Rekha Trivedi, Convener of the event, APSWDP and Sh. Stanzin Dawa, Regional Director RGNIYD by presenting a bouquet of flowers.



Sh. Yogesh Sharma, RGNIYD and Shivani Raina welcomed Dr. J.K Yadav, Regional Director IGNOU Jammu Regional Centre and Sh. Darshan Kumar, RBI Welfare Society by presenting a bouquet of flowers.



Smt. Kavita, Sh. D. C. Joshi and Sh. Balbir Singh Welcomed Sh. P.N. Khanna, LDM Chandigarh and Sh. Harkit Singh, FLCC PNB head respectively by presenting a bouquet of flowers.



Lamp Lighting Ceremony



As per traditions of Indian rituals, the programme was launched with Lamp Lighting ceremony by the Chief Guest, Guest of Honour and other distinguished and eminent guests.

Handshaking Ceremony

The Chief Guest and Guest of Honour interacted with players of each time and learned about their thoughts and dreams.



Introduction about the event

Sh. Vivek Trivedi, Founder, APSWDP briefed about the event to the invited guests and spectators present in the stadium. He shared that the event is an integral part of the capacity building programme for the persons with disabilities through sports planned in key partnership with Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Youth Development (RGNIYD), Regional Centre Chandigarh for the first time in Chandigarh. The event has got the confidence from state level networks of wheelchair cricket player's viz. Delhi, Haryana, Punjab, Uttar Pradesh. The programme is in continuation to a meeting attended by Rekha Trivedi at Lucknow for the formation of Uttar Pradesh Wheelchair Cricket Association.



He shared that the proposal for this event was warmly welcomed by Mr. Stanzin Dawa and he provided his support for the event in a big way, which quite appreciable,

The programme has been planned with a key objective of empowerment and capacity building of persons with disabilities through sports. This programme would give platforms to persons with disabilities to perform, develop a regional knowledge network and awareness about various issues pertaining to Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016.

Address by the Chief Guest

The Chief Guest Smt. Asha Jaswal, Mayor, Municipal Corporation, Chandigarh praised the efforts of APSWDP and RGNIYD for bringing this wheelchair event for the first time to the Chandigarh. She said, she has heard of blind cricket, deaf cricket but has never thought of such wheelchair cricket, which has actually put sign of exclamation on her mind and really speechless to say anything. She shared that



while handshaking with players on wheelchairs, she has felt the energy and confidence of each players.

She appreciated the efforts of Sh. Vivek Trivedi and Smt. Rekha Trivedi, Social Worker Couple for taking innovative initiatives in social domain, which actually inspired others to follow them on such path.

She promised for her support in such kind of future events and wished happiness and prosperity in the lives of each player.

Address by the Guest of Honour

Sh. Nirmal Chand, Regional Director, Reserve Bank of India, Chandigarh congratulated the organizers specially APSWDP for inviting him as Guest of Honour in the event. He said, he is privileged to be a part of this event and this event has made him to think about the strength and energies possessed by the players. He said, gradually government is taking several steps towards the mainstreaming of Persons with Disabilities (PWDs). Such event is a model in a way that Persons with Disabilities do not undermine themselves and do not considers less than any mainstreamed players. He said, he has observed excitement, adventure, thrill and enthusiasm nothing less than normal cricket.



He also said that the next step in banking will be towards making the entire ATM wheelchair friendly in the country. He also committed for support towards such events in future.

Release of Programme Brochure



During the launch, a brochure was also released by the Smt. Asha Jaswal, Chief Guest and Sh. Nirmal Chand, Guest of Honor, in the presence of other esteemed guests including Dr. J.K.Yadav, Sh. Darshan, Sh. P.N.Khanna, Sh. Harkit Singh, Sh. Hitesh Kumar Gulati and Sh. Manoj Teotia.

Presentation of Mementoes

Sh. Stanzin Dawa has presented mementoes to Smt. Asha Jaswal, Mayor Municipal Corporation Chandigarh and Sh. Nirmal Chand, Regional Director, Reserve Bank of India (RBI) as a token of remembrance and thanked for witnessing the event.



Vote of Thanks

At the end of the inaugural session, Smt. Rekha Trivedi and Sh. Yogesh Sharma, Convener of the event put joint vote of thanks formally to the Chief Guest, Guest of Honour and other invited guests, volunteers from NCC HQ and NSS.

A special thanks was given to Sh. Teli, DGM, Union Bank of India, Regional Office Chandigarh, Col. Mehndiratta, Sh. Rajesh Sharma, Dr. Subhash Godara, Dr. Vishal Dhimang, Dr. Achuytanand Mahapatra, Dr. Sandeep Kumar Meharwal, Smt. Bharti Joshi, Sh. Manoj Teotia, Sh. Jayant, Sh. Mittal, Sh. Amit Joshi, Sh. Navneet Trivedi, Sh. C.P.Trivedi for providing financial as well as kind contribution for making this event a success and remarkable.

GROUP PICTURE



Group Picture with Chief Guest Smt. Asha Jaswal, Mayor, Chandigarh and Sh. Nirmal Chand, Regional Director, RBI, Chandigarh, Guest of Honor with organizers and team members.

Knock-out Matches:

The two knock-out matches were played on first day at Cricket Stadium, Panjab University, Chandigarh including the following matches:-

1. Uttar Pradesh vs. Haryana
2. Delhi vs. Punjab

Uttar Pradesh Vs Haryana

Uttar Pradesh team won the toss and elected to bowl first on a very dry morning with expectation to gain some swing as said by Sh. Somjeet Gaur, Captain of Uttar Pradesh team.

The players of both the teams are as per following order:-



Uttar Pradesh Team	Haryana Team
Somjeet Singh, Captain	Sukhwant Singh, Captain
Vijay Singh	Raman
Bablu Khushwa	Rajesh
Anamik, Wicket Keeper	Jagroop
Gaurav Yadav	Ramesh, Wicket Keeper
Irfan Haider	Gagan
Anmol Varistha	Ashish
Umesh Kaushik	Gurmangat
Pawan Mishra	Gurvinder Singh
Mukesh	Parveen Kumar
Sirajuddin	Sonu Kumar

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Score Card

1st Innings:

Haryana Batting: 12 Over, Score- 88, Wicket - 6

Batsman	Run	Ball	4s	6s	SR
Sukhwant Singh (C)	16	10	4	0	160.0
Raman	6	3	1	0	200.0
Rajesh	12	20	1	0	60.0
Jagroop	31	25	6	1	124.0
Ramesh (Wk)	8	7	2	0	114.0
Gagan	4	5	1	0	125.0
Ashish (not out)	0	0	0	0	0
Gurvinder Singh	0	4	0	0	0
Gurmangat Singh					
Parveen Kumar					
Sonu Kumar					

Extra Run: 11 (6 bye, 3 wide, 2 no-ball)

Fall of Wickets: 1-29 (2.0 over), 2-43 (5.4 over), 3-62 (6.2 over), 4-67 (8.5 over), 5-71 (9.4), 6-76 (10.5 over)

Uttar Pradesh Bowling:

Name	Overs	Maiden	Runs	Wicket
Somjeet Singh	2	0	28	2
Umesh Kaushik	2	1	9	0
Anmol Varistha	3	1	15	1
Irfan Haider	2	0	21	1
Sirajuddin	3	0	15	1





2nd Innings

Uttar Pradesh Batting: 10 Over, Score- 90, Wicket- 2

Batsman	Run	Ball	4s	6s	SR
Anamik (Wk)	0	1	0	0	0.0
Vijay Singh	1	6	0	0	16.6
Irfan Haider (Not Out)	43	26	9	1	165.3
Anmol (Not Out)	28	23	7	0	121.7
Gaurav Yadav					
Bablu Khushwa					
Somjeet Singh (C)					
Umesh Kaushik					
Pawan Mishra					
Mukesh					
Sirajuddin					
Extras: 18 (12 Bye, 4 wide, 2 no-ball)					
Fall of Wickets: 1-2 (0.4 over), 2-9 (1.4 over)					

Haryana Bowling:

Bowler	Over	Maiden	Runs	Wicket
Gurvinder Singh	3	0	18	1
Jagroop	3	0	22	0
Sukhwant Singh	1	0	18	0
Ramesh	1	0	8	0
Raman	1	0	17	0
Sonu	1	0	7	1

Match Summary: The thrilling match won by the Uttar Pradesh team by eight wickets. Sh. Irfan Haider was the Man of the Match for his patience knock of 26 balls for 43 runs with a mammoth six over the long on.

Delhi Vs. Punjab

The second match of the tournament was played between Delhi and Punjab. Punjab team won the toss and elected to bowl first as Punjab team captain was confident in chasing the target with his batsmen.

The details of both the team are as under:



Delhi Team	Punjab Team
Manoj	Rohit
Neeraj	Laxman
Bhima	Ashwani Sahota
Anil Kadiyan	Veer Singh
Sanjay Gupta	Ajit Kumar
Rajinder Singh	Sandeep Sohi
Rohit Pashi	Sunny Shukla
Shashi Kumar	Dilip Kumar
Ajay Tanwar	Sunil Sen
Md. Wasim	Krishna
Gaurav	Ajay

1st Innings

Delhi Batting: 12 Over, Score- 96, Wicket- 6

Batsman	Runs	Ball	4s	6s	SR
Manoj	5	12	1	0	41.6
Neeraj	0	3	0	0	0.0
Bhima	63	40	15	0	157.5
Anil Kadiyan	10	17	1	0	58.8
Sanjay Gupta	0	0	0	0	0.0
Rajinder Singh	0	0	0	0	0.0
Rohit Pashi					
Shashi Kumar					
Ajay Tanwar					
Md. Wasim					
Gaurav					

Extras: 18 (Bye 12, Wide-3, No- Ball- 3)

Fall of Wickets: 1-4 (1.3 over), 2-31 (4.5 over), 3-96 (11.3 over), 4-96 (11.4 over), 5-96 (11.5 over), 6-96 (11.6 over)

Punjab Bowling:

Bowler	Overs	Maiden	Run	Wicket
Sunil	3	1	23	0
Dilip Kumar	2	0	18	1
Rohit	3	1	27	1
Sunny Shukla	1	0	12	0
Ashwini	2	0	5	1
Veer Singh	1	0	11	0





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2nd Innings

Punjab Batting: 11.1 Over Score-100 Wicket- 2

Batsman	Run	Ball	4s	6s	SR
Rohit (Not Out)	48	29	11	0	165.5
Laxman	0	4	0	0	0
Ashwani Sahota	27	32	5	0	84.3
Veer Singh (Not Out)	0	1	0	0	0
Ajit Kumar					
Sandeep Sohi					
Sunny Shukla					
Dilip Kumar					
Sunil Sen					
Krishna					
Ajay					
Extras: 25 (18 Bye, 4 Wide, 3- No Ball)					
Fall of Wickets: 1-4 (0.3 over), 2-91 (10.5 over)					

Delhi Bowling:

Bowler	Over	Maiden	Run	Wicket
Neeraj	3	0	21	0
Bhima	3	0	22	1
Manoj	2	0	14	1
Anil Kadyian	2	0	14	0
Ajay Tanwar	1	0	20	0
Shashi Kumar	0.1	0	9	0



Match Summary: The match was won by the Punjab Team with 8 wickets in hand. Rohit Antora was awarded the Man of the Match for his brilliant knock of 48 runs with 11 fours all over the ground.

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DAY 2: October 22, 2017 (Sunday)

Third Position Match:**Delhi Vs Haryana****1st Innings****Delhi Batting: 68 All Out, 11.1 over**

Batsman	Run	Ball	4s	6s	SR
Manoj	0	1	0	0	0.0
Neeraj	31	12	6	1	258.3
Bhima	12	12	2	0	100.0
Anil Kadiyan	15	13	3	0	115.3
Sanjay Gupta	0	1	0	0	0.0
Surjeet	3	7	0	0	42.8
Rohit Pashi	0	5	0	0	0.0
Sohan (Not Out)	0	0	0	0	0.0
Ajay Tanwar	1	7	0	0	14.2
Md. Wasim	1	5	0	0	20.0
Gaurav	0	3	0	0	0.0

Extras: 5 (4 Bye, 1- No Ball)

Fall of Wickets: 1-9 (2.1 over), 2-36 (3.0 over), 3-56 (5.5 over), 4-63 (6.3 over), 5-66 (7.3 over), 6-66 (7.4 over), 7-66 (9.1 over), 8-66 (9.4 over), 9-68 (10.2 over), 10-68 (11.1 over)

Haryana Bowling:

Bowler	Overs	Maiden	Run	Wicket
Ramesh	3	0	22	2
Gurwinder	2	0	23	1
Sukhwant Singh	2	0	12	1
Jagroop	3	2	7	5
Raman	1.1	0	2	1



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2nd Innings

Haryana Batting: 69/1, 11.1 over

Batsman	Run	Ball	4s	6s	SR
Ramesh	18	32	4	0	56.2
Jagroop (Not Out)	41	35	10	0	117.1
Sukhwant (Not Out)	0	1	0	0	0.0

Extras: 10 (6 Bye, 3 Wide, 1 No- Ball)
Fall of Wickets: 1-68 (11.0 over)

Delhi Bowling:

Bowler	Overs	Maiden	Run	Wicket
Manoj	3	0	16	0
Bhima	2	0	11	0
Manoj	2	0	13	0
Anil	2	0	16	0
Ajay	2	0	12	0
Surjeet	0.3	0	1	1



Match Summary: The low-scoring match was won by the Haryana with all rounder display of cricket by their upcoming cricketer Sh. Jagroop who bags five wickets for conceding just 7 runs and then made a patient and sensible not out knock of 41 runs. Due to his brilliant performance he was awarded Man of the Match.

Final Match: Day - 2: 22 October, 2017

Uttar Pradesh Vs. Punjab

The Final match was begun with all around of applause for both the teams Punjab Vs Uttar Pradesh. The team line up as follows:

1st Innings

Uttar Pradesh Batting: 4/122 12 overs (Maximum)

Batsman	Run	Ball	4s	6s	SR
Ravi	6	7	1	0	85.7
Mukesh	4	17	1	0	23.5
Irfan Haider	24	10	6	0	240.0
Anmol	51	25	12	0	204.0
Somjeet Singh(Not Out)	16	13	2	0	123.0
Pawan (Not Out)	0	0	0	0	0.0

Extras: 21 (16 Bye, 3 Wide, 2 No -Ball)

Fall of Wickets: 1-27 (2.3 over), 2-40 (4.5 over), 3-64 (6.4 over), 4-122(12 over)

Punjab Bowling:

Bowler	Over	Maiden	Run	Wicket
Ashwini Sahota	2	0	25	1
Krishna	1	0	2	0
Sunil	3	0	15	1
Rohit	2	0	23	1
Dilip	2	0	29	0
Veer Singh	2	0	22	0



2nd Innings**Punjab Batting: 123-4 12 Overs (Maximum)**

Batsman	Run	Ball	4s	6s	SR
Laxman	12	16	2	0	75.0
Rohit	13	9	3	0	144.4
Veer Singh (Not Out)	79	39	13	4	202.5
Sandeep Sohi	4	4	1	0	275.0
Ajay	0	1	0	0	0.0
Ashwini (Not Out)	6	3	1	0	200.0
Extras: 9 (5 Bye, 3 Wide, 1 No-Ball)					
Fall of Wickets: 1-23 (2.4 over), 2-50 (6.4 over), 3-50 (6.5 over), 4-75 (8.5 over)					

Uttar Pradesh Bowling:

Bowler	Overs	Maiden	Run	Wicket
Sirajuddin	2	0	14	
Somjeet Singh	3	0	27	0
Anmol	3	0	26	3
Umesh Kaunshik	2	0	18	0
Irfan Haider	1	0	15	0
Mukesh	1	0	23	0



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Match Summary:

The nail biting match was won by Punjab, as the hero of the game Sh. Veer Singh, Captain of the Punjab team, won the match by hitting six on a very last ball of the match. He remains unbeaten on 79 with 13 fours and 4 mammoth sixes over the ground. As every balls creates an edifying atmosphere and the spectators gives a thunder round of applause with every hit of ball.

Award Ceremony:

The Award ceremony was presided over by the veteran cricketer of Indian cricket Team Sh. Dinesh Mongia. He was welcomed by the Dr. Monica Singh, President of APSWDP by presenting a bouquet of flowers.

While addressing the players and spectators, he said, he has seen an amazing cricket today, which he has never imagined. He also said that if wheelchair players can play such an exciting and thrilling match then what else they cannot achieve in life.



During the award ceremony, he gave prizes to winner's team and players as under:

Winning Trophy	Punjab Team
2nd Position	Uttar Pradesh
3 rd Position	Haryana
Best Batsman	Veer Singh (Punjab)
Best Bowler	Jagroop (Haryana)
Best Fielder	Rohit (Delhi)
Man of the Match	Veer Singh (Punjab)
Man of the Series	Anmol (Uttar Pradesh)

DAY3: October 23, 2017 (Monday)

As per the programme schedule, the capacity building of persons with disabilities was organized on the last day of the event at RGNIID, Chandigarh. Three technical sessions were conducted as per below:

Session 1:

Dr. Monica Singh (Assistant Professor, Centre for Social Work, Panjab University, Chandigarh).



Dr. Monica talked about the various aspects of disabilities, social entitlements available from the Government and standard operating procedure to be followed to deal with Divyang children. She focused on 21 categories of disabilities available under the new law 'Rights of Persons with Disabilities 2016'.

During her presentation, she has also discussed about various schemes and programmes run by the Government for the DIVYANG people. Some of them listed as follows:

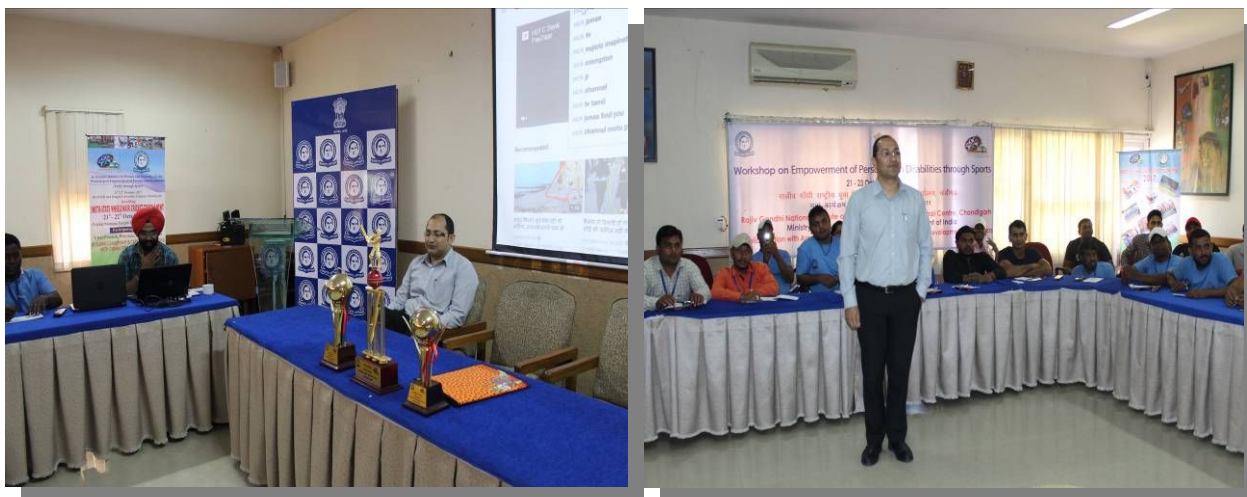
1. Loan for Purchase of Assistive Devices
2. Loan for Vocational Studies
3. Become a Successful entrepreneur
4. Education Loan for Higher Studies
5. Concessional Credit for Self-Employment
6. 2000 Scholarship for Student with Disabilities
7. Handholding Support to Institution for PWDs
8. Loan to NGO's for their Capacity Expansion
9. Loan for Developing Business premises

At the end of her presentation, she deliberated on the legal guardianship of disabled persons. The session was concluded with discussion and vote of thanks.

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Session 2:

Dr. Sumit Arora, Sociologist (Capacity Building/Institutional Strengthening Expert, PMIDC, Department of Local Government, Punjab Government)



During this session, the resource person laid thrust on social construction regarding disability and its various forms. The session starts with the definition of disability and various signs related to it in the entire world. Definition of Disability:

“A physical, mental, cognitive, or developmental condition that impairs, interferes with, or limits a person’s ability to engage in certain tasks or actions or participate in typical daily activities and interactions.”

Carrying forward with the session, Dr. Arora emphasized on the generating Leadership among the differently able individuals through capacity building. He presented two case studies of differently able women leaders namely Arunima Sinha who climbed Mount Everest with one artificial leg and Deepa Malik, a Paralympics Silver medalist, who made their weakness as their major strength and has shown distinctive quintessence of leadership. Documentaries of both the women leaders were also shown to all the participants. With such achievements, the entire world stood-up for them including those who never believed that differently abled individuals can do something remarkable and exceptional. Both the women leaders have come up with great leadership skills and have made the entire world to take a note of their leadership.

He further added that disability is a state of mind which needs to be corrected through capacity building training programs at various levels. Also he mentioned that Society is not well-versed with the needs of differently abled individuals which remains the biggest challenge as far as their empowerment is concerned.

The session was highly appreciated by all the participants and ended with discussions and further deliberations.

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Session3:

Teresa Paul (Supreme Court Lawyer, Social Activist, Faculty at Indian Social Institute Delhi)



Teresa Paul who is a great eminent personality, a Senior Supreme Court lawyer and a social activist bestowed RGNIYD, RC Chandigarh and APSWDP, Chandigarh for organizing such kind of workshops for empowerment of PwD. She also praised the partakers for their strong initiative by participating in the event and representing different States of India. During her presentation she mentioned that one must have legal knowledge about their rights guaranteed under the Constitution of India. S/he can only be fight for the rights if it is known to them, she added during her presentation. She also talked about various rights available to the disabled person in a broad manner, one of which is as follows:

‘The Constitution secures to the citizens including the disabled, a right of justice, liberty of thought, expression, belief, faith and worship, equality of status and of opportunity and for the promotion of fraternity’.



Closing Ceremony and Prize Distribution:



RGNIYD, RC, Chandigarh in collaboration with APSWDP, Chandigarh has successfully completed a historical workshop on “Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities through Sports” cum Inter-state Cricket Tournament on 23rd October 2017. The four states participated in the cricket tournament were Punjab, Haryana, Delhi and Uttar Pradesh. The final was won by the Punjab team beating their arch-rivals Uttar Pradesh by hitting six on a very last ball by Sh. Veer Sandhu, Captain of Punjab. On the concluding ceremony, Sh. Ajit Balaji Joshi (IAS), Deputy Commissioner Chandigarh was the chief guest on the occasion.

He eulogized the organizer RGNIYD, RC, Chandigarh and APSWDP, Chandigarh for conducting such a historical workshop Cum Cricket tournament in Chandigarh. He was quite amazed to see and heard about the last ball six winning effort by the player as such things were very rarely seen in the International Cricket arena. He also congratulates the organizer for changing the perception and attitude of the people towards the persons with disabilities. As through this workshop cum cricket tournament, people came to know about them as they are also normal human beings and played sports like others.



He also quoted the reference about Smt. Deepa Malik a silver Para-Olympic medalist in Rio 2016 for her indomitable courage and grit determination to achieve success despite being physical hurdles. He also said that a person is disabled from the mind, not from physical appearance as the grit determination in mind can overturn the physical hindrance in achieving the goals of life.

Sh. Stanzin Dawa, Regional Director, RGNIYD, RC, Chandigarh congratulated the players, volunteers and colleagues to make the historical events such a grand success. He also said, he is startled by the last six-run ball effort made by the captain Punjab team and won the match for the team.

He further mentioned that whoever wins the tournament it hardly matters but above all, it is the spirit of the game, which has won. He said that the cricket tournament has become the

milestone in the history of Chandigarh as it has now changed the thinking and mind set of the people towards persons with disabilities. He also thrust on the uniqueness of the country that is “Unity in Diversity” as the players came from different parts of the country belong to diverse caste, language, geography and religion but shown great spirit of the game by holding, motivating, encouraging each other during the matches. He also said that through this workshop cum cricket tournament, the social network, linkage has built up among PWD fraternity, which is going to be very last long and also in creating a cultural harmony among all the stakeholders.

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Eminent Guest:

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- Sh. Nirmal Chand, Regional Director, RBI, Chandigarh
- Sh. Ajit Bala Ji Joshi, Deputy Commissioner, Chandigarh.
- Sh. Dinesh Mongia, Former Cricketer, Indian Cricket Team.

Resource Persons:

- Dr. Monica Singh, Asst. Professor, Department of Social Work, Panjab University, Chandigarh.
- Sh. Vivek Trivedi, Social Development Officer, Municipal Corporation, Chandigarh.
- Sister Teresa Paul, Lawyer, Supreme Court of India, Indian Social Institute, New Delhi.
- Dr. Sumit Arora, Sociologist, Chandigarh.

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- Sh. Stanzin Dawa, Regional Director, RGNIYD.
- Dr. Monica Singh, President, APSWDP

Convener

- Yogesh Sharma, Training Coordinator, RGNIYD
- Rekha Trivedi, Founding Member, APSWDP

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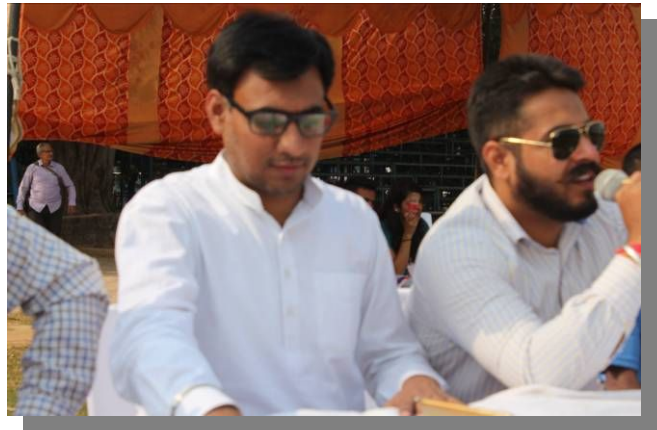
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PROGRAMME AGENDA

Date	Programme Activity	Time	Key Persons/Resource Persons
20/10/2017	Arrival & Registration of Participants, Kit Distribution	5.00 - 9.00 PM	Yogesh Sharma/Mastan Singh/Rekha Trivedi
	Dinner	9.00 - 10.00 PM	
21/10/2017	Breakfast	7.00 - 8.00 AM	
	Transfer of Participants from RGNIYD to Panjab University	8.00 - 9.00 AM	Mastan Singh with Volunteers
	First Knock Out Match - 1 st Inning	9.00 - 10.30 AM	Yogesh/Mastan Singh/Rekha Trivedi
	Visit of Chief Guest, Handshaking Ceremony with teams and Address by Chief Guest. Welcome by APSWDP Programme Introduction by Convener Vote of Thanks by RGNIYD	10.30 - 11.30 AM	Chief Guest: Smt. Asha Jaswal, Mayor, Chandigarh Guest of Honor: Shri. Nirmal Chand Ji, Regional Director, Reserve Bank of India (RBI), Chandigarh Special Guest: Shri. T P S Phoolka, IAS, Punjab cadre

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	First Knock Out Match - 2 nd Inning	11.30 - 1.00 PM	Yogesh/Mastan Singh/Rekha Trivedi
	Lunch at Ground	1.00 - 1.30 PM	
	Second Knock Out Match - 1 st Inning	1.30 - 3.00 PM	Yogesh/Mastan Singh/Rekha Trivedi
	Second Knock Out Match - 2 nd Inning	3.00 - 4.30 PM	Yogesh/Mastan Singh/Rekha Trivedi
	Transfer of Participants from Panjab University to RGNIYD	4.30 - 5.00 PM	Mastan Singh with Volunteers
	Rest & Recreation	5.00 - 8.00 PM	
	Dinner	9.00 - 10.00 PM	
22/10/2017	Breakfast	7.00 - 8.00 AM	
	Transfer of Participants from RGNIYD to Panjab University	8.00 - 9.00 AM	Mastan Singh with Volunteers
	Match for 3 rd Position	9.00 - 11.00 AM	Yogesh/Mastan Singh/Rekha Trivedi
	Final Match - 1 st Inning	11.00 - 12.30 PM	Yogesh/Mastan Singh/Rekha Trivedi
	Lunch	12.30 - 1.00 PM	
	Final Match - 2 nd Inning	01.00 - 3.00 PM	
	Prize Distribution to Winners and Volunteers.	3.00 - 3.30 PM	Chief Guest Shri. Dinesh Mongia, Former Player Indian Cricket Team
	Cleanliness Drive in the Ground by Players for SBM	3.30 - 3.45 PM	
	Transfer of Participants from Panjab University to RGNIYD	3.45 to 4.15 PM	
	City Excursion	4.15 - 6.00 PM	
	Rest & Recreation	5.00 - 8.00 PM	
Dinner	9.00 - 10.00 PM		

23/10/2017	Breakfast	8.00 - 9.00 AM	
	Session on Policy and Programme for Persons with Disabilities	9.00 - 10.00 AM	Dr. Monica Singh, Asst. Professor, Center for Social Work, PU Chandigarh.
	Session of Mainstreaming and Leadership Development of Persons with Disabilities	10.00 - 11.00 AM	Dr. Sumit Arora, Sociologist, Punjab Government.
	Tea Break	11.00 - 11.30 AM	
	Session of Persons with Disabilities Act 2016	11.30- 01.00 PM	Sister Teresa Paul, Lawyer, Supreme Court of India, New Delhi and Faculty Indian Social Institute.
	Lunch	01.00 - 2.00PM	
	Closing Ceremony	2.00 - 3.00 PM	Presided by Sh. Ajit Bala Ji Joshi, Deputy Commissioner, Chandigarh
	Tea	3.00 - 3.30 PM	
	TA settlement	3.30 PM onwards	
	Dinner	9.00 - 10.00 PM	

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