

Sports and Gymkhana Policy and Practices

Introduction:

The College takes special care for the holistic development of the students. Academics and sports activities both are given impetus for the progress of the students and their physical as well as mental well-being. The participation in sports makes a nation fitter. Keeping in view the fact that a fitter nation is a better performer, the college takes ample care in the promotion of various sports and games and encourages students' participation in various Zonal, Inter Zonal, State, National and International level sports events. The college strives to achieve medals and success at Upper level for their sports persons.

Organizational Structure:

(A) Sports Co-ordinator:

The Co-ordinator serves basically as an advisor and resource person for the students and liaison officer between Principal, Gymkhana and Sports students. Further its coordinator's responsibility to monitor the various sports activities, to ensure all University norms are being followed, to assist the college administration in implementing sound safety practices and to manage the funds allocated as per University Policy.

(B) Sports Council:

The sports committee is made up of Staff & students talented in various sports activities. The members can change each academic year. Further, each sport has representatives who become a part of the Gymkhana Committee. The work of the committee is to ensure all the sports activities are conducted properly throughout the year. They also assist the Physical Director, sports coordinator in the organization and conduction of events at the college & University levels including the annual sports day. During the conduction of collegiate and inter-collegiate events, each sport or category of event has an event team in-charge nominated among the member of the student council. This event head is responsible for mobilizing participation, explaining the norms to the participants and the conduction of the event. The sports council is guided by the faculties who are members of the sports committee in maintaining detailed record of the events organized.

Standards of Conduct:

The students of the sports committee are expected to maintain high standards of

behavior and sportsmanship both on and off the field while representing the college. They also need to follow all the rules and regulations and of fair play.

Selection of players and participation:

Selection trials are conducted in the campus court by the Director of Physical Education, Sports Co-coordinator or Faculty In-Charge of sports. Sometimes coaches are hired from outside for extra practice.

Events are conducted for Boys and Girls separately. There are Inter-Class Competitions for Cricket, Football, Table-Tennis, Carom board etc. Students are also encouraged to participate in Inter-College, University, state, National and Inter-national level competitions. The college also sponsors sports kit and provides Travelling and Dearness Allowance to participants.

Equipment's and Infrastructure:

Yashoda Technical Campus has a very good infrastructure, which is accessible to all the colleges. Yashoda Technical Campus has access to the class, Foot Ball Court, Kabaddi, Kho-Kho, 200 mtrs Athletics track, Basket Ball and Volley Ball courts, Cricket Wicket with ground and other amenities like Indoor Gym & Open Gym in the campus. All the events of the college are conducted in the campus.

The Gymkhana of the college is also well equipped, located on the Ground floor of the college building, which is open from 8:00 a.m. in the morning to 06:00. p.m. in the evening. More than 50-70 students regularly utilize the Gym, Indoor games & Ground available here.

Responsibilities of Director of Physical Education, Coaches and Gymkhana In charge:

Physical Director/Coaches are responsible for the following:

- (1) Help in identifying talented players.
- (2) Help in enforcing all Risk Management policies.
- (3) Informing students of risks associated with participating in their specific sport.
- (4) Give adequate training to students in their respective sports.
- (5) Developing and following safety procedures.
- (6) Improving skills of students.
- (7) Travelling with teams. Enforce standard of conduct both on and off the field.
- (8) Attending and supervising all games and practices.
- (9) Give opportunities to all talented students to participate in various sports and at various levels.
- (10) Enforce rules and regulations and promote good sportsmanship on and off the field.

Duties of Director of Physical Education & Gymkhana In charge:

Gymkhana of the college is taken care by a non-teaching staff. The staff supervises the regular activities and monitors the wear and tear of the equipment's. Further, students who come here are required to follow the guidelines such as (a) Use of equipment's with care and (b) Avoid damage of sports equipment's. The staff has to be very alert and takes care that no equipment's are lost. An entry/ record register is maintained in the Gymkhana indicating the duration and usage of indoor games equipment by various students throughout the day. The Gymkhana In charge is also responsible for the inventory and storage of sports equipment.

Students using Gymkhana have to produce their ID card and sign in this register. Fine is imposed in case of any damage of equipment's. Fine is based on the nature of damage. In case students apply for duplicate ID card or gate pass, then the application has to be signed by the Gymkhana Incharge. The same is required when a student desires to cancel his/her admission from hostel. This measure is to ensure that no sports equipment is damaged and that there are no claims pending.

Sports Budget and Equipment's Purchase:

The Sports Department and the Core Management Committee finalizes the Sports Budget after series of discussions. Equipment's are purchased after inviting quotations from about three dealers. The best offer is then finalized. In case of emergency equipment's are also purchased from the nearest dealer.

Coaches may be hired for select sports such as Archery and boxing. Honorarium can be paid to the coaches hired. Guidance for other sports is provided by faculties who have their past knowledge and experience regarding a given sport. Annual sports event of the college for boys, girls and staff is organized by the college. Common utilities available on campus are used for the purpose. In case of inter-collegiate events the sports council seeks to procure required for the events.

Risk management:

First aid kit is kept in the college and is available in case of minor problems faced by the students participating in the events and practicing their sports on a regular basis. An on-campus doctor is consulted if required. In case of major injury the player the student is rushed to the nearby hospital. The sports coordinator and sports council members stress on preventive measures and instruct the student participants regarding the precautions to be taken from time to time.

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