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GOVERNOR INAUGURATES 3RD EDITION OF VOLLEYBALL SILVER ROLLING TROPHY CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT AT GDC UDHAMPUR

12-02-2017 : The 3rd edition of State level Inter-Collegiate Volley ball championship (for men and women) for the **Annual Silver Rolling Volleyball Trophies** instituted by Hon'ble Governor of J&K State Sh. N.N Vohra in Govt. Degree College Udhampur began today. Hon'ble Governor of J&K State Sh. N.N Vohra was the chief guest and Sh Pawan Kumar Gupta, Hon'ble MLA Udhampur & Sh. Dina Nath Bhagat Hon'ble MLA Chenani-Ghordi were the Guest of Honour . In his address the chief guest congratulated the College for organizing this tournament and making it a big success. Appreciating the whole hearted participation of the colleges across the state. *“Winning and losing are part of the game but such tournaments provide an opportunity to the students to interact with each other, to built character, stamina, strength and a lifelong friendship”* he added. He also witnessed an exhibition match between Govt. Degree College Budgam and GDC Udhampur.

Earlier a befitting welcome was extended to Hon'ble Governor by Dr. Renu Goswami, Director colleges, Principal Prof. S.S Bhalwal, Prof. Rakesh Gupta, Dr. Udhey Bhanu & other staff members. NCC Unit of the College presented Rashtriya Salute to the Chief Guest under the supervision of Prof.Kamal Kishore. A cultural program was also organised by the college students.In his formal welcome address Principal Prof. S.S Bhalwal expressed his sense of gratitude to the Chief Guest for, not only instituting these Trophies but also for having consented to inaugurate the 3rd edition of the event as well. *“ This event, in addition to providing a platform to the potential sportspersons of this area to interact with their counterparts from other parts of the State, also aims at generating an understanding between the youth of Kashmir & Jammu Divisions,”* he added. The College Newsletter was also released on this occasion by Hon'ble Governor. March past by the players and a band display were the other attractive features of the programme. Mr. Reeubeen Teji, Captain of GDC Udhampur Volleyball Team lighted the ceremonial flame. Alumni achievers who have not only laid the foundation of Volleyball in this College but also nurtured this game to the extent that this College could hold this Annual event were also honored in this event; these included: Sh. Rajeev Dogra, Sh. Sunil Sharma, Sh. Naveen Kumar Sharma & Sh. Sanjay Sharma. Dr. Renu Goswami, Director Colleges proposed the formal vote of thanks.

Sh. Nisar Ahmed, DIG Udhampur-Reasi range, Sh. Niraj Kumar District Development Commissioner Udhampur, Sh. Shalinder Mishra, SSP Udhampur, Dr. Ajeet Angral, Nodal Principal GGM Science College, Jammu, Principals Dr. Nutan Kumar Resutra, Prof. Savitri Sharma, Prof. K.S. Koushal, Dr. Yudhvir Singh, Dr. S. K. Magotra, District Officers, veteran sportspersons, various members of civil society, besides staff and students of the host college were present on this occasion. The program was conducted by Prof. Suresh Kumar Dogra.

On Day 1 In Men's category GDC Kathua defeated GDC Nowshera, GDC Hiranagar defeated GDC Tral, GDC Paloura defeated GDC Pulwama and Govt. MAM College Jammu defeated GDC Sumbal. Govt. College of Education got the walk over.

In Women's category Govt. Degree College Udhampur defeated Shivalik College of Education, Udhampur.

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