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ANNUAL ATHLETIC MEET, 2020: A BRIEF RPORT

The annual Sports Meet for the year of 2020 of our college (GGGDC) was held on 21st January. This was the 4th time that Athletic Committee of the college has organized the meet. The large open space inside the college campus, adjacent to the main gate of the building was the venue of the meet. In order to encourage the students in taking part in extra-curricular activities, particularly showing their sports skills, the committee took intensive care of every minute detail related to this meet. Special mention should be made of the selection of events which included games involving physical fitness, promptness and I.Q level of the students. In total seven events were arranged namely Walking, Skipping Race, Three-legged Walking, Biscuit Race, Mental Arithmetic Race, Fill-in-the blanks Race and Shuttle-Racket Race. Events were arranged not only for students but also for Faculty members and Non-teaching staffs so that the meet can provide recreation to each and every individual related to our institution. For convenience pre-sports selection and then the ultimate competition between the selected contestants were organised on the same day. Sincere efforts of the members of the committee resulted in the arrangement of a successful sports meet witnessing huge response from students'-side marked by the presence of more than 97% of students on that day.

The event was inaugurated by our honourable Principal Madam by lighting the lamp and then flag hoisting. Then she delivered her valuable inaugural speech. Her speech was followed by an aerobic-program with music. It was performed by some of our students under the supervision of committee's co-convenor Dr. Koel Adhikary. After that the students participated in Oath taking where the oath was led by the Champion of last year's meet. The all the students were provided by a sun-guard and a pen along with the Lunch-Coupon. Then the gaming events started. Starting with the event of Walking, the games rolled on as per schedule for three and half hours. After the lunch break, the college staffs, both teaching and non-teaching, participated in Walking, Penalty-Kick Race and Musical-Chair competitions. At the end of all the events, three top contestants from each category were awarded with a certificate of honour and a medal as memento. The awards were handed over by our Principal, IQAC Coordinator Dr. Debaprasad Bannerjee and Prof. Jayanta Joy Chattopadhyay of Political Science Department. At the end, a beautiful trophy was handed over to the Champion of this year's Sports-Meet on the basis of points calculated throughout all the events. In a nutshell, just like the previous years, the Annual Athletic Sports Meet of our College turned out to be a successful event and the success of this Meet can be considered as a consequence of efforts of Athletic Committee together with cooperation from all staffs (teaching and non-teaching) of the college.