

**GOVERNMENT GIRLS' GENERAL DEGREE COLLEGE
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ANNUAL ATHLETIC MEET, 2021: A BRIEF REPORT

The 5th Annual Athletic Meet of our College, GGGDC Ekbalpur was held on 29th March 2022.

One of the Joint conveners of Athletic sub-committee, Dr. Koel Adhikary welcomed our Respected Principal Madam and othe thers. Principal Madam, Dr. Syeda Shariqatul Moula Alquadri, inaugurated the meet by igniting the diya. This was followed by an encouraging speech from her to all the students. The programme started at around 11am. In the presence of a gleeful gathering of all the students, faculty members and office staff, the National Flag was hoisted by the Principal of our college. After that, the melodious National Anthem was sung. Next, the students stretched their right hand and affirmed themselves delivering the Oath, which was conducted by Nazifa Salam, a student of the English Department.

In total, seven events were arranged for this year's Athletic Meet 2021. Keeping in mind the COVID 19 pandemic disease, this year some events were chosen mainly based on indoor games such as Floor Gymnastics, Carrom, Observation Game, Dumb Charades. As the Sports Day helps to realize the importance of physical fitness and strength also, so some events like Walking Race, Balance Race, Musical Chair were arranged as well.

For initial prevention of any injury from getting worse, First-Aid-Box was ready. Before the event began, the participants were provided with their respective chest-numbers, and all the students, Faculty members, Office staff were given Food-coupons. After declaring 'the meet is ON', all participants, non-participants, Faculty members, Office-staff assembled in the large open space inside the college campus, adjacent to the main gate of the building, which was the venue of the meet.

The Athletic Meet 2021 was commenced with the 'Walking Race' followed by 'Balance Race'. After finishing those two events, the indoor games began with Carrom. Dr. Md. Shahid Jamil, H.O.D. of Persian department and Professor Abdul Matin from the Arabic department judged this event. Observation Game was judged by Dr. Soma Mondal, H.O.D. of Physics Department. There were seven groups having four participants each in Dumb Charades event. This event was judged by Prof. Rupa Banerjee nee Samajpati of Bengali Department and Dr. Prathama Ray, H.O.D. of Economics department. This enjoyable sports day ended with the exciting event of 'Musical Chairs' with ninety-four participants. This event was judged by Dr. Senjuti Gupta, Economics department and Prof. Nafisa Sarkar, History department. In this event, many faculty members, Office staff were involved and cheered all participants.

Prize distribution ceremony generated new enthusiasm in the students. At the end of all the events, three top contestants from each category were awarded with a certificate of honour and a

medal. This programme was started with the speech of Teachers' Council Secretary of this college, Dr. Sampa Sen. After that, the awards were handed over by our respected Principal Madam, Dr. Madhumita Sen, Dr. Sampa Sen, Dr. Soma Mondal, Dr. Antara Mukherjee, Dr. Senjuti Gupta and Prof. Nafisa Sarkar.

The success of the Athletic Meet, at the end of the day, was worth the efforts and hardwork of the Athletic sub-committee members, Dr. Koel Adhikary, Dr. Kaushiki Mukherjee as Joint Conveners and Prof. Souma Halder, Prof. Abdul Matin, Prof. Sutapa Bose and Dr. Mumu Chakraborty as members.





