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About Indian Institute of Engineering Science and Technology, Shibpur (Erstwhile BESU).

IIST, Shibpur (Erstwhile "Bengal Engineering College") ranks 19th in NIRF-2019 among Engineering Institutes. It is the first college to become Indian Institute of Engineering Science and Technology (IIST) in India in 2014. The Institute has a rich history. It is empowering the nation since 1856. Considering the year of establishment, it is the 3rd engineering college in India but considering the year of graduation it is the 2nd oldest engineering college in India. It has 16 departments and 8 schools. It has over 250 faculty members and a student strength of over 4000.

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IIST, Shibpur is to become one of the best Institutes in the world in providing the state-of-the-art multi-disciplinary research ambience that will usher innovative world-class technologies developed towards realizing the goal of developed India.

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About Society of Games and Sports (The Sports Board), IEST, Shibpur.

Sports at IEST, Shibpur was an idea, it was started by a bunch of enthusiasts who aimed at bringing up the sports culture of this prestigious institution. We are now a family of more than 2000 sports enthusiasts, we are thankful to all of them and hope everyone keeps showing us the same support for years to come. Additionally, the General Secretary and the captain council has decided to include women in the Sports Board of IEST, Shibpur. Therefore, along with this council there will be a Women Sports Committee to be formed in the coming weeks consisting of girls to be a part of every sport. The Captain Council and the Women Sports Committee will be led by the general secretary for the session 2019-2020. The annual athletics meet 2019 T-shirt is now available for grabs. All the registered participants and volunteers can collect it from the gym.

The infrastructural state-of-the facilities in IEST, Shibpur are:

1. The Oval Ground
2. The Lords Ground
3. The Gymnasium
4. The Basketball Court
5. Table-Tennis Facilities in Gymnasium and Hostels
6. Swimming Pool
7. Badminton Court at Netaji Bhavan
8. Sports Office at the Students' Amenities Centre





Prof. Parthasarathi Chakrabarti
Director

July 18, 2020

Message from the Desk of the Director

It gives me immense pleasure to write this message on the occasion of the release of the first edition of the Institute's Sports Magazine-The Sports Herald. I congratulate the members of the Institute's Sports Board for taking this initiative. The Institute has geared up in the recent past for strengthening the infrastructural facilities to boost Sports and Recreational activities. After the conversion of the erstwhile Bengal Engineering College, Shibpur (established in 1856) into IEST, Shibpur, an Institution of National Importance in 2014, the Students' Amenity Centre was created for promoting various extracurricular activities among the students including games and sports. Considering the importance of sports in shaping students' physical and mental health, the Institute has made physical education a compulsory subject for all students. I am quite impressed by the Sports Board activities, which have been successful in motivating a majority of the students to participate in various sports activities. The Sports Board has been organizing several sports events and tournaments throughout the year, where students from other Institutions from different parts of the country participate. In the recent past, IEST, Shibpur has been included as one of the participating Institutions in NIT tournaments. The Sports Board is also planning to organize one of the NIT tournaments in the Institute shortly. It is also heartening to see that several alumni from different batches of the Institute have come forward to establish some sports-related facilities of International standard.

I firmly believe that with the Sports Board's untiring efforts, our students will excel not only in academics but bring laurels to the Institute by winning sports matches and tournaments. The sports magazine will boost the confidence of the students participating in the Institute's sports activities and motivate others to participate in Sports activities.



(Parthasarathi Chakrabarti)

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Prof. (Dr.) Debabrata Mazumder
The Dean (Students' Welfare), IEST, Shibpur.

July 18, 2020.

Message from the Desk of the Dean (Students' Welfare)

It gives me immense pleasure that the students of I.I.E.S.T., Shibpur under Sports Board are going to bring the First edition of their Sports magazine in 2020. The zeal of the students regarding sports activities has been exponentially increasing every year. This year the Sports Board has conducted more than 12 events involving various sections of the student community. A variety of new steps have been taken in order to inculcate sporting culture in the Institute campus. The students have indeed proved their mettle in the arena of sports, namely in All India Inter NIT Tournaments and also hosted the first ever Pink Ball Match in the Oval Ground of the institute. In the coming years, we look forward to host Inter NIT Tournaments and make ourselves well-equipped from the infrastructural point of view. This year we are aiming at bringing in changes in organizing events in the form of more structured and well planned yearly intra and inter-collegiate events. To highlight all the sports activities under the aegis of Sports Board, the students have come up with the very first edition of the Institute Sports Magazine named as The Sports Herald, to be released soon. I wish all the best for all the future endeavours by the Sports Board.



(Debabrata Mazumder)

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Shri Sandip Chattopadhyay
The Professor In-Charge, Sports Board, IEST, Shibpur.

July 18, 2020

Message from the Desk of the Professor In-Charge.

The Sports Board of IEST, Shibpur has achieved newer heights every year. With the proper initiatives taken by the Sports Council of 2019-20, we proudly present to you the very first edition of The Sports Herald. This will serve as the foundation stone of presenting ourselves as one of the best Institutes to encourage sports activities and developed enough to host various prestigious tournaments like Inter NIT, etc. Many steps have been taken this year to structure the events in such a way that there is parity with other national Institutes. In the forthcoming years, we look forward keep the flag of IEST, Shibpur high by maintaining the quality sporting atmosphere in sports with the largest number of students participating in the events. Looking forward to continuing the legacy and heritage of this society.

Sandip Chattopadhyay

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Shri Sougata Mazumder
The General Secretary, Sports Board.

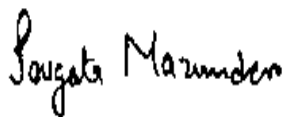
July 18, 2020

Message from the Desk of the General Secretary.

Leading one of the societies with the largest student engagements in the Institute has been a challenge which would have been impossible to overcome without the able participation of the entire Sports Council of 2019-20. There have been changes made this year which will bring a positive effect in the long span in terms of more platforms, organized event structures and infrastructural developments also. We have tried to build a strong foundation for the newer generations to come in and utilize it. There have been additions to the list of accolades which has been a legacy for this Institute since its inception. This initiative of introducing the first ever Institute Sports Magazine is expected to continue in years to come with the sole aim of showcasing the activities and laurels in order to recognize the talents of IIESTians in the arena of Sports. This shall be the guidebook of the next Council and always can improve it to make the Society a better one.

I sincerely wish that this pandemic of COVID-19 would not be there, so that we could relive the much awaited Winter Meet in the form of BE-Crira which was scheduled to be held this year, after at least a decade and a half. Requesting all the future leaders to take up the responsibility, stand in front and deliver.

On behalf of the Sports Council, we give to you The Sports Herald, your Sports Magazine. Stay Safe. Sports will be back soon, so will be us. Pardon us in case we failed to plug any existing loopholes, the next generations will surely be fixing it.



(Sougata Mazumder)

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Details of Members of Sports Council 2019-20.

Sl. No.	Name	Designation	Year & Branch	Contact Details
1	Sougata Mazumder	General Secretary	4 th , Min. E.	8584050828
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2	Aniruddha Nandi	Athletics (M)	4 th , Electrical	8017885311
3	Rayapaka Meghana	Athletics (W)	3 rd , ETC	9748160197
4	Subhankar Halder	Badminton (M)	4 th , CST	9007357549
5	Soumya Adabala	Badminton (W)	3 rd , EE	7780112999
6	Shubham Katoch	Basketball (M)	4 th , ETC	8988097782
7	Subhadra Bhagat	Basketball (W)	4 th , AE&AM	8458978860
8	Puneet Goyal	Chess (M)	4 th , ME	9521275247
9	Ishita Hariramani	Chess (W)	2 nd , CST	6265867597
10	Sounak Ghosh	Cricket (M)	4 th , ME	8910586866
11	Nidhi Singh	Cricket (W)	2 nd , EE	6388590424
12	Sanat Mandi	Football (M)	4 th , MME	7550903057
13	Pronab Roy	Gymnasium	4 th , CE	9635247614
14	Sudharshan Saren	Gymnasium	4 th , Min. E.	9635742774
15	Arnab Char	Lawn Tennis (M)	4 th , EE	7908990824
16	Alan Das M.	Swimming (M)	4 th , AE&AM	9446846142
17	Arunima Mudi	Swimming (W)	2 nd , CST	8910269346
18	Tarun Kochar	Table Tennis (M)	4 th , ME	9149672537
19	Neetu Gupta	Table Tennis (W)	4 th , MME	7908460377
20	D. Prudhvi Raj	Volleyball (M)	4 th , IT	8297011722
21	Mahima Bhavsar	Volleyball (W)	4 th , AE&AM	7016106484



Structure of events of the Sports Board for the session 2019-20.

ODD SEMESTER (July 2019 - December 2019)

1. Freshers' Badminton Tournaments **
2. Freshers' Basketball Tournaments **
3. Freshers' Football Tournament **
4. Freshers' Chess Tournament **
5. Freshers' Table Tennis Tournament **
6. Inter Department Football
7. Inter Year Girls' Chess
8. Inter Hostel Girls' Basketball **
9. Inter Year Girls' Table Tennis
10. University Cricket Team Trials
11. Half Yearly Felicitation Ceremony *

*In order to structure the events of the Sports Board, a half-yearly felicitation ceremony has been organized this year to felicitate the winners of the aforementioned events held in the odd semester. The position holders were given trophies, medals and certificates from the Sports Board in the presence of Dean (SW) and Associate Dean (SW). Similarly, for even semester events the Annual Felicitation Ceremony will be held in the month of April 2020.

** Events held for the first time in the session 2019-20.



EVEN SEMESTER (January 2020 - April 2020)

1. First Ever Pink Ball Match played at IEST, Shibpur **
2. Inter Year Cricket Tournament
3. Inter Year Volleyball Tournament
4. 6th Annual Athletic Meet
5. Inter Year (Mixed) Table Tennis Tournament
6. IESTS Football League
7. Inter Year Chess
8. Gymnasium (Power-Lifting) Tournament **
9. Sports Fest **
10. Inter Year Football
11. Inter Hostel Football
12. Annual Felicitation Ceremony

Note: This report is updated till 29th February, 2020. Thus, the events held before this date and its winners has been mentioned in the next sections. Any event officially permitted after 29th February, will be mentioned in the next editions, if approved by the Sports Council and competent authority.

** Events held for the first time in the session 2019-20.



WINNERS AND RUNNERS UP OF EVENTS HELD IN ODD SEMESTER 2019-20.

Fresher's Badminton Tournament

Boys Single:

Winner: Allan Davis

Runner: Gyanam Lepcha

Girls Single:

Winner: N. Uma Tanmayee

Runner: Kirti Gupta

Mixed Doubles:

Winner: Allan / Tanmayee

Runner: Chetan / Rakhi

Fresher's Table Tennis Tournament

Men's Single:

Winner: Gyanam Lepcha

Runner: Rishik Dutta

Men's Team Event:

Winner: Team Venom (Shubham Saraf, Supriyo Paul and Moulindu Mandal)

Runner: Team Alpha (Rishik Dutta, Ritwiz Sen Sharma and Gyanam Lepcha)

Inter Year Chess (Girls) Tournament

Winners: Second year

1. Ishita Hariramani
2. Astha Singh
3. Anlisha Bhagwar

Runner up: First year Team A

1. Aditi Singh
2. Muskaan Singh
3. Bobba S V L Samhitha





Freshers' Football Tournament

Champions: Civil Engineering

1. Bhavuk Dhanetia
2. Diptiman Das
3. Ankush Datta
4. Rajnish Kumar
5. Ritaban Bhattacharya
6. Yashwanth
7. Rajesh Jaiswar
8. Bhavesh Sonkar
9. Gyanom Lepcha
10. Ritwij
11. Prithviraj Deb Barman
12. Nishant
13. Shamik
14. Prahalad Dutta

Runners Up: Computer Science and Technology

1. Shaurya Raj Verma
2. Shashank Shrivastav
3. Sattwik Saha
4. Sujal Modanwal
5. Shrutanten
6. Shubham
7. Satyam Sundaram
8. Sumit Basu
9. Kingshuk Barua
10. Malay Jain
11. Shayan Dhar
12. Sooraj Venugopal
13. Kushal Biswas
14. Rahul Halder

Freshers' and Inter-Year Girls' Table Tennis Tournament

Women's Single:

Winner: Pranjoli Das

Runner up: Shruti Rajpara

Women's Double:

Winner: Soumya Adabala and Shruti Rajpara

Runner up: Pranjoli Das and Prateeksha Singha

Women's Team Event:

Winner: Pranjoli Das, Prateeksha Singha and Srishty Saha

Runner up: Neetu Gupta, Soumya Adabala and Shruti Rajpara

Freshers' Chess (Boys) Tournament

Winners: Department of Computer science and technology

1. Tsering Phuntsok Bhutia
2. Dhritin Dutta
3. Snehasish Dhar
4. Shrutanten

Runner up: Department of Information technology

1. Abhinav Kumar
2. Gaurav Sarkar
3. Sneham Pal



Freshers' Basketball Tournament

Champions: Computer Science and
Technology and Information Technology

1. Ajay Deb Berma
2. Rahul Halder
3. Shashank Srivastava
4. Tushar Raj
5. Shabab Akhtar Rabbani
6. Vivek Rawat

Runners Up: Mining, AE&AM, Mechanical

1. Md Asif Arshad
2. Harsh Kumar
3. Swapnil Roy
4. Karthik Natarajan
5. Parag Garg
6. Surojit Saha

Inter Hostel Girls Basketball Tournament

Winners

1. Shruti Sharma
2. Astha
3. Ansuiya Thapa
4. Shristi Kejriwal
5. Anjana Chandrangadam

Runners Up

1. Vidushi Garg
2. Vibali Joshi
3. Yukti Kumari
4. Jyoti Anjaly
5. Rekha Sharma

Inter Departmental Football Tournament

Champions: Electrical Engineering

1. Paarth Johri
2. Aniruddha Nandi
3. Mayank Oraon
4. Arnab Dey
5. Noton Dey
6. Saptarishi Roy
7. Debamalya Hembram
8. Rintu Acharya
9. Riddhi Khatua
10. Sarfaraz Ahmed
11. Aniket Bandhopadhyay
12. Michael S.G.Forch
13. Anant Kumar
14. Chandan Kumar Rana

Runners Up: Civil Engineering

1. Suraj Saren
2. Priyojit Mukherjee
3. Mangkholal Haokip
4. Biman Rakshit
5. Arup Sarkar
6. Gora Chand Soren
7. Prochorious Yonzon Tamang
8. Subhadip saha
9. Sambit Bhunia
10. Bhavesh Sonkar
11. Sangay Rinchen
12. Gaynom Lepcha
13. Diptiman Das
14. Mojarul Shaikh

Inter Year Cricket Tournament

Champions: 4th Year

1. Sounak Ghosh
2. Sougata Mazumder
3. Sourav Karmakar
4. Mrityunjoy Kumar
5. Bishal Deb Barma
6. Prakash Kalluri
7. Devara Prudhvi Raj
8. Kiran Bairi
9. Suman Mondal
10. Aniruddha Nandi
11. Sanu Chakraborty
12. Arnab Char

Runners Up: PG-I

1. S. Sharma
2. V. Singh
3. D. Singh
4. A. Kushwaha
5. U. Naveen
6. N. Sandeep
7. A. Pratap Singh
8. A. Singh
9. Saptarishi
10. Anik
11. Akshay
12. Manas

Man of the Match (Final), Man of the Tournament, Highest Wicket (Best Bowler)

Sougata Mazumder (UG 4th Year): 28 runs and 7 Wickets.

Highest Run Scorer (Best Batsman of the Tournament):

Gambheer Singh (UG 3rd Year): 86 runs

Inter Year Volleyball Tournament

Champions: PG 1st and 2nd Year

1. K. Samadharam
2. K. Lekla Gopinadh
3. Hemant
4. Manish Kumar
5. Abhishek Thakur
6. Keshav Rajarshi
7. Vinayak Dev
8. Haricharan
9. Venkat A.
10. Dhurba Jyoti Mech
11. Ramesh Kumar Ram
12. Om Prakash

Runners Up: UG 4th Year

1. Devara Prudhvi Raj
2. Arnab Char
3. Sk Razaullah
4. Naresh Kumar
5. Aghan Singh Netam
6. Aniruddha Nandi
7. Sidhant Pathak
8. Vinay Chinimilli
9. Ankit Kumar
10. Shivam Satvik
11. Prakash Kalluri
12. Narendhar Bhukya

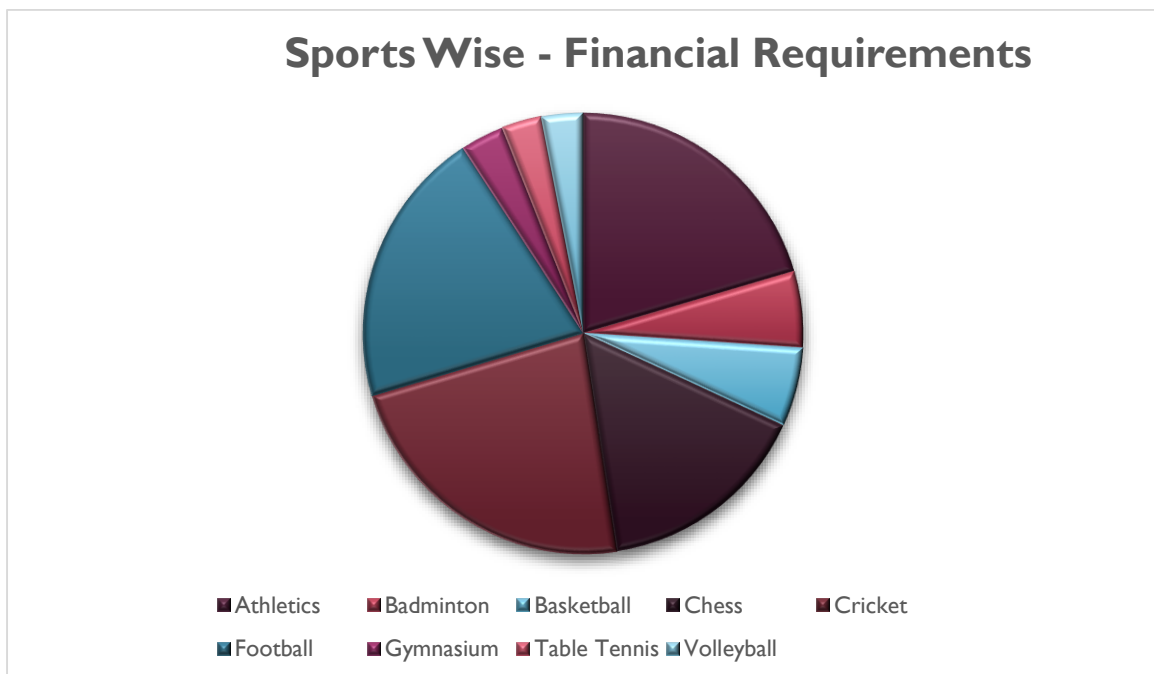
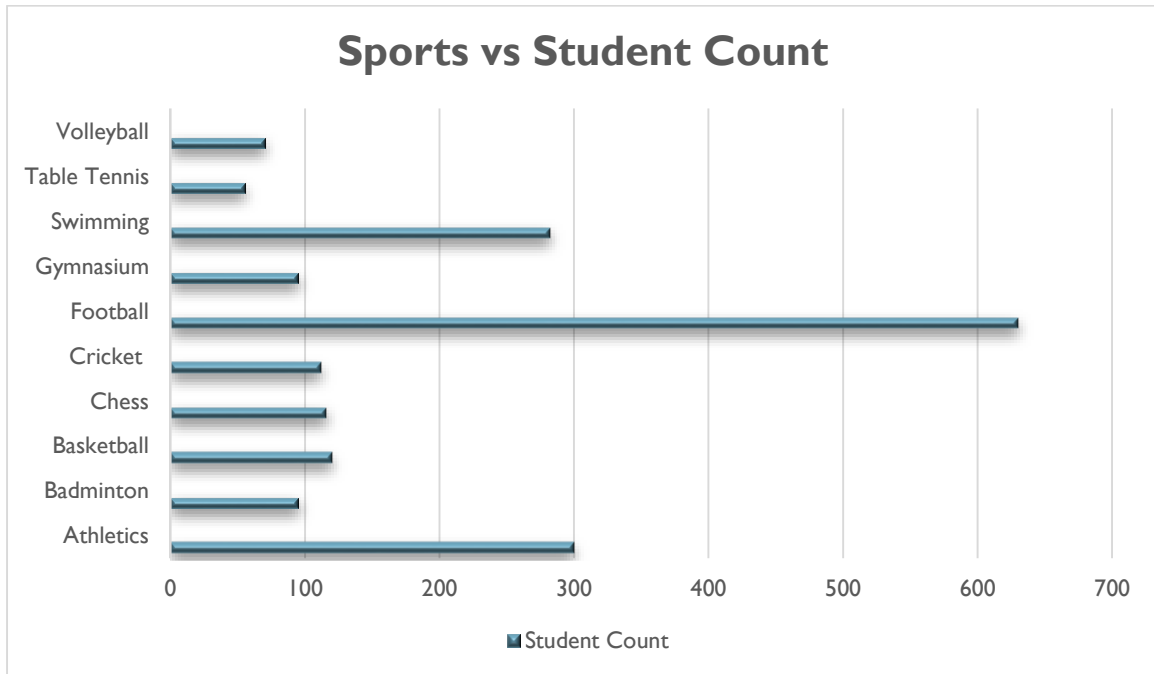
Total number of students involved in the Society Activities:

(as per records maintained during the conduction of events mentioned above)

Sl. No	Sport/Games	Number of players in a team.	No. of teams participated.	Total Students involved
1	Athletics	-	6 th Annual Athletic Meet	300
2	Badminton	Event Specific	Girls (15) Boys (80)	95
3	Basketball	6 + 4 = 10	Freshers' 6 Inter Hostel Girls' 4 University BB (M) Team I University BB (W) Team I	120
4	Chess	Event Specific	Girls (20) Boys (40+40)- Freshers' and Inter Year University Chess Team (16)	116
5	Cricket	11 + 5 = 16	Inter Year 6 University Cricket Team I	112
6	Football	11 + 3 = 14	Freshers' 8 Inter Department 10 Inter Hostel 15 Inter Year 5 IFL 6 University Football Team I	630
7	Gymnasium	-	Girls (20) Boys (75)	95
8	Swimming	-	-	282
9	Table Tennis	Event Specific	-	55
10	Volleyball	6 + 4 = 10	Inter Year 6 University Volleyball Team I	70
			Total	1875.

Note: There will be overlapping of students participating in events of a particular sport. However, the count has been adjusted keeping in mind the approximate participations in the events of this society.

EASY TO PLAY!



Sports at IEST, Shibpur Creates History by conducting the first-ever Pink Ball Cricket Match in OVAL.

MATCH REPORT

“The First-Ever Pink Ball T20 Cricket match was held on 18th January, 2020 at Oval Ground, IEST, Shibpur. The match was between IEST, Shibpur versus Indian Institute of Architects, WB Team. The pink ball for the match was handed to the IEST team by our beloved Director Prof. Dr. Parthasarathi Chakrabarti. The match was inaugurated in the presence of Prof. Debabrata Mazumder, Dean (SW), Prof. Sudip Kumar Roy, Dean (P&D) and Prof. Arindam Biswas, Dean (IRAA). The Man of the Match was Sounak Ghosh (4th Year, Mechanical and Captain IESTS) for scoring 112 not out. IESTS won by 103 runs. This event has been organized in concurrence with the use of Pink Ball in the International Cricket in India on encouragement by BCCI and we think as IESTS making its mark in Sports being the first Institute to host this kind of event.”

The glimpses have been illustrated below along with the newspaper publications in Dainik Jagran, Howrah and Times of India.



[Sounak Ghosh, 4th Year ME]





मैच आइआइएसटी की टीम ने 103 रनों से जीता टी-20 मैच

आइआइएसटी में गुलाबी गेंद से मैच

जागरण संवाददाता, हावड़ा : भारतीय अभियांत्रिकी विज्ञान व प्रौद्योगिकी संस्थान (आइआइएसटी), शिवपुर के ओवल ग्राउंड में शनिवार को पहली बार गुलाबी गेंद से टी-20 क्रिकेट मैच का आयोजन किया गया। आइआइएसटी, शिवपुर और इंडियन इंस्टीट्यूट ऑफ आर्किटेक्चर्स के बीच खेले गए रोमांचक मैच में आइआइएसटी ने जीत दर्ज की। टीम को 103 रनों के अंतर से मिली जीत में कप्तान (मैकेनिकल के चतुर्थ वर्ष के छात्र) सौनक घोष के 112 रन की नाबाद पारी की अहम भूमिका रही।

शतकीय व शानदार पारी के लिए सौनक घोष को मैन ऑफ द मैच घोषित किया गया। डीन (एसडब्ल्यू) प्रोफेसर देवब्रत मजुमदार, डीन (पीएंडडी) प्रोफेसर सुदीप कुमार गय और डीन (आइआरए) प्रोफेसर अरिंदम विश्वास ने मैच का उद्घाटन किया।

इस मौके पर आइआइएसटी, शिवपुर स्पोर्ट्स बोर्ड के महासचिव सौगत मजुमदार ने कहा बीसीसीआइ के प्रोत्साहन पर भारत में अंतरराष्ट्रीय क्रिकेट में गुलाबी गेंद के इस्तेमाल के समर्थन में इस मैच का आयोजन किया गया। उन्होंने कहा- आइआइएसटी पहली शिक्षण संस्था है, जिसने इस प्रकार के खेल का आयोजन कर एक नजीर पेश की है। इससे संस्थानों में आयोजित होने वाले क्रिकेट मैचों में गुलाबी गेंद के इस्तेमाल को बढ़ावा मिलेगा। उन्होंने इस मौके पर मैच के आयोजन में संस्थान के प्रबंधन से मिले समर्थन का आभार जताया।

अनूप गुप्ता बने बैडमिंटन में राज्य चैंपियन

संवाद सहयोगी रानीगंज : पश्चिम बंगाल बैडमिंटन एसोसिएशन द्वारा कोलकाता में आयोजित अंडर 60 बैडमिंटन टूर्नामेंट में रानीगंज के अनूप गुप्ता राज्य चैंपियन बने। म शुक्रवार को कोलकाता में आयोजित टूर्नामेंट में अनूप गुप्ता के चैंपियन बनने पर उनका चयन नेशनल बैडमिंटन टूर्नामेंट के लिए किया गया है। फरवरी महीने में जयपुर में राष्ट्रीय खेल में अनूप हिस्सा लेने जाएंगे। रानीगंज स्पोर्ट्स असेंबली के अध्यक्ष अनीश घोष ने कहा कि अनूप गुप्ता ने राज्य स्तर में चैंपियन अवार्ड पाकर हम सब को गौरवान्वित किया है। शीघ्र ही संस्था की ओर से उन्हें सम्मानित किया जाएगा। अनूप गुप्ता पिछले कई वर्षों से रानीगंज स्पोर्ट्स असेंबली संस्था में खेलकूद के प्रभारी हैं।

विजयी ट्राफी लेती आइआइएसटी, शिवपुर की टीम। ● जागरण

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IEST scores a first for college cricket in country, opts for pink ball across formats

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'OVAL' CONNECT GROWS STRONGER



The IEST team that won the first match of this season on their campus

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► The red ball is not suited for night tests due to poor visibility. The white ball is ill-suited for first-class matches due to durability issues

► Pink ball is still considered more difficult to see than a white ball

► It was first used in an international match in July 2009 in the England vs Australia one-day match at Woremsley

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FLAGSHIP EVENT OF IEST, Shibpur.

The 6th Annual Athletic Meet, IEST, Shibpur.

Apart from academics and cultural excellence, the students of this century-old institution have been making a mark in the field of sports as well. The Sports Board of IEST, Shibpur organized the 6th Annual Athletic Meet 2019-20. It was held on 19th February, 2020 (Wednesday) at the Oval Ground. The event started with the inaugural ceremony from 10.30 AM comprising of March Pasts, Oath Taking Ceremony and Address by The Director, IEST, Shibpur, followed by 35 various events, and concluded with the valedictory Ceremony. The events were so planned that every section of the student community can participate and prove their mettle. This year a record 291 participants enrolled themselves and utilized this platform of Annual Athletic Meet.

The event was graced by the presence of Dean (Students' Welfare), Registrar, Deputy Registrar and the Chief Guest for the Valedictory Ceremony was Shri Tanumoy Basu, Eminent Footballer of the Indian National Football Team. Position Holders of the events were awarded with Gold, Silver and Bronze Medals and Merit Certificates.

The Best Athlete Award (Male) was awarded to:

Aniruddha Nandi (Athletic Captain): UG 4th Year, Electrical Engineering
Pritam Mandal: PG 2nd Year, Metallurgy and Materials Engineering

The Best Athlete Award (Female) was awarded to:

Niprata Mishra: PG 2nd Year, Electrical Engineering
Kanchana Reddy: PG 1st Year, School of VLSI Technology

With this we hope the number of participants keeps on increasing and more spectators join us to encourage the students and we promise to thrive for developing ourselves.







IESTSians PROVING THEIR METTLE IN AWAY TOURNAMENTS!

I. All India Inter-NIT Tournament 2019-20.

In a delightful result for the institute, the students yet again proved their mettle in the arena of sports as well, this time at a national level. After years of efforts, this year the Sports Board and the administration made sure that our students get the platform of All India Inter NIT Tournament.

Competing for the first time in the All India Inter NIT Competitions, the power lifting team with Ankur Pegu (2nd Year, Department of Metallurgy and Materials Engineering) bagged the bronze medal and Bhanu Pratap Singh (3rd Year, Department of Computer Science and Technology) secured fourth position in 59kg category. Out of all the outstanding students participating in this prestigious tournament, IEST, Shibpur has been successful in making its mark in Sports as well.

Glimpses illustrated below:



FROM THE DESK OF THE FLAG BEARER OF IEST, SHIBPUR:

Shri Ankur Pegu

2nd Year, Metallurgy and Materials Engineering

Indian Institute of Engineering Science and Technology, Shibpur.

Bronze Medallist, Power Lifting

All India Inter NIT 2019-20, held in MNIT Jaipur.

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“It was a very proud moment for me that I represented my college in such a prestigious tournament. I am very thankful to my college that it has given me a such an opportunity to prove myself that I am also one of those strongest people. Being a bronze medallist, obviously I want to continue this legacy with GOLD. And for sure in upcoming years there will be only gold and gold and I promise that I will make my college proud. It was my debut competition so as a freshman, I learned so many things and gained good experience. I came to know of my competitors, their strong zone and my own weaknesses. So, this competition really motivated me how to become a gold medallist and will be the future beast of IEST SHIBPUR. Just want to request my all seniors, juniors and friends that whatever talent you have just show up and make IEST SHIBPUR proud.”

~Ankur Pegu.

2. AGON 2019-20 by Calcutta National Medical College

The University Football Team of IEST, Shibpur were the champions of the sporting event named AGON, hosted by Calcutta National Medical College (CNMC), Kolkata held in September 2019 and raised the flag even higher.



3. INTEGRATION 2020 at Indian Statistical Institute (ISI), Kolkata.

The University Volleyball Team emerged victorious and were crowned the Champions at INTEGRATION 2020, a sports event hosted by ISI, Kolkata in February, 2020.



APKA Football Tournament sponsored by BEC-1989 Batch.

The APKA Memorial football tournament, organised by 1989 Alumni batch saw some exhilarating matches. All Hall/Hostel teams competed in a knock-out fashion to cling the top spot. The event was graced by 'Mr. Jahar Das', A prominent personality in Indian football and the current coach of the Kolkata side, Peerless F.C.

Winners: Richardson Hall

Runners-up: Hostel 15

Glimpses illustrated below:





FUTURE PLANS OF THE SOCIETY

1. Integration of Cricket and Football Invitation Tournaments into a Sports Fest.
2. Volleyball Court by 1989 Batch at Lords Ground.
3. Hosting All India Inter NIT Tournament in the next session 2020-21.
4. Oval renovation by Flood Lights, Electronic Scoreboard, Ride-In-Roller, Enlarged Water Tanks, Gallery Sheds to be developed.
5. Full-fledged NCC Camps of the Institute NCC Team.
6. Maintenance of Lords Ground for Sports Activities.
7. Building up a Sports Complex with basic sporting amenities around Lords and Oval Ground.

OTHER GLIMPSES OF SPORTS ACTIVITIES:



Felicitation Ceremony, IIST.

Basketball Team, IUESTS.



Chess Champions and University Team, IUESTS.



Football Team, IESTS.



Badminton Team, IESTS.



Table Tennis Team, IIST.

THE SPORTY ART!

This is to encourage artistic abilities of students involved in the sports community within the campus. Sourav Karmakar, 4th Year, Department of Electronics and Telecommunication Engineering, IEST, Shibpur not only plays for the University Cricket Team but also is a recipient of numerous laurels in the arena of paintings. As a tribute to his venture, we from the Sports Board encourage such activities hereby giving an example that art and sports can also come hand-in-hand together. Requesting every audience to visit his social media handles, like, share and subscribe to encourage multi-talented students like him to the fullest. Here is a glimpse drawn by him as a tribute to his sports idols.

