

PROPOSALS

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1. Sports Alumni Network

Aim:

To build a bridge between our experienced senior alumni and junior batches, which would allow our players to receive the guidance and motivation to push their games to the next level.

Implementation:

- Under each subcommittee there will be a unit formed of captains, vice captains, Gymkhana Secretary of the respective subcommittee, and Physical Training Instructors.
- The Network shall operate in conjunction with relevant secretaries making databases of all the Alumni of their respective subcommittees and Physical Training Instructors reaching out to our esteemed Alumni.
- The Network will work to raise funds which will enable the team to participate in more competitions throughout the year and help students get access to new equipment required for their practice.
- To build up the trust of the Alumni, we can create a bank account separately for each sport for the funds that we get from our Alumni and keep updates of all the transactions made through that particular account and maintain transparency to the Alumni. The account will be a joint account needing signatures of both the General Secretary and the Physical Training Instructor.
- The Network will operate with the goal of conducting frequent meets (both offline and online) with former inter IIT players for motivating the players.
- The Network will also help players get contacts of esteemed alumni which they can make use of for taking career advice.
- Lastly, we can associate with Students' Alumni Cell and use the budget for conducting events for the Alumni.

Present Scenario:

The present budget is not enough to meet the demands for adequate number of outstation tournaments.

There is a lack of practice matches.

Impact:

In order to solve many of the issues our inter IIT contingent is currently facing, the advice and insights provided by the previous players will be essential. This also

enhances students' motivation to participate in sports. A seminar featuring professionals or accomplished athletes from our alma mater has the power to reduce undue tension and strengthen the sports spirit in our student body.

2. Enhancement of Chess Culture

Aim:

To promote the culture of chess in our institute and increase participation among students by improving the current situation.

Present Scenario:

There is no proper space for the members of the chess club to conduct their meetings and also for the Inter-IIT players to practice. There is no coach to train the students and the in-charge of the chess club is a swimming coach.

Implementation:

- Introduction to NSO Chess:
- This will ensure maximum participation among students and will also help the chess enthusiasts to improve their skills.
- A trainer can be appointed as it is for other courses in NSO.
- The appointed trainer can be made as the in-charge of the Chess Club so the person can coordinate the activities of the Chess Club
- The trainer can also train the Inter-IIT players on the days when classes will be held for NSO specifically after the class gets over.
- A proposal will be made to add chess to NSO in Extra Academic Activity.
- The classes of NSO chess can be conducted in the Multipurpose Hall at Technology Students' Gymkhana

3. Sports Mentorship Programme

Aim:

To Assign senior mentors to freshers so as to make the process of learning a sport easy for them.

Implementation:

- Assigning Seniors(mostly 3rd years and 4th years) who are regular to practice/ are aware of sporting culture in IIT Kharagpur.
- The mentors will take the responsibility of the freshers assigned to them and make sure they are not facing difficulties in learning the sport and are able to attend the practice regularly.
- Every mentor will be assigned 6-7 freshers under their sport.
- Mentors will given certificates
- The freshers who register for NSO selections of each sport will be considered for the mentorship programme.
- If the fresher is interested in multiple sports, he will be assigned multiple mentors and then after 2 months the mentors will filter the group amongst themselves. At the same time mentor feedback form will also be released.

Present Scenario:

There is no direct connection between the freshers and seniors who are interested in playing sports. Due to lack of proper guidance, freshers lose motivation to attend practice regularly and lose the interest of learning the sport.

Impact:

This would help bridge the gap between the freshers and seniors who are interested in sports. It will encourage the freshers to play and learn new sports. This would increase the number of players who regularly come to practice.