WORK REPORT | INSTITUTE TABLE TENNIS SECRETARY

Part 1 : Personal Details -Name: Arya Madhani Roll No.: 17D110005

Position: Institute Table Tennis Secretary

Part 2: Events

| Event | Details/Remarks |
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| Prarambh Table Tennis | Conducted the beginners camp, Prarambh, with over 30 participants under the guidance of Dr. K Sengupta, Senior Sports Officer and SAC-Incharge Provided t-shirts as a memento to all those who registered and regularly attended the camp |
| Racketlon' 19 | Successfully ideated and executed the 4-Racket Sports Tournament-Racketlon which saw a massive participation Ended the tournament with an award ceremony gifting sports equipment and trophies to the winners. |
| Aavhan' 19 | Sport Head, Table Tennis: • Collaborated with Stag as the official Table Tennis partner for Aavhan, 2019; Stag provided the premium balls for the tournament and tshirts for the players of the IIT Bombay TT Team |
| | • Contacted around 150 institutions over the nation and invited them to participate in the Institute's annual sports fest, Aavhan |
| | Publicized the table tennis tournament |
| | using popular Facebook and Instagram |
| | handles to garner a larger audience for the |
| | matches • Conducted the Table Tennis Men's Team, Men's Singles and Women's Singles tournament simultaneously which saw participation from colleges across the country |

| | Coordinator Events: • Anchored in the closing ceremony of the fest, the chief guest being Mrs. Babita Phogat Coordinator Hospitality and Food and Beverages: • Co-ordinated with 7+ food vendors and helped in setting up a dedicated food court for the first time in Old SAC • Contacted multiple dormitories outside the institute for the accomodation of participants during the fest |
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| Institute Table Tennis League' 19 | Organised the Institute Table Tennis League which saw a huge participation of over 100+ participants as a part of 8 different teams Revamped the entire league introducing a new format which had players of similar skill level competing against each other Conducted an auction among the managers to select their own teams for the league Provided Table Tennis Club tshirts to the participants at minimum rates |
| Summer School of Sports and Advanced Camp Table Tennis | Organised and simultaneously conducted the Summer School of Sports and Advanced Camp during the summers for continuous table tennis training throughout the year Provided t-shirts as a memento to all those who registered and regularly attended the camp, and selected talented and dedicated players from the Advanced Camp to join the Pre-Camp training for Inter IIT 2019 |
| BMC & MAC | Contacted Atal Bihari Vajpayee Institute of Mountaineering and Allied Sports, Manali and scheduled a specialised course for IITB students Launched Mountaineering Adventure Course (MAC) by contacting Jawahar Institute of Mountaineering & Winter Sports (JIM & WS) |
| Freshmen Sports Orientation | Looked into the entire detailed event flow of the orientation Headed the conveners for the smooth |

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| | conduction of the event, including publicity, freebies and event-flow |
| Hum Fit Toh India Fit Campaign | Organised an Institute-Screening of Prime Minister Narendra Modi's address to the nation for Hum Fit Toh India Fit Campaign |
| Dhyanchand Donation Drive | Launched the campaign on National Sports Day Arranged the collection boxes in hostels and sports areas |
| 100 Days to Inter IIT Celebration | Conducted the event showcasing the progress of all teams, along with introducing the captains of various sports and felicitation of sports officers Made it compulsory for NSO students to attend the event, allowing them to get a glimpse of Inter IIT, and promote bonding with other senior players in the team |
| PG GC September'19 | Conducted inter-department boys and girls PG GC with the help of the PG council and ensured sufficient provision of TT equipment |
| Table Tennis General Championship (Boys) '19 | Conducted the coveted general championship with a team of conveners Introduced a trailer launch for the GC for the first time showcasing the best TT players from each hostel Updated the scores of all the matches on a daily basis for the convenience of hostel representatives and aided them to better assess their position in the tournament Live streamed knockout matches for the publicity of the event and to cater to hostel supporters |
| Freshiesta '19 | Led the team of sophomores who were assigned to mentor the freshmen floorwise to increase their participation Structured the tournament by segregating the freshmen into 3 groups based on their future hostels Ensured the presence of at least one girl in each team to increase girls' participation in sports Smoothly conducted the table tennis |

| | tournament in a round-robin format |
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| Smash It! 1.0 | Organised the 'Battle of the Batches' tournament between the two batches of NSO with the help of Sengupta sir, the table tennis NSO coach Awarded the best player and most improved player of the tournament among the freshmen |

Part 3: Council Work & Miscellaneous -

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| Yearbook Convocation of graduating students | Presented the annual Yearbook of Sports written by team members for passing out players as a gratitude for their contribution in sports Released an official convocation video of graduating students from the Institute regarding their journey in sports |
| Convener Interviews | Part of the Interview Panel for selection of Conveners from the pool of Freshmen applicants Selected 34 conveners out of 150+ applicants in 7 categories i.e, Events, Journalism, Design, Coverage, Web, Board Games & Admin |
| Journalism | Ideated the revamped version of Kreeda, the Sports Newsletter Designed the layouts and reviewed the articles Speculated changes and revised the format to be published (Work in Progress) |
| NSO Selection | Conducted NSO trials of over 200 students with the help of the coach |
| Miscellaneous | |

Part 4: Administrative and Maintenance Work -

| Work | Details/Remarks |
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| Budget | Budgeted an amount of about ₹2 lakhs for expenses towards table tennis equipment, events, and camps for the table tennis community of IIT Bombay with special emphasis on the team |
| Ladder Ranking System | Led the launch of the Institute Ladder Ranking System, an initiative that offers racket-sports players an opportunity to play against other players in the institute in a competitive atmosphere Introduced a website- 'myladderapp' to provide a smooth, quick and effective way to register, challenge players, update results and display the rankings Launched a User Guide video on youtube that shows how to use the ladder app from different operating systems |
| Multi-ball Practice | Started multiball practice for table tennis by ordering suitable balls for the drill |
| TT Hall Surface Overhaul | Found a reasonable and equally effective solution, resin powder as compared to varnishing for improving the grip of the table tennis court surface Increased the frequency of resin coating to provide hassle free gameplay |

Part 5: Team and Inter IIT -

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| Advanced Summer Camp | Executed a month long advanced training summer camp for team members providing a base for the insemester Inter IIT Camp |
| Pre-Camp | Conducted trials for the Pre-Camp practice, which saw the highest turnout ever. Conducted regular team meets to discuss the progress and requirements for the practice sessions |

| | Took initiative to celebrate birthdays of every member of the team to increase bonding and thus promoting the integrity of the Sport |
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| Practice Matches | Invited players from local circuits to play against the institute team on a regular basis ensuring proper practice for Inter IIT Ensured sufficient match exposure for the team members in local tournaments held in clubs like WCG Introduced the Ladder Ranking System for match practice among the team players |
| Udghosh '19 | Participated in the Table Tennis Men's Team Event in Udghosh, IIT Kanpur's Annual Sports fest and won bronze |
| NSO | Involved thoroughly in the process of selecting freshmen for NSO A total of 45 freshmen were selected out of 200+ applicants and divided into two batches Printed NSO Jerseys for all the NSO Members |

Part 6: Web, Design & Publicity -

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| TT GC Trailer Launch | Introduced a trailer for the first time for the TT General Championship showcasing the best TT players from each hostel |
| Table Tennis Club Tshirts | Selected the design and made table tennis club tshirts for the TT community in the institute during the ITTL '19 |
| Table Tennis Team Send-off | Made customised t-shirts and photo- frames with a personalised message for each passing out player |

Ladder Ranking System

 Publicised the sport by the new ladder ranking system and displayed the top 10 players of the institute on social media on a monthly basis

Part 7: Declaration -

I declare that the above information is true to the best of my knowledge.

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The reader's feedback regarding the current work or some suggestions regarding Table Tennis at IIT Bombay or any other matter related to Sports in IIT Bombay is more than welcome. Contact me at aryamadhani@gmail.com or tabletennis@iitb.ac.in