

प्रधान मंत्री Prime Minister

MESSAGE

I am happy to learn that the 9th edition of MG Vadodara Marathon is being held on 5th January, 2020. The Vadodara Marathon has become an annual feature, eagerly awaited by the marathon enthusiasts and the people of Vadodara alike.

The endeavour of Vadodara Marathon 2020 to spread awareness about fitness as also about water conservation is thoughtful and timely one.

Transcending all sectors, fitness is critical for every individual. Fitness of citizens is imperative for a healthy nation. The theme of 'Fit India' and 'Hum Fit to India Fit' would inspire people to maintain good health and fitness.

Likewise, the topic of water conservation is of utmost importance. Water scarcity affects many parts of the country every year. The predicament that not even 10% of water received from rains in the entire year is harvested, needs to be changed. We need to work together so that water becomes a shared commitment. It is time to make it a 'Jan Aandolan' and conserve water for the present and future generations.

I am sure that the 9th edition of MG Vadodara Marathon would succeed in its noble endeavour. Best wishes to all the participants, organizers and people of Vadodara for the MG Vadodara Marathon 2020.

(Narendra Modi)

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