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Kirtesh Ajay Gadiya : Well you have shown me how to critic. I hope I have answered all of them. Just continue your critics in real life. I hope you will give award for Best Critics in hostel. All the best! Be Wild always!

Sahil Shah : For the past 3 (well, 2.75) years I have lived in room 278 and you in room 277. We've had discussions late into the night about all sorts of topics - from philosophy to assignments and profs, from debating where to settle in life to books. Without constantly seeing your level of fitness and unbelievable dedication to tennis, I would never have started exercising and picking up new sports - I remember you waking all of us up and taking us jogging on the crossy route, and then dragging me up the second-hardest climb of Yosemite! Knowingly or unknowingly, your calm attitude amazing work-life balance helped me take a breath when I was getting too stressed. Hope our paths cross again in life!

Karan Kothadiya : You brothers are awesome yaa! I know you both have loads of secret enthu for things :D It was wonderful working with you in Aavhan. You had the best work ethics among everyone! I'd love to keep in touch. Love, K

Divyanshu Chahal : Are u still practising day and night? , it's not easy bro , u need to push yourself beyond boundaries to give a tough fight!! All the moments we shared were really fun and I really appreciate you for all your achievements both in sports and acads. I have given u a challenge , now the ball is in your court :)

Kumar Saunack : Still surprising me after 22 years.



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Abhro Bhuniya : I will be honest with you. In the beginning I thought of you as some super sincere, hardworking, aka perfect student who would look down upon underperformers like me. And I avoided you and your weird sense of humor. But my first actual interaction with you went about like a charm and that was playing CS:GO. I was fascinated by your words and I actually started to love your ironic stone-cold manners. Now I know I could literally spend the whole day shit talking with you, and you would give me attention xd! Bihar jokes will be love, but boy, did you change my mind about the community's English. I am full of respect for you, as a complete personality, someone who can charm anybody.

Vivek Pendharkar : Hey mate. It was an honour to be the part of the tennis team with you for two complete years. There are so many things I learnt from you which I'm sure are gonna be really helpful for me. I always admired your commitment and dedication towards you took up especially sports and fitness. I'm gonna miss your presence in insti☺. All the best for your future and don't forget the treat you need to give from your first Google paycheck😁

Rishabh Raj : Started with me confusing you for Saunack and you staring at me stolidly and me going, "How weird is Saunack!"😭. You were the one constant in my 4 years here. Sorry for troubling you by making you listen to all that used to happen with/to me🙏,but you were always there. I'm a witness to how you changed from the cold-hearted killer to being amazingly sweet(more open and affable)(still cold😏). One of the very few who genuinely helped others. And yes, thanks a lot for killing me that day during jogging.Your lifestyle helped improve my condition a lot. Keep shuffling.Finally, thanks a lot for lending a hand during those awful 3 years and being an integral part of my cheery last year. Milte hai



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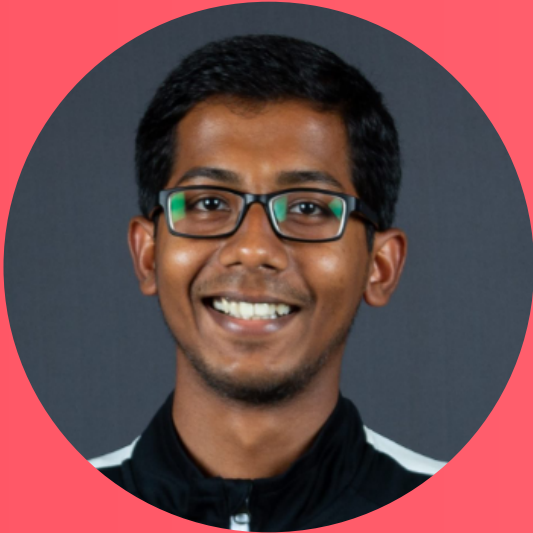
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Sahil Saiyad : At first I got an impression of a cold blooded assassin from you. You have all the right ingredients. Nobody can beat you in a staring contest, you talk very little, your room is the cleanest room I have seen in insti, you sleep without a pillow on a mattress as hard as a rock and you win all the bets. Turns out I was wrong(and disappointed). You're one of the kindest people I have known in insti, always eager to help others, encouraging people to pursue what they love. Cheers to all the mornings when we crossed paths while I was getting ready to sleep and you striding down the corridor with a tennis racket on your back. Keep inspiring people with your way of life <3.

Harshita Masand : Hello Saurav Again, humesha yaad rakhna, you won't find a better mixed doubles partner 😊

Shubhankar Mihir Seth : Hey Saurav, it was incredible knowing you across my 2 years in 278 and then having you in my subgroup. I'll never forget how we braved the rain to set up our help desk on orientation day. I want to thank you for being so helpful (I don't know how much stuff I've borrowed over the years) to being such a fitness inspiration. Here's hoping you never let go either of these things, and that we stay in touch. Cheers!

Atharv Nandapurkar : Yo Saunack! ohh, there was some confusing ig, anyways. I saw a trend that you are starting by writing anything on yearbook but not senti. Sorry dude, tere lie toh senti hi likhunga uske alawa kuch nhi :p. Down to earth person, extremely dedicated & well organised. You are the person who will stand up for a greater cause. Also not only stand but the only person who will definitely take some actions to improve/solve the situation. Hats off to all the H2 forum critics and representing all of us for placement related issues. I still feel sad that I couldn't make it to crossy in last semester. And yes, Cheers to all the eye staring that we exchanged every now and then.



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Ishan Tarunesh : The way you balance work and hobbies is commendable. You have such a diverse set of interests in life be it sports, books, gaming, instruments and most recently shayari (didn't add comedy because I beat you to the Quarantine joke by 5 days). I like your enthusiasm to try out new things and talk to new people. I learnt a lot by closely observing how you manage everything. I owe my reading habit and (slight) interest in playing tennis to you. You're positive outlook and resilience would take you to great heights.

Shubham Anand : Saurav bhai! You are definitely funnier than Saunack lol. I found you too chill and yet disciplined like saunack. Our wing used you in our comparison talks (basically teasing Saunack). Also saunack ne accha nahi kiya tere ko neeche baitha ke and khud bed pe baith ke (I hope you remember that XD). Congrats for google! Although I know you two will do a startup for sure. All the best!

Aayushman Mishra : I don't think there is any rollercoaster in the world that can describe our trio's experience appropriately! One of the few I met who would go all the way and beyond to genuinely help anyone in need. Glad to be partners in crime with you. Our bets still hold XD

Aayush Anurag : To the guy who can pop out a boiled egg with its shell intact, thanks for being such an exceptional Mess mate and finishing up the last remaining salad in the mess, every night (sighs). I can't say about anything else, but I hope I've given you a run for your money in STARING. Honestly, I'll miss those Tarantino style stareoffs. Thanks for the movies, sports & life recommendations, I never carried upon, your cycle (damn those jammed pedals), your Aromas treat (Woh bhi bet jeetne pe) and for those Prestige pranks, which never fooled me. Mr Exercise Addict, we should've made more bets, (10 year life types 😊) and stay the same, you'll accomplish wonders (and maybe someday even Human Flag).



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Maitrey Gramopadhye : When I met you I thought you were just the regular serious type, but then you started making the canteen deals. Even though we were almost always involved in different aspects of insti life, you are one of my closest friends (guess that's obvious being roommates :P). You are also the most hardworking person I've met. In fact, your consistency towards sports has often motivated me to go workout. However, under the disciplined and serious look, you also have the caring side that not many people know about. Thanks for the infinite times you have helped me. I'll miss those random outbursts of, for the lack of better words, "singing" of yours; and of course the guitar deals :P. Keep in touch :)

Sarvind Rankawat : You are one of those persons jo mess mein mera saathh dete hein. Tumney jo help ki hai meri sports mein uske liye I will always be thankful. There are very few people who really care about H2 like you do. Your work life balance is inspirational. You are one of those person jis sey interaction kaisey na kaisey ho hi Jaata Hai (I don't know how!) . 57 is a special number for me and that kinda makes us brother in insti slang. You are one of those person jiskey saathh mein kaafee comfy and open ho jaata hun, iss baar jeetnaa thhaa yaar GC but it was an awesome experience to play along your side. Ek baar firsey milenge H2 kee mess mein, till then bye. PS - Bro agar meko last year tennis GC jeetn

Rajat Rathi : Believe it or not, you are one of the people I look up to most in the institute. Tennis fanaticism hote hue joh acads machate the woh kaafi respectable hai. Archi mein team thi apni and we didn't do anything which was fun xD. Kabhi manga suggestions dete the which were nice (especially Grand Blue) and I liked your 'Exam ke liye nahi padhna toh mat padho' attitude. Cheers to the brother of the best tennis player in insti :P. Hope tumhara aage SF ho jaaye and future mein abhi jaise asexual ban ke na raho. Keep in touch!



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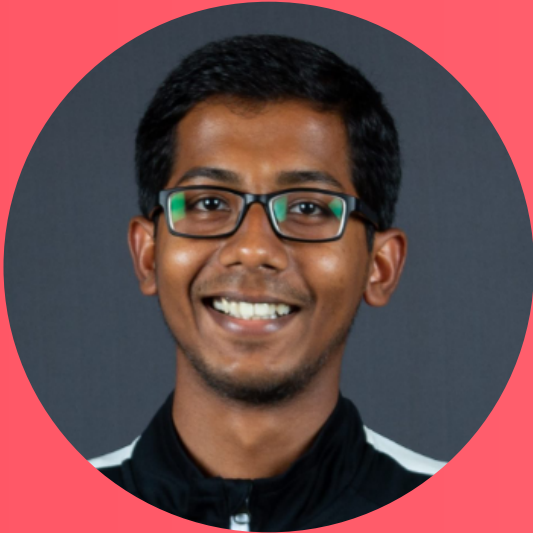
Amey Patil : Hello Saunack! Fitness freak!! I will always imagine you crossing me in the H2 hallway with an indifferent look on your face and a tennis racket on your back. Your love for your brother and how you maintain that relationship in quirky ways is the most amazing thing I have ever seen. Huge respect for your calm, confident, proud, and crystal clear mentality. I believe that College life is not only about academics, accomplishments and good or bad memories, it's about how we get our personality and ideologies from those experiences which we are going to nurture for the rest of our lives! And I'll always be glad that our paths crossed in the most amazing time of my life!

Praveen Saran : Baap re, waah, and kya baat hai! ye 3 words tumse jab bhi baat kri hai pakka se sunne ko mile hai. Itna kuch ek sath kaise kr lete sir, hume bhi sikha dete thoda bhut <3. Will miss your facial expressions jo conversation ke beech mai suddenly start ho jate the and kuch nhi smjhta tha kya bol rhe ho :). All the best for your future endeavours.

Rishika Gupta : Yep, that day wouldn't have been so much fun without the colours! ❤️ It's been a pleasure to meet you in insti and hope to see you again anytime in Bangalore. Wish you all the luck for the future. Let's have those random House party VC again, sometime?

Phuntsog Wangchuk : If I had a dollar for every time I mistook you for Saurav I would...oh shit, wrong number.

Arsh Akhtar Ansari : One of the most awesome and sorted people in insti. It was always cool discussing stuff with you. First year mein kafi maze kiye. Still can't forget your to do list jisme har din kuch nyi activity add hoti rehti thi. Pata tumne law and contract writing kab seekha but that guitar contract was one of the most hilarious thighs I ever saw 😂😂. Hope you do well and win more sets in this life



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Himanshu Bohra : Thank you for always helping me with the design work. BFBC2 wouldn't have been possible without you. You have a great sense of dedication towards everything you do in life. Be in touch kya pata ek din guitar deal ke pass hi de doon mai.

Yash Lakade : Always reading some mind reading or psychological shit book, and then trying the tricks learned on innocent hostelmates😂 I'm lucky we were neighbours in H15 and I got to know you, you're a true gem of a person. Thanks for helping with acads in first year. Will miss our mess conversations♥ Keep in touch and milte rehna, we need to try many more places😁

Vijay Ramchandani : Yo Saurav! From design council to sports council and then basketball too. We had a lot of great memories together. Your no bullshit attitude is too good 😂 Glad to have known you. Keep in touch and wish you luck and love ♥

Pallav Banka : In my first year I had never thought that I would be writing anything here. But you guys have changed so much since then, though still irritating at the same level but even more caring. Bohot maza aaya yaar aap dono ko janke, bohot kuch seekhne ko mila not just in Tennis but other spheres of life as well. Please milte rehna so that I can recognize you guys even after years. Also thank you for putting your own profile pic here and not Saunack's XD



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Gurparkash Singh : Arey Saurav Sir! Aap sab kuchh kaise kar lete ho? And more importantly aap sab kuchh me expert kaise ho? Acads, Sports, Books, and now movies. You're an all-rounder in the truest sense. You're also a very humble person, always ready to help and you don't shy away from giving honest feedback, which is awesome. MS Apping me I learnt a lot from you. I know you'll reach many heights in life and I wish you all the best!

Swapnil Agashe : Yo Saurav, or is it Saunak 🤔 XD. One of the most sincere people I've met in Insti. Glad to have worked with you. I feel jealous that you get to work in Google XD All the best for future <3

Abhinav Rajesh Damor : Seriously going to miss you. I have learned a lot from you during your time here . Thanks for the good times and all the memories . Goodbye and wish you all the happiness in the world.

Viraj Singh Parihar : Thanks for motivating me enough for this Inter IIT. You are quite a straightforward guy but I tricked you once to get drunk remember? :P. Tenure was so much fun, I will miss our random meetings in H2 corridor when you were going to practice and I was going to sleep XD.

Arjun Sharma : So it's finally ur time to step out of insti, for which I wish u allthebest. Thanks for guiding and helping me improve my game. So as a thanking gift, I shall definitely work hard and then toh H2 ka gold pakka gc me lawn tennis me.



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Kaustubh Shripadraj Ponkshe : Its a privilege to know someone so disciplined and fun at the same time. Also good for you that we didn't have a gc match against H2 :) Continue to inspire us !

Jai Israni : You show extraordinary skill at many things, including lawn tennis, now also at basketball I suppose, lol. You are a great person to take inspiration from, be it acads, sports, or health! It's no surprise to see you at the top of the scoreboard!!

Yash Shah : RC plane workshop me humara plane to uda nhi, but it did introduce you to me. I remember roaming around proud, being one of the few people able to distinguish between you and your brother back then. SSL seemed a breeze with you in the team. Your dedication to sports and discipline made me respect you even more (there might have been some hiccups along the way, but end me sab sahi raha :P). Exploring Singapore with you was amazing (I got to visit many places I wouldn't have otherwise). Stay in touch, and all the best for your future endeavors!! PS: I am gonna paste the same stuff on your brother's wall, just to mess around with people reading this who still can't tell which one of you is who

Sanchit Jain : Acads and sports dono machane vala. The brothers who will bring olympic medal one day for India. A very chilled out person with a room door always open for anyone who needs help. Hamare hostel ke forum pr sabse zyada post yahi banda daalta tha. A very confident individual with a undying spirit to learn and enjoy the process as well. A very hard working person with the most optimal way to the finish. Feeds dogs near the cycle area with the eggs from the mess, and keeps Alvin(our hostel dog) in his room as well. Also cats I think, not sure. A very good time management system is inbuilt in this person. A very serious look on his poker face always but is very jolly and transparent inside.



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Arya Mithu Garg : Bhai honestly, you are the opposite of we call “A Bihari”. Itna acchese baat karte ho, kuch marzi me help karte ho thanks. THANKS FOR BEING MY GUITAR GUIDE (Bot profit hua tumhe *Sob Sob*). It was good to have you in the wing and to know you. Kuch nai to mess me arvind ke sath baithe to mil hi jaoge :P Stay this way bhai, hardwork and 0 arrogance is what I would say to describe you. See you soon

Arjun Rahar : The tennis enthusiast. You are my inspiration for tennis in insti. Kaafi mazzaa aata tha whenever I used to meet you in the middle of the road 😊. Pls stay in touch 😊

Aruja Khanna : Hey Saurav! Honestly how are you so good at everything, major tips needed xD Thanks for always being so helpful and thoughtful in everything! All the best for the future !! (Though I doubt you even need it)

Mahajan Devavrat Shailesh : You are studness personified man! A proper all rounder, yet a very humble guy to come across. Most importantly, a good friend. It was fun learning a few strokes in tennis from you! I could beat you now I suppose :P

Karunya Baskar : Hey there! Would've been awesome if we got to hang out. You know how I recognise you? We always share a smile every time we pass each other :) Keep smiling Saurav

