



PRESS RELEASE

Sports Fest 2011 inaugurated at SMS

Sports makes a complete personality, gives mental peace & health :
Dr. Satish Kannoja

- *Three-Day Intra Institute Sports Competition begins at SMS*
- *Six sporting events include Cricket, Badminton, Volleyball, Table Tennis, Chess and Carrom*
- *More than 300 students from Post graduate and Under graduate courses participating*

VARANASI : A three day Intra-Institute sports competition began at School of Management Sciences (SMS) today with high euphoria, zeal and verve among the students as well as the faculty and staff members of the SMS fraternity. Inaugurating the Sports Fest 2011 Chief Guest Dr. Satish Kannoja, Chairman - Sports Cell at Institute of Technology, B.H.U. Varanasi said that it is good to see management students embracing sports because sports helps in quick decision making. Also, sports helps us gain mental peace and health and develops our personality too. He invited the SMS students to participate in sporting events held at I.T., B.H.U. from time to time. The Sports Fest 2011 was declared open by Dr. Satish Kannoja by the beat of the drum and igniting the ceremonial flame followed by a march past by the participating teams from PGDM, MCA, BBA & BCA courses. It was followed by the pledge taking ceremony.

Earlier welcoming the guest Prof. P. N. Jha, Director, SMS said that such an intra-institute sports competition of such magnitude is being conducted regularly. Prof Jha further said that healthy mind resides in a healthy body and therefore such sports activities are inevitable. It not only provides good health but sharpens the mental ability and agility too. A bouquet was presented to Dr. Satish Kannoja by him. At the end of the inaugural session, the Chief Guest was felicitated with a memento by Prof P. N. Jha. Others who were present included Mr. Sanjay Gupta, Registrar, SMS, Mohd. Wamique Hisam, the Sports Coordinator along with faculty members and staff. The inaugural function was coordinated by Mrs. Anjana Harish (Lecturer, SMS).