

NATIONAL SPORTS DAY 2025
GIET University, Gunupur, Odisha
Date: 29th – 31st August 2025

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Ek Ghanta Khel Ke Maidaan Mein!!

Sports Events

- FUTSAL (5 VS 5)
- VOLLEYBALL (6 VS 6)
- BASKETBALL (3 VS 3) (GIRLS & BOYS)
- TABLE TENNIS (SINGLES)
- CHESS (GIRLS & BOYS)
- TUG OF WAR (GIRLS & BOYS)
- LEMON RACE (GIRLS & STAFF LADIES)
- PLANK CHALLENGE (GIRLS & BOYS)
- MUSICAL CHAIR (GIRLS & STAFF LADIES)
- SACK RACE (GIRLS & BOYS)

NATIONAL SPORTS DAY

August 29 to 31

SCAN AND REGISTER

INAUGURATION DATE :- 29TH AUG 2025 VENUE :- SWIMMING POOL TIME :- 5.00 PM

NATIONAL SPORTS DAY 2025 AT GIET UNIVERSITY

National Sports Day is celebrated annually across India to commemorate the birth anniversary of the legendary hockey wizard **Major Dhyan Chand** and to advocate the values of fitness, discipline, and sportsmanship.

GIET University proudly organized a three-day celebration from **29th to 31st August 2025**, embracing the theme:

“Nationwide Celebration of Sports, Spirit & Unity – **Ek Ghanta Khel Ke Maidaan Mein!!**”

INAUGURAL CEREMONY:

The celebration commenced with a grand inaugural ceremony at the Swimming Pool Area of GIET University. The program was formally inaugurated by the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, **Prof. A. V. N. L. Sharma**, in the presence of **Prof. Ranjeet Panigrahi (Dean, Student Affairs)**, **Prof. K. Murali Gopal (Deputy Dean, CSE)**, **Mr. Bani Prasad Nayak (Program Officer, NSS)**, **Dr. Prakash Ranjan Sahoo (Sports Convener)**, **Mr. Rabindra Panda (Sports Officer)**, members of the Sports Committee, faculty members, and students.

During the inaugural address, the dignitaries highlighted the importance of sports in fostering teamwork, discipline, and holistic development among students. The ceremony concluded with the administration of the **FIT India Pledge**, thereby formally commencing the events.

“To make myself physically fit mentally strong, and emotionally balanced. I will encourage my family and friends to play and participate in sports and fitness activities every day. I will strive to imbibe the Olympic values of excellence, respect, and friendship in every sport I play”

Total 872 no of students participated in various events mentioned below.

- 1- Futsal (5 vs 5) – Boys
- 2- Basketball (3 vs 3) – Boys & Girls
- 3- Volleyball (6 vs 6) – Boys
- 4- Table Tennis (Singles) – Boys
- 5- Chess – Boys & Girls
- 6- Tug of War (8 vs 8) – Boys & Girls
- 7- Lemon Race – Girls & Staff
- 8- Plank Challenge – Boys & Girls
- 9- Musical Chair – Girls & Staff
- 10- Sack Race – Boys & Girls

For the smooth conduct of the events, faculty coordinators have been assigned to oversee and manage the respective events.

<u>SL NO</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>FACULTY CO-ORDINATORS</u>
1	FUTSAL (5 VS 5)	Mr. Ranjit Pattnaik
		Dr. K Shiva Krishna
		Mr. Arpan Singh
2	VOLLEYBALL (6 VS 6)	Dr. Prakash Ranjan Sahoo
		Mr. Aditya Mahakul
3	BASKETBALL (3 VS 3)	Dr. Ashish Tiwary
		Mr. Chinmaya Ranjan Swain
		Ms. Khirabdhi Tanaya Pattanaik
		Ms. Deeptimayee Choudhury
4	TABLE TENNIS (SINGLES)	Dr. Tushar Kanta Panda
		Mr. BTV Ramana Murty
5	CHESS	Dr. Akashya Kumar Sahoo
		Mr. K Dikshit Kumar
		Ms. A Shanti Laxmi
		Ms. Kumari Jharana Moharana
6	TUG OF WAR	Dr. Prakash Ranjan Sahoo
		Mr. Arpan Singh
		Mr. Aditya Mahakul
		Ms. Nirupama Dora
		Ms. Pratikshya Padhi
7	SPOON RACE	Ms. Deeptimayee Choudhury
		Ms. M Gayathri
		Ms. Khirabdhi Tanaya Pattanaik
8	PLANK CHALLENGE	Mr. Debasish Sarangi
		Mr. BTV Ramana Murty
		Ms. Jyoti Rekha Panda
		Ms. Nirupama Dora
9	MUSICAL CHAIR	Dr. Nirmala Patel
		Mrs. Sucharita Panda
		Ms. Jyoti Rekha Panda
10	SACK RACE	Mr. Aurobindo Panda
		Mr. Chinmaya Ranjan Swain
		Ms. A Shanti Laxmi
		Ms. Pratikshya Padhi

CLOSING CEREMONY:

The Closing Ceremony of National Sports Day 2025 was graced by the esteemed presence of **Prof. A. V. N. L. Sharma (Vice Chancellor)**, **Prof. P. Vijaya Kumar (Controller of Examinations)**, **Prof. K. Murali Gopal (Deputy Dean, CSE)**, **Mr. Bani Prasad Nayak (Program Officer, NSS)**, **Prof. A. K. Samal (Head, Department of Civil Engineering)**, **Dr. Prakash Ranjan Sahoo (Sports Convener)**, **Mr. Rabindra Panda (Sports Officer)**, along with members of the Sports Committee, faculty members, participating students, and dedicated event volunteers.

The occasion celebrated the spirit of sportsmanship and teamwork, with **prizes, medals, and certificates** distributed to winners, participants, and organizers in recognition of their contributions. The ceremony concluded on a triumphant note, acknowledging the collective efforts that ensured the success of the celebrations.

National Sports Day 2025 at GIET University successfully blended competitive sports, fun-filled activities, and the celebration of teamwork and fitness. With the enthusiastic participation of students and staff, guided by faculty coordinators and supported by volunteers, the event reflected the university's commitment to holistic education, physical well-being, and healthy living.

After uploading all the event images and participation details, FIT India is providing certificates for the university as well as to the participants.

