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## **PRESS RELEASE**

### **IIT (ISM) Dhanbad wins football and Badminton matches while IIT Kharagpur stole the show in women's athletics event during PARAKRAM'23 at IIT (ISM)**

Host IIT (ISM) defeated IEST Shibpur by a score 2-1 in the soccer match while Asansol Engineering College and NIT Rourkela encounter remained inconclusive due to a draw held during the day-2 of Football encounters today at Lower ground of IIT (ISM) played as part of Eastern India's largest sports fest, PARAKRAM'23 being organized in IIT (ISM) since March 17.

The day also witnessed IIT (ISM) victory over lone state owned engineering college BIT Sindri in Badminton encounters held at Sports Activity Centre with a score of 3-0.

In another badminton match played between SSGI Bhilai and Amity University, the former defeated the later by a score of 3-0 while in encounter between IEST Shibpur and Asansol Engineering College, the former defeated the later by a score 3-1. IIT Kharagpur meanwhile trounced IIT BHU by a score of 3-0 in another badminton match.

Earlier in Day -1 (March 17) 8000 meter men's final Sigangsa Baglari of IIT (Kharagpur) emerged as winner while Laxman Meena of IIT (ISM) and Gautam Kumar Meena of Binod Bihari Mahto Koyalanchal University bagged 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> positions respectively.

In the Long Jump (Men Final) Marwan of IIT Kharagpur clinched the winner title while Robin Mehra of BIT Sindri and Biswajit Mahto of Binod Bihari Mahto Koyalanchal University defeated remained at 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> positions respectively.

In the Javelin Throw (Men's Final) Aditya Kumar of IIT Khargpur emerged as winner while Chinna Chandrudu of IIT Kharagpur and L Anil Kumar of IIT (ISM) bagged the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> positions respectively.

During the Day of Shot Put encounters, host IIT (ISM) girl students proved their mettle as Shivangi Patel of institute clinched the top position who was followed by E Madhuri and Sanika Kadam of IIT Kharagpur who won 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> positions respectively.

In 800 meter race for women, IIT Kharagpur girls stole the show as they won all the three positions in which Jangili Poothijha, Anju and Prachai Bajpai won the 1<sup>st</sup> three positions respectively.

In 400 meter run for women, IIT Khargpur Students again proved their mettle as they won all the first three positions in which Sarita, E Madhuri, and Jangili Poothijha won the first three positions.

In the long jump event for women, Paligiri Meghana of IIT Kharagpur won the 1<sup>st</sup> position while Priyanka of IIT (ISM) and Kritika Bagaria of IIT Kharagpur bagged the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> positions respectively.

In 4X100 meter women final Green Team and Black Team of IIT Kharagpur won the 1<sup>st</sup> two positions while silver team of IIT (ISM) Dhanbad bagged the 3<sup>rd</sup> position.

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More than thousand techies, including 100 girls from 24 top technical institutions from across the country are pitched against each other in altogether 16 indoor and outdoor games during the three day mega fest which will conclude on March 19.

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