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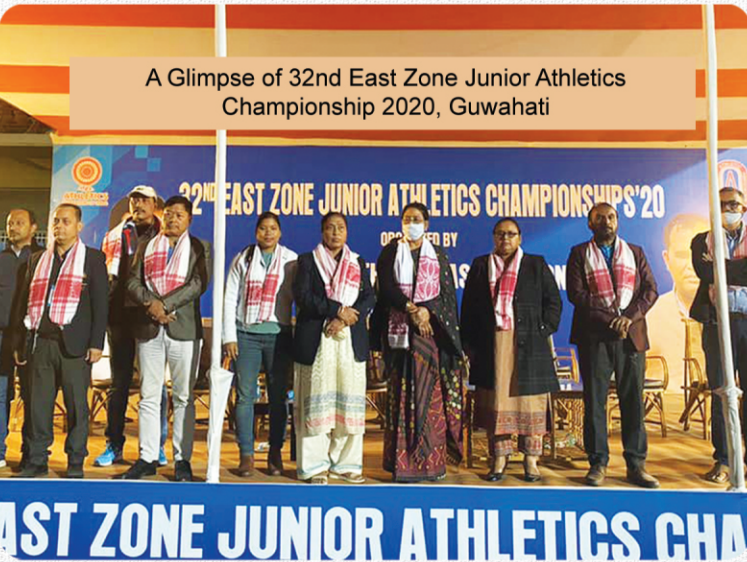
NEWSLETTER OF ASSAM OLYMPIC ASSOCIATION

Some snapshots from various sports events held in Guwahati



Medal winners from Assam in the 36th National Junior Athletics Championship, 2021

A Glimpse of 32nd East Zone Junior Athletics Championship 2020, Guwahati



An Image from the 36th National Junior Athletics Championship



Winning Team of Assam of the 32nd East Zone Junior Athletics Championship 2020, Guwahati

From the General Secretary

The past couple of months have been very exciting and challenging for Assam Olympic Association. In fact the Association had to play a crucial role in contributing towards speedy recovery of the state from the post-pandemic situation, if at all we dare to say that the pandemic is over. The Association and its various affiliated organisations deserve full marks for getting back to action, at the same time also raising the spirit of all sportspersons of the state in order to wriggle out of the crisis precipitated by the unprecedented pandemic.

What is most significant is that the Assam Athletics Association has been hugely successful in hosting the 36th National Junior Athletics Championship in Guwahati from February 6 to 10, 2021. In fact, Assam has clinched the glory of becoming the first state in the country to organise successfully any national sports championship in the post-lockdown era, and this record will remain written in the history of Indian Sports in golden letters. For this, the credit goes to the Assam Athletics Association in particular and all other sports bodies affiliated to AOA which had played their respective roles in making it a grand success.

We must also put on record the overwhelming support and guidance that our Hon'ble Chief Minister Shri Sarbananda Sonowal and his government extended to the Assam Olympic Association and the Assam Athletics Association in this regard. We are looking ahead to a more eventful and successful year ahead.



Lakhya Konwar
General Secretary
Assam Olympic Association





Editorial

It is a matter of pride that the New Year has begun quite positively for the state of Assam in general and Assam Olympic Association in particular that Guwahati very successfully played host to the 36th National Junior Athletics Championship in Guwahati from February 6 to 10, 2021. This is in fact the first National Championship in any discipline that has been held in the country after the Covid-19 pandemic had hit the entire human race so severely. The credit goes to the Assam Athletics Association, one of the most important affiliated organisations of the Assam Olympic Association, and the immense hard work that its office-bearers and members had put in deserves to be particularly appreciated and recorded. The Assam Olympic Association would like to put on record its deep appreciation and gratitude to Chief Minister Shri Sarbananda Sonowal and his government for having worked 24x7 to control the pandemic and bring Assam back to rails faster in comparison to many other states of the country.

Everyone must appreciate the fact the sports bodies and sportspersons of Assam have played a crucial role in restoration of the morale of the people amid the pandemic. As was put on record earlier, Chief Minister Shri Sonowal, as President of Assam Olympic Association, had led the campaign from the front by personally interacting several times with numerous sportspersons of the state during the difficult period. Sports and games contribute the most towards keeping a Nation healthy, both in body and mind, and we have been able to collectively prove this true once again.

Rajib Prakash Baruah



Olympic Bhawan to be set up in Guwahati

CM attends Annual General Meeting of AOA

Chief Minister Sarbananda Sonowal said that Assam Olympic Association should be in look out for discovering more sports talents in Assam even from far flung areas and should lend hands to hone their sporting talents and make the state a potential name in the arena of sports.

Speaking at the annual general meeting of Assam Olympic Association to which he is also the president at Deshbhakta Tarunram Phukan Indoor Stadium, Chief Minister Sonowal said that Assam has the population of 3.5 crore and Assam Olympic Association should be on its toes to discover sporting talents to take Assam to the zenith of its sporting excellence.

He also said that at a time of proliferation of science and technology, Assam Olympic Association should increasingly use the technology to enhance the performance of the players and make them fit for medals. He also said that an Olympic Bhawan to be set up in Guwahati which will be an integrated

building accommodating all other sports office buildings under its roof. Chief Minister Sonowal also reiterated that village olympic would be organised in the state to take sports to the grass root. He also said that efforts should be made to involve people of all age groups to sports. He said that teachers and parents should take the responsibility of helping the children to imbibe love for sports.

Chief Minister Sonowal on the occasion also released a newsletter and a website of Assam Olympic Association.

Vice President Assam Olympic Association and Minister for Guwahati Development Department Siddhartha Bhattacharya, Vice President AOA and Minister of State for Health and Family Welfare Pijush Hazarika, Vice President AOA and Member of Rajya Sabha Bhubaneswar Kalita, General Secretary AOA Lakhya Konwar, Treasurer AOA Tapan Kumar Das and other office bearers were present at the meeting.



Chief Minister and President of Assam Olympic Association, Shri Sarbananda Sonowal lighting the lamp to mark the beginning of annual general meeting of AOA at Deshbhakta Tarunram Phukan Indoor Stadium on November, 21, 2020

ASSAM OLYMPIC ASSOCIATION, 2020



CM Sonowal releasing the first edition of the newsletter of Assam Olympic Association at Deshbhakta Tarunram Phukan Indoor Staidum, Guwahati on November 21, 2020

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF ASSAM OLYMPIC ASSOCIATION



Chief Minister Sarbananda Sonowal launched the website of Assam Olympic Association on the occasion.



Homage to the former Chief Minister of Assam and Ex-President of Assam Olympic Association, Tarun Gogoi by the members of AOA

Assam Kho-Kho Association, Affiliated by Guwahati Kho-Kho Association, Organized by Jintu Gogoi memorial Inter District Sub-junior Kho-Kho Championship

Date : 8, 9 & 10 January 2021, Sarusajai Stadium, Guwahati



Inaugural meeting of the Jintu Gogoi memorial Inter District Sub-Junior Kho-Kho Championship held from 8th to 10th January 2021 at Sarusajai Stadium, Guwahati



XVII Sub Junior (Boys & Girls) All Assam Inter District Wushu Championship held at Rajiv Gandhi Sports Complex, Titabar, Jorhat



Line up of players & officials during the All Assam Inter District Kho-Kho Championship (Boys & Girls) organized by Tezpur District Sports Association held at Tezpur Polo Ground



48th Assam Inter District Weightlifting Championship 2020 held at District Library, Haflong from 26th to 29th December, 2020



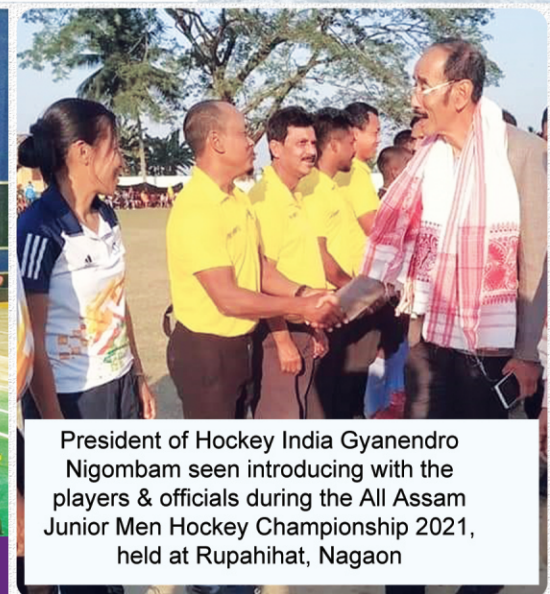
48th Assam State Bodybuilding Championship conducted at Nehrubali, Nagaon from 8th to 10th January, 2021



Winners of the JTC-AITA Championship Series Tennis Tournament for U-18 Girls and Boys



The Winners, Runners-up & Bronze Medalist of U-15 & 17 years Boys & Girls of Assam Inter District Open Badminton Championship, 2020-21 held at Guwahati



President of Hockey India Gyanendro Nigombam seen introducing with the players & officials during the All Assam Junior Men Hockey Championship 2021, held at Rupahihat, Nagaon



All Assam Junior Men Hockey Championship 2021 held from 6th to 8th February at Geruati High School Playground, Rupahihat, Nagaon



2nd Guwahati Fencing Championship organised by Guwahati Fencing Association held on 7th February at R.G. Baruah Sports Complex, Guwahati



14th Inter District Sepak Takraw Tournament in memory of Lt. Nirmal Nunisa and Lt. Jogendra Gayan conducted from 4th to 5th February, 2021 at DTRP Indoor stadium, Nehru Stadium, guwahati.



All Assam Junior Inter District Girls Kabaddi Championship 2020-21 held at Kasubari High Secondary School playground, Tamulpur from 12th to 14th February, 2021

1st All Assam Inter District Dragon Boat Championship conducted on 10th January, 2021 at Hazarapar Stadium, Tezpur



20th Girindra Sharma Memorial All Assam Innter District Sub Junior Handball conducted at Tinsukia, Assam

All Assam Roller Skating Championship 2021 organized by Roller Skating Association of Assam held on 30th & 31st January, 2021

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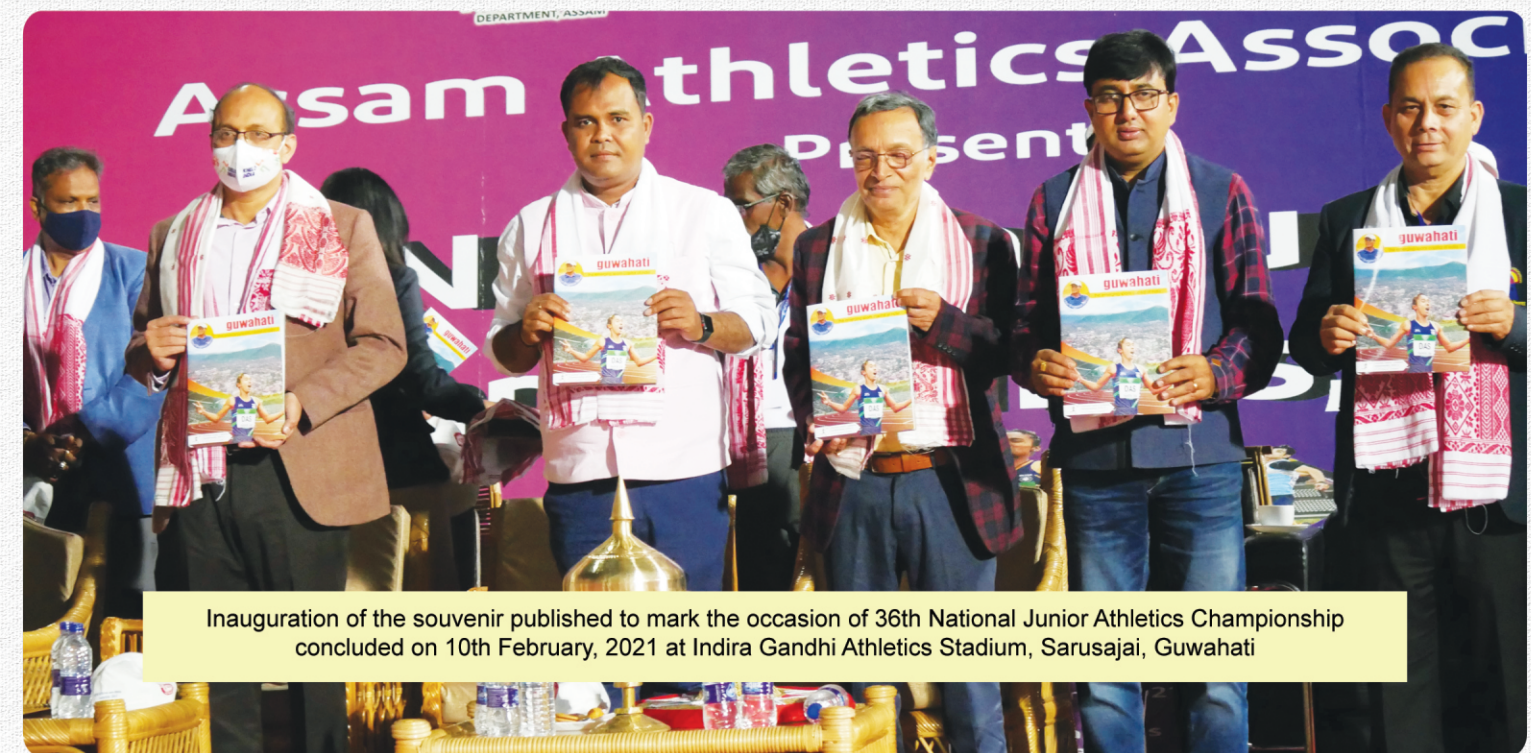
State School Olympic 2020-21 in the disciplines of Lawn Tennis and Table Tennis (U-17 years, Boys & Girls) organized by Directorate of Sports and Youth Welfare Department, Government of Assam held from 11th to 13th February at Deshbhakta Tarunram Phukan Indoor Stadium, R.G. Baruah Sports Complex, Guwahati.



1st All Assam Inter District Talent scouting Athletics Competition 2020 held at Indra Gandhi Athletics Stadium



7th Bir Raghav Moran State Level Invitational (Day-Night) Prizemoney Volleyball Tournament held at Guwahati Volleyball Coaching centre, Judges Field, Guwahati



Inauguration of the souvenir published to mark the occasion of 36th National Junior Athletics Championship concluded on 10th February, 2021 at Indra Gandhi Athletics Stadium, Sarusajai, Guwahati

On 19th January, 2021 Officials from Dream11 met the Hon'ble Chief Minister of Assam cum President of Assam Olympic Association Shri Sarbananda Sonowal, General Secretary of Assam Olympic Association Shri Lakhya Konwar & Joint Secretary of Assam Olympic Association Shri Shantanu Kalita and discussed about the grassroots development of sports in Assam. The Government of Assam is dedicated towards its vision to make the state a sports capital of the country



Assam Olympic Association
Congratulates



Assam Olympic Association Felicitates Hemanta Kumar Kalita, General Secretary of Assam Amateur Boxing association for being selected as the General Secretary of Boxing Federation of India



Assam has been conferred the 'Best Sports Promoting State' title in the prestigious Federation of Indian Chambers and Industry (FICCI) annual award for 2020



Glimpses of the closing ceremony of 36th National Junior Athletics Championship held from 6th to 10th February, 2021 at Sarusajai Sports Complex, Guwahati



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