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PRESS RELEASE

HON'BLE GOVERNOR SHALL INAUGURATE 4th EDITION OF VOLLEYBALL SILVER ROLLING TROPHY CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT AT GDC UDHAMPUR

Hon'ble Governor of J&K State, Sh. N.N. Vohra will inaugurate 4th Edition of State level 'Silver Rolling' Trophies (Men and Women) for Volleyball at Govt. Degree College Udhampur tomorrow on 22-12-2017. This was disclosed by Dr. S.K. Magotra, Principal of the College in joint Media conference this evening. Prof(Dr). S.K. Magotra informed that the prestigious 'Silver Rolling Trophy' for State Level Volleyball Championship was instituted in the College by the Hon'ble Governor, Sh. N.N. Vohra himself in 2014 with the aim to promote understanding, brotherhood among the youth of all the three regions viz Jammu, Kashmir and Ladakh of the State through sports activities and since then the College has been organizing the championship successfully on annual basis. Every year scores of teams from different colleges from across the state do come and compete to win the championship trophies, he added. Expressing his satisfaction, on the working of his team of colleagues, he said that although the number of participating teams in the present edition of the tournament has surpassed all the records of the previous editions of the championship, but I am sure that we will be able to take care of everything to make the stay of the participating teams comfortable and memorable. In this edition 39 teams (31 men and 08 women) from various colleges of the Kashmir province and some far off college of the Jammu division have confirmed to participate in the mega sports event.

While throwing light on the important role of the sports in the holistic development of the person and personality of the players, Dr.Magotra commended the vision and keen interest of the Hon'ble governor in sports activities and expressed his gratitude to him for instituting this prestigious trophies in the college Valedictory and final matches of the championship, (Men and Women) shall be held on December, 24, 2017 in which Sh. Pawan Kumar Gupta, Hon'ble MLA Udhampur will be the Chief Guest. He said that since this is a State level Mega Sports Event, huge men and machinery is required to manage the event and for this we receive full cooperation of the District Administration, Army and Police Department. Dr. Magotra expressed his thankfulness to District Development Commissioner, Udhampur, Director SKPA for having extended all their support in the form of men and material to make this event successful. He said that we are proud to have with us some Veteran Volleyball Players of yester years viz Sh. Ashok Kumar and Sh. Raj Guru at Udhampur who have been providing us their technical support and guidance in the smooth conduct of the championship. He further informed that number of VVIP's from various departments including local MLA's are likely to visit us to grace the inaugural and valedictory functions of the event.

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