

Annual Report 2022-23

Annual Sports Report for the academic year 2022-23.

Ken Doherty, an Irish snooker player has this to say about Sports. The 5 S's of sports training are: stamina, speed, strength, skill and spirit; the greatest amongst them being spirit. It is not so much about winning but the spirit of participation that counts.

The focus on Sports at Airaa, we think leads to a well-rounded personality in addition to academics and cocurricular activities. All the learners are given equal opportunities in both indoor and outdoor activities. Interclass events are conducted housewise every month to keep the sportsman spirit alive. Learners also attend competitions or tournaments conducted at various schools. Here are the events for which some of our learners participated this year:

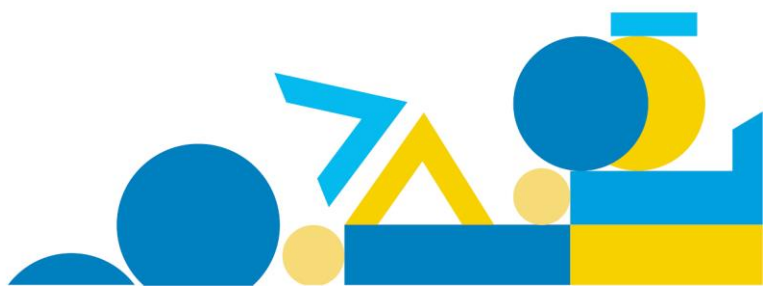
1.The Independence Day cup 2022 Football tournament conducted by School of India on the 25th & 26th of Aug'22 for which our learners from grade 7 to 10 participated.

2.Panchajanya Badminton and fitness academy conducted a badminton tournament on the 9th & 10th of sept'22 for which our learners of grade 7 and 9 participated.

Prithish Rao of grade 7 bagged the gold in the singles and Prithish Rao & Mann Ostwal of grade 7 bagged the gold in the doubles.

3.Sri Sri Ravishankar Vidya mandir organized a CBSE yoga and table tennis tournament from the 28th of Nov to 30th Nov'22.

For which our grade 9 learners participated in the yoga competition and learners from grade 5, 7, 8 and 9 participated in the table tennis tournament.



4. Learners of grade 5,6 and 7 participated in the table tennis tournament conducted by Insight academy on the 18th of Nov'22.

They bagged prizes under the following categories.

In the under 12 category, Siddhant Upadhayaya and Jay Chandak of grade 5 bagged 1st place in doubles,

Anarghya Shastri of grade 6 won the 1st place in the under 12 category, singles.

Navaneeth Krishna and Surya Iyer of grade 7 won the 2nd place in the under 14 category doubles.

5. In the swimming competition held at Insight Academy on the 19th of November, Shamanth of Grade 3 won a gold in back stroke and breast stroke and silver in free style in the under 10 category.

6. In the skating competition held at Insight Academy on the 20th of November, Abhay Rao of Grade 5, won 1st place in the QUAD event.

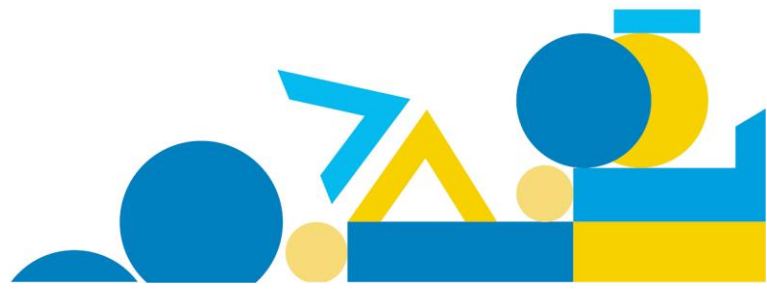
7. Little flower public school hosted the ARA memorial trophy, a table tennis tournament on the 16th & 17th of Dec'22 for which our learners of grade 6 participated.

8. Dhvani Jain of Grade 8 participated and won 2 Silver medals for Poomsae and Kyurogi at the Bengaluru Open National Taekwondo Championship 2022 held on 3rd and 4th December 22, at organised by JP Park Taekwondo Training Center.

9. I am glad to report a football team composed of our Grade 9 and 10 learners played a friendly football match with students of The Choice School, Ernakulam, when they went on their recreational trip to Kerala. It was a great interactive experience for them.

Other than the sporting events, housewise competitions conducted during the Independence Day celebrations and during Airotsav, our Ethnic Day have added points to the house points tally.

In the runup to the Sports Day, we also had Interhouse group events in football, basketball, cricket, tabletennis, carrom and chess the winners of which will be announced in a while.



I take this opportunity to thank our dear parents for their wholehearted support and encouragement given to our learners at all times.

Michael Jordan, the famous American basketball player said, 'Obstacles don't have to stop you. If you run into a wall, don't turn around and give up. Figure out how to climb it, go through it, or work around it. We encourage our learners to never give up but to keep trying and do their best in all they do. Wishing all the learners to do their best with the best sportsman spirit as they get on to their field events today.

