



Programme “EK Bharat Shreshtha Bharat”
Report of Kho Kho Championship Boys U-21 Zone-1

1. Introduction. The Kho Kho Federation of India organized following event for the Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat Program.

- EBSB KHO KHO ZONAL -1 Championship for BOYS U-21 from 27 to 29 Feb 2020.

2. Small write up about the game. “Kho Kho” is an indigenous Sports discipline that has been included in “EK Bharat Shreshtha Bharat” programme of Department of Sports. The Competition matches of the Championship were organized at Shrinath Ki Tallaiyya Jabalpur from 27th to 29th Feb 2020 as part of Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat programme.

3. Inauguration.

- **Day 1: 27th Feb 2020 (Opening Ceremony):-**Hon’ble Sh. Lakhan Ghanghoria (Cabinet Minister of M.P.) was the Chief Guest and Sh. M.S. Tyagi, General Secretary, Kho Kho Federation of India, was the distinguished Guest. The Chief Guest welcomed all the players and officials from different states and gave thanks to the Prime Minister for this very innovative programme for the unity of the country. There was participation of local/district/state officials of the sports department.

- **Day 2: 28thFeb 2020:-**Hon’ble Sh. Ashish Shukla (Director of Yash Bharat) was the chief guest and accompanied by Sh. M.S. Tyagi, General Secretary, Kho Kho Federation of India.

- **Day 3: 29thFeb 2020 (Concluding Ceremony):-**Hon’ble Sh. Bhagwat Singh Chouhan (Inspector General Police) was the chief guest in the concluding Ceremony. The Chief Guest thanked all the players and officials from different states and thanked to the Hon’ble Prime Minister for this very innovative programme for the unity of the country.

4. The children of Shaskiya Kanya Uchcharat Madhyamik Vidyalaya performed welcome songs and folk dances of colorful folk dance dresses. People took keen interest in the activity and appreciated the Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat Programme.

5. Participating States. The Competition matches were held between the teams of Paired States as follows:-

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| Haryana | : | Telangana |
| Goa | : | Jharkhand |
| Madhya Pradesh | : | Manipur & Nagaland |
| Chandigarh | : | Dadra & Nagar Haveli |

6. Participants. 48 Boys (Players) and 14 officials/coaches participated in the event. In addition a number of local Technical Officials were engaged for successful conduct of the competition. Sports Apparel was given to 62 participants.

7. Conduct of the Competition and Results

- **1st Position** Haryana/Telangana.
- **2nd Position-** Madhya Pradesh/Manipur/Nagaland
- **3rd Position-**Jharkhand/Goa and Chandigarh/Dadra Nagar Haveli

8. **Closing ceremony.** All the participants including the visiting dignitaries expressed their gratitude to the Hon'ble Prime Minister for the concept of Ek Bharat Shreshtha Bharat which encouraged the youth of diverse culture and Paired States to forge better understanding and strengthen the National Integration. The events were witnessed by large number of spectators.

9. **Publicity & Branding.** The venue branding was as per the guidelines. The event was covered extensively in the print and electronic media which had a very positive impact relating to the concept of EK Bharat Shreshtha Bharat through the sports activities.

10. **Boarding & Lodging.** The arrangements were made for participating boys separately in good hotels/hostels.

11. **Impact.** As per the feedback from the players and management good/excellent facilities both for stay and food were provided to them. The players from all the participating paired States/UTs were extremely happy to be together for better understanding of culture, food habits and other related issues and this opportunity has made them the friend forever.

Photographs of Kho-Kho championship Zone-1



हरियाणा-तेलंगाना टीम की एक अंक से रोमांचक जीत

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जबलपुर | भारतीय खो-खो महासंघ एवं भारत सरकार के तत्वावधान में मप्र एमेच्योर खो-खो एसोसिएशन के द्वारा एक भारत श्रेष्ठ भारत अण्डर 21 खो खो प्रतियोगिता फेज़-1 के पुरुष वर्ग में हरियाणा-तेलंगाना की टीम ने रोमांचक मुकाबले में मध्यप्रदेश-मणिपुर-नागलैंड की टीम को 1 अंक से पराजित किया। एक अन्य मैच में हरियाणा-तेलंगाना की टीम ने दादर नगर हवेली-चंडीगढ़ की टीम को एकतरफा मुकाबले में एक अंक व एक पारी से शिकस्त दी। महिला वर्ग में मध्यप्रदेश-मणिपुर-नागलैंड

की टीम ने गोवा-झारखंड टीम को 3 अंकों से पराजित किया। मैचों के मुख्य अतिथि वरिष्ठ पत्रकार आशीष शुक्ला व विशिष्ट अतिथि भारतीय खो खो महासंघ के सचिव एम एस त्यागी ने खिलाड़ियों से परिचय प्राप्त किया। इस दौरान उनके साथ मप्र तृतीय वर्ग शासकीय कर्मचारी संघ के प्रांतीय महामंत्री योगेन्द्र दुबे, मप्र खो खो संघ के सचिव संजय यादव मौजूद रहे। निर्णायक की भूमिका वासू कोरी, चंद्रशेखर स्वामी, राजेन्द्र प्यासी, गिरीश कांत मिश्रा एवं गोल्डी ने निभाई।

