

## Raining sixes win hearts at Faculty Sports Meet of DME

- Mohd Kamil

In a bid to foster unity, understanding and create health awareness among the faculty members of Delhi Metropolitan Education (DME), a one day sports meet was organised on December 01, 2018 at Delhi World Public School, Noida Extension.

The Sports Meet was inaugurated by the Director General of DME, Hon'ble Mr. Justice Bhanwar Singh and Vice Chairman Mr. Aman Sahni by hoisting the tricolor.

The event started with a brisk walk of 3 kilometers which witnessed huge participation. Though Sports-Convenor, Mohd Kamil emerged as the winner, the other faculty members too completed the walk within the stipulated time.

In cricket match, Team-A led by Dr. Ravikant Swami outplayed Team-B which was led by Dr. Amrish Saxena.

Team-B while batting first with the help of quick knocks of Mohd Kamil (29), Abhishek Yadav (25) and CM Anand (24) posted a sound total of 140 runs in 20 overs. Chasing the target, Mr. Pradeep Bisht from team-A made valuable 78 runs and ensured victory for his team. He was awarded the Man of the match.

Women also exhibited great performance and entertained the audience with their cricketing skills. Team-B led by Ms. Navjot Suri after winning the toss posted a decent score of 68 runs in 10 overs game. Roli Wadhwa (32) and Navjot Suri (13) were the highest scorers from the side. While chasing the target Team-A led by Tulika Arora could only manage to get 46 runs. Ms. Roli was awarded the Man of the Match.

In Badminton, the perfect smashes, flicks, hairpin net shots and fine services made Dr. Bhavish Gupta champion in men's category. The first opponent Aamir Yosuf lost 11-2 to Dr. Gupta. In the final match he outplayed Amit Raj by 15-1. On the other hand Dr. Suchi Goel, overpowered female faculty members in Badminton and emerged as winner in women's category.

In Table Tennis matches, Mr. Sumantra Das Sarthi did not give a single chance to the opponents and secured first position comfortably. He outplayed Mohd Kamil by 11-6 in the final game. Amir Yosuf and Dr. Amrish Saxena also participated in the TT competition.

The event ended with a closing ceremony wherein efforts of DME faculty members were applauded and medals were awarded to the winners by the Director General Sir.



# UNESCO initiates discourse on Elimination of Violence against Women

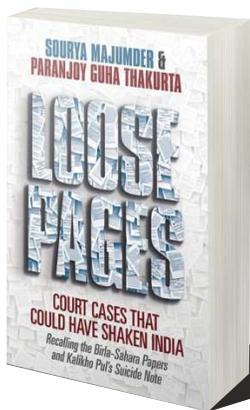
- Dr. Susmita Bala

On the occasion of the International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women, UNESCO New Delhi, Bournemouth University (UK) and Media Action Against Rape (MAAR) organized a thought provoking panel discussion on 'Media reporting of sexual violence: Why, what, how much?'. The discussion was moderated by Ms. Pamela Philipose, Public Editor of The Wire.

The panel included Ms. Neha Dixit, Independent journalist, Ms. Lalitha Kumaramangalam, Director, India Foundation, Ms. Anju Pandey, Violence against Women Programme Specialist, Ms. Rituparna Chatterjee, Independent journalist and Mr. Vakasha Sachdev, Associate Editor (Legal), The Quint.

The discussion was followed by the screening of the film *The Six Faces of Sexual Violence*. Mr K Hariharan, the Director of the film was also available for interacting with the viewers on

his film in the auditorium of UNESCO in Chanakyapuri in the national capital.



## LOOSE PAGES: A book about loose ends

- Book Review

by Dr. Amrisha Saxena

LOOSE PAGES, a book by Paranjay Guha Thakurta, noted journalist, author and analyst and Sourya Majumder, a student of Jawaharlal Nehru University, reveals before us how loose nuts

faces from bureaucracy and the media. Tying the tales together are hard disks, emails, diaries and other papers which are official on record though the Supreme Court refused to order further investigation in these cases having treated all the available material as 'loose sheets'.

It may be noted that many of these sheets of paper and

reduce compression of various parts of the system and how these parts fall apart due to heightening friction. It delves into court cases that could have shaken India had the Supreme Court would have shown some sensitivity and judicial prudence. It recalls the Birla – Sahara papers and KalikhoPul's suicide note.

Loose Pages has a phenomenal cast of characters; a chief minister found hanging from a noose inside his official residence, a former President, several retired or serving chief justices of the highest courts in the country, best known businessmen, known



### Release of LOOSE PAGES

The book *Loose Pages* was released on November 27 at Press Club in New Delhi amidst gathering of journalists, writers and people from other walks of life.

The function was addressed by Mr. Arun Shourie, author, economist, journalist and former union minister, Mr. Prashant Bhushan, public interest lawyer in the Supreme Court, Mr. Hartosh Singh Bal, Political Editor of Caravan magazine, Ms. KarunaNundy, Advocate in the Supreme Court, Mr. Dinesh Dwivedi, senior Advocate in the Supreme Court and Mr. Kamal K Jaswal, retired civil servant. The programme was moderated by Mr. Vipul Mudgal, Director of Common Cause

diary entries were recovered from the offices and premises of people associated with two of India's prominent business houses – Aditya Birla Group and Sahara India Pariwar – after 'search and seizure' raids were conducted by officers of law enforcement agencies. The Sahara – Birla papers could have culminated in one of the most sensational scandals of contemporary India, but it did not, since none of the democratic organs and institutions were interested in further investigations. Had there been investigation, there would have been resultant prosecution and conviction.

# ICAN<sup>2</sup>: Joint efforts of DME and Deakin University offered a great learning opportunity to researchers and scholars from across the globe

- Kritika Sati



After successfully organising the 1st edition of International Conference ICAN, the idea of coming up with its 2nd edition, that too within same year, was definitely a challenging task. However, joint efforts of DME Media School and School of Communication and Creative Arts, Deakin University, Australia made this testing task possible, making ICAN2 even more grand and successful.

The 3-day International Conference on Indian Cinema and Alternate Networks (ICAN2) was inaugurated by Mr. Satya Pal Singh, Minister of State for Human Resource Development, Government of India on Friday, November 16, 2018 at Silver Oak Lawn, Indian Habitat Centre, Delhi. Renowned film maker Mr. Vivek Vaswani graced the occasion along with many prominent media professionals and academicians.

The next two days of the conference saw a substantial participation of Indian and international researchers, scholars, media personalities, academicians and students; who poured in to take part in 8 technical sessions, 3 plenary sessions and 3 workshops organised as part of the conference.

The workshops were conducted by specialists like Dr. John Cumming, Senior Faculty Deakin University, Mr. Aditya Seth, independent film maker and Academic Consultant for the University of South Wales in Cardiff, Wales, UK and Dr. Vikrant Kishore, Deakin University.

The sessions witnessed not only distinguished experts, but equally remarkable moderators like News Nations's Ms. Saira Bano and Doordarshan's Ms. Nancy Kohli, who took the sessions to another level with their outstanding anchoring.

Conference ended with a cultural evening, where students of DME mesmerized everyone with stunning performances. A valedictory function was also organised to encourage and reward the students for their exceptional academic performance, attendance and extra-curricular participation.

Conference Advisor, Dr. Ambrish Saxena and Co-Convenors Dr. Susmita Bala and Dr. Vikrant Kishore gave vote of thanks to all the participants.

# Glimps of ICAN<sup>2</sup>



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