# **From the Field of Sports**

Lakshmibai College continued performing well during the session 2017-18. Our sports students have brought many laurels by excelling at International, National, Inter-University, Inter-College and State level competitions.

During the session 2017-18, our students participated in various sports and games including Archery, Athletics, Ball Badminton, Baseball, Boxing, Chess, Cricket, Cross Country, Fencing, Gymnastics, Handball, Judo, Kabaddi, Kho-Kho, Netball, Power-lifting, Shooting, Softball, Taekwondo, Volleyball, Wrestling, Weight-lifting and Yoga at various levels. The achievements are listed below.

## <u>International</u>

Manisha Chaudhary made us proud by becoming a member of the Indian Team in the IBFA Women's Baseball Asian Cup held at Hongkong from Sept. 2 to 7, 2017.

Divya secured Gold Medal for India in Subroto Cup International Power-lifting Championship held at Delhi; while 8 of our students participated in the Invitational International Volleyball Tournament held at Nepal including Priyanka, Nidhi, Sadhna, Varsha, Sahiba, Ukansha, Priyanka Shekhawat, and Seema Bisht.

## **National**

Reecha Singh stood 1<sup>st</sup> in Small Bore and 2<sup>nd</sup> in Big Bore Rifle in the 27<sup>th</sup> All India G.V. Mavlankar Shooting Championship. She also won 2<sup>nd</sup> position in the 60<sup>th</sup> National Shooting Championship in Big Bore Rifle Event. Bharti secured 1<sup>st</sup> position in In IDBI Marathon, while Kavita stood 2<sup>nd</sup> in Half Marathon in the same event. Neeshu stood 1<sup>st</sup> in 4x400 m. Relay in the Federation Cup Jr. National Athletics Championship. Sushmita won 2<sup>nd</sup> and Monika bagged 3<sup>rd</sup> position in Youth National Boxing Championship. Kriti Gupta got 1<sup>st</sup> position and Sandhya bagged 3<sup>rd</sup> position in National Kurash championship; Akansha Goyal got 1<sup>st</sup> position in Rural National Judo and Wrestling; Laxmi Devi stood 1<sup>st</sup> in Rural National Wrestling; Monika secured 3<sup>rd</sup> position in Kick Boxing; and Divya bagged gold medal in Powerlifting.

In addition, there were 35 representations at national level in different sports. These include Athletics (Yamini and Shivani); Ball Badminton (Sneha); Baseball (Soniya, Anjali Rawat, Nikhat, Nirmla, Neha Gupta, Amanpreet Kaur, Siji Aniyan, Radha, Kirti, Sakshi, Megha, Bhawna, Kajal); Boxing (Yashi Chaudhary); Cricket (Vandana & Keerthy in One Day and T20, Under-23 OD, Under-23 T20, Mohini & Nikita in Under-19 OD); Gymnastics (Tina); Kabaddi (Ekta Pathak); Beach Kabaddi (Uma and Pooja); Kho-Kho (Meenakshi); Netball (Shrishti Nain and Yashi); and Volleyball (Sadhna and Sonam Dahiya).

## **Inter University (All India and Zonal)**

Divya Aggarwal secured 1<sup>st</sup> position in the All Indian Inter University Yoga Championship; while seven of our students stood 3<sup>rd</sup> in the All India Inter University Baseball Championship including Amanpreet Kaur, Siji Aniyan, Soniya, Nirmala, Nikhat, Neha, and Neha Gupta.

21 of our students represented Delhi University in All India Inter University Competitions in different games. These include Archery (Garima); Ball Badminton (Veena); Boxing (Varsha, Kriti Gupta); Cross Country (Bharti, Saroj, Kavita); Fencing (Rachna); Gymnastics (Tina, Harsha Chauhan); Judo (Kritika); Softball (Amanpreet Kaur, Siji Aniyan, Soniya, Nikhat, Neha, Neha Gupta, Kajal, Bhumika); and Wrestling (Laxmi, Sandhya).

12 students participated in Inter University Competitions at Zonal level while representing University of Delhi. These include Cricket (Mohini, Ekta, Vandana); Kabaddi (Ekta, Gagandeep Kaur, Sucheta); Kho-Kho (Namita, Meenakshi); Handball (Kavita Rawat); Volleyball (Subby, Nidhi, Ukansha).

## **North Zone**

Yamini secured 2<sup>nd</sup> position in North Zone Athletics in 100m.

## **Inter College**

Our three teams emerged Champions in Inter College Tournaments including Cross Country, Baseball and Softball; six teams won the 2<sup>nd</sup> position including Athletics, Power-lifting, Weightlifting, Wrestling, Volleyball, Yoga; and three teams secured 3<sup>rd</sup> position including Cricket, Judo and Kho-Kho; while Boxing team remained at 4<sup>th</sup> spot.

Individually, we won a total of 46 medals including 09 Gold, 17 Silver and 20 Bronze medals.

The Gold medal winners were in Athletics (Yamini-100m, Bharti-1000m, Shivani-Javelin Throw); Boxing (Varsha), Judo (Kritika); Power-lifting (Divya), Weightlifting (Divya, Tamanna); and Wrestling (Laxmi Devi).

The Silver Medal Winners were in Athletics (Neeshu-800m, Karuna-10000m, Bharti-Half Marathon, Shivani-Shot Put, and quartet of Bharti, Kavita, Saroj, Anuradha in 4x400m Relay), Boxing (Kriti), Cross Country (Bharti), Power-lifting (Tamanna, Yukta), Weight-lifting (Shivani, Bhawna), Wrestling (Sandhya, Bharti, Khushboo).

The Bronze Medal Winners were in Athletics (Neeshu-400m, Kavita-1500m, Saroj-5000m, Kavita-5 km Walk, Karuna-Half Marathon); Boxing (Jaspinder, Sushmita, Ritika, Shweta Raj); Judo (Jyoti Gaur, Akansha, Sandhya, Kirti); Taekwondo (Dipika); Wrestling (Anuradha, Akanksha, Muskan, Surya); Weight-lifting (Muskan Pal, Yukta).

### **Delhi State and Open Tournaments**

Our volleyball team stood  $\mathbf{1}^{\text{st}}$  in Youth Delhi State,  $\mathbf{2}^{\text{nd}}$  in Open Delhi State and Yuva, and  $\mathbf{3}^{\text{rd}}$  in YMCA tournament. Our Ball Badminton team won the  $\mathbf{1}^{\text{st}}$  position in Inter College Sports Festival at Miranda House (Erobern) and at Maitreyi College.

Neeshu Kumari won gold medal in 100m & 400m in Delhi State and got silver medal in 200m & 400m in Inter Block, Yamini stood 1<sup>st</sup> in 100m, Shivani stood 1<sup>st</sup> in Javelin Throw and 2<sup>nd</sup> in Shot Put, & Bharti stood 2<sup>nd</sup> in Long Jump. In Boxing, Sushmita won the 1<sup>st</sup> position, Ritika got 2<sup>nd</sup> and Shweta Raj remained at 3<sup>rd</sup> position. In Gymnastics, Tina bagged 1<sup>st</sup> position. In Power-lifting, Tamanna stood 1<sup>st</sup> in Delhi State in both equipped and unequipped category as well as in Bench Press & Dead Lift; Divya, Jyoti and Muskan also stood first in the same competition in their respective weight category in Dead-lift event. In Wrestling, Laxmi Devi won the 1<sup>st</sup> position while Akansha Goyal and Sandhya Singh stood 3<sup>rd</sup>. In Yoga, Divya Aggarwal secured 1<sup>st</sup> position, Suman Rajbhar, Sandhya, Chanchal & Kajal got 2<sup>nd</sup> while Nasreen Bano & Saloni got 3<sup>rd</sup> position. Reecha Singh of our college secured 6 gold medals in Bihar State Shooting Championship.

Overall, we won a total of 122 medals at various levels including 43 gold, 40 silver and 39 bronze medals during the session 2017-18.

Our college was allotted the responsibility of conducting Inter College Softball and Handball, which were successfully concluded.