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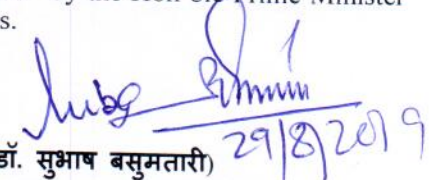
Observation of "National Sports Day" and coordination & support in launching of "Fit India Movement" by Hon'ble Prime Minister on 29th August 2019 in New Delhi.

Guwahati, 29th August 2019: Like the previous years, "National Sports Day" was observed on 29th August 2019 at Sports Authority of India, Regional Centre, Guwahati to commemorate the birthday of "Hockey Wizard" Major Dhyhan Chand. At about 6.30 a.m. a "Fitness Run" was organized starting from SAI Complex via A.T. Road- G.S. Road- Md. Shah Road and back to SAI Complex covering a distance of about ½ k.m. The SAI trainees, coaches, staff along with international sports personalities like Ms. Kalpana Choudhury (Boxer & ex-STC Guwahati trainee), Asian Boxing Gold Medalist, World Boxing Bronze Medalist in 2007, Ms. Minu Basumatary (Boxer, ex- SAI trainee), World Youth Boxing Gold Medalist, Ms. Anjali Boro, International Boxer & ex-SAI trainee, Shri Durga Boro, Footballer (ex-STC Guwahati trainee) & ISL first edition renowned player, Shri Jayanta Boro, President, Archery Association of Assam took part in the programme & run. On completion of the Fitness Run, Floral Tribute was paid before the image of Major Dhyhan Chand.

Live telecast of the "Fit India Movement" launched by the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India at Indira Gandhi Stadium, New Delhi was viewed in a large screen to all SAI trainees, coaches, staff and other dignitaries in the Multipurpose Indoor Hall. Afternoon an exhibition football match was played between non-football SAI trainees vs combined team of SAI coaches & staff.

Three Icons under SAI, Regional Centre, Guwahati had been nominated & attended the launching programme of "Fit India Movement" by the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India at Indira Gandhi Indoor Stadium, New Delhi. They are – i) Smt. Tayabun Nisha (Discuss Throw, 1982 Asian Games Athlete), Assam ii) Shri Jas Lal Pradhan (Boxer, Arjun Awardee, 1982 IX Asian Games Bronze Medal winner, Olympian in 1984 Los Angeles Olympic Games from Sikkim and iii) Shri Eugene K. Marak, International Taekwondo Player from Meghalaya. The photographs of the Icons are enclosed herewith.

"National Sports Day" was also observed at 3 (three) SAI Training Centres (Guwahati, Golaghat & Shillong) & 4 (four) SAG Centres (Kokrajhar, Naharlagun, Namchi & Tinsukia) under jurisdiction of SAI, Regional Centre, Guwahati. Live telecast of launching of "Fit India Movement" by the Hon'ble Prime Minister in New Delhi was also viewed in a large screen in all the STC & SAG Centres.


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Encl: Photograph of programme

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