

INAUGURATION CEREMONY OF THE SPORTS AND CULTURAL COMPETITIONS OF ZONE XI (2024-2025)

Mata Jai Kaur Public School was given the opportunity to host the Inauguration Ceremony of the Sports and Cultural Competitions of Zone XI (2024-2025) on 5 August 2024. The Directorate of Education organizes an array of competitions each year at the Zonal levels to provide a platform to the students to display their talents and inspire them in their quest to achieve excellence. The canvas of Sports and Cultural Competitions, painted with vibrant colors of creativity, passion, and determination, reveals the masterpiece of students' potential as they unify, excite and motivate them. The school was also the venue for the Zonal Poster Making Competition.

The event commenced with the rendition of the pious Shabad and a lamp lighting ceremony. The Chief Guest for the ceremony, Dr Baalesh Kumari Vijayrun , DDE , District North West, B1 lauded the efforts of the faculty and the students in organising and hosting the ceremony. She encouraged all the students to always respect their Guru (Teacher) and learn the valuable lessons that the teachers impart so that they can truly strive for excellence in all their endeavors. Dr Vijayrun declared the ceremony open. The Guest of Honour, Shri Anil Kumar Sharma, DDE Zone XI , commended schools in Zone XI for their enthusiastic participation and thanked the Chief Guest for granting him the opportunity to be a part of the event. Mr. Anil Yadav, OSD, Dr. Sunil Arora, OSD, Ms. Kamini Rawat, SPE Zone XI, Dr. Neelam Yadav, the Cultural Convenor and Dr. Tajender Singh, the Sports Convenor also attended the ceremony. Students from over 45 schools participated in the competition.

The Guest of Honour's address was followed by a special tabla performance by a school student who has attained laurels in various music competitions. The performance showcased the rich cultural heritage of Indian classical music. The students from the primary wing presented a beautiful dance performance to the rhythm of 'Sargam', based on 'Teen Taal'. They also recited a 'Kavit' during their dance performance.

The school Principal, Mr Sandeep Singh Kathuria and the Headmistress, Ms. Anuradha Babbar also attended the event. Mr Sandeep Singh Kathuria thanked DOE for providing them with the opportunity to host the illustrious ceremony. He emphasized on the importance of participation rather than winning. The essence of any competition lies not in the pursuit of victory, but in the spirit of participation and the camaraderie it fosters. He encouraged all the students to embrace challenges and perform to the best of their capability.



