

Inter-IIT Staff Sports Meet

20th - 23rd December 2009

The Inter-IIT Staff Sports Meet is held annually every December.. It was a pleasure for IIT Kanpur to host the event during the GJ celebrations. Prof. Sanjay G. Dhande, Director, IITK and also the Chief Guest of the function, inaugurated the event.

For every sportsperson in IIT this event is an ultimate platform to showcase his/her sporting prowess. With its eye on the general championship every institute puts its players through a hard and rigorous selection and training program, as a result of which this Meet sees only the best competing for the trophy.

The IITs competed against each other in eight of the most popular sports of the country - Athletics, Badminton, Basketball, Cricket, Table Tennis, Volleyball, Tennis, Football and a demo event of Chess, in both the individual and team based categories. IIT Kharagpur won the General Championship and IIT Kanpur bagged the silver. IITK also won the championship in both Badminton and Basketball. The prizes were distributed by Prof. R. K. Thareja, Deputy Director, IITK.

A medley of Bhojpuri and Awadhi songs in the versatile voice of Ms. Malini Awasthi, a popular folk singer, added more zing to the event.