

## DAY 1 REPORT

### INTER-SALWAN VOLLEY BALL TOURNAMENT (2019-20)

In an effort to uplift the value of sports, Salwan Public School Mayur Vihar is hosting the Inter-Salwan Volley Ball Tournament (2019-20) on the school grounds from 30<sup>th</sup> October 2019 to 1<sup>st</sup> November 2019. The aim is to make Volleyball a more popular sport among all and to generate a sense of healthy competition in children. Events such as these lend a first-hand experience to budding sportsmen of the nation to hone their craft and to showcase their skills.



The tournament began with the Opening Ceremony graced by the presence of CEO, Salwan Education Trust, Maj. Gen. (Dr.) R.N. Masaldan, Major Gen SANJEEV SHUKLA VSM (retd), director SPS RN& Director Sports SET, and director SPS MV Brig A K Tyagi, VSM (retd). The ceremony saw the oath-taking by all the participating teams. The event was further made memorable by the

inspiring words of the CEO, Salwan Education Trust, Maj. Gen. (Dr.) R.N. Masaldan who talked about the importance of sports in the curriculum and wished the teams a very good luck for the upcoming matches. In his address, he briefed the students about the new sports that can be taken up by the students, namely Speed Climbing. He apprised them that it has been formally announced that climbing would be a medal sport in the 2020 Olympics. He later declared the tournament open with the release of tri-colour balloons.



In U-19 Girls category- the opening matches were played between SPS, Trans-Delhi Signature City and SPS, Mayur Vihar, in which SPS, Mayur Vihar won. In total, 12

matches were lined up for the day, and all were played. Due to the absence of some participating teams, the opponent teams got clear walkovers.



In U-19 Boys category- opening match was between SPS Rajendra Nagar and SPS Gurugram in which SPS Gurugram won. In total 9 matches were lined up for the first round on the first day and all were played. Being a league tournament, all the teams shall be competing under Pool A and Pool B. Today's winning teams under the two pools shall play tomorrow as semi-finalists.