

## **Justice League, the annual sports festival of GNLU, inaugurated on Feb 06.**

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**Gandhinagar, February 07, 2019:** The fifth edition of Justice League, the annual sports festival of the Gujarat National Law University (GNLU), was inaugurated by the GNLU Director Dr Bimal Patel, today.

Mr Ranjit Singh, former Indian Volleyball Captain, the costliest player of Pro- Volleyball League and Captain of the Ahmedabad Defenders, was the Chief Guest at the inaugural ceremony.

More than 1200 students representing 22 institutions from across the country are expected to participate in 15 events for girls and boys: Athletics, Cricket, Volleyball, Football, Kabaddi, Skating, Swimming, Table Tennis, Lawn Tennis, Tug of War, Throwball, Basketball, Badminton, Carom, Chess apart from a number of events in online gaming.

The participating institutions include O.P Jindal Global Law School Sonipat, National Law University Jodhpur, SLS Hyderabad, Symbiosis Law School Noida, MSU-Baroda, UPES Dehradun, IIT Gandhinagar, NID, NIFT Gandhinagar, Nirma University and DAIICT among others.

The inauguration was followed by Yoga Demonstration by Miss Neha Nimavat, International Gold Medalist in the U-18 category and Miss Birva Gohel, International Silver Medalist in the Open Category Yoga Demonstration.

The event is a symbol of growing sports culture in the University envisioning the idea of ‘student-athlete’ which would be achieved by the University’s recent decision to introduce four supernumerary seats under sports quota. By introducing LLM in Sports Law, GNLU has become the only national law university in the country to do so and in order to promote a platform for academic sports writing GNLU also launched its special edition ‘Sports and Legislature- Vol II.

Continuing its efforts for promoting sports among especially abled athletes, this edition of Justice League is dedicated to Divyang Children with the motto- #levelplayingfield. GNLU also organized Special Olympics for the Divyang Children last year in collaboration with Khelo India.

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