

Government General Zorawar Singh Memorial Degree College Reasi performed extraordinarily in JU Inter-college Fencing 2023-24

The Fencing Team comprising 9 Male and 11 Female fencers of Government General Zorawar Singh Memorial Degree College, Reasi participated in the JU Inter-College Fencing Championship for the session 2023-24 and performed extraordinarily by winning the overall championship trophy in the men's section and claimed the Runners-up trophy in the Women section. The three-day events began on the 17th of October in the Fencing Hall of the Department of Sports and Physical Education, Jammu of University and on the first day GGZSMDC fencers won three gold medals making a clean sweep in Foil, Epee and Sabre team events. The Gold winning teams are as follows:

EPEE MEN: Gourav Thakur, Nazakat Hussain, Mohd Munir and Neeraj Kumar

SABRE MEN: Rohit Sharma, Devinder Singh, Sunil Roy and Sourav Verma.

FOIL MEN: Gourav Thakur, Bhanu Pratap, Atul Kumar and Mohinder Kholi.



On the second day of the event i.e. 18th of October, 2023 Individual events were organized in EPEE, SABRE and FOIL events where Gourav Thakur won 2 medals i.e. Silver in EPEE and Bronze in FOIL. In contrast, Bhanu Pratap, Rohit Sharma and Devinder Singh also claimed bronze medals in their respective events and the college won the overall championship trophy with 36 points.



On 19th October 2023 events were organized in the women's section where GGZSMDC Reasi fencers won two gold medals in Epee and the FOIL team comprising Preeti Devi, Nindhiya Thakur, Simran Devi, Anjali Devi in Foil and Palk Bharti, Preeti Devi, Riya Sharma and Priya Devi in Epee whereas Palk Bharti, Sneha Devi, Sonali Devi and Simran Devi won bronze medal in SABRE team. In the individual events, Palk Devi and Preeti Devo won Silvers in Foil and Sabre events whereas Sneha and Anjali won bronze in Sabre and Foil events. The team slipped the overall championship trophy to GCW Parade by a narrow margin of 2 points and claimed the 2nd runners-up trophy. The team was accompanied by Prof. Ajay Kumar (National Medalist in Fencing), Shashi Kumar Sharma (Physical Director), Prof. Norin and Dr. Saleem Ahmed.



The college Principal, Dr. Kulvinder Kour and other staff members extended warm wishes to the team members and their mentors and also motivated them for higher performances in the upcoming Zonal Level and All-India Inter-University competitions.

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