

GENERAL SECRETARY'S REPORT FOR THE YEAR OF 2017-18

Respected president and members of the House

I warmly welcome our president Hon'ble Justice Sri A.S.Naidu, all office bearers and ex-officio Members of this August house. It is my great pleasure and privilege to have you all gathered for the cause of Hockey in State of Odisha.

OBITUARY

With profound grief I would like to inform the August house about the sad demise of Sri Pravash Chandra Das our beloved Ex-Treasurer of Orissa Hockey Association. As a mark of respect to pay homage to the departed soul, I request the house to please stand silence for two minutes and to pray the almighty of his soul to rest in peace.

15th NALCO CUP STATE HOCKEY CHAMPIONSHIP-2017

Hockey Odisha successfully conducted 15th NALCO CUP State Hockey Championship-2017 from 24th to 30th March 2017. The Championship was conducted at Barabati Stadium, Cuttack. Twenty three teams have participated in the championship. The Opening and final cum closing ceremony was conducted under the flood light. East Cost Railway became champion and Khorda District Hockey Association was the runners up in the championship 2017.

2nd Hockey India 5-a-side Hockey National Championship 2017 (Men & Women)

2nd Hockey India 5-A-Side Hockey national championship 2017 (Men and Women) have been organized by Hockey Maharashtra at Shiva Chattrapati Sports Complex Pune, from 14th to 19th November 2017. Where Odisha senior (men & women) hockey teams had participated in this championship.

8th Hockey India Sub Junior Women National Championship 2018(Div A)

8th Hockey India Sub Junior Men National Championship 2018 (Div A) has been organized by Hockey Haryana at Hisar from 10th -21st January 2018. In this connection we conducted a coaching camp cum selection trail at state Hostel Panposh (Rourkela) from 25th December 2017 to till the departure of the state team. The team qualified for quarter- final in the championship 2018.

8th Hockey India Sub Junior Men National Championship 2018(Div A)

8th Hockey India Sub Junior Men National Championship 2018 (Div A) has been organized by Hockey Uttar Pradesh at saifai from 17th -28th January 2018. In this connection we conducted a coaching camp cum selection trail at **state Hostel Panposh (Rourkela)** from 27th December 2017 to till the departure of the state team. The team qualified to final match & met Hockey Uttar Pradesh in the final match Odisha team defeated Hockey Uttar Pradesh by 2-1 goals and became champion in the year 2018.

8th Hockey India Senior Women National Championship 2018 (Div A)

8th Hockey India senior Women National Championship 2018 (Div A) has been organized by Hockey Jharkhand at Ranchi from 1st -11th February 2018. The team qualified for Quarter - final in the said championship. In this connection we conducted a coaching camp cum selection trail at **Kalinga Stadium Bhubaneswar** from 15th January 2018 to till the departure of the state team.

8th Hockey India Senior Men National Championship 2018 (Div A)

8th Hockey India Senior Men National Championship 2018 (Div A) organized by Hockey Uttar Pradesh at Lucknow., from 15th March to 25th March 2018. In this connection we conducted a coaching camp cum selection trail at **Kalinga Stadium Bhubaneswar** from 25th February to till the departure of the state team. The team is qualified for Quarter final in the year 2018.

16th NALCO CUP STATE HOCKEY CHAMPIONSHIP-2018

Hockey Odisha successfully conducted 16th NALCO CUP State Hockey Championship-2018 from 6th to 12th April 2018. The Championship was conducted at Barabati Stadium, Cuttack. Twenty three teams have been participated in the championship. The Opening and final cum closing ceremony was conducted under the flood light. SAI SAG centre Sundergarh, became champion and Rourkela Steel Plant was the runners up in the championship 2018.

8th Hockey India Junior Women National Championship 2018 (Div A)

8th Hockey India Junior Women National Championship 2018 (Div A) has been organized by Hockey Madhaya Pradesh, Bhopal, from 26th April – 06th May 2018. The team qualified for Quarter - final in the said championship. In this connection we conducted a coaching camp cum selection trail at **State sports Hostel Panposh** from 13th April 2018 to till the departure of the state team.

8th Hockey India Junior Men National Championship 2018 (Div A)

8th Hockey India Junior Men National Championship 2018 (Div A) has been organized by Hockey Madhaya Pradesh, Bhopal, from 26th April – 06th May 2018. The team qualified for Semi- final in the said championship. In this connection we conducted a coaching camp cum selection trail at **State sports Hostel Panposh** from 13th April 2018 to till the departure of the state team.

I have the pleasure to inform that Odisha Hockey Players (Men & Women) participated in the international matches and also attained the coaching camp in the Junior & senior group. Our players have been participated in the international matches. They are in **Senior Women group** Deep Grace Ekka, Lilima Minz, Anupa Barla, Sunita Lakra & Namita Toppo **junior Women** Ashmita Barla, Mariana Kujur, Ajmina Kujur & Elina Minz **Senior Men** Amitrohi Das and Birendra Lakra.

I have pleasure to inform the house that four Odisha Women Hockey players Deep Grace Ekka, Lilima Minz, , Sunita Lakra & Namita Toppo are participated in the last Asian Games being held at Jakarta and awarded Silver Medal for country. Sri Amitrohi Das and Birendra Lakra also awarded Bronze Medal in the said game. Sri Biswa Ranjan Sarangi our umpair/ technical official elevated to International Hockey Federation technical panel and he is the first Odia reached such position and proud for us

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