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INTRODUCTION

Sports inculcates values of mutual respect, fair play, competitiveness, team work, sportsmanship, fitness, mental and physical, strength. Sport is probably as old as the humanity itself. It has been developing with growth of the mankind. Its main purpose is to bring up holistic development of citizens - the generations of strong and healthy people. Sports make our bodies strong, quickens our reaction, and sharpens the wit”.

”All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy“.

Sports activities and interests provide many positive opportunities for children and others alike. It is believed that participation in sports will enhance children’s school accomplishments. In this competitive world, participation in challenging contests teaches children to function in a competitive society. The term ‘Sports’ may be explained as follows:

S → Social skills

P → Physical fitness

O → Obedience

R → Resourcefulness

T → Teamwork

S → Stress tolerance

Sports and games are not only important for success in stadia but it is important for success in every walks of our life. Sports and games include all outdoor and indoor games and also athletics.

- Sports and games are the ways of enhancing the people's mental and physical growth.
- Sports help them in character building and provides them energy and strength.
- Sports develop a sense of friendliness among the people and develop their team spirit. It helps the people to develop mental and physical toughness. Sports shape their body and make it strong and active.
- People should actively participate in the sports to avoid of being tired and lethargy. This is because sports improve their blood circulation and their physical well-being.
- Sports and games make us learn how to tackle the difficult situations in life.

In order to make Tamil Nadu the numero uno State in Sports, a “State Sports Policy” is being formulated. **Under the dynamic leadership of the Hon’ble Chief Minister Sports and Fitness have been given a big thrust for the welfare of youth and all. Marching on the VISION 2023 of Hon’ble Chief Minister will place the State of Tamil Nadu as a Sports Hub in the World.**

Youth Welfare and Sports Development Department comprises the following entities:-

- (i) Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu
- (ii) National Cadet Corps
- (iii) National Service Scheme
- (iv) Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University

The Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu is the Apex body for Sports Development in Tamil Nadu, which implements various policy decisions and schemes relating to sports.

The National Cadet Corps moulds and develop the Youth into disciplined and responsible citizens of India.

The National Service Scheme inspires the youth to perform selfless social service and make them responsible to heal the sufferings of downtrodden and instill the leadership quality among the youth.

The Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University is the first Sports University established in the State of Tamil Nadu which plays an important role in developing Physical Education through Teaching, Coaching and Research activities.

Nehru Yuva Kendra Sangathan is a Youth Organization under the Central Government. The State Government supports Nehru Yuva Kendra Sangathan for various youth activities.

Fitness

All round physical fitness is the foundation for achievements in sports. Physical fitness during adolescence largely determines one's physical fitness and wellness as an adult. Improving the physical fitness of young people is a rewarding strategy not only for reducing mortality and morbidity, but also for nurturing their sports and athletic potential. The key elements includes, assessing the physical fitness, training for enhancement of physical fitness.

The statement that "the battle of Waterloo was won on the playfields of Eton", implying that playing games and the spirit of sportsmanship help to inculcate lasting values, which help make good soldiers and good fighters apart from promoting 100 percent physical fitness.

- A healthy diet and an active lifestyle will bring good results in the people's lifestyle, minds and bodies.
- The recreational activities eliminate the unhealthy habits of the people that may lead them to diabetes, high cholesterol, high blood pressure, heart disease, joint pain, strokes and other serious diseases.
- When the students are physically fit, they will achieve more academically.

With an aim of achieving healthy life by all people, "Chief Minister's Fitness for All" Programme is being implemented.

Physical Education

Physical Education is an integral part of education. It aims to develop the physical, mental and social characteristics.

Education without sports is incomplete. Keeping their value in life, children must be taught some sorts of games in the very early stage in school. These days, sports are a part of academic curricula. They help in their physical and mental growth. They contribute in the formation of character. They inculcate in them good values.

Good Sportsperson stay in the game and play their best even when they are losing. They know they will win some and lose some. They discipline themselves. They practice with grueling regularity the necessary skills for their sport.

According to sociologists, "society gains in many ways when the Government encourages sports and games everywhere, provides playgrounds, the necessary equipment and other facilities, and rewards outstanding sportsmen, so as to encourage others also to play games. The crime graph dips, which means that the incidence of general crimes decreases because the right spirit and the right approach to things is developed on the playground.

Youth Welfare

Youth are the most important and dynamic segment of the State's population which constitutes potentially its most valuable human resource. The Youth represent the hope and future of a country. They have a vital role to play with regard to fostering and strengthening of social consciousness against all social evils and lead the country to unity and prosperity.

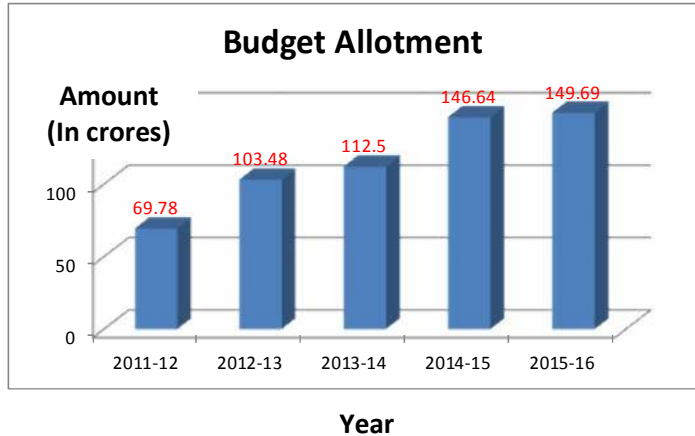
“Supreme value of youth period is incalculable and indescribable. Youth life is the most precious life. Youth is the best time. The way in which you utilize this period will decide the nature of coming years that lie ahead of you”.

Swami Vivekananda believed our youth must be strong. He said, **“Be strong my young friends, that is my advice to you. You will be nearer to heaven through sport than through the study of the religious texts”**. He believed that with stronger bodies, the mind would be healthier and would understand the world better. Nothing can be truer than the wisdom laid out by him.

Young people have surplus energy, and if this is fruitfully utilized, the foundations are laid for a healthy society, where people are fully aware of the need for

discipline, co-operative effort, team spirit, the cult of sportsmanship, of joint devotion to the achievement of a common goal in collaboration with others. **They also learn to cultivate the vital quality of learning as how to work together and to become not only good winners, but also good losers. In recognition of the youth and their services, the Government is formulating “Youth Policy” for the youth of Tamil Nadu.**

Realizing the significance of sports and youth welfare, Government of Tamil Nadu **under the dynamic leadership of the Hon’ble Chief Minister** has given a big thrust to both sports and youth welfare. Several new innovative schemes have been launched and the financial outlay of the department reached an all time high of Rs.149.69 Crores in 2015-2016.



In this financial allocation, Rs.98.73 crores sanctioned to Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu, Rs. 4.50 crores sanctioned to Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University and Rs.45.11 crores to National Cadet Corps.

VISION

Developing the potential of the youth of Tamil Nadu for the welfare of society and the State by enshrining a healthy, peaceful, positive and value-based ambience.

That everyone in Tamil Nadu will develop a passion for physical fitness and sports.

That every talented child will have an equal opportunity to develop and achieve excellence to the extent of his abilities.

MISSION

The Policy is to facilitate the youth of Tamil Nadu for an active and productive life within and outside the State in order to get educated, skilled, engaged and empowered with values, knowledge, attitude in the pursuit of excellence.

Providing need-based assistance and involvement within our available financial resources to build and support all those participating at each level of our strategy towards ultimate sporting excellence in the International sphere.

In order to achieve the vision, a sustained and effective grass root level sports and physical fitness promotion campaign need to be put in place with focus on bringing in mass participation, by raising the standard of sports and games among the youth. This includes building collaborative partnerships and linkages within the sports system, as well as with other sectors such as education and health, with local governments and community organizations, and with schools, recreation providers and other stakeholders.

OBJECTIVES

The prime goal of the Policy is to introduce and broadbase sports from grass root level and fitness for all.

1. Sports and fitness programs are essential ingredients of educational system. To achieve this, sports schemes and youth training have been taken up.
2. To promote excellence in competitive events at various levels and raising the sports status in the State by awarding cash incentives and transparent selection process.
3. Provide equal opportunities to all citizens irrespective of age, gender, caste, religion, etc. and engage them in sports and youth activities by promoting national spirit.
4. Ethical, fair and value-based play and sport among children, youth and elders.
5. Collaboration and partnerships with local bodies, educational institutions, corporate sectors, sports organizations, media and sports enterprises.

CHAPTER – 1

SPORTS DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY OF TAMIL NADU

The Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu is the official sports organ of the Government of Tamil Nadu. Its role is to promote sports and physical fitness throughout the State, utilizing resources drawn from Government, Sports Associations, sports minded philanthropists, institutions and anyone committed to sports and physical fitness. In this endeavor, the Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu focuses its attention on providing opportunities for talent identification, developing identified talent to excel at State, National and International levels; bringing in a competition culture throughout the State in order to promote physical fitness, talent identification, competitiveness and brotherhood; establishing sports infrastructure and encouraging the same in the private arena to suit a wide range of requirements – from community level sports meets to that of international competitions. The Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu is advancing ahead under the constant guidance of the Government of Tamil Nadu. The Hon'ble Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu is the President of this Authority.

1.1 SDAT MISSION

The main objectives of the Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu are as follows :-

1. To promote and develop sports activities and to formulate and implement plans for the promotion of sports and improvement of standards of sports and games in the State.
2. To implement the existing schemes for the promotion of sports and games and for improvement of standards in sports and games in the State.
3. To identify talented sportspersons, to train them and to render suitable financial assistance so as to enable them to participate successfully in National and International sports competitions.
4. To give various incentives and awards to eminent sportspersons so as to motivate them to attain higher levels of achievement.
5. To plan and develop sports infrastructure at various levels in the State.
6. To initiate, undertake, sponsor, stimulate and encourage research and development of sports

related medicines, bio-chemics, psychology and other allied sciences.

7. To recognize special needs of the differently-abled persons and to facilitate their participation in sports and games.
8. To take steps to encourage adventure sports in the State.
9. To establish, run, manage and administer sports and games institutions existing or new, and to perform the activities and functions of such institutions wholly or partially.
10. To provide for advanced coaching in various games and sports.
11. To promote physical fitness and to inculcate sports and health consciousness amongst the masses for regular participation in games and sports and to make the State healthy and strong.

Tamil Nadu has been in the forefront in the sports arena at the National and International levels in certain individual events as well as team games courtesy to the excellent sports infrastructure, coaching facilities, competitions and financial incentives provided to the sportspersons by the Government of Tamil Nadu.

1.2 STRATEGY TO ACHIEVE EXCELLENCE IN SPORTS

Achieving Excellence in sports performance is offered as a work-based qualification and will be tailored to the player's need. It opens up the possibility of continued study for the players. The qualification is nationally recognized, and can be offered at any time. It does not need to follow the academic session. It is aimed at athletes, who have the realistic potential to achieve excellence in their sport, and who are seeking to perform at the highest level as their career goal. This strategy relates to the candidate's sports or work, and provides well structured opportunities to improve skills and career prospects.

This long-term strategy based on pyramidal hierarchy of sports activity has five different levels. The lowest skill level is termed as Level-1 and the pyramid tapers to the peak as Level-5.

Level-1: Mass participation and Broad Basing

This model can be adopted by the sports bodies in India for providing a career path to the athletes. An important aspect of broad- basing sports is to ensure mass

participation in sporting activities. To achieve this objective, China introduced the 'Physical Health Law of the People's Republic of China in 1995.

The Law encourages the people of China to participate atleast in one sporting activity each day. Initiatives had been made to provide adequate infrastructure to facilitate this process. There are almost 6,20,000 stadia and gymnasiums in China, most of which are open for the use by public. Outdoor fitness centres have been set up in the urban communities. The State Physical Cultural Education has introduced the concept of sports lottery to fund the programme. This initiative has played a pivotal role in inculcating sports culture in China with an objective to improve the community health and fitness.

It can be suggested that a change in the sporting environment of India is required to produce the desired result. Sport in India is yet to emerge as a career option. Lengthy span of career in sports, comprehensive direction for career development, recognition of sportspersons except cricketers, correlation between sports and education are the factors that encourage the youth of India to accept sports as a career option. Certainly, there is no dearth of

talent in Tamil Nadu. Thus, a holistic approach should be incorporated for the overall development of the athletes / sportspersons for securing their future. The features of the programme are:

- (i) Career counseling with an objective to explore future possibilities in the job market.
- (ii) Personal development through training in media, public speaking, leadership, financial planning, time management etc.
- (iii) Educational guidance through University study option

These three strategies can be implemented in India to broad-base sports. A comprehensive programme with a career direction will inspire the youth of the country to take up sports as a career option and the mass participation in sports will imbibe a sports culture. The role of the Government in funding and executing these programmes is crucial and it can be expected that the Government will play a proactive role in broad-basing sports in India to improve community health and fitness and also to achieve excellence at the international sporting arena.

Based on this, PYKKA Centres with sports infrastructure facilities were created at the village and block

level, and RGKA competitions are organized at block level for mass participation. Coaching camps are conducted throughout the State for mass participation. One of the best schemes viz., conducting a battery of tests to the students of 6th, 7th and 8th standards of all the schools under World Beaters Talent Spotting Scheme by identifying the motor qualities such as speed, strength, endurance, agility and explosive power and to assess their budding talents to become a future elite sportsperson was started in 2002 in Tamil Nadu under the guidance of Hon'ble Chief Minister.

The Village Games, the first of its kind were conducted for Men and Women in various sports disciplines in all 12,524 Village Panchayats to promote mass participation among the rural folk.

Level - 2 : District level

To ensure better sports performance in the State, the Government have come up with the policy of creating adequate infrastructure facilities. Thus an Open Air District Sports Complex with 400 m athletics track and football ground has already been established in all the district headquarters except Tiruppur and Vellore. Swimming pools have been established in 23 districts. Multi-purpose Indoor

Stadium are being established in all the districts in a phased manner. Various district level competitions for different age categories are regularly conducted by the Sports Development Authority of Taminadu, District Sports Associations and the School Education Department. Facilities for other districts shall be taken up in phased manner expeditiously.

Level – 3 : State level

India will emerge as the country with the largest youth population. This is indeed an opportunity for the country to broad-base sports and to improve its performance at the international level by engaging the youth in sporting activities. Since 1982, various initiatives had been taken to promote and develop sports in India. Despite these efforts, India has achieved limited success at the international sporting arena. It signifies the importance of a comprehensive policy to inculcate sports culture in the country to achieve excellence in sports. Accordingly, Chennai, Coimbatore, Trichy, Madurai and Tirunelveli districts were provided with International standard sports infrastructure facilities in several sports disciplines followed by other districts in a phased manner.

State Games for Chief Minister's Trophy in 10 sports disciplines is held for Men and Women and ample prize money is awarded to each member of the winning teams. Apart from this, financial assistance is extended to the State Sports Associations to conduct various state level and national level championships.

Level 4 & Level 5 : National / International

Tamil Nadu players have won Medals at National and International level competitions mainly due to the efforts taken by the Government by way of extensive coaching by technical experts and by creating International standard sporting infrastructure facilities. Because of the above, sportspersons in Athletics, Football, Hockey, Volleyball, Basketball, Tennis, Squash, Kabaddi, Swimming, Fencing, Table Tennis, Chess etc. have represented at the national and international competitions and distinguished themselves.

1.3 INCENTIVES

Financial support is extended to the deserving Tamil Nadu sportspersons to participate in various national and international level competitions. High Cash Incentives were awarded to the winners of the national and

international level competitions by the Tamil Nadu Government. The Government have considerably enhanced the prize money for winners at the International Competitions and Olympic Games. Thus, an Olympic gold medalist from Tamil Nadu will receive a high cash reward of Rs.2.00 crores from the State Government.

Tamil Nadu Government have initiated a Special Scholarship Scheme for 5 Elite Sportspersons by granting them **Rs.25.00 lakhs** each per annum for 5 years. These medal winning probables for Olympics come from different fields - Athletics, Table Tennis, Swimming and Sailing.

Government of Tamil Nadu also encourages conduct of International competitions by providing available world class sports facilities as well as special grants-in-aids. The State Government proudly sanctioned Rs.29.15 crores and organized the prestigious FIDE World Chess Championship match between Viswanathan Anand and Magnus Carlsen during November 2013 in a grand manner. Recently the Government granted Rs.1.00 Crore to host the prestigious Rugby 7s Asian Pre-Qualifier to the 2016 Rio Olympics for both Men and Women from 6th to 8th March, 2015 at the Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, Chennai.

CHAPTER – 2

TALENT IDENTIFICATION

One of the important processes in producing champions is to identify the best talents in Tamil Nadu among the grassroot level and in order to promote sports and to get medals at the higher levels, the following four schemes are implemented:-

1. World Beaters Talent Spotting Scheme
2. Selection Trials for Sports Hostels
3. Selection Trials for Sports Hostels of Excellence
4. Selection Trials for Centres of Excellence in Sports

2.1 WORLD BEATERS TALENT SPOTTING SCHEME

2.1.1 Battery of Tests

The State Government have introduced this pioneering Scheme to conduct a battery of tests to the students of 6th, 7th and 8th standards of all the schools by identifying the motor qualities such as speed, strength, endurance, agility and explosive power and to assess the budding talents to become future elite sportspersons. The

schools after conducting tests, issue report cards to the students by indicating their performance in the battery of tests by awarding marks in order to motivate the individual as well as parents. The school authorities are required to send the details of such results to the District Sports and Youth Welfare Officers of the concerned districts who in turn send the reports to the SDAT. The Government have sanctioned a sum of Rs.14.38 lakhs for the conduct of battery of tests under World Beaters Talent Spotting Scheme during 2014-2015.

Subsequent to the talents identified in the battery of tests, educational district level and regional level competitions are conducted and the finest of talents identified in these competitions are inducted into various specialized academies according to their skills. Innovative scientific coaching in these academies are provided for preparing them for competitions.

2.1.2 Scholarship for Budding Talents Scheme

It is noteworthy to mention that the Hon'ble Chief Minister has sanctioned a sum of Rs.1,94,40,000/- (Rupees One Crore Ninety Four Lakhs and Forty Thousand only) as a Special Scholarship to the budding talents from World Beaters Talent Spotting Scheme in order to motivate the

players who have secured first 10 places in Regional level competitions. (This has gone to 3,240 potential players and they have received Rs.6,000/- per annum (@ Rs.500/- per head per month))

2.2 TALENT IDENTIFICATION AT EDUCATIONAL DISTRICT, REGIONAL AND STATE LEVELS

There is no dearth of passion for sports in India. The only requirement is to convert the passion into profession by providing adequate infrastructure and a career direction. It is expected that the major stakeholders of sports in India will play an active role in achieving these objectives. SDAT conducts athletics competitions in 67 educational districts throughout the State. In each educational district, roughly 500 boys and girls participate. Those placed in the first three places in each educational district participate in the regional meet by grouping the adjoining educational districts.

In each regional meet, talented top performers are identified and are given 5 days non-residential coaching camp followed by a 15-day residential intensive coaching to the selected players. In these camps, talented boys and girls are identified for state selection trials. The best among

the pool of talents thus identified are inducted into the specialized academies for continuous coaching every year and also willing talented players among this join the best of scheme of the SDAT i.e., Sports Hostels in order to develop their performance.

2.3 SPORTS HOSTELS SELECTION TRIALS (Two Tier)

The Sports Hostel signifies the importance of designing a specialized training programme for the overall development of the sporting talents. The training programme should focus on the important areas which are essential in building talent.

In the sports hostels, students studying in 7th, 8th, 9th and 11th standards are admitted by conducting selection trials at the district level and state level. At present, total sanctioned strength for 28 sports hostels is 2060. They also attend normal schools. They will be provided with nutritious food, sports uniform, playing kits, advance sports training by qualified coaches and needs for taking part in competitions / tournaments are totally taken care of.

2.4 SELECTION FOR SPORTS HOSTEL OF EXCELLENCE FOR MEN / WOMEN

Keeping this in mind, the selection trials for the 'Sports Hostel of Excellence' are conducted every year to select sportspersons in different disciplines from amongst those who are in college and those who possess potentialities to win medals at national and international levels. The Sports Hostels of Excellence for men and women are functioning in Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium and the Nehru Indoor Stadium respectively. While the Hostel of Excellence for Men has strength of 80, the Hostel of Excellence for Women has strength of 60.

2.5 SELECTION FOR CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE IN SPORTS

Our primary focus is to help our players grow in the physical and mental skills needed to realize their own potential as players and as persons. Player development means that during a portion of a game the chances of winning a particular game may be less, however in the long run, this will make a better player and give the best chance to realize their full potential in high school and beyond is the need of the hour. The most talented 75 boys and 50

girls in the age group of 10-14 years will be selected by conducting talent identification tests by a panel of experts at state level and the talented boys and girls selected are admitted to the Centre of Excellence established in Chennai, Trichy, Tirunelveli and Erode for specialized coaching.

CHAPTER – 3

TALENT DEVELOPMENT

Assessment of talents and developing them are part of the progress of building talent. The component of independent assessment of talent is developed through various talent development schemes, which are being implemented broadly under seven categories. This offers a realistic chance for the players in developing their talents. They are Centre of Excellence, Specialized Academies, Sports Hostels, Joint Sports Development Centres in Colleges, Talent Development Centres, Special Development Centres, Coaching Centres and Champions Development Scheme.

3.1 CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE FOR SPORTS (COE)

A “Centre of Excellence for Sports” was established in 2012 with 25 boys and 25 girls in the age group of 10 to 14 years in Chennai. They are imparted systematic and scientific coaching and provided with nutritious food to enhance their performance. The trainees are admitted in

the best schools in the city and all the required facilities are provided to nurture their talents. There are total 5 such centres:-

Sl.No.	Location of the COE	Discipline	No. of persons
1.	Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, Chennai (Boys)	Athletics	25
		Badminton	
		Rowing	
		Sailing	
2.	Nehru Indoor Stadium, Chennai (Girls)	Athletics	25
		Badminton	
		Rowing	
		Sailing	
3.	Trichy (Boys)	Badminton	25
		Taekwondo	
4.	Tirunelveli (Boys)	Boxing	25
		Swimming	
		Tennis	
		Gymnastics	
5.	Erode (Girls)	Swimming	25
		Gymnastics	

3.2 SPECIALIZED SPORTS ACADEMIES

Non-residential sports academies are prevailing all over the world. Government has set up specialized academies in several places in Tamil Nadu. The students who score 10, 9 and 8 marks out of 10 in the battery of tests conducted under the World Beaters Talent Spotting Scheme are called for and are selected after conducting selection trials by the experts and they are inducted into

these specialized academies based on their ability and talents. They are imparted scientific training by experienced coaches and international players in the concerned disciplines. The Government have sanctioned a sum of Rs.80.00 lakhs for the conduct of the coaching camps in these academies.

Following Specialized Academies are functioning:-

Sl.No.	Name of the Academy	Place
1.	Sprint and Jumps Academy	Chennai
2.	Diving Academy at Aquatic Complex	Chennai
3.	Hockey Academy for Boys and Girls	Chennai
4.	Chandra's Table Tennis Academy	Chennai
5.	AKG Table Tennis Academy	Chennai
6	Dolphin Swimming Academy	Chennai
7.	Tamil Nadu Squash Racket Academy	Chennai
8.	Football Academy for Boys	Nagapattinam
9.	Throws Academy	Trichy
10.	Middle Distance Academy	Tiruvannamalai
11.	Long Distance Academy	
12.	Football Academy for Girls	Sivagangai
13.	Table Tennis Academy	Madurai

These academies conduct training programmes for about 1200 sportspersons. After the emergence of the Specialized Academies, more and more talented players have brought laurels to our State in national and international level competitions.

3.2.1 SPORTS HOSTELS

Till 2011-12, only 12 Sports Hostels were functioning under the control of Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu in Madurai, Tirunelveli, Chennai(3), Krishnagiri, Tiruvannamalai, Namakkal, Trichy, Erode(2) and Cuddalore(NLC) with a total strength of 860 students.

As per the announcement made by the Hon'ble Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu for establishing sports hostels in all the districts in a phased manner, in Phase-I, 5 new sports hostels were established at Coimbatore, Cuddalore, Dindigul, Thanjavur and Nagercoil. In Phase-II, during the year 2012-13, 6 new Hostels were established at Namakkal, Ariyalur, Perambalur, Sivagangai, Tuticorin and Theni with an intake strength of 60 students per hostel. In Phase-III during 2015-2016 new Sports Hostels were established in Ramanathapuram, The Nilgiris, Villupuram, Pudukkottai and Dharmapuri with an intake strength of 60 students per hostel. As many as 2060 students have been admitted in the above 28 sports hostels during 2015-16. As per the Government orders dated: 22.01.2014, healthy dietary charge of Rs.250/- per head per day is being given to boost the nutritional value of food served in the sports

hostels. Food is provided to the inmates as per the nutritionist's advice.

At present, dietary charges of Rs.250/- is allotted per student per day for 320 days per annum. In addition to this, a sum of Rs.1800/- for Uniform, a sum of Rs.400/- for purchase of sports materials and a sum of Rs.300/- for service charges per student per annum are also provided.

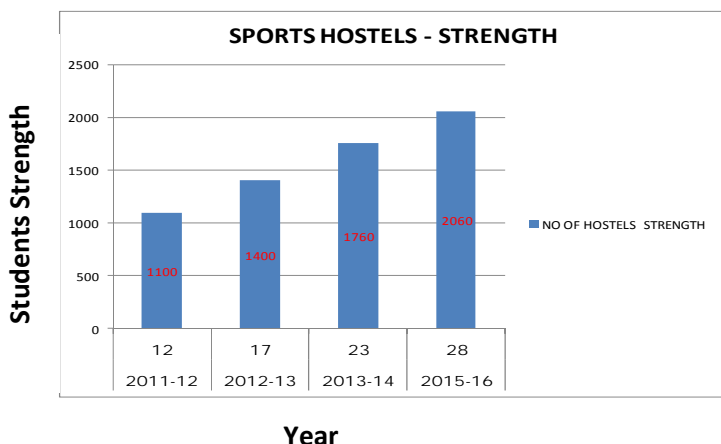
Following Sports Hostels are functioning in Tamil Nadu :-

Sl. No	Name of the Sports Hostel	Coaching disciplines
1.	Sports Hostel, YMCA Sports Hostel, Chennai	Boxing, Football and Hockey
2.	NLC Sports Hostel, Neyveli	Athletics, Basketball and Football
3.	Sports Hostel, Anna Stadium, Tiruchirappalli	Athletics, Football, Hockey, Swimming, Volleyball and Boxing
4.	Sports Hostel, Race Course Stadium, Madurai	Athletics, Basketball, Football, Volleyball and Hockey
5.	Sports Hostel, Anna Stadium, Tirunelveli	Athletics, Hockey, Swimming, Volleyball, Boxing and Basketball
6.	Sports Hostel (for Girls), VOC Stadium, Erode	Athletics, Football and Volleyball
7.	Sports Hostel (for Girls) at Bharathi Vidya Bhavan, Thindal, Erode	Basketball

8.	Sports Hostel (Boys & Girls) at Selvam Hr. Sec. School, Namakkal	Athletics (Girls), Fencing (Boys and Girls)
9.	Sports Hostel at Govt. Hr. Sec. School, Pudur, Chennai	Cricket
10.	Sports Hostel (Girls), Thiruvannamalai	Athletics, Basketball, Handball and Hockey
11.	Sports Hostel, Krishnagiri (for Boys)	Athletics, Handball, Taekwondo and Football
12.	Sports Hostel (Girls) at Nehru Indoor Stadium, Chennai	Volleyball and Tennis
13.	Sports Hostel (Boys), Coimbatore	Athletics, Basketball, Gymnastics and Volleyball
14.	Sports Hostel (Boys), Cuddalore	Shuttle Badminton, Athletics and Taekwondo
15.	Sports Hostel (Boys), Thanjavur	Basketball, Weightlifting and Volleyball
16.	Sports Hostel (Girls), Dindigul	Athletics, Basketball and Football
17.	Sports Hostel (Girls), Nagercoil	Athletics, Volleyball and Weightlifting
18.	Sports Hostel (Boys), Sivaganga.	Athletics and Football
19.	Sports Hostel (Boys), Thoothukudi.	Athletics and Basketball
20.	Sports Hostel (Girls), Namakkal	Football and Kabaddi
21.	Sports Hostel (Girls), Perambalur	Athletics and Handball
22.	Sports Hostel (Boys), Ariyalur	Hockey, Handball and Weightlifting
23.	Sports Hostel (Boys), Theni	Basketball and Kabaddi
	Sports Hostel (Girls), Theni	Volleyball
24.	Sports Hostel, Ramanathapuram (Boys)	Hockey, Cricket

25.	Sports Hostel, The Nilgiris (Boys)	Football, Athletics
26.	Sports Hostel, Villupuram (Boys)	Kabaddi, Handball, Swimming
27.	Sports Hostel, Pudukkottai (Girls)	Athletics, Weightlifting, Hockey
28.	Sports Hostel, Dharmapuri (Girls)	Badminton (Shuttle), Kabaddi, Volleyball

The present strength of these sports hostels is 2060 trainees.



3.2.2 SPORTS HOSTEL OF EXCELLENCE FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

A Sports Hostel of Excellence (Boys) is functioning at the Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, Chennai and a Sports Hostel of Excellence (Girls) at the Nehru Indoor Stadium,

Chennai. The students are given advanced training in sports and provided with nutritious diet in these hostels.

Only college students are eligible for getting admission into the Sports Hostel of Excellence. The students are trained by experienced coaches in the following disciplines:

Sl. No.	Hostel	Discipline	Nos.	Total
1.	Sports Hostel of Excellence, Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, Chennai (Boys)	Athletics	15	80
		Basketball	24	
		Boxing	10	
		Volleyball	24	
		Taekwondo	07	
2.	Sports Hostel of Excellence, Nehru Indoor Stadium, Chennai (Girls)	Athletics	20	60
		Football	20	
		Volleyball	20	
Grand Total				140

3.3 JOINT SPORTS DEVELOPMENT CENTRE

The Joint Sports Development Centre Scheme is implemented in colleges where adequate sports infrastructure facilities are available. Under this scheme, a sum of Rs.6,000/- is awarded to the outstanding college students for their performance to achieve at the state, south zone / all India inter university, national and international level competitions.

During the year 2012-2013, 219 outstanding sportspersons from 23 Colleges, 2013-2014, 328 outstanding sportspersons from 37 Colleges were benefitted.

3.4 TALENT DEVELOPMENT CENTRE SCHEME

All assessors of talent development are having sound and up-to-date experience of coaching, training, developing or supervising athletes at the elite level in their sport as relevant to the units they are assessing and the candidate's role in the sport. Under this Scheme, Talent Development Centre is established in educational institutions to develop Sports talents beyond its institutional boundaries and within the community and locality where

the institution is situated. The institution should sign a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu. There are 15 Talent Development Centres functioning and these were given assistance in the form of sports equipment to the tune of Rs.15.00 lakhs last year.

3.5 SPECIAL DEVELOPMENT CENTRES (SDC)

Special Development Centres is an elite coaching centre with a complete knowledge and experience which provides role specific physical conditioning, know how on injury prevention, nutrition techniques, tactics and relevant sports psychology. Based on the above, a Special Development Centre for Weightlifting has been established during the year 1997 at Sathuvachari in Vellore. 30 men and 12 women (students and non-students) are undergoing training. So far, Rs.3.00 lakhs per year was given for running the centre. Now, the Government have sanctioned an additional sum of Rs.4.89 lakhs to implement this scheme. This Special Development Centre has produced more national medalists. Recently, Thiru. Sathish Kumar Sivalingam who has been trained in this centre, has

secured a Gold Medal in Commonwealth Games held in Glasgow in August 2014.

On the same analogy, a Special Development Centre for the promotion of Hockey is functioning at Thanjavur and a Special Development Centre for Basketball at Nagappattinam with 30 players each. A sum of Rs.1.00 lakh is allotted every year for each centre.

3.6 COACHING CENTRES

3.6.1 SWIMMING CENTRES

'Learn to Swim' programme is conducted in all the swimming pools of the SDAT. Under this programme, an individual learns to swim thoroughly within 12 days i.e., one hour per day coaching programme. In 2013-14, 11,519 persons participated in the training in 22 centres in Tamil Nadu. In 2014-15, 8,176 persons participated in the training in 23 centres in Tamil Nadu. This scheme is a proven scheme which is very popular among the young population.

3.6.2 VILLAGE SPORTS NURSERY

With a view to promote Sports and Games throughout the state, Village Sports Nursery is established in villages for developing a particular popular game in the

area (except Chennai). This is mainly aimed at developing sports and taking sports in remote villages too. Under this scheme, one village is selected in each district and playfield facilities and sports materials are provided to these village sports nurseries to facilitate regular training in the game identified. So far, Village Sports Nurseries have been effectively functioning in 31 villages.

3.7 CHAMPIONS DEVELOPMENT SCHEME

The Champions Development Programme provides grants and aid to gifted and talented able-bodied sportspersons of Tamil Nadu, who are competing at national or international level. Champions Development Scheme for making future champions is being implemented by the Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu. Under this scheme, sportspersons below the age of 20 years who win gold medal in the National Championships are inducted. The Champions inducted into this scheme are given free access passes to the modern stadia in Chennai and also in districts where they wish to practice. Further, they are given financial assistance for a maximum of Rs.2.00 lakhs per year for purchase of food supplements, sports kits and equipment. The champions are also eligible to get airfare for participating in International Competitions

as well as for undergoing training abroad. The expenses are incurred from the accrued Interest of corpus fund of the Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu. At present, there are 264 champions inducted into the scheme in various sports disciplines.

CHAPTER – 4

COACHING PROGRAMMES

Coaches are the backbone who play vital role in moulding the career of sportspersons. Providing adequate number of reputed coaches at various level is an essential strategy in sports development in the state. At present, Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu has on its roll 131 coaches in various sports disciplines.

Sl. No.	Discipline	Number of coaches			Total
		Regular	Contract		
			Diploma	Certificate Holders	
1	All Disciplines	100	18	13	131

4.1 COACHES CAPACITY BUILDING

Coaches are the backbone and playing a vital role in developing the career of sportspersons. Coaches with better knowledge, scientific knowledge of coaching and good experience can produce good results. Further, enough concentration is paid to train the coaches and their functioning is also monitored closely. Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu has deputed a separate Monitoring

Officer in each discipline for this purpose. A detailed circular on the role of coaches, fixing specific targets and guidelines for grading their performance, do's and don'ts while giving training to their wards, especially female wards has been issued in this regard.

With a view to update the skills of the coaches of Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu and the Physical Directors/ Physical Education Teachers seminars are conducted every year. Apart from this, selected coaches are also sent to outstation training centres.

To improve the knowledge and skill level of the coaches, regular certification programmes for coaches are organized in various disciplines. International Federation Coaches coaching course like Volleyball FIVB-Level-I & II, Tennis Level-I course, Swimming ASCA-Level-III course, Football 'C', 'B', 'A', License Certificate course and FIBA Basketball Level-I Coaching course are conducted from time to time. National level Football Clinic Course was also conducted by Inter Milan FC-Italy last year.

International Coaching Course Details:

Sl. No.	Sports discipline	Name and Level of Coaching	Course conducted by	Total participants	Amount spent (Rs.)
1.	Volleyball	FIVB-Level I	Volleyball Federation of India	10	4,91,000/-
2.	Volleyball	FIVB-Level-II	Tamil Nadu State Volleyball Association	3 women	30,000/-
3.	Tennis	AITA-Level-1	All India Tennis Association	4	53,043/-
4.	Hockey	Hockey course	Hockey India	14	75,625/-
5.	Swimming	ASCA-Level-3	American Association, Bangalore.	12	2,50,000/-
6.	Basketball	FIBA-Level-1	BFI & TNBA	14	1,33,258/-
7.	Football	AFC 'C' Licence	All India Football Federation	2	17,460/-
Other Clinics					
8.	Swimming workshop	Pool Operator course	Tamil Nadu State Aquatic Association	42	2,67,308/-

9.	Football	Football clinic	Inter Milan FC-Italy	17	51,500/-
10.	Swimming	Swimming clinic	Mr.Prem kumar, Indian Coach	18	21,455/-

International Coaching Course Details – 2014-2015:

Sl. No.	Sports Discipline	Name and Level of Coaching	Course Conducted by	Total Participants	Amount Spent (Rs.)
1	Basketball	FIBA- Level-2	BFI & TNBA	7	53,441/-
2	Shuttle Badminton	Badminton Coach Education Programme	Badminton Association of India	4	30,000/-
3	Football	AFC "A" Licence	Asian Football Confederation	1	67,050/-
OTHER CLINICS					
4	Football	Football Clinic	Tamil Nadu Football Association	4	35,000/-
5	Swimming	Coaches Clinic	Tamil Nadu State Aquatic Association	17	25,000/-

4.2 POOL OPERATORS AND LIFE GUARD'S COURSE

A special programme was conducted for swimming pool operators on how to maintain swimming pools. Besides a special course was also conducted for the

swimming pool life guards, focusing on the safety of the swimmers with life-saving techniques.

4.3 Orientation Course to PHYSICAL EDUCATION TEACHERS/PHYSICAL DIRECTORS

Physical Education Teachers (PET) organize games and challenges that promote physical activity among children and young adults from kindergarden to high school. Their goal is to develop motor skills and physical development among younger children and proper exercise and eating habits among older children. Physical Education Teachers also coach sports teams. To equip them with better sports knowledge, and also to satisfy the need of good communication and demonstration of sports activities, Orientation Courses are conducted. With the fast changing style of playing sport, and with a view to equip the physical education teachers and physical directors of the schools with up-to-date rules and regulations, Orientation Courses are arranged for Physical Education Teachers / Physical Directors all over the state by conducting interactive sessions in various sports disciplines. The

Government, during the year 2014-2015, has sanctioned a sum of Rs.14.50 lakhs for this Scheme.

4.4 SUMMER COACHING CAMPS

Every year Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu Summer Coaching Camps are conducted at the district headquarters for boys and girls below the age of 16 in popular sports disciplines such as athletics, basketball, football, hockey and volleyball and also other disciplines in the districts. The duration of a camp is for 21 days. 8102 children (5327 boys and 2775 girls) have participated in Summer Coaching Camps last year.

“Summer Coaching camps” are also conducted in all modern stadia, Nehru park sports complex and in selected organizations wherein play field facilities are available. These coaching camps are conducted in 2 spells of 15 days duration each. 1392 children participated in these camps last year.

4.5 EDUCATIONAL DISTRICT LEVEL COACHING CAMPS

Educational district level coaching camps are conducted for the talents identified in the world beaters talent spotting scheme. The camps are conducted for 5

days in 67 educational districts. Basic skills of various sports disciplines are taught in these camps, so as to enable them to participate in various sports according to their capabilities. About 30,000 boys and girls get benefit under this programme every year.

4.6 DISTRICT LEVEL RESIDENTIAL COACHING CAMP

60 talented boys and girls from each educational district level are selected and imparted training in the district level residential coaching camp for 15 days. Campers are selected based on their performance in the world beaters talent spotting scheme. 4436 (2588 Boys and 1848 Girls) children participated in these camps last year.

4.7 WEEK END COACHING CAMPS

With the aim of providing systematic coaching to the talents identified from various parts of the districts, the Hon'ble Chief Minister has approved the launching of a fresh scheme of conducting "week-end coaching Camps" in 4 districts during the year 2011-2012 in district headquarters. Under this scheme, the identified talents are given training in five sports disciplines in each district for 20 trainees in each discipline. A sum of Rs.63.20 lakhs was

sanctioned as grant to meet out the expenditure on food, accommodation, conveyance, sports kits etc.

4.8 DAY BOARDER'S SCHEME

The Government have approved the Day Boarder's Scheme at 10 centres. 20 boys / girls in each sports discipline between 10 and 14 years of age with potential to excel in sports are selected based on their performance. The selected trainees are provided training during morning/evening for 5 days a week. To provide food supplements and conveyance allowance, uniform, sports kits and exposure to competition, a sum of Rs.18.00 lakhs was sanctioned. The day boarder's scheme is implemented in the following districts:-

Sl. No.	Name of the District	Discipline	No. of Trainees
1.	Kanniyakumari	1) Athletics	20 Nos
		2) Swimming	20 Nos
2.	Kancheepuram	3) Swimming	20 Nos
		4) Hockey	20 Nos
3.	The Nilgiris	5) Football	20 Nos
4.	Salem	6) Athletics	20 Nos
5.	Villupuram	7) Athletics	20 Nos
6.	Dharmapuri	8) Badminton	20 Nos
7.	Chennai M.R.K. Stadium	9) Hockey	20 Nos
8.	Chennai	10) Football	20 Nos

CHAPTER – 5

CONDUCTING COMPETITIONS

5.1 CONDUCT OF VILLAGE GAMES

As per the announcement made by the Hon'ble Chief Minister under Rule 110 in the Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly, the Government have sanctioned a sum of Rs.25.05 crores to conduct village games in all 12,524 village panchayats. Village games, the first of its kind, were conducted in athletics, volleyball, kabaddi and football for men and women and medals and certificates were distributed to the Winners in order to encourage sports among the rural masses.

The sports infrastructure created under PYKKA Scheme were utilized for the Village Games to ensure that the existing sports infrastructure in the villages were put to proper use, maintained and upgraded regularly.

5.2 MONTHLY COMPETITIONS

Competition is a logical extension of sports participation and an integral part of the athlete development pathway. Over time, competition results serve as progressive benchmarks for comparison of an athlete's

qualitative (i.e. skill execution, etc.) or quantitative (i.e. improved time, games or matches won, etc.) performances.

Competition can serve as motivation for continued sports participation; or if competition is misused or misinterpreted, it can drive participants away from organized sports participation. Government have sanctioned a sum of Rs.25.00 lakhs for conducting Monthly competitions in the districts in various disciplines viz. athletics, badminton, basketball, boxing, fencing, football, gymnastics, handball, hockey, kabaddi, kho-Kho, swimming, taekwondo and volleyball for different age groups.

5.3 ANNA CYCLE RACE

Road racing demands great endurance, bike handling, skill and tactical know-how. At the very top, it's often a rider's ability to read a race and follow the right move that gives them win. With this in mind, for the commemoration of the birth anniversary of Perarignar Anna, a cycle race is being conducted in all the district headquarters on 15th September every year. Prizes and certificates are distributed to the winners and participants. The Government has sanctioned a sum of Rs.1.00 lakh every year for this Scheme.

5.4 COMPETITIONS UNDER RAJIV GANDHI KHEL ABHIYAN SCHEME (RGKA)

Keeping in view of transforming lives through Sports, the Government of India has introduced RGKA Scheme, under which infrastructure facilities are created at village panchayat and block panchayat levels. Under this scheme, competitions are also conducted in various disciplines for rural boys and girls below 16 years of age at block, district and state level. Prize money is awarded to the winners.

Calendar of competitions under Rajiv Gandhi Khel Abhiyan

a)	Block level competitions	by 20 th August every year
b)	District level competitions	In entire country, the closing day of the District level competitions should be on 29 th August every year which is the National Sports Day
c)	State level competitions	by the end of October every year
d)	National level competitions	during the month of December and January every year (Group wise)

Following is the performance of Tamil Nadu at the 6th National Level Competitions under Rajiv Gandhi Khel Abhiyan for the year 2013-14.

**PERFORMANCE OF TAMIL NADU TEAM AT 6TH
NATIONAL LEVEL COMPETITIONS UNDER THE
SCHEME OF RGKA FOR THE YEAR
2013 – 14**

Weight Lifting	Boys	1 Silver and 1 Bronze
Weight Lifting	Girls	1 Gold and 2 Bronze
Judo	Boys	2 Bronze
Judo	Girls	1 Bronze
Table Tennis	Boys	Gold
Table Tennis	Girls	Gold
Badminton	Girls	Gold
Boxing	Boys	3 Silver and 2 Bronze
Boxing	Girls	1 Silver and 5 Bronze
Basketball	Boys	Gold
Basketball	Girls	Silver

5.5 NATIONAL SPORTS COMPETITIONS FOR WOMEN 2014-2015

A contest is held to determine the best athletes and the teams among women in sports, to improve athletic skills, and to popularize physical culture and sports.

The State Government has conducted District level and State level women sports competitions under Rajiv Gandhi Khel Abhiyan competitions for the year 2014-2015.

Women below the age of 25 years as on 31st December of every year are eligible to take part in these competitions.

The National level competitions for women are conducted in the following 12 sports disciplines:

Sl. No.	Group	Discipline
1	Group-I	Basketball, Gymnastics and Swimming
2	Group-II	Handball, Hockey and Lawn Tennis
3	Group-III	Athletics, Badminton and Table Tennis
4	Group-IV	Kabaddi, Kho-Kho and Volleyball

Block, District and State level selection / competitions are conducted prior to the participation of the Tamil Nadu teams in Group I, II, III and IV of National Women Sports competitions organized by Sports Authority of India.

Following is the performance of Tamil Nadu team for the year 2014-2015.

National Sports Competitions for Women 2014-2015

Swimming	Individual/ Relay	7 Gold, 1 Silver & 6 Bronze
Badminton	Individual/ Team	3 Gold 1 Silver
Table Tennis	Individual	1 Gold
Athletics	Individual	1 Bronze
Volleyball	Team	1 Bronze
Basketball	Team	1 Bronze

5.6 STATE AND NATIONAL LEVEL COMPETITIONS CONDUCTED BY STATE SPORTS ASSOCIATIONS

Grants to the state sports associations are provided for the conduct of State level and National level competitions as well as for participation of Tamil Nadu state teams in National level / International competitions which help the talented youngsters to excel at higher levels.

5.7 Hosting of International Championships in Tamil Nadu

International sports competitions are an important means of strengthening friendship and mutual understanding among sportspersons of different countries. The Government encourages hosting of International Championships in Chennai / Tamil Nadu by

providing suitable financial assistances to the State Associations / National Federations.

1. ATP Chennai Open Tennis Tournament
2. Asian Pre-Qualifier Rugby competition

5.7.1 ATP CHENNAI OPEN TENNIS TOURNAMENT

In order to safeguard the interests, support and the enthusiasm of the sports lovers of Tennis Game, the prestigious Chennai Open ATP Tennis Tournament is conducted at the SDAT Tennis Stadium, Chennai in January every year.

The best players in the world viz. Boris Becker, Patrick Rafter, Rafael Nadal, Carlos Moya, Stanislas Wawrinka, Janko Tipsarevic and host of other top players and the best of Indian players like Leandar Paes, Mahesh Bhupathi, Rohan Bopanna and Somdev Dev Verma have participated in this event. This enhanced the stature and reputation of this tournament as one of the best conducted in the World.

The 20th edition of the event in India viz. ATP Chennai Open Tennis Tournament 2015 made it the second longest annual International sporting event in India.

The Government of Tamil Nadu has been contributing to this event as lead Platinum Sponsor of the ATP Chennai Open Tennis Tournament from 2005. The Government has enhanced its contribution of Rs.1.00 crore to Rs.2.00 crores from 2013 onwards for the conduct of ATP Chennai Open Tennis Tournament.

The Government of Tamil Nadu sanctioned a sum of Rs.4.50 crores for the renovation and upgradation of the SDAT Tennis Stadium, Nungambakkam, Chennai before the event.

After renovation, the ATP Chennai Open Tennis Tournament was successfully conducted from 5th January to 11th January, 2015 in the prestigious International Standard SDAT Tennis Stadium, Nungambakkam, Chennai. The results of the above tournament are as follows:-

Singles	– Winner – Mr.Stanislas Wawrinka, Switzerland – Prize Money \$ 73,400
	Runners – Mr.Bedene Aljaz, Slovenia – Prize Money \$ 38,650
Doubles	– Winners – Mr.Lu Yen – hsun, Chinese Taipei and Mr.Jonathan

Marry, United Kingdom – Prize Money \$ 22,300

Runners – Mr. Raven Klaasen, South Africa and Mr. Leander Paes, India – Prize Money \$ 11,720

5.7.2 RUGBY TOURNAMENT

For promoting the sport of Rugby in the State of Tamil Nadu, the prestigious Rugby 7s Asian Pre-Qualifier to the 2016 Rio Olympics for both Men and Women was conducted from 6th to 8th March, 2015 at the Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, Chennai. This was the first-ever International Rugby Tournament conducted in Tamil Nadu and South India in which the following 10 Asian Countries participated in the Tournament.

1. UAE
2. Philippines
3. Iran
4. Uzbekistan
5. South Korea
6. Guam
7. Laos
8. Bangladesh
9. Nepal
10. India

RESULT

<u>MEN TEAM</u>			<u>WOMEN TEAM</u>		
WINNER	-	IRAN	WINNER	-	UZBEKISTAN
RUNNER	-	INDIA	RUNNER	-	INDIA

The State Government sanctioned a Special grant of Rs.1.00 crore for successfully conducting this mega event.

5.8 STATE GAMES FOR CHIEF MINISTER'S TROPHY

Under the dynamic guidance of the Government, every year, the State Games for Chief Minister's Trophy is conducted at three levels viz., district level, regional level and state level. Competitions are conducted for men and women below 25 years of age in 10 disciplines in Athletics, Badminton, Basketball, Football, Hockey, Kabaddi, Swimming, Table Tennis, Tennis and Volleyball. The district and regional level competitions have been completed in all the districts and regions for 2014-15.

The best teams in each team game have been selected and have participated in the regional level competitions conducted in 4 regions consisting of 8 district teams in each region. The regional level competitions have been conducted on league-cum- knock-out basis. The State Games for Chief Minister's Trophy will be conducted shortly on league-cum-knock-out basis on par with the national games.

For the district level competitions, the prize money is Rs.1,000/-, Rs.750/- and Rs.500/- respectively for the first, second and third place winners and Rs.5,000/-, Rs.3,000/- and Rs. 2,000/- respectively for the first, second and third place winners at the regional level competitions.

For the State Games for Chief Minister's Trophy, the State Government gives ample prize money of Rs.1,00,000/-, Rs.75,000/- and Rs.50,000/- respectively for the first, second and third place winners. A sum of Rs.809.00 lakhs has been sanctioned for conducting the competitions and awarding the prize money.

STATE GAMES FOR CHIEF MINISTER'S TROPHY
DISTRICT TEAM GAMES RESULTS
MEN AND WOMEN

Sl. No.	Name of the Discipline	1 st Place	2 nd Place	3 rd Place	4 th Place
MEN					
01	Badminton (Shuttle)	Chennai	Coimbatore	Kancheepuram	Virudhunagar
02	Basketball	Chennai	Madurai	Dindigul	Coimbatore
03	Football	Kancheepuram	Kanniyakumari	Chennai	Sivaganga
04	Hockey	Chennai	Tiruchy	Tirunelveli	Kancheepuram
05	Kabaddi	Thiruvarur	Thanjavur	Madurai	Chennai
06	Table Tennis	Chennai	Tiruvallore	Erode	Madurai
07	Tennis	Chennai	Coimbatore	Salem	Tiruchy
08	Volleyball	Chennai	Tiruvarur	Coimbatore	Kanniyakumari
09	Athletics	Chennai	Tiruchy	Coimbatore	The Nilgiris
10	Swimming	Chennai	Tirunelveli	Tiruvallore	Tirunelveli
WOMEN					
01	Badminton (Shuttle)	Madurai	Virudhunagar	Chennai	Tiruchy
02	Basketball	Chennai	Coimbatore	Erode	Kancheepuram
03	Football	Cuddalore	Dindigul	Salem	Erode

04	Hockey	Tirunelveli	Erode	Tiruvannamalai	Madurai
05	Kabaddi	Dindigul	Salem	Madurai	Thanjavur
06	Table Tennis	Chennai	Vellore	Erode	Madurai
07	Tennis	Chennai	Coimbatore	Tiruvallore	Thanjavur
08	Volleyball	Coimbatore	Chennai	Erode	Dindigul
09	Athletics	Chennai	Tiruchy	Coimbatore	Madurai
10	Swimming	Chennai	Tiruvallore	Kancheepuram	Thoothukudi

Details of Prize Money

Level of Competition	Prize Money	Rs.
District Level (each District)	1 st Prize each Rs.1,000/- x 204 Players	2,04,000.00
	2 nd Prize each Rs.750/- x 204 Players	1,53,000.00
	3 rd Prize each Rs.500/- x 204 Players	1,02,000.00
Regional Level (each Region)	1 st Prize each Rs.5,000/- x 204 Players	10,20,000.00
	2 nd Prize each Rs.3,000/- x 204 Players	6,12,000.00
	3 rd Prize each Rs.2,000/- x 204 Players	4,08,000.00
State Level	1 st Prize each Rs.1.00 Lakh x 204 Players	2,04,00,000.00
	2 nd Prize each Rs.0.75 lakh x 204 Players	1,53,00,000.00
	3 rd Prize each Rs.0.50 lakh x 204 Players	1,02,00,000.00

5.9 ISSUE OF FORM-II CERTIFICATES

Form II certificates authenticated by the Member Secretary, Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu are being issued to the winners and participants at the National Women Sports Competition after verifying their original certificates to secure employment in State/Central Government Departments. These Form-II certificates are useful to the outstanding sportspersons for continuing their higher education by getting seats under Sports Quota in the Professional Colleges.

Issue of Form – II certificate details

Sl. No.	Group	Disciplines	No. of Players – Form – II issued
01	Group – I	Basketball	12
		Gymnastics	7
		Swimming	12
02	Group – II	Handball	12
		Hockey	16
		Lawn Tennis	4
03	Group – III	Athletics	20
		Badminton	4
		Table Tennis	4
04	Group - IV	Kabaddi	10
		Kho – Kho	12
		Volleyball	12
TOTAL			125

5.10 ALL INDIA CIVIL SERVICES TOURNAMENT

This is aimed at encouraging sports and fitness among the Government Employees to lead a healthy and better lifestyle. To ensure physical fitness of the Government servants besides enabling them to improve their talents and provide them high efficiency and moral amongst them, the All India Civil Services Tournament in various disciplines are conducted in different states under the aegis of Central Civil Services Cultural and Sports Control Board, New Delhi by rotation. The teams from Tamil Nadu participate in the All India Civil Services Tournaments. During the year 2014–2015, the Sports

Development Authority of Tamil Nadu conducted the All India Civil Services Badminton and Football Tournaments. These tournaments were conducted at SDAT Nehru Indoor Stadium and Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, Chennai from 10.02.2015 to 14.02.2015 and 20.02.2015 to 27.02.2015 respectively.

Results of the competition and No. of States / UT's / RSB's

Sl. No.	Discipline	Winners	Runners	Third Place	No. of States / UT's / RSB participation
01	Badminton (Shuttle)				43
	Team Championship – Men	RSB. Hyderabad	RSB. Chennai	RSB. Bengaluru	
	Team Championship – Women	RSB. Ahmedabad	New Delhi – Central Secretariat	RSB. Dehradun	
	Men – Singles	RSB. Chennai	Uttarakhand	RSB. Chandigarh	
	Men – Doubles	RSB. Chennai	New Delhi CSCC	RSB. Cochin	
	Women Singles	RSB. Ahmedabad	RSB. Hyderabad	RSB. Rajasthan	
	Women – Doubles	RSB. Bengaluru	RSB. Jaipur	Bhubaneswar	
	Mixed Doubles	Bhubaneswar	RSB. Dehradun	RSB. Ahmedabad	
	Veteran – Men - Singles	New Delhi Secretariat	Hyderabad	New Delhi Secretariat	
	Veteran – Men – Doubles	Hyderabad	Puducherry	New Delhi Secretariat	
	Veteran – Women Singles	Chhattisgarh	RSB. Mumbai	Karnataka Secretariat	
	Veteran – Women – Doubles	Uttarakhand	Goa	Uttarakhand	
	Veteran – Mixed Doubles.	Chhattisgarh	RSB. Bengaluru	New Delhi	
02	Football	RSB. Chennai	Central Secretariat,	RSB. Kolkatta	36

		New Delhi		
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5.11 STATE LEVEL CIVIL SERVANTS SPORTS MEET

A sound mind leads to a sound body. To promote physical fitness and to lead a healthy life-style amongst Government servants, the Government has issued orders for the conduct of State level Civil Servants Sports Meet during the year-2013-2014. District level competitions have already been conducted for men and women employees in athletics, badminton (shuttle), basketball, football (men only), tennis, kabaddi, table tennis and volleyball. A sum of Rs.40.37 lakhs has been sanctioned to conduct this sports meet.

5.12 DISTRICT AND STATE LEVEL CARROM COMPETITION

Carrom (also known as **Karrom**) is a "strike and pocket" table game of Eastern origin similar to billiards. It is very popular in Nepal, India, Pakistan, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka and surrounding areas and in the Middle East as well. In South Asia, many clubs and cafés hold regular tournaments. Carrom is very commonly played by families,

including the children and at social functions. The Government has ordered to conduct carrom competitions every year among the school children of Government schools, Government aided schools, panchayat / town panchayat / municipal schools and to award prize money to the winners for the year 2014-15. A sum of Rs.6,45,000.00 has been sanctioned for this purpose. The competitions are conducted in two categories i.e. sub juniors and juniors (up to 5th standard and 6th to 12th standard).

Results:-

Sl. No.	Category	Winners	Runners	Third place	Prize money (Rs.)
1	Sub Juniors – Singles - Boys	Tiruvarur	Coimbatore	Ramanathapuram	8,750.00
2	Sub Juniors – Doubles - Boys	Tiruvarur	Madurai	Dindigul	17,500.00
3	Sub Juniors – Singles – Girls	Chennai	Tiruvarur	Madurai	8,750.00
4	Sub Juniors – Doubles - Girls	Madurai	The Nilgiris	Tiruvarur	17,500.00
5	Juniors – Singles – Boys	Ramanathapuram	Tiruvarur	Trichy	17,500.00
6	Juniors – Doubles – Boys	Vellore	Chennai	Dindigul	35,000.00
7	Juniors – Singles – Girls	Chennai	Madurai	Pudukottai	17,500.00

8	Juniors Doubles Girls	– – –	Madurai	Tiruvarur	Dindigul	35,000.00
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5.13 ATHLETICS COMPETITIONS FOR DIFFERENTLY ABLED PERSONS

Sports for Differently Abled Persons termed as Adaptive Sports or Parasports are sports played by differently abled persons. Existing sports are modified to meet the needs of differently abled persons sometimes referred to as adapted sports.

In our society, the differently-abled sportspersons need encouragement and support. Hence, to boost their confidence, sports and games for the differently-abled sportspersons are conducted both at the district and at the state level to develop a competitive spirit among them.

Competitions are conducted as follows:

1. For Physically Challenged: (Men and Women)

- a) 50 Mts. Running.
- b) 100 Mts. Running.
- c) Long Jump
- d) Mini Basketball throw.
- e) Wheel Chair Race – 100 Mts.

2. For Visually Impaired: (Men and Women)

- a) 50 Mts. Running.
- b) 100 Mts. Running.

- c) Standing Broad Jump.
- d) Shot Put.
- e) Tennis Ball Throw.

3. Mentally Challenged: (Men and Women)

- a) 50 Mts. Running.
- b) 100 Mts. Running.
- c) Cricket Ball throw.
- d) Standing Broad Jump.
- e) Shot Put.

4. Hearing Impaired (men and women)

- a) 100 Mts. Running.
- b) 200 Mts. Running.
- c) Long Jump.
- d) Shot Put.
- e) Javelin Throw.

The prize money of Rs.5,000/- to first place, Rs.3,000/- to second place and Rs.2,000/- to the third place winners is being given. The Government has sanctioned a sum of Rs.15.01 lakhs for the conduct of the above competitions for the year 2014-15.

5.14 TEAM GAMES FOR DIFFERENTLY ABLED PERSONS

To encourage participation, develop team spirit and to give confidence to the differently-abled persons, state

level competitions in the team games are conducted as follows:-

) **Physically challenged (Orthopedically handicapped) Both Men and Women.**

1. Shuttle Badminton (Singles and Doubles) - each team 5 players.
2. Table Tennis – each team 2 players.

) **Visually impaired (Total blind and partially sighted) Both Men and Women.**

1. Adopted Volleyball – each team 7 players.

) **Intellectually challenged (mentally retarded) Both Men and Women.**

1. Throw ball – each team 7 players.

) **Hearing impaired (Deaf) Both Men and Women.**

1. Kabaddi – each team 7 players

The Government has sanctioned a sum of Rs.30.00 lakhs for the conduct of the above competitions for the year 2014-15.

5.15 ACROBATICS AND WATER SPORTS

Acrobatics a word derived from Greek is the performance of extraordinary feats of balance, agility and motor coordination and is noted for tightrope walking. It can be found in many of the performing arts as well as in many sports (sporting) events, and martial arts. Acrobatics is most often associated with activities such as ballet, water jumps and diving. Although acrobatics is most commonly associated with human body performance, it may also apply to other types of performance, such as aerobatics.

The Government of Tamil Nadu gives support for promotion of games amongst the communities traditionally engaged in acrobatics and water Sports. It was observed that these communities viz. Kazhakoorthadigal and Meenavargal have been traditionally engaged in sports activities and if their children are provided with proper coaching, food supplement, exposure etc., there is a possibility that they can be groomed into medal winners. The encouragement of water sports will lead a long way in developing the acrobatics and water sports activities in Tamil Nadu.

A water sports centre is functioning at Nagapattinam District Sports Complex and an acrobatics centre at Karattupalayam in Erode District.

5.16 BEACH GAMES

Games that can be played on a sandy beach are known as Beach Games. There are varieties of beach games viz., relay game, grass game or Frisbee game, etc. This is a sort of game that is played for summer transformation, entertainment, etc. This requires special skill for playing as it is not played on a natural surface. The Government has launched innumerable sports welfare schemes for the benefit of sportspersons.

The Hon'ble Chief Minister has approved holding of beach games such as beach football, beach kabaddi and beach volleyball in the coastal areas of Ramanathapuram, Nagapattinam, Cuddalore, Kanyakumari, Thoothukudi, Chennai, Thanjavur, Tiruvarur, Pudukottai and Kancheepuram districts. In each district, play field facilities have been set up for Rs.2.00 lakhs. District level teams have been formed and they are using these facilities regularly. In order to motivate and encourage competition among sportspersons in coastal areas, state level beach games were conducted inviting teams from these districts.

A sum of Rs.25 lakhs has been allotted for the development of play field facilities and conduct of State level competitions which were conducted at Ramanathapuram District on 10.01.2015 and 11.01.2015. 260 players have participated in the above competitions.

Results:-

Sl. No.	Disciplines	Winners	Runners	3 rd Place	Total Prize Money (Rs.)
01	Kabaddi – Men	Nagapattinam	Kancheepuram	Cuddalore	1,56,000.00
	Kabaddi - Women	Thanjavur	Nagapattinam	Kancheepuram	
02	Volleyball – Men	Nagapattinam	Ramanathapuram	Kancheepuram	
	Volleyball Women	- Thanjavur	Kanniyakumari	Chennai	
03	Football – Men	Kanniyakumari	Nagapattinam	Ramanathapuram	
	Football - Women	Cuddalore	Chennai	Tiruvarur	

5.17 STATE LEVEL INTER UNIVERSITY COMPETITION

In order to encourage sportsmanship and healthy competitions among the colleges involved to organize Zonal and Inter-Zonal tournaments in the recognized games and sports, towards selection of University Teams; to raise the general standards of sports and games towards achievement in Inter-University / National / Inter-National tournaments; to organize the National Sports Organization programme for the total personality development of all students in order to serve the community towards its advancement; and to encourage such other activities which

may be conducive to the aims and objectives of sports promotion, the State level Inter University Sports Competitions are being conducted.

A sum of Rs.1.00 crore (Rupees one crore only) was sanctioned vide G.O. (Ms) No.64, Youth Welfare and Sports Development (S2) Department dated 16.7.2013 for the conduct of State Level Inter Deemed University and state level Inter-university competition during the year 2013-2014. The state level inter-University competitions are held in the following disciplines: Athletics, Shuttle Badminton, Basketball, Football, Hockey, Kabaddi, Table Tennis, Tennis and Volleyball. The Prize money is fixed at Rs.10,000/-, Rs.7,500/-, and Rs.5,000/- respectively for the first, second and third place winner in the state level inter-university competition.

The inter-deemed University competitions have already been conducted among the deemed universities for the year 2014-2015. In the state level inter-university competitions, all the regular universities and the Winner & Runner-up teams in the Inter deemed universities will take part.

Results for the conduct of State Level Inter-University Competitions – 2014 – 15

Sl. No.	Disciplines	Winners	Runners
1	Table Tennis – Men	SRM University	University of Madras
	Table Tennis – Women	SRM University	University of Madras
2	Badminton – Men	Bharathiyar University	Anna University
	Badminton – Women	Anna University	Karunya University
3	Kabaddi – Men	Vel's University	University of Madras
	Kabaddi – Women	Bharathiyar University	Mother Theresa University
4	Tennis – Men	University of Madras	Anna University
	Tennis – Women	University of Madras	SRM University
5	Volleyball – Men	SRM University	Bharathidasan University
	Volleyball – Women	University of Madras	Hindustan University
6	Football – Men	Bharathidasan University	University of Madras
	Football – Women	University of Madras	Thiruvalluvar University
7	Basketball – Men	SRM University	University of Madras
	Basketball – Women	University of Madras	SRM University
8	Hockey – Men	Madurai Kamarajar University	SRM University
	Hockey - Women	Bharathiyar University	Madurai Kamarajar University
9	Athletics - Men	Bharathiyar University	University of Madras
	Athletics - Women	Bharathiyar University	University of Madras

5.18 ESTABLISHMENT OF YOUTH ENERGY STREAMLINING CENTRES (YES CENTRES) IN NAXALITE PRONE AREAS

Tamil Nadu's parameters as far as adolescents and youths are concerned are in line with the national scene where more youths live in rural areas than urban pockets and the literacy rate is also lower in the group when compared to overall literacy. To facilitate the welfare and

all round development of the youth, the Government have sanctioned a sum of Rs.17.20 lakhs (Rupees seventeen lakhs and twenty thousand only) vide G.O (Ms.) No. 47, Youth Welfare and Sports Development (S2) Department dated 30.05.2013 to channelize the energy of the youths in naxal prone areas towards sports so as to develop them as self-disciplined citizens with progressive and positive attitudes. **104 Youth Energy Streamling Centres (YES Centres)** have been established in naxal prone areas in districts of Dharmapuri, Krishnagiri, Theni and Dindigul with facilities to train the youth in athletics, football and volleyball have been developed, by providing the required sports equipment.

Details of Prone areas:-

S.No.	Name of the Districts	No. of Centres
1	Dharmapuri	35
2	Krishnagiri	48
3	Theni	9
4	Dindigul	12
TOTAL		104

Competitions among the centres in four districts were also conducted in order to encourage the participation of the youth in sports activities regularly.

Sl. No.	Name of the Dist.	Coaching camp	Date of the Competition	No. of participants
1	Dindigul	28 & 29.06.2014	29.06.2014	70
2	Theni	08 & 09.07.2014	09.07.2014	153

3	Krishnagiri	14.02.2015	14.03.2015	500
4	Dharmapuri	15 & 16.10.2014	13.03.2015	585

5.19 TRADITIONAL GAMES

The Government of Tamil Nadu has a passion for development of sports and games and has fascinated towards traditional games which have been played by the locals for hundreds of years. However, in the face of modern games like Cricket, Football, Tennis etc. they are gradually fast losing popularity and there may be a possibility when these games will be lost forever. It is vital that these games are to be preserved and promoted at the local level. Games like Silambam, Uriyadi, Dayakattai, Aadu Puli Aattam, Kilyanthattu, Pallankuzhi, Gilli, Nondi, Pamparam, Kannamoochi, etc. are some of the important traditional games still being played in various parts of the State. A sum of Rs.10.00 lakhs (Rupees ten lakhs only) was sanctioned vide G.O. (Ms.) No.45 Youth Welfare and Sports Development (S2) Department, dated 26.08.2014 for hosting the traditional games as well as for its documentation for the year 2014-15. A festival of these traditional games was organized in Thanjavur, Tiruvannamalai, Madurai and Tirunelveli Districts.

CHAPTER – 6

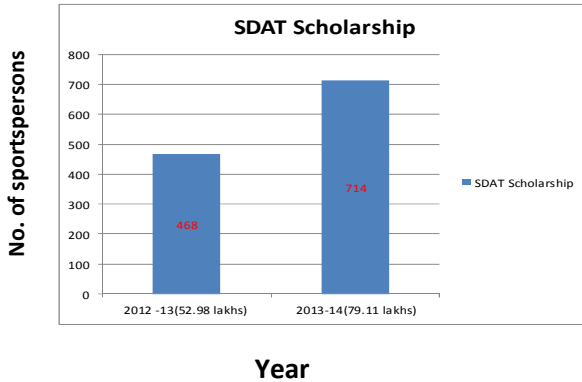
SCHOLARSHIPS, AWARDS AND INCENTIVES

A **scholarship** is an award of financial aid for a student to further his or her education. Scholarships are awarded based upon various criteria, which usually reflect the values and purposes of the award. Scholarships sometimes are need based assistance also. The Government has instituted scholarships, awards and incentives for outstanding sportspersons at various levels and in various categories.

6.1 SDAT SPORTS SCHOLARSHIP SCHEME

The Government encourages sportspersons studying in high / higher secondary schools, Colleges in Tamil Nadu by providing SDAT Scholarships for a sum of Rs.10,000/- and Rs.13,000/- respectively according to their medal winning performance at the national level competitions.

An amount of Rs.52,98,000/- has been sanctioned to 468 outstanding sportspersons during the year 2012-2013. An amount of Rs.79,11,000/- has to be sanctioned to the 714 eligible sports persons for the year 2013-2014.



6.2 SCHOLARSHIP FOR ELITE SPORTSPERSONS

The act of balancing academic achievement, sporting excellence and personal development remains a challenge for talented sports people of our state. Through its high performance structures and initiatives, the Government of Tamil Nadu is committed to enhancing the academic and sporting achievements of young sports men and women in the State, as well as making a positive impact on the future of Tamil Nadu Sport. As per the announcement of Hon'ble Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu in the Budget Session 2011-2012, Government has ordered to establish a new scheme of **“Special Scholarship for Elite Sportspersons”**. Based on the above announcement, 5 top sportspersons among men and women were selected by the High level Committee

constituted by the Government and they were sanctioned a special scholarship of Rs.25.00 lakhs each per year for 5 years on “need based assistance” to help them achieve laurels at the International competitions and at the Olympics.

The following 5 elite sportspersons have been selected and inducted into the scheme. The Hon’ble Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu has given the induction orders on 16.4.2013:-

1. Mr. K. Premkumar, Athletics (Long Jump)
2. Miss G. Gayathri, Athletics (100M hurdles)
3. Miss A.V. Jayaveena, Swimming
4. Mr. G. Sathiyam, Table Tennis
5. Miss Aishwarya Chezhian, Sailing

A monitoring and facilitating committee has been constituted to monitor the performance of the above elite sportspersons and assess their performance periodically. Experts from concerned discipline and the representatives from the concerned sports associations are members of the monitoring and facilitating committee.

Several rounds of meetings / interaction have been held between these elite sportspersons and the experts,

representatives from the sports associations, nutritionist and sports doctors to improve their overall performance.

If the performance of the selected elite sportspersons is not found to be satisfactory, they will be replaced by other outstanding sportspersons, selected by the high level committee.

6.3 SPECIAL CASH AWARDS FOR BUDDING TALENTS

Budding talents are identified at the regional level competitions of the world beaters talent spotting scheme and they are awarded special scholarship of Rs. 6000/- per annum at Rs.500/- per month. During 2014-15, a sum of Rs.194.40 lakhs has been released.

6.4 HIGH CASH INCENTIVES

The Government of Tamil Nadu has instituted High Cash Awards and substantially increased the quantum of financial assistance vide G.O.Ms.No.5, Youth Welfare and Sports Development Department, dated 24.1.2002, sanctioning high cash incentives to the medal winners in

Olympics, Asian, Commonwealth, South Asian Federation and National Games.

With a view to motivate the sportspersons from Tamil Nadu in securing more medals at the international level competitions, the quantum of high cash award has been revised as follows in G.O.(Ms)No.38, Youth Welfare and Sports Development(S1) Department, dt.19.12.2011.

(Rupees in lakhs)

Sl. No.	International / National Competitions	High Cash Incentive		
		Gold	Silver	Bronze
1	Olympics (Once in four years) Individual Events / Team Events (for each Player)	200.00	100.00	50.00
2	Asian Games (Once in four years) Individual Events/ Team Events (for each Player)	50.00	30.00	20.00
3	Commonwealth Games (Once in four years) Individual Events / Team Events (for each Player)	50.00	30.00	20.00
4	South Asian Federation Games (Once in four years) Individual events	5.00	3.00	2.00
	Team Events (For each player)	5.00	3.00	2.00
5	National Games (Once in two years) Individual Events	5.00	3.00	2.00
	Team Events (For each player)	5.00	3.00	2.00

A sum of Rs.2.00 crores was presented to Thiru. Viswanathan Anand for having won the World Chess Championship five times (2000, 2007, 2008, 2010 and 2012) as a special award, which is equivalent to the enhanced cash incentive for Olympic Gold medal winners.

A sum of Rs.270.00 lakhs has been sanctioned to the Medal winners of the 20th Commonwealth Games held at Glasgow during July, 2014.

A sum of Rs.480.00 lakhs have been sanctioned to the Medal winners in the Asian Games held at Incheon, South Korea during September, 2014.

A sum of Rs.16.50 lakhs and Rs.13.50 lakhs for the Coaches of the Medal winners in 2010 Commonwealth Games held at New Delhi and 16th Asian Games held at Guangzhou, China.

A sum of Rs.21.00 lakhs has been sanctioned to the Medal winners in the Non-Olympic Games.

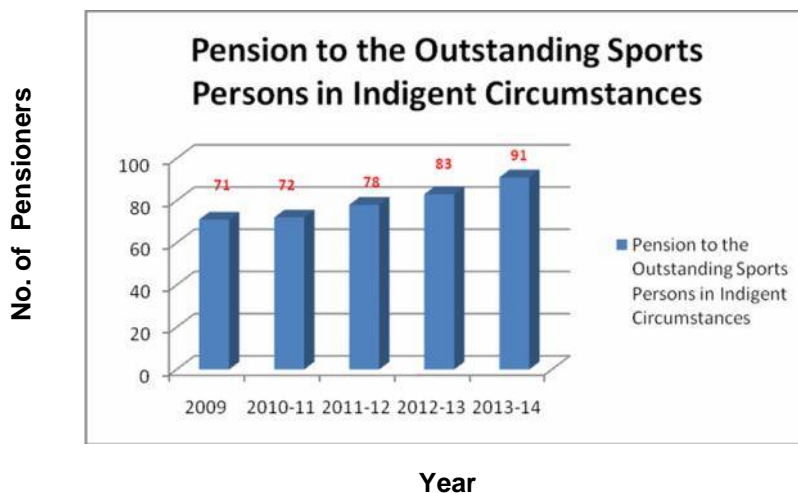
A sum of Rs.10.00 lakhs has been sanctioned to the Medal winners in the Para-Asian Games held at Guangzhou, China during 8th to 20th December, 2010.

6.5 PENSION SCHEME FOR SPORTSPERSONS WHO ARE IN INDIGENT CIRCUMSTANCES

In recognition of their contribution to the field of sports and to continue extending support to the meritorious sportspersons even after they retire from sports, the Government in G.O. Ms. No.42, Youth Welfare and Sports

Development Department dated: 21-12-2011, has enhanced the pension for the outstanding sportspersons who are in indigent condition from **Rs.1000/-** to **Rs.3000/-** per month.

As on date, 85 indigent sportspersons and 6 family pensioners are getting family pension under this scheme. The expenditure incurred, for this scheme, per month is (Rs.3000 x 91 persons) Rs.2,73,000/-.



6.6 SPORTSPERSONS WELFARE FUND

To foster the needs of outstanding Sportspersons, as a service gesture, sportspersons who die or are injured during competitions, are given financial assistance for their

rehabilitation / treatment from the sportspersons welfare fund of Tamil Nadu Government.

6.7 SPORTS QUOTA FOR OUTSTANDING SPORTSPERSONS IN PROFESSIONAL COLLEGES

With a view to recognize the outstanding contribution to the field of Sports by the eminent sportspersons, the Government has come forward to allot 500 seats in engineering colleges and three seats in medical colleges under sports quota for eminent sportspersons to continue their higher education. This has come into force with effect from 3.7.2012.

DETAILS OF SEATS ALLOCATED UNDER EMINENT SPORTSPERSON QUOTA

Sl. No.	Details of the Institution	No. of Seats
(i)	University Departments of Anna University, Chennai – 25	12 Seats
(ii)	Government / Govt. Aided Engineering Colleges	13 Seats
(iii)	Constituent Colleges of Anna Universities of Technology	14 Seats
(iv)	Self Financing Engineering Colleges	461 Seats at 1 seat per College
Total No. of Seats		500 Seats

6.8 CHIEF MINISTER'S STATE SPORTS AWARD

In recognition of the yeoman services rendered to Sports, the Chief Minister's State Sports Award consisting of a citation, a replica and an award of Rs.1.00 lakh is awarded to four outstanding sportspersons (2 men & 2 women), two coaches and two physical education teachers (1 men and 1 women) every year.

6.9 CHIEF MINISTER'S STATE YOUTH AWARD

Chief Minister's State Youth Award has been established and is awarded for 3 men and 3 women in the age group of 15 years to 35 years on the occasion of Independence Day every year. Chief Minister's State Youth Award will comprise a cash amount of Rs.50000/- a Citation and a Medal.

Chief Minister's State Youth Award for the year 2015 is presented by the Hon'ble Chief Minister to Thiru P. Manimaran of Thiruvannamalai District, Thiru M. Tenith Adithyaa of Virudhunagar District and Selvi. S. Annakamu of Dindigul District during the Independence Day Celebration for the first time.

6.10 UPGRADING THE KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS OF COACHES & PETS AND SPORTS ADMINISTRATORS

The Sports Department is stressing on broad-basing the sports culture, specialization and upgradation of the coaches' knowledge, providing improved and healthy playing as well as competition environment and upgradation of infrastructure.

In order to provide opportunities to the talented coaches and Physical Education Teachers to attend short-term courses / clinics abroad to upgrade their knowledge and skill levels, a sum of Rs.30.00 lakhs has been sanctioned during the year 2013-2014.

6.11 PRIZE MONEY TO THE MEDAL WINNERS IN STATE LEVEL REPUBLIC DAY SPORTS / BHARATHIYAR DAY GAMES

With a view to recognize the performance of the medal winners at the state level, the Government have enhanced the prize amount to Rs.1200/-, Rs.800/- and Rs.400/- for the 1st, 2nd and 3rd place winners respectively in the State level Republic Day Sports / Bharathiyar Day Games. As many as 3951 students were given a total prize amount of Rs.30,36,000/- during the year 2014-15.

CHAPTER - 7

SPORTS INFRASTRUCTURE

International standard sports infrastructure is an essential ingredient for producing outstanding sportspersons. **Hon'ble Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu** has the credit of establishing the world class sports infrastructure in Chennai for the VII SAF Games in 1995, such as the Multipurpose Indoor Stadium, Mayor Radhakrishnan Hockey Stadium, Nungambakkam Tennis Stadium and the Velachery Aquatic Complex. Besides, the iconic Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium was built in the year 1993 in a record span of 260 days. A world class warm up track along with a football turf was put up near the Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium in 2013. These facilities are today widely used and are very helpful to the sportspersons in achieving laurels at various levels. The Government is also establishing international standard sports infrastructure facilities in the districts to cater to the needs of the sportspersons from rural and semi-urban areas.

The sports infrastructure facilities so created by the Tamil Nadu Government through the Sports Development

Authority of Tamil Nadu in the districts are tabulated in the annexure.

7.1 MAJOR SPORTS INFRASTRUCTURE FACILITIES IN THE STATE

7.1.1 JAWAHARLAL NEHRU STADIUM, CHENNAI

The iconic Jawaharalal Nehru Stadium was built in 1993 at a cost of Rs.44 crores in a record span of 260 days. The Stadium has a seating capacity of 40,000 spectators. The stadium has 400m 8-lane Synthetic Athletics Track with a natural football turf in the middle. Besides this, facilities for judo, weightlifting, table tennis, boxing, chess and carrom have also been provided. Two beach volleyball courts, three clay volleyball courts (with floodlight), one throw ball court, one kabaddi court and one handball court are also available in the stadium complex. Further, an air conditioned fitness centre and a conference hall are available in the stadium.

On the orders of the Hon'ble Chief Minister, the Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, Chennai has been revamped and upgraded by relaying the synthetic athletics track, football turf, replacing the floodlight, upgrading the

conference hall and office facilities, etc., at a total cost of Rs.1780.63 lakhs during the year 2012-2013.

In this prestigious stadium, recently, Indian Super League Football Matches were conducted in a grand manner. The stadium was also inspected by the FIFA experts during the Indian Super League Football League. They have expressed their satisfaction of the stadium and turf facilities, etc., in order to conduct under - 17 Men's World Cup Football Tournament in 2017.

7.1.2 NEHRU INDOOR STADIUM, CHENNAI

Built at a cost of Rs.20.00 crores in 1995, the Nehru Indoor Stadium has a seating capacity of 8,000 spectators. The stadium is centrally air-conditioned. The playing area comprises a wooden floor and is provided with floodlighting. Games such as volleyball, basketball, table tennis, badminton, boxing, wrestling, weightlifting, chess, carrom, handball etc. can be played in the stadium. Further, one skating rink with floodlight, two concrete basketball courts with floodlight, clay handball court, a fencing hall with floodlight and an open air boxing ring facilities are also available in the stadium complex. During 2012-13, the air-conditioning facility has been revamped at

a cost of Rs.5.00 crores. Sports Hostel of Excellence for ladies has also been established at a total value of Rs.283.35 lakhs in the complex. The grand opening ceremony of the FIDE World Chess Championship match was held in the stadium in November'2013.

7.1.3 MAYOR RADHAKRISHNAN HOCKEY STADIUM, EGMORE, CHENNAI

The stadium having a seating capacity of 8670 was built in 1995 at a cost of Rs.8.00 crores. A playing area laid with synthetic hockey surface with floodlight facility of international standard is available in the stadium. Besides four tennis courts (clay), three volleyball courts with floodlight and a fitness centre are also available in the stadium. The synthetic Hockey surface has been relaid at a cost of Rs.3.50 crores.

7.1.4 AQUATIC COMPLEX, VELACHERY ROAD, CHENNAI

This complex was built in 1995 at a cost of Rs.11.32 crores. 4000 spectators can watch aquatic events in this complex which consists of one 8-lane racing pool of 50m x 25m, one diving pool of 18m x 25m and one warm-up pool of 25m x 25m, all conforming to international standards.

Besides these facilities, one fitness centre and an indoor hall for gymnastics are also available. A multipurpose indoor stadium has recently been added to the complex at a cost of Rs. 1.50 crores.

7.1.5 TENNIS STADIUM, NUNGAMBAKKAM, CHENNAI

The stadium with a capacity of about 7000 spectators was built in 1995 at a cost of Rs.7.50 crores. The complex consists of one centre court in the main stadium and six practice courts outside with floodlight facilities. All the courts have synthetic surface as per international standards. A fitness centre is also available in the stadium. The entire stadium has been renovated and upgraded at a cost of Rs.4.50 crores. Every year, the Chennai Open Tennis Tournament is conducted in this prestigious stadium. This year also, the Chennai Open Tennis Tournament was conducted from 5th to 11th January 2015 in Chennai in a grand manner.

7.1.6 INTEGRATED SPORTS COMPLEX

This integrated sports complex has a synthetic athletic track and natural football turf in it. In addition to this, the Government has sanctioned a sum of Rs.12.00

crores for the establishment of Integrated Sports Complex consisting of Squash, Badminton, Volleyball, Basketball Courts and Hydrotherapy Swimming Pool for the physically challenged in the Warm-up Track area at Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, Chennai during 2013-2014. At present, the construction is under progress.

7.1.7 SHENOYNAGAR SWIMMING POOL, CHENNAI

One swimming pool and a toddler's pool are available in this complex. Besides, an Indoor badminton court with wooden flooring has been established during 2012. Further, a Short Course Swimming Pool was put up at a cost of Rs.50.00 lakhs.

7.1.8 DISTRICT SPORTS COMPLEXES

District Sports Complexes have been established in all the district headquarters except Vellore and Tiruppur. In all these complexes, playfield facilities for athletics, basketball, football, kabaddi and volleyball are available. Facilities for other disciplines are also being established in a phased manner. Government is very keen on establishing sports infrastructure facilities in the districts so as to ensure that every district headquarters is equipped

with an open air stadium, an indoor stadium and a swimming pool.

7.1.9 MULTIPURPOSE INDOOR STADIA

Besides Chennai, Multi-purpose Indoor Stadia have been built in Dharmapuri, Krishnagiri and Salem districts. Further, construction of multi-purpose Indoor Stadia are in progress in Thiruvarur, Tirunelveli, Tiruppur, Thiruvannamalai and Trichy districts at a cost of Rs. 14.30 crores. These stadia will enable badminton, volleyball, basketball, table tennis, taekwondo, handball, kabaddi, fencing players to practice as per international standards. Indoor stadia is also available at the Nehru Sports Complex and Aquatic Complex, Velachery in Chennai. Further, Indoor stadia are under construction in Srirangam (Trichy), Ariyalur, Villupuram, Kanchipuram, Dindigul, Kanyakumari, Madurai, Thanjavur and Thoothukudi. Further, the Government have sanctioned the establishment of Indoor Stadium at Nagapattinam, Namakkal, Perambalur, Pudukottai and Virudhunagar at a cost of Rs.1.50 crores each for the year 2013-2014. During the year 2014-2015, an additional grant of Rs.39.50 lakhs has been sanctioned for the construction of Multipurpose Indoor Stadium at Mogappair and the work is under progress.

7.1.10 SYNTHETIC ATHLETICS TRACK AND HOCKEY TURF

Synthetic Athletic Tracks are currently available at Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium and Warm-up track area in Chennai. It is also available in Coimbatore and Madurai. Construction of synthetic athletic track with floodlight was completed in Tiruchirapalli at a cost of Rs. 6.00 crores. In Tirunelveli, action has been initiated for the construction of synthetic athletic track at a cost of 3.50 crores.

Synthetic Hockey Turfs are available in Mayor Radhakrishnan Hockey Stadium, Egmore and YMCA campus at Chennai, Tiruchirappalli and Tirunelveli. Besides, construction of one synthetic hockey turf has been completed in Madurai at a cost of Rs.6.00 crores. Laying of a synthetic hockey turf at Kovilpatti at a cost of Rs.7.00 crores is in progress.

7.1.11 SWIMMING POOLS

A prestigious International standard swimming pool was constructed during the SAF Games in the year 1995 with the seating capacity of 4000 spectators. The Aquatic Complex Swimming pool at Velachery consists of one 8-lane racing pool of 50m x 25m, one diving pool of 18m x

25m and one warm-up pool of 25m x 25m, all conforming to International standards. From 1995 onwards, Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu has conducted many National level swimming competitions and produced lot of State, National and International swimmers.

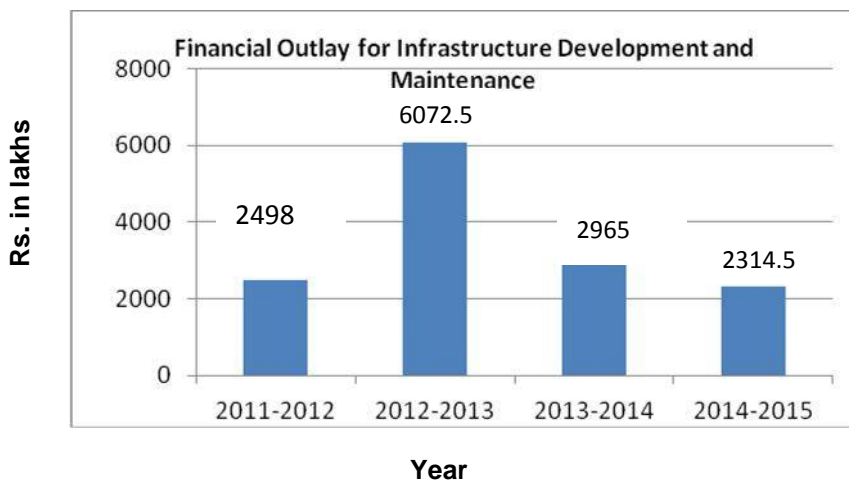
In addition to this there is a Anna Swimming Pool at Marina, Chennai which has dimension of 50 m x 25 m with the depth of 1.2 m to 4 m.

At present, there are 25 Swimming pools available in various districts with the dimension of 25 m x 13 m each. In the above swimming pools, District, Regional and State level competitions are being conducted. Besides conducting competitions, these swimming pools are invariably utilized for conducting coaching camps, regular training for swimmers and Learn to Swim for beginners. All the swimming pools are provided with a qualified swimming coach, lifeguard, pump and filtration operator with life saving equipments.

7.2 MAINTENANCE OF INFRASTRUCTURE

During the year 2014-2015, the Government have announced sanction of Rs.4.00 crores for the maintenance and revamping of District Sports Complexes at

Tiruchirappalli, Kanyakumari, Kancheepuram and Dindigul @ Rs.80.00 lakhs each and Rs.80.00 lakhs for carrying out urgent maintenance works in other District Sports Complexes. Further, a sum of Rs.3.00 crores has been announced for revamping and renovating the Swimming Pools in the Districts. Besides, work is in progress for providing filtration plant with ozone treatment in Swimming Pools at Aquatic Complex-Velachery, Shenoy Nagar-Chennai, Madurai, Thanjavur and Tiruchirappalli at a cost of Rs.75.00 lakhs.



CHAPTER – 8

“CHIEF MINISTER’S FITNESS FOR ALL” PROGRAMME

The Scheme envisages Fitness for each citizen in the State of Tamil Nadu. It will target all categories of age including children, youth, middle aged, elderly people, differently abled with disabilities as well as population or communities with specific risks or disparities. The program will generate considerable interest among all categories of people and raise awareness of the benefits of regular physical activity, fitness, sports participation, etc.

The Chief Minister’s Fitness for All Programme will be implemented by involving Local Bodies, media, all categories of employers, all categories of Educational Institutions, Resident Welfare Associations, Sports Federations, Self Help Groups, Federations etc. Hand books in English and Tamil for each Stakeholder will be developed to guide implementation of the Chief Minister’s Fitness for All Programme by each stakeholder. This will be supplied after the training at State and District level.

In order to plan and take this programme forward, the Government have constituted Tamil Nadu Fitness

Council under the Chairmanship of Hon'ble Minister for Sports and Youth Welfare Vide G.O.Ms.No.12, Youth Welfare and Sports Development (S1) Department, dated 05.02.2015.

8.1 ESTABLISHMENT OF GYM FACILITY FOR SECRETARIAT OFFICERS AND STAFFS

More than 6000 staffs and officers are working in Secretariat. They put in long hours of work, many times on holidays also. Many of them want to play some game or do exercise but are unable to do so as no gym facility is available, in and around Secretariat. Providing the gym facility will not only help improve their health but also add to their productivity. People who are active during their work day tend to be healthier and happier with their jobs. Being physically active improves energy levels, morale and productivity. Moreover fitness improves employee health outcomes, Lower absenteeism, Reduce health benefit cost, Enhance morale. Therefore, gym facilities for Men and Women employees of Secretariat have been established at the cost of Rs.50.00 lakhs.

8.2 ESTABLISHMENT OF MODERN GYM CENTRE IN 17 DISTRICTS

In today's society, that is moving towards a more sedentary lifestyle, there is a greater need than ever to increase the daily activity level to maintain both cardiovascular fitness and body weight. Fitness Boosts intellectual capacity, helps to manage stress more effectively, alleviates depression, reduces level of anxiety, boosts self-esteem and confidence.

The Modern Gym will be established in all District Sports Complexes in order to promote good health and the well-being of all and encourage youth, children, men and women to stay healthy and physically fit throughout their life. The Gym will also be useful for the competitive sportspersons to enhance their performance level. A hall of size 1000-1200 Sq.Ft would be required to establish the Modern Gym for each district.

The Government have approved Rs.4 Crores for establishment of Modern Gym in 17 District Sports Complex (Rs.2.55 Crores for procuring Gym equipment and Rs.1.45 Crores for building work).

CHAPTER – 9

YOUTH WELFARE SCHEMES

9.1 FORMATION OF DIRECTORATE OF YOUTH WELFARE

The Directorate of Youth Welfare has been formed with an objective to initiate, formulate, implement and monitor schemes to assist the overall well-being and personality growth of the youth vide G.O. (Ms) No.56, Youth Welfare and Sports Development (YW) Department, dated 02.07.2013.

The youth, falling within the age group of 15 – 35 years constitute nearly 40% of the total population of Tamil Nadu. This group is the most vibrant and dynamic segment of the state's population, and is also potentially the most valuable human resource of the state. The best way to harness the full potential of the youth is to channelize their energy into productive activities.

The following welfare schemes for the youth are now being transacted by the newly formed Directorate of Youth Welfare:-

- (i) All matters relating to youth, their welfare, training and prospects.
- (ii) Organization and mobilization of youth for voluntary participation in the development activities of the state and nation building.
- (iii) Programmes to encourage leadership and personality development such as sense of adventure, responsibility, confidence and achievement in youth.
- (iv) Research and study on youth behaviour and youth development activities in collaboration with Universities.
- (v) Promoting skill development activities for creating employment opportunities for the unemployed and under-employed youth.
- (vi) Promotion and development of games and sports among youth.
- (vii) Recognize talented youth in various fields through State Youth Awards.
- (viii) Development and publication of awareness materials in the field of sports and youth welfare.

- (ix) Implementing schemes such as Nehru Yuva Kendra, National Reconstruction Corps Scheme, etc. effectively.
- (x) Organizing state youth festivals, selecting talented youth and sending Youth teams for participating in national youth festival.
- (xi) Promote and facilitate new and existing youth hostels across the State as a means of enhancing youth mobility.

The Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu is functioning as the Directorate of Youth Welfare and the Principal Secretary and Member Secretary, Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu is the Ex-Officio Director of Youth Welfare.

9.2 YOUTH HOSTELS

Youth Hostels are meant to provide inexpensive hostelling facilities to young persons, whenever they undertake educational and adventure tours, excursion visits to places of historical and cultural interest, etc.,

This is a joint venture programme of both the Central and State Government. The State Government provides a fully developed land free of cost while

Government of India contributes towards the construction and maintenance of youth hostels.

At present, 5 youth hostels are functioning under the control of Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu in the State at 1) Chennai 2) Madurai 3) Thanjavur 4) Ooty, The Nilgiris and 5) Trichy. Every year thousands of youth avail the facilities of these youth hostels.

9.3 Youth Awakening Day

As per the announcement of the Hon'ble Chief Minister, in remembrance of Bharat Ratna Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam, his birth day 15th October is declared as "Youth Awakening Day".

CHAPTER – 10

INFORMATION AND DOCUMENTATION

10.1 In the modern set up, social media plays a vital role. Social media is personal and instant. Today people prefer to communicate through social media rather than broadcasting, visual and print media.

10.2 In order to reach the sports lovers at a click, SDAT has launched a **Facebook page** www.facebook.com/sdat.gov and is disseminating through this page information about SDAT's programmes / events / announcements / policies etc., This enables transparency in the functioning of SDAT. Comments and views of the users enable SDAT to take corrective measures and lead to a more professional functioning of SDAT. Face book users from across the world are also offering their valuable comments and suggestions.

10.3 SDAT is running a **Monthly Newsletter** as a documentation showcasing variety of activities, achievements and sports events as well as scientific information on various sports related issues to the sporting fraternity.

Action Plan for the year 2015-16

- Establishment of Indoor Stadium in 5 districts, namely Nagapattinam, Perambalur, Pudukkottai, Virudhunagar and Namakkal.
- Establishment of Sports Hostel in 5 more districts, namely Villupuram, The Nilgiris, Ramnathapuram, Pudukkottai and Dharmapuri.
- Appointment and engagement of coaches for various disciplines.
- Chief Minister's Fitness for All Programme will be launched and implemented for the promotion and propagation of fitness culture in the State.
- Implementation of all the Central and State Sports Schemes.
- Implementation of Chief Minister's State Youth Award Scheme.
- Improvement of overall management of infrastructure and the tournaments in the state.

CHAPTER – 11

NATIONAL CADET CORPS

11.1 INTRODUCTION

The National Cadet Corps (NCC) came into existence on 16th July 1948 under an Act of Parliament. Its motto 'Unity and Discipline' has guided the NCC in its long-standing effort to mould young volunteers into disciplined and responsible citizens of India. Over the years, in response to the evolving environment, the NCC's initial military orientation was augmented by dimensions of social service and adventure training.

The 'Aims' of the NCC have stood the test of time and continue to meet the requirements expected of it in the current socio-economic scenario of the country. The NCC aims at developing character, comradeship, discipline, a secular outlook, the spirit of adventure and ideals of selfless service amongst young citizens.

India is on a high growth trajectory. If we are to fully realize our potential we must develop training areas that can instill vigour in the young and bolster their confidence

whilst retaining a sense of purpose, honour and patriotic service. The NCC ideal: 'Empowerment of Youth', betokens our commitment to work for a healthy, prosperous and strong India.

11.2 ORGANISATION

There are 5 NCC Group Headquarters and 51 NCC units under the control of this Directorate. 5 NCC Group Headquarters are located in Chennai (2), Coimbatore, Madurai and Tiruchirapalli. 51 NCC units are located in various places of Tamil Nadu.

11.3 VISION

Empower volunteer youth of Tamil Nadu to become potential leaders and responsible citizens of the country. NCC cadets are trained in Disaster Management mainly covering three aspects such as how to handle the situation from an administrative point of view, how to provide instant medical assistance and participate in active rescue operations in the event of man-made disasters. Further, it aims at creating a pool of organized, trained and motivated youth with leadership qualities in all walks of life, who will serve the Nation regardless of which career they choose. Needless to say, the NCC also provides an environment

conducive to motivating young Indians to join the armed forces.

11.4 MISSION

To develop leadership and behavioural qualities, mould discipline and nurture social integration and cohesion through multi-faceted programmes conducted in a military environment. To develop a model citizen who has capability to preserve the rich cultural heritage and social mores of our country.

11.5 TRAINING CONCEPT

The Training Philosophy is based on the following concept:-

- (a) Comprehensive training for '**Empowerment of Youth**' to earn the '**Right to Lead**'.
- (b) Module based training to cover:-
 - (i) **Character building** and **Competence Development**.
 - (ii) **Basic Military Training**.
 - (iii) **Social Awareness** and **Service**.

11.6 TRAINING METHODOLOGY

The training methodology is the fundamental of any training philosophy. The broad parameters governing smooth and efficient execution of the new training philosophy are enunciated in multifaceted training activities as follows:-

11.6.1 Institutional Training

Training will be planned and conducted in an innovative, progressive and interesting manner to enthuse the cadets. The permanent instructional staff drawn from defence services are detailed to various colleges and schools for imparting extensive training to the NCC Cadets like weapon handling, obstacle course, drill training, firing, cross country race etc. Military Training is imparted to the NCC Cadets from the Educational Institutions (College / Schools) to achieve the aims of NCC. Apart from normal training, the NCC Cadets are taught about :

- Personality
- Bearing
- Endurance
- Courage
- Decisiveness
- Enthusiasm
- Ability of Speech

- Self Confidence
- Loyalty
- Tactfulness
- Unselfishness
- Public Speaking

11.6.2 Camp Training

Camp training is a crucial part in which cadets can heed the lessons of real time challenges which they will face in life. Emphasis will be more on fundamentals of adventuring like Tent forming, knots making etc. The following types of camps are conducted at different places in the country for a duration of 10 to 21 days :-

- Thal Sainik Camps
- Advanced Leadership Camps
- Vayu Sainik Camps
- Nau Sainik Camps
- Advanced Leadership Camps with Naval Base
- National Integration Camps
- Special National Integration Camps
- Mountaineering Course
- Para Training
- Directorate General NCC level organised treks

- Attachment Camps with Defence Units/Establishments
- Combined Annual Training Camps
- Republic Day Camp at New Delhi

11.6.3 Social Service and Community Development

Social service activities will be conducted with a purpose to celebrate the unity in diversity of our country. Moreover it will be a driving force to instill the values of egalitarianism in every cadet. All NCC Cadets are motivated to participate actively in the Social Service activities such as Blood donation, Tree plantation, Eye donation, Adult education, Road cleaning, visiting Cheshire homes/orphanages, controlling traffic, Anti-dowry pledge, Anti-Leprosy drive, etc. Each year, the strength of participants is increasing considerably.

11.6.4 Youth Exchange Programme

Youth Exchange Programme (YEP) will be extended to more countries so as to create an increased awareness among participants and appreciate each other's socio-economic, cultural realities and act as Global goodwill ambassador of India to project country's image

overseas. It is worth mentioning that the cadets of Tamil Nadu are selected every year for Youth Exchange Programmes held in Russia, Nepal, Bhutan, Singapore, United Kingdom, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka, Australia, Foreign Naval Cruise, etc.

11.6.5 Adventure Based Learning and Sports

Myriad number of adventure activities will take place so as to kindle the various type of actions which was hidden in hearts of cadets. Cadets can enjoy part and parcel of every adventure activities. Besides general training, adventure oriented training is imparted to Cadets in para sailing, flying and gliding, boat pulling, diving, boat race, wind surfing, ship modelling, aero modelling, sailing, cycle/motor cycle expedition, trekking, mountaineering, slithering, etc.

11.6.6 Personality Development

The curriculum on Personality Development / Life / Communication Skills will be introduced into the existing syllabus. Emphasis will be more on life skills which are all prodded to develop a citizen as a complete individual.

11.6.7 Competence Assessment / Certificate Examination

Efforts will be made by all directorates to prepare the cadets for the exams to improve their performance. The cadets need to attend Annual Training Camps or other prescribed camps to make them eligible for appearing the Certificate Examination. The Junior Division/Wing Cadets appear for the Certificate 'A' examination and the Senior Division / Wing Cadets appear for the Certificate 'B' / 'C' examinations as per the eligibility conditions.

11.6.8 Training of Trainers

Periodic Refresher training will be conducted for the trainers by innovative method to improve training standard. Trainers are drawn from the teaching faculty of Colleges and Schools. Male officers have to undergo strenuous training in OTA Kamptee. Female Officers are given training in Women Officers training School, Gwalior.

11.6.9 Infrastructure

The concept of NCC Academies in various states is being pursued vigorously with the Government for

proper training facilities. Minimum one training Academy per Group is required to be constructed. More than that every Academy is endowed with sophisticated accommodation facilities for the Officers and the cadets. A sum of Rs.12 crores has been sanctioned for construction of National Cadet Corps Academy at Idayapatti village, Madurai. Construction work is in progress.

11.7 COVERAGE

Today, the Tamil Nadu Directorate has spread over in 793 schools, 374 colleges, and a total Cadet strength of 99,419.

11.8 MAIN EVENTS

11.8.1 NCC Day

It is celebrated on the **4th Sunday** of the month of **November** every year.

11.8.2 Centrally Organised Camps

Thal Sainik Camp, Vayu Sainik, Nau Sainik and National Games are conducted at National level. In addition

there are various National Integration Camps, trekking camps and adventure camps held round the year.

11.8.3 Republic Day Camp

The camp is held every year in the month of January from 01 Jan to 29 Jan at Garrison Parade Ground, Delhi Cantonment. All the 17 State Directorates with about 1,700 cadets from all over the country and some cadets from other friendly countries will participate. During the camp, the cadets participate in the Republic Day Parade and the Prime Minister's Rally. They also put up displays highlighting various NCC activities and cultural programmes bringing the sense of national integration amongst the youth of our country. In addition, they also participate in various Inter-Directorate Competitions. The camp finally concludes on 28th January with 'Tea' with the Prime Minister and later an 'At Home' hosted by the President of India. About 116 NCC Cadets of this Directorate are selected to participate in the Republic Day Camp at New Delhi during January every year. Our contingent is one of the largest in the Country. An Inter Directorate Competition for Prime Minister's Rally is conducted at Delhi during the Republic Day Camp. Tamil

Nadu Contingent has won the All India Banner during the years 1962, 1968, 1971, 1974, 1975, 1976, 1978, 1980, 1987, 1995, 2000 and 2003 (totally on twelve occasions).

11.8.4 Chief Minister's Rally in Tamil Nadu

The Hon'ble Chief Minister's rally is held during the first week of February every year. The Republic Day Camp contingent is felicitated on this occasion and the Chief Minister's Banner is presented to the best NCC Group Headquarters in Tamil Nadu.

11.8.5 Central Advisory Committee

The NCC functions under the overall supervision of the Central Advisory Committee, constituted under the provisions of Section 12 of the NCC Act. The Minister of State in the Ministry of Defence [Raksha Rajya Mantri] (RRM) is the Chairman. The committee which meets generally once in two years advises the Government of India on the matters concerning policy connected with the constitution and administration of NCC.

11.8.6 State Advisory Committee

Apart from the above, State Advisory Committee functions under the Chairmanship of Hon'ble Minister for Sports and Youth Welfare.

11.9 BUDGET

The allotment of funds to this Department is **Rs.45,10,90,000/-** in the Budget Estimate 2015-16 from the State.

11.10 NATIONAL CADET CORPS ACHIEVEMENTS FROM MAY 2011

Government of Tamil Nadu had issued sanction orders on the following:-

For the Year 2011-12

- Enhancement of award of Tamil Nadu Scholarship to outstanding NCC Cadets @ Rs.200/- per month for 10 months, for 100 Senior Division / Senior Wing cadets, and @ Rs.100/- per month for 10 months for 100 Junior Division / Junior Wing cadets, with a total financial implication of Rs.3,00,000/-.

- Enhancement of financial ceiling limit from Rs.1,00,000/- to Rs.2,00,000/- towards conduct of Ocean Sailing Expedition per annum.
- Enhancement of Refreshment Allowance to NCC from Rs.3/- to Rs.10/- per cadet per hour, with additional financial implication of Rs.5.00 crores.
- Enhancement of Republic Day Camp expenditure from Rs.31.50 lakhs to Rs.50.00 lakhs .
- Enhancement of Chief Minister's Rally expenditure from Rs.3.00 lakhs to Rs.5.00 lakhs.

For the Year 2012-13

- Enhancement of rates of messing allowance to Associate National Cadet Corps Officers and NCC cadet for Special National Integration Camps, from Rs.100/- to Rs.120/- per day per head.
- Enhancement of cash incentives to NCC cadets for attending the Centrally Organised Camps and Republic Day Camp from Rs.3,17,200/- to Rs.5,80,400/- .

- Upgradation of 5 Superintendents to the post of Assistant Directors, in each of five NCC Group Headquarters Offices.
- Provision of Broadband connections to Office Telephones of National Cadet Corps Directorate and National Cadet Corps Group Headquarters at the cost of Rs. 47,574/- .
- Enhancement of Daily Allowances to Associate National Cadet Corps Officers and NCC cadets during various camps and courses from Rs.35/- to Rs.100/- per Associate National Cadet Corps Officer and from Rs.30/- to Rs.100/- per cadet.

For the Year 2013-14

- Revision of Ship Modelling Grant to Naval Wing NCC Cadets Coys and Troops from Rs.10,000/- to Rs.20,000/- per coy, and from Rs.5,000/- to Rs.10,000/- per troop, with an additional expenditure of Rs.3,20,000/- p.a.
- Revision of Aero Modelling Grant to Air Wing NCC Cadets Coys and Troops from Rs.10,000/- to Rs.20,000/- per coy, and from Rs.5,000/- to

Rs.10,000/- per troop, with an additional expenditure of Rs.2,45,000/- p.a.

- Sanctioning of Rs.59,000/- (Total expenditure) for attending mountaineering courses at Jawahar Institute of Mountaineering & Winter Sports Nunwan, Pahalagam , Jammu & Kashmir, and then obtain reimbursement of 75% of Central share of Rs.44,250/-

For the Year 2014-15

- Revision of rates of Messing Allowance to Associate National Cadet Corps Officers and Trainees from Rs.95/- to Rs.213/- per day per head during Pre-Commission / Refresher Training Courses.
- Enhancement of rates of messing allowance during camps from Rs.80/- to Rs.100/- to Associate National Cadet Corps Officers and from Rs.75/- to Rs.95/- to NCC cadet per day per head.
- Enhancement of Expenditure towards National Cadet Corps Day Celebrations from Rs.1,00,000/- to Rs.1,50,000/-.

11.11 NATIONAL CADET CORPS ACHIEVEMENTS DURING THE YEAR 2014-15

- The NCC in Tamil Nadu has contributed immensely by nurturing a highly disciplined and trained youth, who have proved their mettle and continually brought laurels to Tamil Nadu.
- Air Wing NCC cadets of our Directorate secured FIRST position at Vayu Sainik Camp held during October 2014 at Bengaluru for the third consecutive year. Cadets won 07 Gold medals, 03 Silver medals and 03 Bronze medals in Individual and Team events. Air Wing cadets adjudged First in five events namely Flying, Drill, Aero Modelling, Best Air Contingent and Best Tech Air Squadron.
- During Nausainik Camp held in Karwar, Karnataka in December 2014 – Our Directorate bagged the First Position . The Naval Wing Cadets won 22 Gold medals, 13 Silver medals and 2 Bronze medals in various events.
- During Thal Sainik Camp (TSC) – Boys, held at New Delhi in September 2014, Cadets of our Directorate bagged the overall THIRD position.

- At the recently concluded All India Inter Directorate Republic Day Camp Competition, contested between 17 Directorates at New Delhi, our Directorate won First position in four events and third position in five events. The Directorate was also awarded Trophies for Best Air Wing Directorate and Best Naval Wing Directorate amongst 17 Directorates by the Hon'ble Prime Minister himself on 28th January 2015.
- In the All India competitions, our Cadet E.Jessy Jenifer won the Gold Medal in Best Cadet Senior Wing Army competitions. In the Equestrian event, cadet S.Gokul and cadet Sujit were awarded a Silver Medal each for Tent pegging. Cadet Sujit won the Bronze medal for Dressage (Novices). It is indeed a matter of pride for all of us that we won the Roop Jyoti Sharma Trophy for Equestrian Events after a gap of 16 years. We got three gold medals and one silver medal in Inter Directorate Ship Modelling Competitions and a silver in the Aero Model Control line competition.

11.12 ACTION PLAN FOR THE YEAR 2015-16

1. Imparting training for all enrolled cadets based on the training philosophy with following Key Result Areas (KRAs) in mind :
 - Encouraging maximum cadets to join in the Armed Forces.
 - Safety and Security during Training Activities.
 - Career counseling and personality development
 - Knowledge enhancement and development of communication skills
 - Excellence in sports and adventure activities.
2. Programmes on Eradication of Social Evils in the State. The Cadets and Associate NCC Officers will participate actively in the following programmes:-
 - Campaign against Girl Child Infanticide
 - AIDS/HIV Awareness campaign
 - Campaign against untouchability
 - To initiate awareness against cancer
 - Taking oath against dowry
 - Blood Donation camp

- Tree Plantation programme
 - Anti-Tobacco campaign
 - Anti-Plastic campaign
 - Clean India mission
 - Financial inclusion awareness
 - Awareness on Yoga
3. Winning the coveted Hon'ble Prime Minister Banner in Republic Day Camp to be held at New Delhi during January 2016.
 4. Training Academy – Construction of NCC Training Academy at Idayapatti village, is in full swing by Public Works Department.

CHAPTER – 12

NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME

12.1 INTRODUCTION

The University Grants Commission headed by Dr. Radhakrishnan recommended the introduction of national service in the academic institutions on a voluntary basis with a view of developing healthy contacts between the students and teachers on one hand and establishing a constructive linkage between the campus and the community on the other hand.

On September 24, 1969, the then Union Education Minister Dr. V.K.R.V. Rao, launched the NSS programme in 37 universities covering all States and simultaneously requested the Chief Ministers of States for their co-operation and help. It was appropriate that the programme was started during the Gandhi Centenary Year as it was Gandhiji who inspired the Indian youth to participate in the movement for the independence of India and the social upliftment of the downtrodden masses of our Nation.

National Service Scheme has been implemented in Tamil Nadu since its inception i.e. September, 1969.

The initial financial arrangements provided for an expenditure of Rs.120/- per NSS student per annum to be shared by the Central and the State Government in the ratio of 7:5 i.e. the Central Government is spending Rs.70/- and State Government Rs.50/- respectively per NSS student per year. During the financial year 2010-11, the pro-rata grants for NSS Regular Activities and Special Camping Programme has been revised from Rs.160/- to Rs.250/- and Rs.300/- to Rs.450/- respectively. Keeping the inflation in view, it is now under consideration to revise the amount for Special Camping and Regular Activities.

12.2 MOTTO

The motto or watchword of the National Service Scheme is: 'NOT ME BUT YOU'. This reflects the essence of democratic living and upholds the need for selfless service and appreciation of the other person's point of view and also to show consideration for fellow human beings. It underlines that the welfare of an individual is ultimately dependent on the welfare of society on the whole.

Therefore, it should be the aim of the NSS to demonstrate this motto in its day-to-day programme.

12.3 NSS DAY

NSS was formally launched on 24th September, 1969, the birth centenary year of the Father of our Nation. Therefore, 24 September is celebrated every year as NSS Day with appropriate programmes and activities.

12.4 CLASSIFICATION OF NSS PROGRAMME

NSS activities have been divided into two groups. These are (i) regular NSS activities and (ii) special camping programme.

12.4.1 Regular NSS Activity

Under this, students undertake various programmes in the adopted villages, college/school campuses and urban slums during weekends or after college hours.

12.4.2 Special Camping Programme

Under this, camps of 7 days duration are organised in adopted villages or urban slums with some specific objectives by involving local people.

12.5 ACTIVITIES OF NSS

Activities of National Service Scheme aim the development of the personality of the student volunteers. For example, Leadership Motivation, Yoga & Meditation, Career Guidance & Counseling, Soft Skills Development, Disaster Management, First-Aid Training, Environment Enrichment Programme, Road Safety & Safe Driving, Helping the School Dropouts to continue their education, Blood donation, Blood grouping and maintaining Blood Donor's Directory are implemented by NSS considering the needs and priorities. A number of health camps including leprosy eradication, eye donation, dental caring, breast cancer eradication, cardiac care, mother-child care, AIDS awareness and general medical camps are being conducted regularly. Special Programmes are organized to create civic sense and to imbibe Road safety measures.

In order to protect the ozone layer and to have an eco-friendly atmosphere saplings are planted. Besides, under Social forestry schemes the students developed

model forests and tree contour belt. Eradication of use of plastic and polythene, formation of eco clubs are some of the other programmes.

During Special Camping programme, students work with local youth in the adopted villages and create permanent assets by providing public utility services, construction of toilets, water storages, Community halls, compound walls, developing play grounds and road formation works.

12.6 CORPUS FUND

The Corpus Fund collected from each student in the first year is Rs.10/-. Out of this, Rs.5/- is for the institution, Rs.3/- is for the university and Rs.2/- is for the State NSS Cell. Now, the Corpus Fund available with the State NSS Cell as on 31-03-2015 is Rs.40,94,859/-. This amount can be utilized for conducting programmes for NSS volunteers, purchasing mementoes, maintenance of NSS State Cell vehicle, office maintenance, contingency etc.

12.7 NSS ACHIEVEMENTS FROM MAY 2011

12.7.1 Republic Day Parade

This is the first time, University Level Selection and State Level Selection were conducted for NSS volunteers for participating in the Republic Day Parade at New Delhi. 60 Volunteers were selected at State Level and they were sent to Trissur, Kerala for Pre –Republic Day Camp. Out of 60 volunteers, 12 volunteers were selected and they were sent to New Delhi. These volunteers were provided with **“Tracksuits”**.

NSS contingent participated in the State Republic Ceremonial Marchpast at Marina in Chennai on 26-1-2015. This is the first time in the history of National Service Scheme, Tamil Nadu NSS contingent is participating in the State Republic Ceremonial Marchpast with 60 volunteers.

For participation in the Republic Day Parade in Chennai, selection was held in two stages, the initial stage was at the University Level and final selection was at the State Level. These selections were held at Bharathiar University, Coimbatore. Proper training was given to the volunteers for 10 days at Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu Tennis Stadium, Nungambakkam, Chennai with 4 instructors.

12.7.2 Indira Gandhi NSS Award

Indira Gandhi NSS awards for the year 2011-12, 2012-13, 2013-14 were presented to 4,4 and 3 individuals respectively.

12.7.3 State NSS Award

The Government of Tamil Nadu has instituted State NSS Awards to recognize the outstanding contributions made by the Programme Coordinators, Programme Officers and NSS volunteers in developmental activities. The awards are being presented since **1991**.

State NSS Award function was conducted for three years from 2010-11, 2011-12 and 2012-13. During this function 43 Best Programme Officers and 77 Best Volunteers were given the awards. **The award carried a cash prize of Rs.3,000/- for Programme Officers and Rs.2,000/- to volunteers, a certificate and a memento.** This expenditure was met out from the Corpus Fund Account of State NSS Cell.

Out of the 43 Best Programme Officers, 13, 15 and 15 Programme Officers were awarded for the academic years 2010-11, 2011-12 and 2012-13 respectively.

Out of the 77 Best Volunteers, 35, 17 and 25 volunteers have been awarded for the academic years 2010-11, 2011-12 and 2012-13 respectively.

12.7.4 National Integration Camp

National Integration Camp has been organized by Mangalore University, Karnataka. 10 Volunteers and 1 Programme Officer has been deputed to participate in this camp.

12.8 ACTION PLAN FOR THE CURRENT YEAR 2015-16

To create motivation among the NSS volunteer youth, the State NSS Cell proposes to conduct State Level Programmes like i) NSS Sports meet ii) Cultural Programmes iii) Leadership Development Program iv) Adventure Programme v) NSS Food Festival from this academic year onwards i.e., from 2015-16.

CHAPTER – 13

TAMIL NADU PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND SPORTS UNIVERSITY

13.1 INTRODUCTION

The Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University is unique and first of its kind in India started as a State University exclusively for promoting excellence in Physical Education and Sports. It is the Brain child of the Hon'ble Chief Minister. This University is functioning at Melakottaiyur Village in sprawling 125 acres of land. It is surrounded with a lake and a small mountain. The basic infrastructure has been constructed. The Academic programme of this University commenced from the Academic year 2006-07. There are about 56 Teaching and Non Teaching staff working at present.

13.2 VISION

“To engage in relentless pursuit of Excellence in the promotion and development of Physical Education and Sports through innovative programmes in teaching, coaching, research and outreach activities and evolve a holistic approach to the betterment of human resources through a harmonious blend of body, mind and spirit”.

13.3 MISSION

- To develop advanced research facilities and contribute to the body of knowledge through scholarly work and publications and disseminate the findings to the professionals, faculty and students
- To facilitate the application of research findings to refine and sharpen the coaching and training techniques in Physical Education and Sports, in matters of common interest and concern
- To establish linkages and networking with national and international specialized agencies and institutions and keep abreast of the latest developments in the field of Physical Education and Sports

- To support and assist the conduct of State and National level coaching camps in various sports disciplines, spot, nurture and groom the talent for National and International competitions.

13.4 ACADEMIC PROGRAMME

Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University has five departments functioning viz., Department of Physical Education, Department of Yoga, Department of Exercise Physiology and Biomechanics, Department of Sports Management and Sports Psychology & Sociology and Department of Advanced Sports Training and Technology. 11 Affiliated Colleges are functioning under the aegis of this University. Out of which 2 of them are Autonomous, 1 Aided College and rest of them are Self Financing. The University Departments and Affiliated Colleges are offering Under Graduate, Post Graduate and Research Courses of Studies viz., P.G. Diploma in Coaching, B.P.E., B.P.Ed., M.P.Ed., B.Sc., M.Sc., M.B.A, M.Tech., M.Phil and Doctoral Programme.

The University has 240 Ph.D., and 81 M.Phil., Scholars on its roll. Further 355 students are undergoing

various Under Graduate and Post Graduate Courses in the University Department. Besides 1691 students are studying in the eleven affiliated colleges of the University.

The Directorate of Distance Education of this University was started in the Academic Year 2007-2008. This University is offering 102 innovative and job oriented programmes through Distance Education Mode. This University has 141 Study Centres and 1852 students enrolled for various courses of study.

13.5 CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM AND UNIFORM SYLLABUS

Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University has 5 Departments, 3 Supportive Departments and 11 Affiliated colleges offering Under Graduate, Post Graduate, M.Phil, Ph.D and P.G. Diploma programme. Uniform syllabus and Choice based Credit System have been adopted in the above said departments and colleges for various courses.

13.5.1 Village Placement Programme

The Village Placement Programme (VPP) is compulsory for all the Regular Courses of the University. As a Part of VPP, each student of the regular course should stay for four days in a Village and undertake service activities such as health awareness campaign, literacy programmes, awareness programmes on clean environment and safe drinking water, sports recreation etc., for rural development. VPP has two credits for all the courses under Choice Based Credit System (CBCS).

13.5.2 National Service Scheme Units in the University and in the Affiliated Colleges

National Service Scheme Units have been started in this University and its affiliated colleges. Various programme are being conducted through NSS Units.

13.5.3 Placement Services

To create employment opportunities and to give suitable placement for the outgoing graduates from this University / Affiliated Colleges, Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu, Star Hotels, Hospitals, Fitness Centres and needy Multi National Companies have been requested to provide employment opportunities

immediately after their graduation. Further many corporate sectors have been requested to have campus interview to select suitable qualified persons for their institutions. The updated project of this University / Affiliated colleges have already been sent to the corporate bodies and companies.

13.6 INFRASTRUCTURE FACILITIES

Infrastructure facilities in Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University include Administrative Block, Academic Block, Computer Centre, Hostels for Men and Women, Multipurpose Hall, Staff Quarters, Peripheral Wall, HT Transformer, Street Lights etc. Further the University has playfield facilities for Football, Hockey, Cricket, Handball, Volleyball and 400mts Track. The rest of the fields are under construction.

13.7 UNIVERSITY HEALTH CENTRE

Health care is an absolute necessity for the mankind. Health promotes the activity of the students and athletes to perform physically, mentally and functionally well in their performance towards achieving their goal. Sports Physiotherapy is the branch of Sports medicine

concerned with injuries sustained in athletic endeavors, including their prevention, diagnosis and treatment. The aim of the centre is to provide a specialist health care for university students and athletes through Sports Physiotherapy. The centre has also been designed to develop the academic and clinical knowledge and skills needed by physical education and physiotherapy professionals, aiming to provide evidence based problem solving and clinically reasoned approach to sports physiotherapy. The centre will also have a recurring emphasis on multi-disciplinary practice, excellence in physiotherapy management and performance enhancement for athletes of all ages and abilities.

13.8 UNIVERSITY LIBRARY

Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University Library caters the information needed to both students and faculties belonging to various departments. This central library is planning to procure a good number of books, which could help to update with latest information in the concerned field. The collection of library books ranges from Text, Reference books, Dissertation/ Thesis Reports,

Periodicals, Encyclopedia, Journals and Educational CD-ROM.

13.9 ACTIVITIES AND ACHIEVEMENTS OF GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU IN ESTABLISHING THE TAMIL NADU PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND SPORTS UNIVERSITY FROM MAY 2011

The Tamil Nadu Government have sanctioned the following:

- Rs.2.49 crores as first instalment of One Time Catch Up Grant for the infrastructure development
- Rs.2.20 crores towards the establishment of the Sports Science Centre
- Rs.36.88 lakhs towards the construction of Multimedia Classroom and purchase of Physiological and Biomechanical Equipments. The

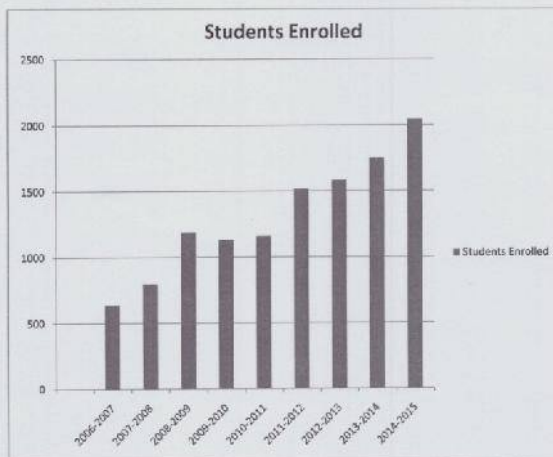
construction work was completed and was inaugurated on 10.02.2014.

- Rs.40.00 lakhs towards construction of Multi Gym and Rs.35.00 lakhs for Standardization of existing play fields.
- Rs.16.03 crores for the establishment of Multipurpose Indoor Stadium, Library, Research Lab, Conference Hall, Meditation Hall in a single building.
- Rs.48.00 lakhs for the establishment of Sports Technology Laboratory as Centre for Video and Performance Analysis and Multimedia Guide for working out in Gym.
- Rs.43.00 lakhs for the Establishment of Camping Centre.
- Rs.45.00 lakhs for procurement of furniture from TANSI
- Rs.191.10 lakhs for Providing Link Road in the Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University campus.

**DETAILS OF NUMBER OF STUDENTS ENROLLED DURING THE
ACADEMIC YEARS (2006 - 2015)**

Sl.No	Academic Year	Students Enrolled		
		University Departments	Affiliated Colleges	Total
1	2006-2007	10	623	633
2	2007-2008	68	732	798
3	2008-2009	149	1040	1189
4	2009-2010	158	975	1133
5	2010-2011	184	966	1160
6	2011-2012	203	1314	1517
7	2012-2013	179	1408	1586
8	2013-2014	202	1554	1756
9	2014-2015	355	1691	2046

Number of Students



Year

13.10 Action Plan for the Year 2015-16

- Construction of Synthetic 400 mts Track
- Introduction of Insurance Coverage to all students of the University Departments and all Affiliated Colleges.
- Introducing Health Card to all students of Colleges / Universities through Physical and Physiological testing.
- It is proposed to install a Centralized Server and Data Backup System for e-governance in the University.
- To establish Nursery to promote the Plantation of eco-friendly plants.
- Conducting Doping awareness programme for sportspersons in colleges / Universities.
- To provide Wi-Fi facilities in the University Campus.
- Establishment of Sports Performance Analysis Laboratory.
- Procuring Equipments for Sports Science Centre.
- Proposed to organize a National Level workshop / Seminar / Conference / Quiz Competition in various Departments.

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ANNEXURE

SPORTS INFRASTRUCTURE FACILITIES IN TAMIL NADU

Sl. No.	District	Facilities available
1	Ariyalur	<ul style="list-style-type: none">☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track (Clay)☞ Football Ground – 1 (Clay)☞ Hockey ground – 1 (Clay)☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Cement)☞ Volleyball Court (Clay) - 1☞ Kabaddi Court – 1☞ Ball Badminton Court – 1☞ Tennis Court – 1 (Synthetic) with flood light☞ Gym Hall – 1☞ Swimming Pool 25mx13m☞ Skating Rink☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys <p>Mini Stadium at Jayamkondam Taluk</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track (Mud)☞ Football Ground – 1 (Mud)☞ Volleyball Court – 1☞ Basketball Court – 1
2	Chennai	<p>Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium, Periamet:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">☞ Seating capacity of 40,000☞ Football Ground1 (Grass)☞ 400 M 8-Lane Synthetic Athletic Track (with floodlight)☞ 600 Mts Indoor Warm up Track (A/c)☞ Judo Hall☞ A Hall of Chess☞ A Hall of Carrom

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ A Weightlifting Hall ☞ A Hall for Table Tennis ☞ A Hall of <p>Boxing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Beach Volleyball Court - 2 ☞ Volleyball Courts – 3 (With 1 floodlight) (Clay) ☞ Throwball Court – 1 ☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 ☞ Synthetic warming up Track 100 Mts. ☞ Handball Court – 1 ☞ An air conditioned Fitness Centre ☞ Sports Authority of India and SDAT Sports Hostels ☞ Centre of Excellence for Boys ☞ Sports Hostel of Excellence for Men ☞ Media Hall ☞ State Sports Facilitation Centre ☞ Accommodation Centre <p>Warm up Track area:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Football field – 1 (Grass) ☞ 400 Mts. 8-lane Synthetic Athletic Track (with Floodlight)
		<p>Multipurpose Indoor Stadium, Periamet:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Wooden Floor Indoor Hall with Seating capacity of 8000 (Centralized Air- condition facilities) (Volleyball, Basketball, Table Tennis, Badminton, Boxing, Wrestling, Weightlifting, Chess, Carrom, Handball and Non- Sports Activities) ☞ Skating Rink (with Floodlight) ☞ 2 Concrete Basketball Courts (With Floodlight) ☞ Handball Court

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ A covered Fencing Hall (with Floodlight) ☞ A Open Air Boxing Rink ☞ Sports Hostel for Girls ☞ Centre of Excellence for Girls ☞ Sports Hostel of Excellence for Women <p>Mayor Radhakrishnan Hockey Stadium, Egmore:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Seating capacity of 8,670 ☞ Synthetic Hockey Surface ☞ 30 x 15 M Synthetic Practice Pitch ☞ Floodlighting facility for Colour TV Telecasting ☞ A Fitness Centre ☞ Tennis Courts – 4 (Clay) ☞ Volleyball Courts – 3 (With Floodlight) ☞ Multipurpose Conference Hall ☞ Accommodation Facilities ☞ Accommodation Centre <p>Aquatic Complex, Velachery Road, Guindy:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ With Seating capacity of 4,000 ☞ An 8-lane International Racing Pool (50 x 25 m) ☞ A Diving Pool (18M x 25m) ☞ A Warm up Pool (25M x 25m) ☞ A Fitness Centre ☞ Conference Hall (50 persons) ☞ An Indoor Stadium for Gymnastics ☞ Indoor Badminton Court <p>Tennis Stadium, Nungambakkam:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ With a Seating capacity of 7000 ☞ A centre Synthetic Court ☞ 6 Tennis Synthetic Courts ☞ Floodlighting Facilities (1 Centre Court + 4 Practice Courts) ☞ A Fitness Centre ☞ Dormitory facilities ☞ Conference Hall (100 persons)
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		<p>Nehru Park Sports Complex:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ International Standard Squash Courts – 8 (SDAT -TNSRA) ☞ Multi Gym Hall (SDAT-TNSRA) ☞ 400 M Athletics Track ☞ Football Ground – 1 (Grass) ☞ Concrete Basketball Courts – 1 ☞ Synthetic Tennis Courts – 2 ☞ Indoor Shuttle Courts – 3 (Wooden) ☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 ☞ Indoor Badminton Court ☞ Accommodation Centre
		<p>Anna Swimming Pool, Marina.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 50 Mts. x 25 Mts. Swimming Pool ☞ 25 Mts. x 15 Mts. Swimming Pool <p>YMCA College of Physical Education Ground</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Synthetic Hockey Ground (SDAT – YMCA MoU) ☞ Players dress Changing Rooms ☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys <p>Chennai Unit, Shenoy Nagar, Chennai – 600 030.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Short Course Swimming Pool ☞ Swimming Pool (36x18Mts.) ☞ Indoor Shuttle Court - 2 (Wooden) ☞ Volleyball ground – 1 (with floodlight)
3	Coimbatore	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track (Synthetic) ☞ Football Ground – 1 (Grass) with high mast light facilities ☞ Gym Hall Training Centre ☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys
4	Cuddalore	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Cinder Athletic Track ☞ Football Ground – 1 (Mud)

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Hockey Ground – 1 Clay ☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Floodlight) (concrete) ☞ Volleyball Court – 2 Clay ☞ Kabaddi Court – 2 Clay ☞ Ball Badminton – 1 Clay ☞ Multi Gym Hall – 1 ☞ Walkers Path Concrete – 1200 Mts. ☞ Open Air Boxing Ring – 1 ☞ Synthetic Tennis Courts – 2 ☞ Cricket field ☞ Swimming Pool 25x13 Mts. ☞ Shuttle Badminton Indoor Hall – 3 Wooden Court ☞ Squash Court – 1 ☞ Handball Court – 1 ☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys <p>Mini Stadium at Virudhachalam Taluk</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track (Mud) ☞ Football Ground – 1 (Mud) ☞ Volleyball Court – 2 (Mud) ☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 ☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1 ☞ Handball Court – 1 ☞ Throwball
5	Dharmapuri	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track (Clay) ☞ Football Ground – 1 (Clay) ☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Cement) ☞ Volleyball Court – 2 (Clay) ☞ Beach Volleyball Court – 1 ☞ Ball Badminton Court – 1 (Clay) ☞ Boxing Ring – 1 (Cement)

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Gymnasium Hall – 1 ☞ Swimming Pool 25x13 Mts. ☞ Badminton Indoor Stadium – 1 Wooden Court with floodlight ☞ Badminton Indoor Stadium – 4 Wooden Court with floodlight ☞ Roller Skating Rink (Cement) ☞ Kabaddi Court (Clay) ☞ Kho-Kho Court (Clay) ☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Girls <p>Mini Stadium at Harur</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Basketball Court (Cement) ☞ Volleyball Court (Clay)
6	Dindigul	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track (Clay) ☞ Football Natural Turf – 1 (Grass) ☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Floodlight) (Cement) ☞ Ball Badminton Court – 2 ☞ Open Air Badminton court – 5 (Mud) ☞ Volleyball Court – 1 (Clay) ☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1 (Clay) ☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 (Clay) ☞ Multi Gym Hall – 1 ☞ Swimming Pool 25 x 13Mts. ☞ Football / Hockey Ground – 1 (Mud) ☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Girls <p>SDAT Malaikottai Mariamman Koil Ground Complex, Dindigul.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Floodlight) ☞ Volleyball Court – 1 (Mud)

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Multi Gym – 1 ☞ Open Badminton Court – 4 <p>SDAT – NGO Colony Ground, Balakrishnapuram, Dindigul</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Volleyball Court – 1 ☞ Badminton Court ☞ Mini Gym Hall <p>Mini Stadium at Nilakottai Taluk</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Football Court – 1 ☞ Volleyball Court – 1 ☞ Basketball Court – 1 ☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 <p>Mini Stadium at Natham</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 200 Mts. Athletics Track ☞ Football Ground – 1 ☞ Basketball Court – 1 ☞ Volleyball Court – 1
7	Erode	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track (Mud) ☞ Football Ground – 1 (Grass) ☞ Basketball Court – 2 (concrete) (Floodlight) ☞ Volleyball Court – 2 (Mud) (1 floodlight) ☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 ☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1 ☞ Ball Badminton court – 1 ☞ Indoor Hall for Shuttle Badminton –1 Cement Court with Floodlight ☞ Gym Hall ☞ Gymnastics Hall, Karattupalayam. ☞ Swimming Pool 25 x 13Mts.

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Girls ☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Girls at Bharathi Vidya Bhavan, Thindal. ☞ Centre of Excellence for Girls
8	Kancheepuram	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletic Track (Mud) ☞ Football Ground – 1 (Grass) ☞ Hockey Ground – 1 (Mud) ☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Floodlight) (Concrete) ☞ Volleyball Mud Court – 3 (1-Floodlight) ☞ Boxing Ring (Concrete) ☞ Ball Badminton – 1 (Mud) ☞ Indoor Squash Court – 1 ☞ Synthetic Tennis Courts – 2 (with Floodlight) ☞ Swimming Pool 25 x 13 Mts ☞ Handball Court -1 ☞ Open air Shuttle Badminton court – 3 (Mud) ☞ Table Tennis Hall ☞ Multi Gym ☞ Fencing Hall ☞ Indoor Shuttle Badminton Stadium ☞ Net Ball Court – 1
9	Kanyakumari	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track (clay) ☞ Football Ground – 1 (Grass) ☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Floodlight) (Concrete) ☞ Volleyball Court – 2 (Floodlight) ☞ Multi Gym Hall – 1

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Boxing Ring – 1 ☞ Indoor Squash Court – 1 ☞ Swimming Pool 25x13 Mts. ☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Girls
10.	Karur	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track (Mud) ☞ Football Ground (Grass) - 1 ☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Cement) ☞ Volleyball Court – 1 (Mud) ☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 (Mud) ☞ Kho-Kho-1 (Mud)
11	Krishnagiri	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track (Clay) ☞ Football Ground – 1 (Grass) ☞ Hockey Ground – 1 (Clay) ☞ Basketball Court –2 (Concrete) ☞ Handball court – 2 (Clay) ☞ Volleyball Court – 3 (Clay) ☞ Multipurpose Indoor Stadium ☞ Boxing Ring (Concrete) ☞ Synthetic Tennis Courts – 2 ☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 (Clay) ☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1 (Clay) ☞ Shuttle Indoor Stadium – 2 (5 Courts) ☞ Taekwondo Indoor Hall – 1 ☞ Multi Gym Hall – 1 ☞ Walkers Path Concrete – 1300 Mts. ☞ Swimming Pool - 1 ☞ Baby Swimming Pool – 1 ☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys <p>Mini Stadium at Hosur</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts, Athletics Track ☞ Football Ground -1 ☞ Volleyball Court – 1 (Clay) ☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 (clay) ☞ Cricket Ground <p>Mini Stadium at Uthankarai Taluk</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Football Ground -1 (Clay) ☞ Volleyball Court – 2 (Clay) ☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Concrete) ☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 (Clay)
12	Madurai	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Synthetic Athletic Track (With Floodlight facility) ☞ Football Ground – 1 (Grass) ☞ Synthetic Hockey Ground – 1 (with Floodlight) ☞ Volleyball Mud Court – 3 (1 with Floodlight) ☞ Kabaddi Court–2 (with Floodlight)(Mat available for one court) ☞ Kho-Kho Court – 2 ☞ Indoor Badminton Court - 2 ☞ Synthetic Basketball Court – 2 (1 with Floodlight) ☞ Multi Gym Hall – 1 ☞ Synthetic Tennis Courts – 2 ☞ Tennis Courts – 1 Clay ☞ Cricket Practice Net - 2 ☞ Boxing Ring - 1 ☞ Handball Court - 1 ☞ Tennikoit Cement Court - 4 ☞ Tennikoit Mud Court - 3 ☞ Gymnasium Hall - 1 ☞ Fitness Centre - 1 ☞ Indoor Hall for Badminton –4 ☞ Wooden Courts with Floodlight ☞ Swimming Pool 25x 13 Mts. ☞ Indoor Hall for Badminton – 2 courts ☞ Table Tennis Hall -1 ☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys <p>AT ELLIS NAGAR MADURAI</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Hockey Ground – 1 ☞ Basketball Concrete Court – 1
13	Nagappattinam	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track (Clay) ☞ Football Ground – 1 (Clay) ☞ Volleyball Mud Court – 2 (One

		<p>Floodlight)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Basketball Cement Court – 2 ☞ Tennis Court Clay – 1 ☞ Handball Court – 1 ☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1 ☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 ☞ Ball Badminton Court – 1 (Clay) ☞ Open Air Boxing Ring – 1 ☞ Indoor Squash Court – 1 ☞ Indoor Badminton Hall –2 (Wooden Court Floodlight) ☞ Table Tennis – 1 ☞ Weightlifting – 1 ☞ Multi Gym Hall – 1 ☞ Swimming Pool 25 x 13 Mts. <p>Mini Stadium at Tharangambadi Taluk, Nagapattinam</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track (Mud) ☞ Football Ground – 1 (Mud) ☞ Volleyball Court – 1 ☞ Basketball Court – 1 (cement) ☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 ☞ Kho-Kho – 1 <p>Mini Stadium at Thittachery</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 200 Mts. Athletics Track (Mud) ☞ Football Ground – 1 (Mud) ☞ Volleyball Court – 2 ☞ Beach Volleyball Court – 1 <p>Mini Stadium at Ayyakkaranpulam</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 200 Mts. Athletics Track (Mud) ☞ Football Ground – 1 (Mud) ☞ Volleyball Court – 1
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14	Namakkal	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track (Mud) ☞ Football Ground – 1 ☞ Hockey Ground – 1 ☞ Volleyball Court (Mud) ☞ Handball Court– 1 ☞ Kabaddi Court– 1 ☞ Kho-kho Court– 1 ☞ Swimming Pool ☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Girls ☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys and Girls at Selvam HSS, Namakkal.
		<p>Mini Stadium (Thiruchengode)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletic Track ☞ Volleyball Court - 1 ☞ Kabaddi Court - 1 ☞ Basketball Court - 1 ☞ Shuttle Court – 1
15	Perambalur	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track (Mud) ☞ Football ground (Mud) ☞ Basketball Concrete Court – 1 ☞ Volleyball Mud Court - 2 ☞ Handball Court – 1 (Mud) ☞ Kabaddi Court ☞ Kho-kho Court ☞ Swimming Pool 25x13 Mts ☞ Indoor Badminton Hall – 2 Wooden Courts ☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Girls

		<p>Mini Stadium at Veppanthattai</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 200 Mts. Athletics Track (Mud) ☞ Football Mini Ground – 1 (Mud) ☞ Volleyball Mud Court – 2 ☞ Kabaddi Court – 1
16	Pudukottai	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track (Mud) ☞ Football Ground – 1 (Mud) ☞ Hockey Ground – 1 (Mud) ☞ Volleyball Court – 1 (Mud) ☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 (Mud) ☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Concrete) (Floodlight) ☞ Gym Hall – 1 ☞ Indoor Badminton Hall – 2 (with Floodlight) (constructed and maintained by Pudukkottai Badminton Club) ☞ Swimming Pool 25x13 Mts. ☞ Boxing Ring – 1 (Wooden) ☞ Walkers Track ☞ Table Tennis Hall – 1 ☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Girls
17	Ramanathapuram	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track (Mud) ☞ Volleyball Court – 1 (with Floodlight) ☞ Basketball Court – 1 ☞ Football Ground – 1 (Clay) ☞ Hockey Ground – 1 (Clay) ☞ Handball Court – 1 (Clay) ☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 (Clay) ☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1 (Clay) ☞ Multi Gym Hall – 1 ☞ Open Air Boxing Ring (Cement) ☞ Synthetic Tennis Court– 2 (with

		<p>Floodlight)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Cricket Practice Net - 2 ☞ Badminton Wooden (with Floodlight) – 3 courts ☞ Swimming Pool 25x13 Mts. ☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys
		<p>Mini Stadium at Paramakudi</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletic Track ☞ Football Ground – 1 ☞ Volleyball Court ☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 ☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1 ☞ Badminton (Cement) – 1
18	Salem	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track (Mud) ☞ Football Ground – 1 (Mud) ☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Concrete) ☞ Volleyball Court – 3 (Mud)(1 floodlight) ☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 (Mud) ☞ Handball Court – 1 (Mud) ☞ Boxing Ring – 1 (Concrete) ☞ Multi Gym Hall – 1 ☞ Cricket Practice Net – 1 (Mud) ☞ Synthetic Tennis Court – 1 ☞ Swimming Pool 25 x 13Mts. ☞ Shuttle Indoor Stadium-4 courts (with Floodlight)(Cement) ☞ SAI Training Center
19	Sivaganga	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track (Clay) ☞ Football Ground – 1 (Grass) ☞ Volleyball Court – 2 (Clay) ☞ Hockey Ground – 1 (Clay) ☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Cement)

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Kho-kho court (Clay) ☞ Kabaddi court -2 (Clay) ☞ Swimming Pool 25 x 13Mts -1 ☞ Indoor Badminton Hall 3 (Wooden-1(at Kanchirangal), Synthetic-2) ☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys
20	Thanjavur	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts.Athletic Track -1(Clay) ☞ Football Ground – 1 (Clay) ☞ Hockey Ground – 1 (Clay) ☞ Basketball Court – 2 (Cement) ☞ Volleyball Court – 4 (Clay) ☞ Football Grass Court – 1 ☞ Hockey Synthetic.Practice Court – 1 ☞ Boxing Court – 1 ☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 ☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1 ☞ Open Shuttle Court – 1 ☞ Multi Gym Hall – 1 ☞ Indoor Squash Court – 1 ☞ Beach Volleyball Court – 1 ☞ Shuttle Indoor Hall ☞ Tennis Cement Court - 1 ☞ Swimming Pool 25x13 Mts. ☞ Walkers path ☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys
		<p>Mini Stadium at Pattukottai</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 200 Mts. Athletics Track (Mud) ☞ Football Ground – 1 (Mud) ☞ Volleyball Mud Court – 1 ☞ Beach Volleyball Court – 1 ☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 ☞ Kho-kho Court – 1

21	Theni	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Kabaddi Court – 2 ☞ Indoor Badminton Court– 2 (Wooden) ☞ Basketball Court – 1 ☞ Table Tennis Court (Indoor) – 1 ☞ Tennis Court Clay – 1 ☞ Indoor Squash Court -1 ☞ Multi Gym – 1 ☞ Swimming Pool – 1 ☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys & Girls
22	The Nilgiris	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. 6-lane Athletic Track (Cinder) ☞ Football Ground – 1 (Grass) ☞ Volleyball Court – 1 (Mud) ☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Concrete with roof) ☞ Synthetic Tennis Court – 1 ☞ Cricket Practice Net – 2 ☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys <p>Anna Indoor Stadium, Stone House Hill Post, Ooty.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Indoor Hall for Badminton–(3 Wooden Courts with Lightings) ☞ Multi Gym Hall – 1 <p>Mini Stadium at Gandhimaidan, Kothagiri</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Football ground ☞ 200 Mts. Athletic Track (Mud) ☞ Basketball court 1(Concrete) ☞ Volleyball court 1

		<p>Multipurpose Indoor Stadium, Coonoor.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Wooden Shuttle Court 2 ☞ Multi gym -1 <p>Multipurpose Indoor Stadium, Guddalore.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Wooden Shuttle Court 2 ☞ Multi gym – 1
23	Thiruvallur	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track ☞ Football Ground – 1 ☞ Basketball Court – 2 (Cement) ☞ Volleyball Court – 2 ☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 ☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1 <p>Mogappair Sports Complex</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Tennis Courts – 4(2 Synthetic, 2 Clay) ☞ Synthetic Basketball Courts – 2 ☞ Swimming Pool 25 x 13Mts. <p>(SDAT – Dolphin Academy – UnderPublic Private Partnership)</p> <p>Shooting Range at Veerapuram</p>
24	Thoothukudi	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletic Track (Mud) ☞ Football Ground – 1 (Grass) ☞ Hockey Ground – 1 ☞ Basketball Court – 1 (with floodlight) ☞ Volleyball Court – 1(with floodlight) ☞ Multi Gym Hall ☞ Open Air Boxing Ring ☞ Squash Court – 1 ☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 ☞ Shuttle Badminton Court

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Swimming Pool 25x13 Mts. ☞ Mini Swimming Pool ☞SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys
25	Tiruchirappalli	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. 8-lane Synthetic AthleticTrack ☞ Football Ground – 1 (Grass) ☞ Hockey Ground – 2 (1 Synthetic Surface) ☞ Netball court – 1 (Clay) ☞ Volleyball Court – 4 (1 with FL, 1 without FL, 1 Galvalume sheet roof with FL, 1 Beach Volleyball) ☞ Basketball Concrete Court – 2 (1 with Floodlight) ☞ Kabaddi Court – 2 (Clay) (Mat available for one ground) ☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1 (Clay) ☞ Handball Court – 1 (Clay) ☞ Indoor Squash Court – 1 (A/c) ☞ Tennis Courts – 2 (Mud) ☞ Modern Gym Indoor Hall – 1 ☞ Indoor Hall for Shuttle Badminton – 1 (Floodlight) ☞ Open Air Boxing Ring – 1 ☞ Swimming Pool 25x21 Mts. ☞ Multipurpose Indoor Stadium ☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys ☞ Centre of Excellence (Boys)
26	Tirunelveli	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track (Clay) ☞ Football Ground – 1(Clays) ☞ Hockey Ground – 1 (Synthetic) ☞ Hockey Ground – 1 (Mud) ☞ Basketball Court – 1 (concrete with Floodlight) ☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 (Mud)

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1 (Mud) ☞ Multi Gym Hall – 1 ☞ Gymnasium Hall -1 ☞ Open Air Boxing Ring – 1 ☞ Synthetic Tennis Courts – 1 (with Floodlight) ☞ Skating Rink (Concrete) ☞ Indoor Hall for Badminton (Wooden) ☞ Volleyball Court with Galvalume sheet roof ☞ Swimming Pool 25 x13Mts. ☞ Multi Gym Hall at VOC Ground – 1 ☞ Multi Gym Hall at Jinna Thidal – 1 ☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys ☞ Centre of Excellence (Boys)
		<p>Mini Stadium at Alangulam Taluk</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track ☞ Football Ground ☞ Volleyball Court ☞ Basketball Court – 1 ☞ Kabaddi & Kho-kho Court <p>Mini Stadium at Kallidaikurichi</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletic Track ☞ Football Ground ☞ Volleyball Court - 2 ☞ Basketball Court – 1 ☞ Ball Badminton Court – 1 ☞ Tennicoit Court – 1 <p>Mini Stadium at Melpalayam</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletic Track ☞ Football Ground ☞ Basketball Court

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Volleyball Court ☞ Kabaddi & Kho-kho Court <p>Mini Stadium at Sankarankovil</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 200 Mts. Athletic Track ☞ Football Ground ☞ Volleyball Court ☞ Basketball Court
27	Tiruvannamalai	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track (Clay) ☞ Football Ground – 1 (Grass) ☞ Hockey Ground (Clay) ☞ Basketball Court – 1 (concrete with Floodlight) ☞ Volleyball Court – 2 (with Floodlight) (Clay) ☞ Boxing Ring (Concrete) ☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 ☞ Ball Badminton – 1 ☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1 ☞ Handball Court – 1 (Clay) ☞ Synthetic Tennis Courts – 2 (with Floodlight) ☞ Indoor Multi Gym and Table Tennis Hall – 1 ☞ Swimming Pool 25 x 16 Mts. ☞ Baby Swimming Pool ☞ Basketball Court with Galvalume Sheet ☞ Middle Distance Academy Hostel ☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Girls <p>Mini Stadium at Arni</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ Football Ground – 1 ☞ Volleyball Court – 1 ☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Concrete) ☞ Open Air Stadium – 1
		<p>Mini Stadium at Thandarampattu Taluk</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track ☞ Football Ground – 1 ☞ Volleyball Court – 1 ☞ Open Air Stadium – 1
28	Tiruvarur	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track (Clay) ☞ Football / Hockey Ground – 1 ☞ Basketball Cement Court – 1 ☞ Volleyball Court – 1 (Clay) ☞ Swimming Pool 25x13 Mts. ☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 ☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1
29	Vellore	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 200 Mts. Athletics Track (Mud) ☞ Football / Hockey Ground – 1 (Mud) ☞ Volleyball Court – 1 (Mud) <p>Mini Stadium at Jolarpet</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletic Track (Mud) ☞ Football / Hockey Ground – 1 (Mud) ☞ Volleyball Court – 2 (Mud) ☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Concrete) ☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 (Mud) ☞ Kho – Kho Court – 1 ☞ Fitness Centre for Men & Women – 1 <p>Sathuvachari Weightlifting Centre</p>

30	Villuppuram	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletic Track -1(Mud) ☞ Volleyball Court – 2 ☞ Basketball Concrete Court – 2 ☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 ☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1 ☞ SDAT Sports Hostel for Boys
31	Virudhunagar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track (Mud) ☞ Football Ground – 1 (Mud) ☞ Hockey Ground – 1 (Mud) ☞ Volleyball Court – 2 (Floodlight) ☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Floodlight) ☞ Multi Gym Hall – 1 ☞ Boxing Ring – 1 ☞ Squash Court – 1 ☞ Kabaddi Court – 1 ☞ Kho-Kho Court – 1 ☞ Ball Badminton Court – 1 ☞ Handball Court – 1 ☞ Tennikoit Court – 2 ☞ Tennis Mud Court – 1 ☞ Table Tennis Board – 1 ☞ Open Air Shuttle Court – 1
		<p>Mini Stadium at Sivakasi Taluk</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track ☞ Football Ground – 1 ☞ Volleyball Court – 2 ☞ Basketball Court – 1 (Concrete) <p>Mini Stadium at Nenmenimettupatti</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ☞ 400 Mts. Athletics Track ☞ Football Ground – 1

APPENDIX III
CHENNAI J.N. STADIUM



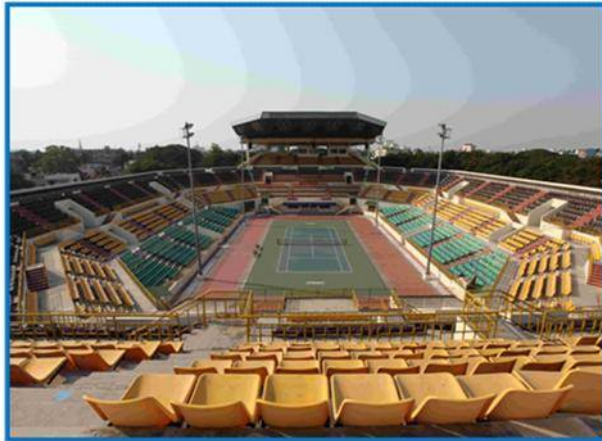
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