

AN ELECTRIFYING FINISH CROWNS THE MAHARAJ HARI SINGH MEMORIAL ANNUAL FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT 5.0 AT DPS SUSHANT LOK

Delhi Public School, Sushant Lok, Gurugram successfully concluded the **Maharaj Hari Singh Memorial Annual Football Tournament 5.0**, held from **10 to 13 December 2025**, witnessing the spirited participation of **over 35 teams** in an action-packed four-day celebration of school football.

The **Closing Ceremony** was graced by the **Chief Guest, Mr. Abhijeet Singh**, a distinguished professional and grandson of Maharaj Hari Singh, whose inspiring presence added immense prestige to the occasion. The event was further honoured by **Ms. Meenakshi Singh**, *Pro-Vice Chairperson, DPS Sushant Lok* whose leadership continues to steer the institution towards excellence.

The ceremony welcomed eminent guests including **Ms. Priyanka Tandon**, **Centre Head, Apple Blossom School**, **Mr. Jagdish Ahlawat (Addl. Education Officer, Gurugram)**, **Mr. Bikramjit Singh (renowned Football Mentor)** and **Mr. Rohit Kumar (accomplished Football Coach)**.

In the **Girls' Category Finals**, **Modern School, Vasant Vihar** emerged as **winners**, with **DPS Kangra** finishing as **runners-up** and **Lotus Valley International School** securing **third place**. In the **Boys' Category Finals**, **DPS Vasant Kunj** claimed the **winners' trophy**, followed by **DPS Sushant Lok** as **runners-up** and **The Tribhuvan School** taking **third place** after a spirited performance. Individual excellence was duly recognised with special honours. The **Golden Boot (Boys)** was awarded to **Shaurya Prakash Jha of DPS Sushant Lok** for an outstanding tally of **seven goals**, while the **Golden Boot (Girls)** went to **Hyma Pathak of Modern School, Vasant Vihar**, who netted **five goals**. The **Best Goalkeeper (Girls)** honour was claimed by **Cia Puri of Modern School, Vasant Vihar** and the **Best Goalkeeper (Boys)** award was secured by **Aaryan Thapa of DPS Vasant Kunj**, celebrating exceptional skill and consistency between the posts.

Principal, Ms. Aparna Magee, expressed her gratitude to the management for consistently organising the tournament and honouring the illustrious legacy of Maharaj Hari Singh. She also lauded the participants and staff for their spirited performance and dedication. The closing ceremony featured vibrant performances and concluded with the National Anthem, marking four days of outstanding talent, commitment and teamwork.

