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SUMBAL SPORTS FESTIVAL 2025 –ACTIVITY REPORT

Under the patronage of the worthy Principal Prof. (Dr.) Shabeena Iqbal Shawl, the opening ceremony of the Sumbal Sports Festival 2025, organized by Department of Physical Education and Sports, GDC Sumbal, was held today on 28th October 2025. The event, marked the commencement of one of the college's most awaited annual sports activities, was attended by Ms. Indu Kanwal (JKAS) Deputy Commissioner Bandipora, as Chief Guest and other dignitaries from various colleges and Department of Youth Service and Sports.



The program began with the *Izband* Ceremony, a local *Kashmiri* cultural practice followed by the green Felicitation wherein the worthy Principal presented plant saplings to the Chief Guest, and other dignitaries. A lively demonstration of gymnastic skills by Feeroz Ahmad, 3rd semester student of the college, along with his team, captivated the audience and set an energetic tone for the day.



Subsequently, the esteemed Principal accompanied by the worthy Chief Guest formally declared the Sumbal Sports Festival 2025 open by releasing the pigeon. This was followed by the Oath Ceremony, during which the player and officials affirmed commitment to integrity, fair play, and sportsmanship. The participating teams then held an impressive team march past before the dignitaries, symbolizing unity and coordination.



Two athletic demonstrations, a 100 Mtr run for men and women and a 200 mtr run for men, were conducted thereafter. Mir Muzamil Tariq, student of the host college and Insha Fayaz of GDC Ganderbal bagged 1st position in 100 mtr run for men and

women while, Mir Mudasir Tariq, GDC Sumbal bagged 1st position in 200 mtr run for men. The winners were felicitated with medals and certificates by the worthy principal and honorable chief guest.

The opening ceremony of the Sumbal Sports Festival 2025 was moderated by Dr. Saima Manzoor. The event was vibrant and well-coordinated reflecting the college's commitment to holistic education through sports and physical development. The dignitaries appreciated the enthusiasm of the participants and organizers and expressed their best wishes for the smooth conduct of all upcoming events in the festival.



After the inaugural ceremony, various athletic and indoor events were conducted across multiple venues of the campus. Athletes from GDC Hajin, GDC Bandipora, Women's College M.A. Road Srinagar, GDC Ganderbal, Amar Singh College Bemina, GCOPE Ganderbal, and GDC Kulgam participated with great zeal. All athletic events were held on the Girls' Lawn of the campus, while Volleyball (Boys) matches took place in the Boys' Park. The girls' volleyball match between M.A. Road College and GDC Ganderbal was thrilling, with GDC Ganderbal emerging victorious. The boys' volleyball semifinal witnessed a close contest between GCOPE and GDC Ganderbal, with the latter narrowly winning the match. The Kho-Kho events were conducted on the Girls' Lawn, and the Badminton (Boys) matches in the Indoor Sports Hall were highly competitive. The host college's encounter with GDC Ganderbal was particularly captivating, with GDC Ganderbal managing a narrow win.

The Badminton (Boys) finals were equally electrifying, as GDC Kulgam offered a strong challenge to GDC Ganderbal. Meanwhile, the Table Tennis finals, especially the women's match, stood out for the remarkable sportsmanship displayed by the participant from GDC Bemina, who won both the match and the audience's hearts. The Final Day of the festival witnessed a charged atmosphere as the Women's Cricket Final between GDC Sumbal (hosts) and GDC Ganderbal drew over 500 spectators. The crowd cheered passionately, and GDC Sumbal clinched victory, marking a proud moment for the host institution.



TOTAL MEDAL TALLY - GDC SUMBAL SPORTS FESTIVAL 2025

Rank	Name of the College	Gold	Silver	Bronze	Total Medals
1	GDC Ganderbal	6	2	3	11
2	GDC Sumbal	5	1	5	11
3	Govt. College of Physical Education, Gadoora	2	8	2	12
4	AAAM Degree College Bemina	-	-	-	-
5	GDC Hajin	0	1	2	3
6	GDC Bandipora	0	1	1	2
7	GCW M.A. Road Srinagar	0	0	0	0
8	GDC Kulgam	0	0	0	0
9	GDC W Sopore	0	0	0	0

TEAM EVENT RESULTS

Event	Winner	Runner-Up
Kho-Kho (Women)	GDC Ganderbal	GDC Sumbal
Badminton (Men)	GDC Ganderbal	GDC Kulgam
Badminton (Women)	GDC Sumbal	GDC Ganderbal
Volleyball (Men)	GDC Ganderbal	HKM Degree College Bandipora
Volleyball (Women)	GDC Ganderbal	GDC Sumbal
Table Tennis (Men)	AAAM Degree College Bemina	HKM Degree College Bandipora
Table Tennis (Women)	AAAM Degree College Bemina	GCW M.A. Road Srinagar
Cricket (Women)	GDC Sumbal	GDC Ganderbal



The festival concluded with a well-organized felicitation ceremony presided over by the worthy Principal of the host college and attended by faculty, guest's participants and students. Medals and trophies were presented to the winners and participants in recognition of their talent and dedication. The Principal, in her address, congratulated the students for their participation and encouraged them to continue excelling in both academics and extracurricular pursuits. The Sumbal Sports Festival 2025 proved to be a memorable event, reflecting the combined efforts of faculty, students, and the organizing committee in fostering a spirit of unity, sportsmanship, and discipline.

The Sumbal Sports Festival 2025 turned out to be a memorable celebration of teamwork, discipline, and unity, made possible through the collective efforts of the faculty, and the unwavering support of the officials of Zonal Office of Youth Services and Sports, whose cooperation was instrumental in the success of the event. The college extends heartfelt thanks to all officials for making the festival a grand success.

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Principal