



**Karunya INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY AND SCIENCES**

(Declared as Deemed to be University under Sec.3 of the UGC Act, 1956)

MoE, UGC & AICTE Approved

**NAAC A++ Accredited**

**3.3.3 - Does your university as a body share sports facilities with the local community, for instance with local schools or with the general public?**

As part of our commitment to fostering positive relationships in the community and promoting its overall well-being, KITS shares its sports facilities with local schools and the general public. This inclusive approach not only enhances accessibility to sports amenities but also encourages physical fitness and a sense of oneness among all stakeholders.

KITS provides the local communities access to three well-equipped playfields provided with floodlights, making them suitable for volleyball and kabaddi enthusiasts. This initiative promotes physical activity, teamwork, and nurtures a healthy competitive spirit while strengthening the bond between the university and local residents.

In line with the university's strong commitment to inclusivity and community engagement, we've been actively supporting differently-abled individuals through a series of impactful initiatives. This includes participation in the 'Fit India Freedom Movement 2021', promoting team sports such as basketball and cricket, hosting State Level Wheelchair Basketball and Para Volleyball Tournaments for the differently-abled and advocating inclusivity in sports. Furthermore, KITS inaugurated the Community Sports Club, for sports enthusiasts to come together, bond and enjoy various sports and physical activities to promote unity in the community.

## SPORTS ACTIVITIES

### 1. Tournament for the Differently Abled (Basketball & Cricket) as part of Fit India Freedom Movement 2021

KITS organized Cricket and Basketball games for the differently abled as part of the “**Fit India Freedom Movement**”- an initiative of the Honorable Prime Minister.

The participants included the mentally challenged and octogenarians from Care-homes. These games were conducted as a measure of social inclusivity, to encourage the differently able demonstrate their talent and skills and build their confidence quotient. The games were held on October 25, 2021 in the University Sports Complex. All guidelines laid down by the Government of Tamil Nadu for COVID-19 pandemic were strictly followed.



**Fit India Freedom Movement**

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Coimbatore, October 29, 2021: Karunya Institute of Technology and Sciences, under the direction of All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) and guidance of Chancellor Dr. Paul Dhinakaran as part of the "Fit India Freedom Movement"- an initiative of Prime Minister- organized Cricket and Basketball games for the differently abled persons. The participants included the mentally challenged and octogenarians from the care-homes. These games were conducted with a view to help the differently abled people to stretch and do workouts, to release the stress of life and to provide a refreshing encounter with sports and games. The games were held on October 25, 2021 in the University playgrounds. The games were inaugurated jointly by Dr. Samuel Thomas, Chief Operating Officer, SEESHA, Dr. S. Albones Raj, Director (Student Affairs), KITS and Dr. Sheila Daniel, Psychiatrist (SEESHA). The games began at 5 p.m. with participants having a go at basketball at the outset. Participants played cricket under the floodlights with elan both as fielders and batsmen and the interesting evening came to an end at 7 p.m. After the games, Prof. Dr. Elijah Blessing, Registrar congratulated all the participants of all the events and the organizer. All guidelines laid down by the

## 2. State Level Wheel Chair Basketball (Men & Women) & Para Volleyball (Men) Tournament

On September 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>, 2022, KITS organized a Commemorative Tournament for the Differently Abled on the occasion of the 60<sup>th</sup> birthday of the Chancellor of the University. The event was presided over by Shri. K. Shanmuga Sundaram, Member of Parliament (Lok Sabha), Pollachi Constituency, Tamil Nadu, who also handed over the Commemorative Cup to the winners. Several Teams from Pondicherry and Tamil Nadu competed in the tournament.

The Vellore team (Men) bagged the first place in the basketball wheelchair competition, the Women's Shooters team bagged the first place in the shooting competition and the Coimbatore team (Men) bagged the First place in the Para Volleyball competition.



**State Level Wheel Chair Basketball & Para Volleyball Tournament**





### **Recognition and Prize Distribution by the Chancellor, KITS**

The winners were congratulated, and Dr. Paul Dhinakaran, the honourable chancellor of Karunya University, spoke to the group. The event was graced by Mr. Samuel Dhinakaran, Trustee, Karunya Educational and Research Trust.

### 3. Inaguration of Karunya Nagar Sports Club

As led by our beloved brother Dr. Paul Dhinakaran, the Karunya Nagar Sports Club was inaugurated on July 15th, 2022 by Bro. Samuel Paul Dhinakaran. The club comprises of local youths from in and around Karunya Nagar and provides an opportunity to identify talented youths and promote sports in the rural community.



**Inaguration of Karunya Nagar Sports Club**

The Kabaddi court was set up with flood lights and declared open to the rural youths to practice. 34 local youths participated in the inaugural event. Dr. Shilpa Dhinakaran graced the occasion and motivated the sports club members.

## Sports Facilities shared with Local Schools



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### MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

This Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) is entered into at Karunya Nagar, Coimbatore on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of August 2019,

between

**Karunya Institute of Technology and Sciences** (Deemed to be University), Karunya Nagar, Coimbatore - 641 114, represented by its Registrar, Dr. R. Elijah Blessing, (hereinafter referred to as **KITS**), (which expression unless repugnant to the context and meaning shall mean and include its assigns, legal representative, nominee, successor in office, administrator, executor, etc.) of the **ONE PART**

and

**Evangeline Matriculation Higher Secondary School**, situated at Karunya Nagar Coimbatore - 641 114, represented by its Principal, Mrs. Vino Kalai Selvi (hereinafter called the **EMHSS**), (which expression unless repugnant to its context and meaning shall mean and include her assigns, legal representative, nominee, successor in office, administrator, executor, etc.) of the **OTHER PART**

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**EMHSS**, which is having 1200 students and most of them are from the local Rural/Tribal community has approached the **KITS** to extend their sports facilities, such as play grounds and other sports complex to develop the mind and body of the rural and tribal student community of the said **EMHSS**, since they are not having sufficient sports facilities.

AND WHEREAS **KITS** has agreed to provide the said sport complex facilities for the upliftment of Rural/Tribal community and the **EMHSS** has agreed to enter into an MoU for making use of the sports complex facilities with following terms and conditions hereinafter contained:

**NOW THIS INDENTURE WITNESSES AS FOLLOWS:**

**KITS** has, after due consideration of the request of **EMHSS**, agreed to give to use the sports complex and its facilities, exclusively for the said purpose, on the following terms and conditions.

**TERMS AND CONDITIONS**





1. To use **KITS** Sports Facilities by **EMHSS** for a period of 5 years commencing from 01/08/2019.
2. **EMHSS** shall attend to the minor repairs and maintenance to keep the demised premises in good condition throughout the period of MoU.
3. **EMHSS** shall use the demised Sport Complex and the facilities exclusively for the purpose for which the said is given. **EMHSS** shall not use the demised premises for illegal, objectionable and dangerous purposes or for any other purposes opposed to any law.
4. **EMHSS** shall have no right to assign, sub-let, re-let, under-let the demised premises in any manner whatsoever or transfer the demised premises or any portion thereof, to any person, at any time, during the period of the MoU.
5. Any damages to the demised premises, not at the instance of **KITS** and excluding force majeure and unforeseen calamities (Act of God), shall be corrected by the **EMHSS** meeting such costs and expenses by itself.
6. **KITS** or its agents, whose names and identity, for the sake of security, are furnished to **EMHSS** by **KITS**, before hand, shall have a right to inspect the demised premises, with prior notice to **EMHSS**, for the sake of convenience.
7. To safe guard the interest of both **KITS** and **EMHSS**, it is mutually agreed by and between **KITS** and **EMHSS**, that during the currency of this MoU, either party may terminate this MoU, by giving 3 months advance notice in writing, to the other, about their intention to terminate the MoU.





8. Upon termination or sooner determination of this MoU, **EMHSS** agrees to dismantle, remove and take away all items of work, thing, articles, and equipments, if any, installed in the demised premises in connection with the deliberations carried on by **EMHSS**, during the period of the MoU.
9. Both the parties agree that in case of any doubt in respect of the meaning or interpretation of any word or terminology used in the Terms & Conditions of this MoU a liberal meaning may be given to such word or terminology, in the mutual interest of both the Parties.
10. Both parties agree that in case of any differences or dispute between the parties as regards any of the terms & conditions of this MoU, the same may be mutually discussed and resolved amicably. Both parties agree that in all matters of disputes or differences concerning the terms of this MoU, requiring judicial interference, only the Coimbatore courts shall have jurisdiction.
11. **EMHSS shall** have quiet and peaceful possession of the said premises without any hindrance from **KITS**.
12. **EMHSS shall** not have the right to take away any fixtures that **KITS** may attach to the said premises or any item owned by **KITS** and to make good any damage that are occasioned thereby.
13. **EMHSS shall** restore the said premises to **KITS** in original condition subject to normal wear and tear.
14. **EMHSS shall** carry out temporary structural additions or alterations in the said premises with the consent of **KITS**.
15. **EMHSS** agrees to maintain the said premises in good condition at all times.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF THE PARTIES HAVE SET THEIR RESPECTIVE HANDS, AT ~~CHENNAI~~ **COIMBATORE**, ON THE DAY, MONTH AND YEAR FIRST ABOVE WRITTEN

| Signed for and on behalf of   | Signed for and on behalf of   |
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| <b>Karunya Institute of Technology and Sciences (KITS)</b>  | <b>Evangeline Matriculation Higher Secondary School (EMHSS)</b>   |
| <p>Prof. Dr. R. Elijah Blessings<br/>Registrar<br/>Date: 01.08.2019</p>  | <p>Mrs. Vino Kalai Selvi<br/>Principal<br/>Date: 01.08.2019</p>  |
| Witness. <br>(A. JOHN BENNET)  | Witness <br>(L.ATHISAYAMAN ASIRVATHAM)                            |