

8th All India Asian Challenge Basketball Tournament commences

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On a serene summer morning amidst the beautiful green gardens, one of the most awaited events of the school calendar, 8th All India Asian Challenge Basketball Tournament was flagged off today. The ceremony commenced with the arrival of the Chief Guest, A. K. Das, Principal, The Asian School, who declared the tournament open.

The most solemn part of the event was the oath of fair play taken by Mohd. Zubair Ahmed Khan, The Captain of the host school. This was followed by the first match of the tournament which began with enthusiasm and excitement among students. Many participants were among the state and national level players.

In the Morning Session, the First Match was between TAS - B & Holy Public School. The Second



Match was between Sacred Souls & **Kasiga School** and was won by **Kasiga School**. The Third Match was between Selaqui World School & The Doon School. In the Evening Session, the First Match was between TAS - A & DIS and was won by The Asian School, Dehradun. The Second Match was between MNSS Rai & Holy Public School and was won by

Holy Public School. The Third Match between TAS & The Doon School was won by The Doon School.

The players displayed an amalgamation of speed, skill, stamina, strength and spirit. They displayed team work and discipline.

The spectators motivated the players and infused energy into them. All matches were closely

contested with spectators eager for some splendid netting.

The prominent dignitaries present on the occasion were the Vice President of The Asian School Madanjeet Singh Juneja, The Principal A.K. Das, Director, Gaganjyot Singh Juneja, coaches from participating schools, the staff and the students of The Asian School, Dehradun.