

SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT STUDIES

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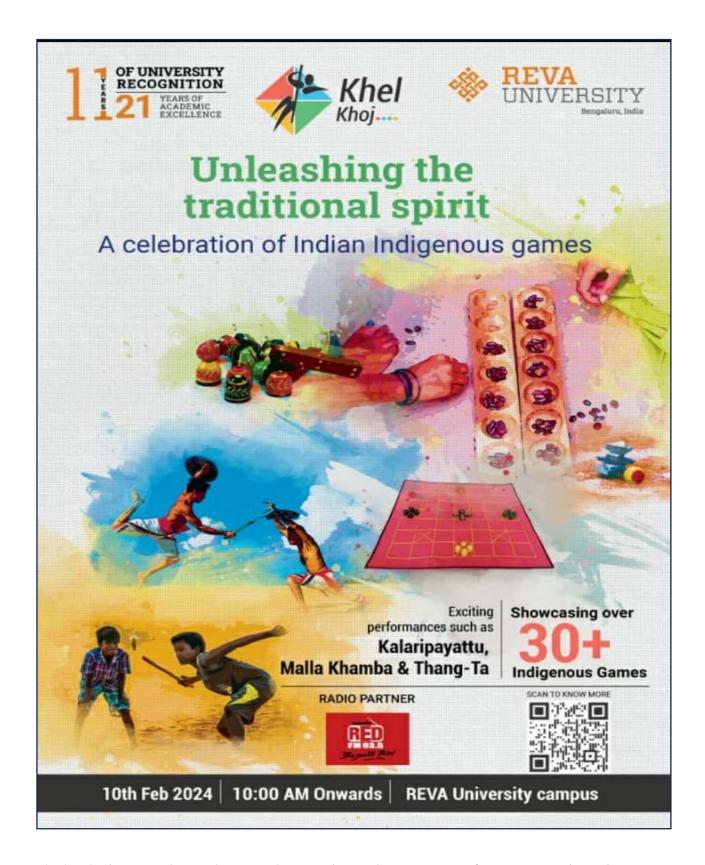
EVENT REPORT

REVA University, on February 10^{th,} 2024, hosted the second edition of Khel Khoj to revitalize traditional and indigenous games on its campus. The event witnessed hundreds of enthusiastic children and teenagers actively participating in the games.

Manjunath Prasad N., Additional Chief Secretary, Department of Youth Empowerment and Sports, who inaugurated the programme, said, "Our heritage, languages, sports and games have a long history attached. They have lost their sheen due to the Western influence. Hence, it is important to revive age-old and traditional games. "He added that games and sports play an important role in the lives of students, besides improving mental skills and enhancing teamwork and booting confidence.

D. Carthigueane, NSS Regional Director, GoI, guest of honour, in his address said, "I believe that this is the right time to revive forgotten games and bring them back for the students. He said that initiatives such as Khel Khoj will pique students' interest in their culture, tradition and ancient games.

Umesh S. Raju, Pro-Chancellor of REVA University, said over 35 traditional games from across the nation featured in this edition of Khel Khoj.



Khel Khoj event brought together various departments from our university, all working together to make this event a memorable one. Our department, the School of Management Studies, also played a significant role in making this event a grand success.

One of the most thrilling games at the event was the tug of war. It was a battle of strength and teamwork, as participants from different departments competed against each other. The atmosphere was filled with excitement and cheers as teams gave their all to claim victory in this classic game.

Another exciting game that captured everyone's attention was the bomb in the city game. It required participants to strategize and work together to solve clues and defuse the "bomb" hidden in different parts of the city. This game not only tested their problem-solving skills but also encouraged teamwork and quick thinking.

The participation in these games was overwhelming, with many enthusiastic individuals stepping up to take part. It was heartwarming to see students from various departments coming together and showcasing their talent and sportsmanship.

Apart from the games, the Khel Khoj event also featured cultural performances, food stalls, and interactive booths. Participants and attendees had the opportunity to explore traditional games from different regions, indulge in delicious snacks, and soak in the vibrant atmosphere of the event.

Overall, the Khel Khoj event was a resounding success. It brought together students, faculty, and staff from different departments, fostering a sense of unity and camaraderie. It not only celebrated our rich cultural heritage but also provided a platform for students to showcase their skills and talents.

Lastly, we would like to express our heartfelt gratitude to our college for organizing such a wonderful event that allowed us to revisit and cherish our childhood traditional games. It was truly a nostalgic experience that brought back fond memories.

We would also like to extend a special thanks to our faculty coordinators of the School of Management Studies – D. Srikant Reddy, and Dr.K.P.Venkataswamy for your guidance, support, and dedication were

instrumental in making our department's participation in the Khel Khoj event a success. We appreciate all the effort you put into organizing and coordinating our involvement. And also, for all the student volunteers too.

























