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SBIOA [CC] SPORTS WING **UNITY THROUGH SPORTS**

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Dear Comrades,

ZONE - IV CLINCHES HANDBALL TITLE

The Handball tournament for men and Throw ball for women held by our Sports Wing of our Association on 30.11.2014 (Sunday) at our SBOA School & Junior college grounds here came on alive that experienced the massive response from our members and Spouse. It was a pleasant day and comrades thronged to our school ground and it was of joy and pleasure when our members participated with zeal and enthusiasm.

Zone IV and **Zone III** was at its best but the day belonged to Zone IV where they triumphed in the Handball event for men in our 24th edition of annual sports meet held at our SBOA school grounds on 30.11.2014. Powered by a splendid display of accurate shooting both the teams were in good form and the credit goes to Com Tamilventhan, of Zone IV who did a splendid job under the bar in the finals saving half a dozen goals. Zone III with com. Mohan, Com Tirupathiraja, at their best ably supported by our Regional Secretary Com. Joseph, opened the score when Com Mohan's powerful shoot pierced into the net by a pass supplied by com Tirupathi. Immediately Zone IV retaliated and Com Cedric scored the first goal with a beautiful pass from Com Balaji ably supported by Com. Mukundan. It was a seesaw battle with both the teams scoring , and the finals was worth witnessing. The trio from Zone IV, Com Mukundan, Com Balaji and Com Cedric D Cruz played a stellar role and their chemistry worked well for Zone IV along with Tamilvendan who did a splendid job under the bar. Zone III players fought back and Com Mohan, Volleyball player from our bank opened the score for Zone III. With the score reading 5 -5, at the end of the game both the teams continued to play extra time and in the first half Com Altaf, Com Mukundan of Zone IV

scored the sixth and seventh goal for Zone IV and then on it was Zone IV day. Zone III players were not able to cope up with the speed and accurate passes and powerful shooting of the three musketeers from Zone IV. Ultimately at the end of the hooter, the score read 7-5 in favour of Zone IV. But for the excellent work under the bar by Tamilventhan, the result would have been different.

The winners, **Zone IV** was represented by Com. Tamilventhan of Velachery branch, Com. S.S. Mukunthan of Maduranthakam branch, Com. N. Ravichandran of Villupuram ADB, Com A. Balaji of RACPC, Egmore, Com Cedric D Cruz from T Nagar, Com Sujith of Mogappair west and Com Altaf of Treasury branch.

Zone III was represented by Com Dakshinamurthy, Com. Sundararaman, Com Babu Manohar, Com. Circar and Com Seetharaman from LHO. Com. A.V.Joseph, our Regional Secretary, Chennai -I, Com. P.Mohan of HLST, Com. S.S Tirupatiraja of RACPC, MRC Nagar.

Earlier in the first semifinals, **Zone -III** played against **Zone I**. Zone -I represented by Com Sundararajan, Com Sivramakrishnan, Com Sanjeevi, Com Thirumalai, Com G.C. Paul, Com Dwaraknath and Com Ian could not cope up with Zone III and eventually Zone III won the match 13-4.

In the second semifinals **Zone II** clashed with **Zone IV**. The Powerful Zone IV team, with good team work won the match by 10-4 beating Zone II, represented by Com. Prabakar, Com. Santosh, Com. Srisankaran, Com. Arulanandan, Com Soresh, Com Ganesh and Com Srinivasan.



(Com. Ravichandran, Reg. Sec. Che-2, Greeting the Finalists of the Handball Tournament)

In the throw ball event for Ladies winners **Team 'A'** Represented by Smt S. Yasodha, Janappanchathiram branch, Smt Shanthy, Siruseri branch, Smt Anjukam S. of Egmore branch, Smt Kalaiselvi. R, w/o Com A. Ravichandran, Regional Secretary of Chennai -II, Smt Uma chitra, w/o Com. Janwed, RACPC Egmore, Smt. Reji Joseph w/o Com A. V. Joseph Regional Secretary of Chennai -I, Smt.

Aruna. M w/o Com Muralidharan, LHO, Smt. Vimal Aswath w/o Com Aswath, from Alandur branch and Smt. Satyabama w/o Com. Inbarasu of Royapuram branch beat **Team B** represented by Smt JothiParthipan of Perungudi branch, Smt. Sumathi. S, of SME, Chennai, Smt. Meenakshi, w/o Com. Vinodkumar of Avadi branch, Smt. Sutapa w/o Com G.C.Paul of LHO, Smt. Sagarika Biswal w/o Com R K Biswal of Besant Nagar branch, Smt Myhtili Ravikumar, w/o Com J Ravikumar, Nelson Manickam road branch, Smt. Easwari w/o Com Mahesh, Commercial branch, Smt Selvi, w/o Com Anbumozhi from Athiramapattinam, branch and Smt. Susan, w/o Cedric D Cruz of T nagar branch.



(Team-A, Winners of the throw ball game seen above)



(Team-B, Runners of throw ball game seen above)

Comrades, please note that the **Basketball Tournament for members (Men) will be played on Sunday the 7th December 2014 at 7.00 a.m. at our SBOA School & Junior college, Anna Nagar.** SBIOA sport wing extend a warm welcome to our comrades to turn in large numbers for the ensuing games and make the 24th sports meet an unprecedented success.

COME, PARTICPATE, ENCOURAGE & ENJOY

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Yours in SBIOA Service,

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