

Anyone who is prepared to embrace it can call Dhansiri their home. We are really proud to house a group of boys who are gradually maturing into gentlemen. It resembles a potpourri of several scents; each is distinctive and makes a unique contribution. As a House, Dhansiri has undergone numerous adjustments. Dhansiri has experienced failure before, and while there have been many low points to counteract the great points, these failures serve as the cornerstone of the entire learning process. Dhansiri strives to make the House better every year in every way. Brotherhood comes first as always. In Dhansiri, we are taught every vital detail there is to know for life in the cozy atmosphere of a family. With its increased sense of responsibility, discipline, competition, and respect for everything and everyone, Dhansiri, standing in the eyes of the school has improved significantly over the course of the 2022–2023 academic year.

### **INTER-HOUSE EVENTS**

Inter-House Basketball -1<sup>st</sup>
Inter-House Cricket - 2<sup>nd</sup>
Inter-House Marathon - 1<sup>st</sup>
Inter-House Tennis Tournament - 2<sup>nd</sup>
Inter-House Movie-Making -1<sup>st</sup>
Inter-House Art - 1<sup>st</sup>
Inter-House Sculpture and Pottery Competition - 1<sup>st</sup>
Inter-House Debate - 1<sup>st</sup>
Inter-House Design Competition 2023 - 2<sup>nd</sup>
Inter-House Chess Competition - 2<sup>nd</sup>

## **SCHOOL COLOURS**

Jeevesh Agarwal

## INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENTS

Drengo Mihu: Outstanding Award in Western Solo Instrumental in IPSC Music Fest 2023
Taku Soh, Tushar Malik: Selected for SGFI football and SGFI badminton respectively
Piyush Paul: Gold in IPSC Taekwondo and selected for SGFI
Pranjal Jaiswal: 3<sup>rd</sup> in Product and Pottery Design in SRIJANYAM 2023
Agastya Jaju: Best Rider Trophy, Children in Shillong Heritage Horse Show
Karan Gam: Silver, Gold in IPSC Equestrian Championship 2023
Agastya Jaju: Silver, Gold in IPSC Equestrian Championship 2023
Soham Agarwal: Selected to represent Shillong Cricket Association's U-15 Cricket Team
Benjamin MacDonald: 1<sup>st</sup> Position in All Assam State Squash Tournament U-13 Boys' Category
Ishaan Beria: 1<sup>st</sup> Position in English Olympiad and ICT Olympiad



## NAMDANG



Standing Row 6 (L to R): Abhinav Sharma, Rangdou Houmai, Garv Kedia, Biida Karbak, Prithviraj Paul, Samarth Mahatta, Kemo Dulom, Neel Garodia, Kaezax kholie

Standing Row 5 (L to R): Shaurya Chaurasia, Nabajyoti Hazrika, Kapish More, Prameya Saha, Adhyan Pareek, Harshil Beriwal, Bornil Phukan, Swadheen Banerjee, Arihant Ghorawat, Martet Basar, Lakshya Ahluwalia, Siddhant Poddar, Murari Mohan Saha

Standing Row 4 (L to R): Viren Chopra, Alonso Nongthombam, Aditya Gargo, Anikaith Joshi, Kelden Rigsang, Dhruv Prithani, Arnav Dutta, Tayu Natung, Soba Tadar, Shuhail Ali Ahmed, Joshua Liezietsu, Karma Bhutia, Mohammad Yuhannis, Debangan Nath, Nilesh Agarwal, Nivraan Thapa

Standing Row 3 (L to R): Shreyan Dutta, Abhigyan Sarkar, Matthew Vanmalsawmsanga, Nangra Reyin, Tanveer Alom, Kunal Borah, Archan Bailung, Adhvik Mittal, Garv Agarwal, Dikshaan Jain, Nikunj Bajaj, Rayaan Agarwal, Nishanta Borah, Uttam Pukhrambam, Priyam Bagaria, Moilung Ngonyen, Arnav Sharma, Sanchit Ruthia, Ayan Saikia

Standing Row 2 (L to R): Gideon Liezietsu, Kangtum Phassang, Vivaan Agarwalla, Mebaman Kharlyngdoh, Taj Taranga Saikia, Aditya Ghosh, Devarsh Agarwal, Rangkam Sonam, Sarthak Mahatta, Rudra Kundu, Abhinav Singhania, Sujoy Das, Kanav Agarwal, Asif Ahmed, Chera Raka, Naman Agarwal, Jeffrey Dhkar, Laditya Keshan, Matthias Lamin

Standing Row 1 (L to R): Marni Basar, Om Agarwal, Atreya Das, Raghav Agarwalla, Samarth Jain, Nafees Kakati, Pravi Agarwalla, Ringu Larbu, Shaphaba Langam, Techi Lonam, Pezavi Rio, Jikum Phassang, Tajar Phassang, Guevara Langam, Tage Lahye, Joram Chagam, Akshat Keshan, Bastab Borah, Abhinab Roy Sarkar, Dhananjay Thingujam, Keshav Pandia, Anubrat Basak, Kanav Dokania

Seated (L to R): Mr. Rajender Chauhan, Mr. Minto Borah, Mr. Rajib Hazarika, Mr. Mohommad Aziz, Mr. Pranjal Baruah, Ms. Lipika Pathak, Mr. Anubhav Sarkar, Krish Mahajan, Mr. Samuel Daniel David, Gungming Phassang, Ms. Nibedita Kalita Sarma, Ms. Mousumi Talukdar, Mr. Parth Parasher, Mr. Thajeb Ali Hazarika, Mr. Qamar Alam, Mr. Varun Walia, Vessaj Goswami





Namdang House, often referred to as the *House of Spartans*, strives to live up to its name. Within its walls, courage, integrity, harmony, and brotherhood are not just words but the very essence of its identity. Namdang House has had a wonderful tenure this year. Under the able leadership of Krish Mahajan, Prithiviraj Paul and Samarth Mahatta, the House has made phenomenal strides in the spheres of academics, culture and sports. The House also retained the School Captain position which was held by Gungming Phassang and had two school positions – Cultural Captain by Veesaj Goswami and Academics Captain by Neel Madhav Garodia. The House strives to create boys who are undaunting, self-disciplined and selfless.

The young men of Namdang House hold a profound belief in collective growth, nurturing each other to become better individuals adorned with honourable virtues. The three cherished words of their motto, *Dare to Excel*, hold immense significance for every Spartan within these walls.

## **SCHOOL COLOURS**

Jaskeerat Singh Yash Raj Agarwal Chinmoy Tamuli Karleen Tok Luvish Sharma

## **INTER-HOUSE EVENTS**

Inter-House Athletics - 2<sup>nd</sup>
Inter-House Marathon - 2<sup>nd</sup>
Inter-House Cricket - 1<sup>st</sup>
Inter-House LawnTennis - 1<sup>st</sup>
Inter-House Badminton - 2<sup>nd</sup>
Inter-House Basketball - 2<sup>nd</sup>
Inter-House Dance - 1<sup>st</sup>
Inter-House Movie-Making - 2<sup>nd</sup>
Inter-House One-Act Play - 2<sup>nd</sup>
Inter-House Music - 2<sup>nd</sup>
Inter-House Hindi Debates - 1<sup>st</sup>
Inter-House Mural - 2<sup>nd</sup>
Inter-House Product designing - 1<sup>st</sup>

## **INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENTS**

Aarnav Dutta:

1. All Assam Squash Championship – 1st

2. Represented Assam Team in the 36th National Games

3. Bronze Medal in IPSC Football U-17

4. Most Promising Sportsman of the Year
Mebaman Kharlyngdoh:

1. Bronze Medal in IPSC U-17 Football

2. Shillong Horse Show (1 Gold Medal, 2 Bronze Medals)
Gungming Phassang:

1. Bronze Medal In IPSC U-17 Football

2. Selected For SGFI Football

Krish Mahajan: Most Promising Journalist of the Year

Kelden Rigsang: Sikkim State Swimming U-14 (Bronze Medal)
Abhigyan Roy Sarkar: IPSC riding equestrian (Silver Medal)

Veesaj Goswami: Pune Fest (3 Gold Medals)





# **ATHLETICS**

his year, the Annual Athletics Meet was held on the 16th of December, 2022. Many track and field events were held, some of which were the 100m Race, 200m Race, Javelin Throw and High Jump. The School saw many new talented athletes in this year's meet and definitely discovered promising sportsmen and sportswomen.

The school witnessed a March Past presentation from each House, of which the positions were as follows:

1st Bhoroli-Lohit

2nd Kopili-Dhansiri

3rd Subansiri-Namdang

4th Jinari-Manas

The overall positions for Inter-House Athletics, 2022 were:

- 1<sup>st</sup> Bhoroli-Lohit
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Subansiri-Namdang
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Jinari-Manas
- 4<sup>th</sup> Kopili-Dhansiri









# **CRICKET**

he first official cricket match was played at The Assam Valley School on 13th April 1995. This match was organized between Lohit House and Manas House. It was a historic match since it was the first to be played in the School on the brand new pitch. The first ball was a wide- unfortunately- bowled by Randeep Baruah of Manas to Pankaj Bujar Baruah. Manas House was eventually wiped out and the game ended with Lohit House on 69/5; the match was terminated with Manas at 42/5 since it was getting dark. Since then cricket at The Assam Valley School has become one of the major sports on campus. Mr. Iftikhar Hasan, former Master-In-Charge, Cricket (Ranji Player, Rajasthan), took keen interest to develop this game among the boys and girls. From the junior in class 5 to the senior in class 12, one can observe them training every day. In the year 2018, BCCI started conducting board matches at the AVS cricket ground where we witnessed the Vijay Merchant Trophy and the Cooch Behar Trophy matches. The COVID 19 pandemic in recent years had an impact on the players because it prevented them from competing in tournaments and hampered their development, but it didn't stop them from playing and enjoying the game. Our U-17 team was given an opportunity to compete in the IPSC event in the year 2022. This year too our U-17 team participated in the IPSC U-17 tournament held in the first week of October 2023 where they played till the Quarter-Final by defeating DPS, R.K. Puram, Emerald Heights School, Indore and B.K. Birla School, Pune.

Achievements of the individual players: Inter-House Cricket Tournament, 2023:

1<sup>st</sup> Position: Namdang House

2<sup>nd</sup> Position: Manas, Lohit, and Dhansiri House









# Tennis

Tennis is not just a game but a feeling for the aviators who persevere to be a better version of themselves with each practice session as for them, it is not the destination but the journey that matters. The court is their place of worship. It is captivating to see how even after the pandemic, aviators have proven that no obstacle can ever come in their way to success.



Lawn Tennis (Boys) Standing Row 3 (L to R): Prayaash Khakholia, Vivek Gattani, Avikam Bharali, Vidhan Fogla
Standing Row 2 (L to R): Siddhant Singh, Manas Jain, Nikunj Bajaj, Rajnish Sharma, Ishan Deka, Tanush Gattani
Standing Row 1 (L to R): Abhinav Singhania, Lakshay Gattani, Lakshyaveer Barman, Chandraneel Choudhury, Raghav Agarwal, Jivitesh Agarwala
Seated (L to R): Adhayan Saikia, Garv Kedia, Mr. Sanjay Pathak, Mr. Chandra Shekhar Kumar, Aryan Agarwal





## Lawn Tennis (Girls)

Standing Row 3 (L to R): Nayanika Borah, Ross Taba, Aryan Agarwal, Anushka Somani, Yeasel Lamtha
Standing Row 2 (L to R): Yakshi Modi, Vidhi Bajaj, Jahnavi Sharma, Avantika Jajodia, Khushi Agarwal, Tonmoyee Buragohain
Standing Row 1 (L to R): Priyadarshika Karki, Joyshika Sharma, Kayna Dhingra, Nandini Agarwal, Kasak Ladha, Prayatna Rajkumari, Jignasa Bora
Seated (L to R): Richa Basaiawmoit, Diksha Baruah, Mr. Sanjay Pathak, Mr. Chandra Shekhar Kumar, Tanishka Sharma







# **SQUASH**

Squash has been growing year by year at The Assam Valley School. Every year, aviators participate in the state and national championships. Around sixty students have opted for Squash as their main sport. Some of the highlights of the achievements of our team this year are:

- \* Aarnav Dutta participated in the 36th National Games of India held in Gandhinagar, Gujarat.
- \* 3rd position in the All Assam State Tournament organized by Assam Squash Racket Association in December 2022.



Standing row 3 (L to R): Bihwma Boro, Archan Bailung, Nayanika Borah, Neev Kejriwal, Urvashi Bora, Abhigyan Sarkar, Adhyan Pareek
Standing row 2 (L to R): Garv Agarwal, Suyash Bukredia, Alphonsa Pakyntein, Benjamin Macdonald, Adrika Dey, Ahona Chowdhury, Naman Agarwala, Rishav Thakuria
Standing row 1 (L to R): Deepshika Mukherjee, Sambi Dey, Kanav Kejriwal, Baruri Saha, Ved Domai, Alok Koch, Upasana Rana, Aanya Sarkar, Niharika Goswami
Seated (L to R): Kritartha Koushik, Anukriti Kashyap, Mr. Sanjay Pathak, Mr. Mohommad Aziz, Aarnav Dutta