



Message from

**Mohd. Mushtaque Ahmad,**  
Secretary General - Hockey India  
Chairman - Hockey India League

Hello Friends!

As we look back at 2016, it's been a year of fulfilling promises, team advancement and putting Indian Hockey on the world map. There could not have been a better way to end 2016 than the high note on which our Junior team triumphs and brought home the

World Cup at the Uttar Pradesh Hockey Junior World Cup Men Lucknow 2016. I would like to extend my heartiest wishes to each player, coaches, support staff and everyone involved in the winning journey.

In particular, I would also like to convey my gratitude to the Uttar Pradesh Government for making this dream a reality and leaving no stone unturned.

On an optimistic note, as we wrap 2016 up, let's embrace the coming year as a shining new chapter for Indian Hockey and we are confident that we will walk into 2017 with much stronger steps to achieve greater heights.



# Team Arrivals for Uttar Pradesh Hockey Junior World Cup Men Lucknow 2016



Team Argentina



Team Australia



Team Austria



Team Belgium



Team Canada



Team England



Team Egypt



Team Germany



# Team Arrivals for Uttar Pradesh Hockey Junior World Cup Men Lucknow 2016



Team India



Team Japan



Team Korea



Team Malaysia



Team Netherlands



Team New Zealand



Team South Africa



Team Spain

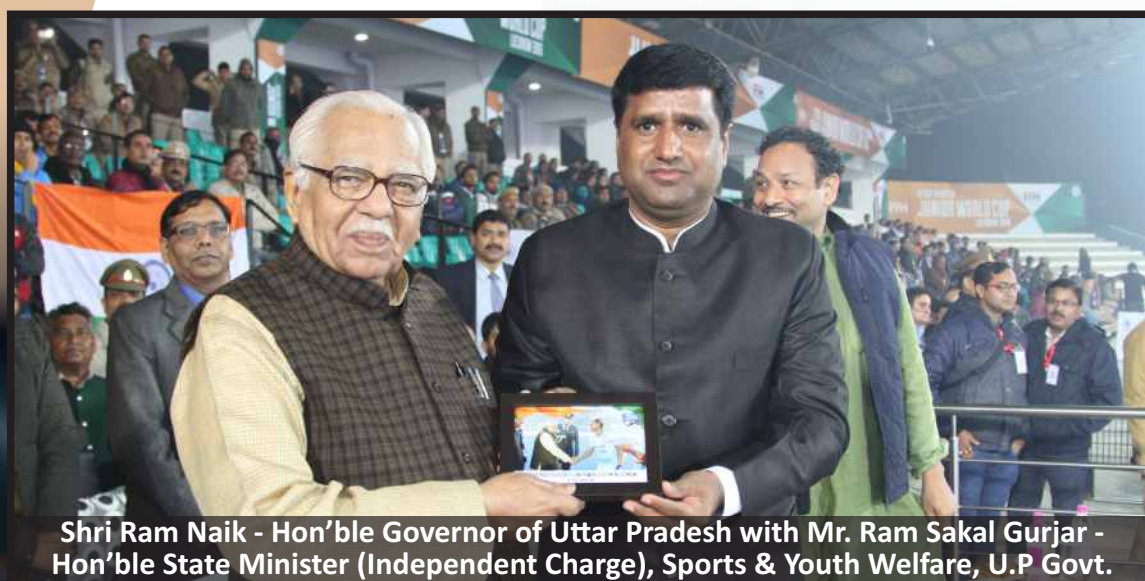


# Opening Ceremony

## Uttar Pradesh Hockey Junior World Cup Men Lucknow 2016



Dr. Anita Bhatnagar Jain - Principal Secretary (Sports & Youth Welfare), Shri Ram Naik - Hon'ble Governor of Uttar Pradesh, Dr. Anurag Singh Bhadauria - Advisor Sports, Uttar Pradesh arriving for the Opening Ceremony



Shri Ram Naik - Hon'ble Governor of Uttar Pradesh with Mr. Ram Sakal Gurjar - Hon'ble State Minister (Independent Charge), Sports & Youth Welfare, U.P. Govt.







**Shri Ram Naik - Hon'ble Governor of Uttar Pradesh with Mr. Ram Karan Arya - Hon'ble State Minister, Sports & Youth Welfare, U.P Govt.**



**Dr. Anita Bhatnagar Jain - Principal Secretary, Sports & Youth Welfare with Family**



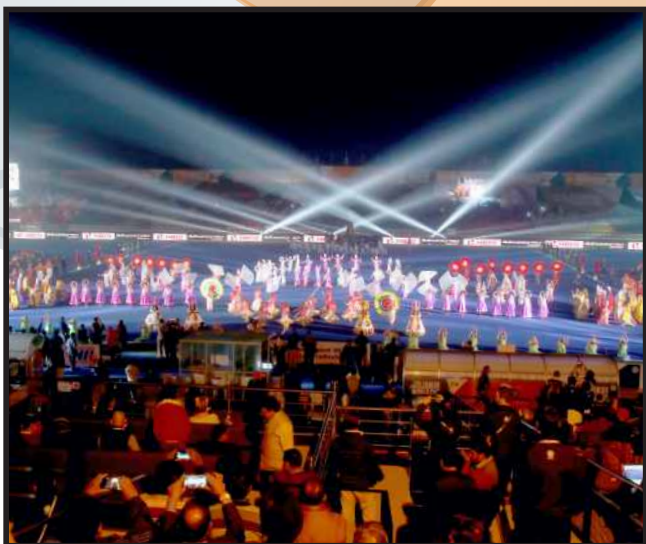
**Mr. Ram Sakal Gurjar - Hon'ble State Minister (Independent Charge), Sports & Youth Welfare, Shri Ram Naik - Hon'ble Governor of Uttar Pradesh & Mr. Ram Karan Arya - Hon'ble State Minister, Sports & Youth Welfare, U.P Govt.**













# Dignitaries At Uttar Pradesh Hockey Junior World Cup Men Lucknow 2016



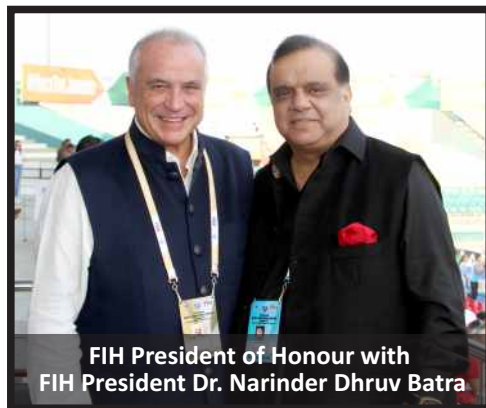
**FIH President - Dr. Narinder Dhruv Batra Presenting a memento to Shri Akhilesh Yadav (Hon'ble Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh)**



**Mr. Seif Ahmed - FIH EB Member & FIH President of Honour Mr. Leandro Negre**

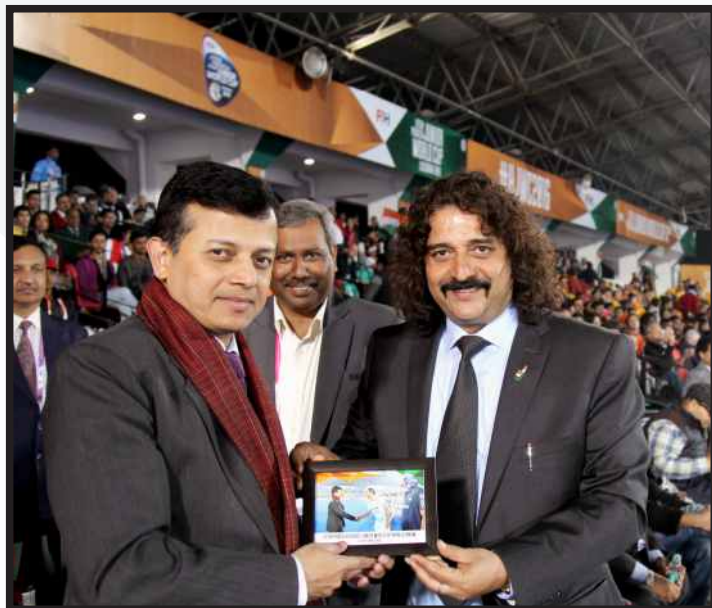


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**FIH President of Honour with FIH President Dr. Narinder Dhruv Batra**





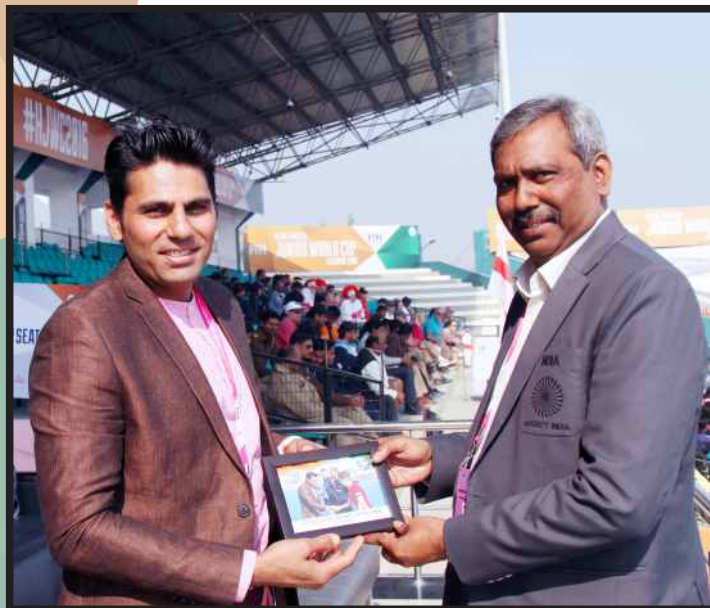




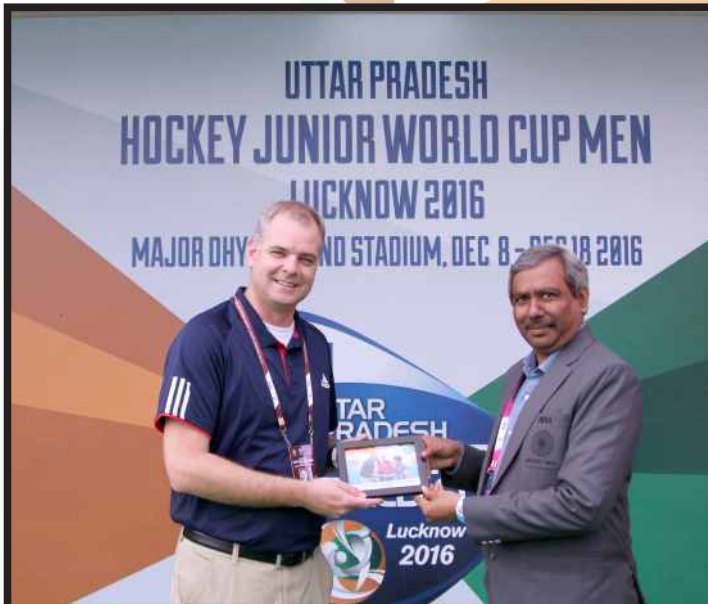














# Uttar Pradesh Hockey Junior World Cup Men Lucknow 2016 - Actions At a Glance

## TEAM ARGENTINA





# TEAM AUSTRALIA





# TEAM AUSTRIA





# TEAM BELGIUM





# TEAM CANADA





# TEAM EGYPT





# TEAM ENGLAND





# TEAM GERMANY





# TEAM INDIA





# TEAM JAPAN





# TEAM KOREA





# TEAM MALAYSIA





# TEAM NETHERLANDS





# TEAM NEW ZEALAND





# TEAM SOUTH AFRICA





# TEAM SPAIN





# Uttar Pradesh Hockey Junior World Cup Men Lucknow 2016 FAN-TASTICS

































# CHAMPIONS - INDIA



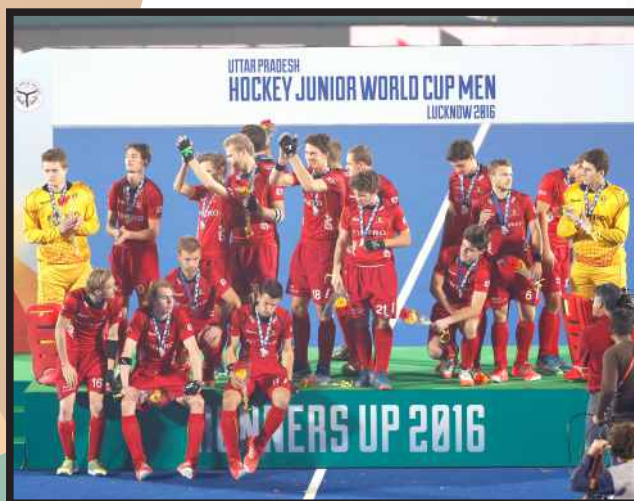
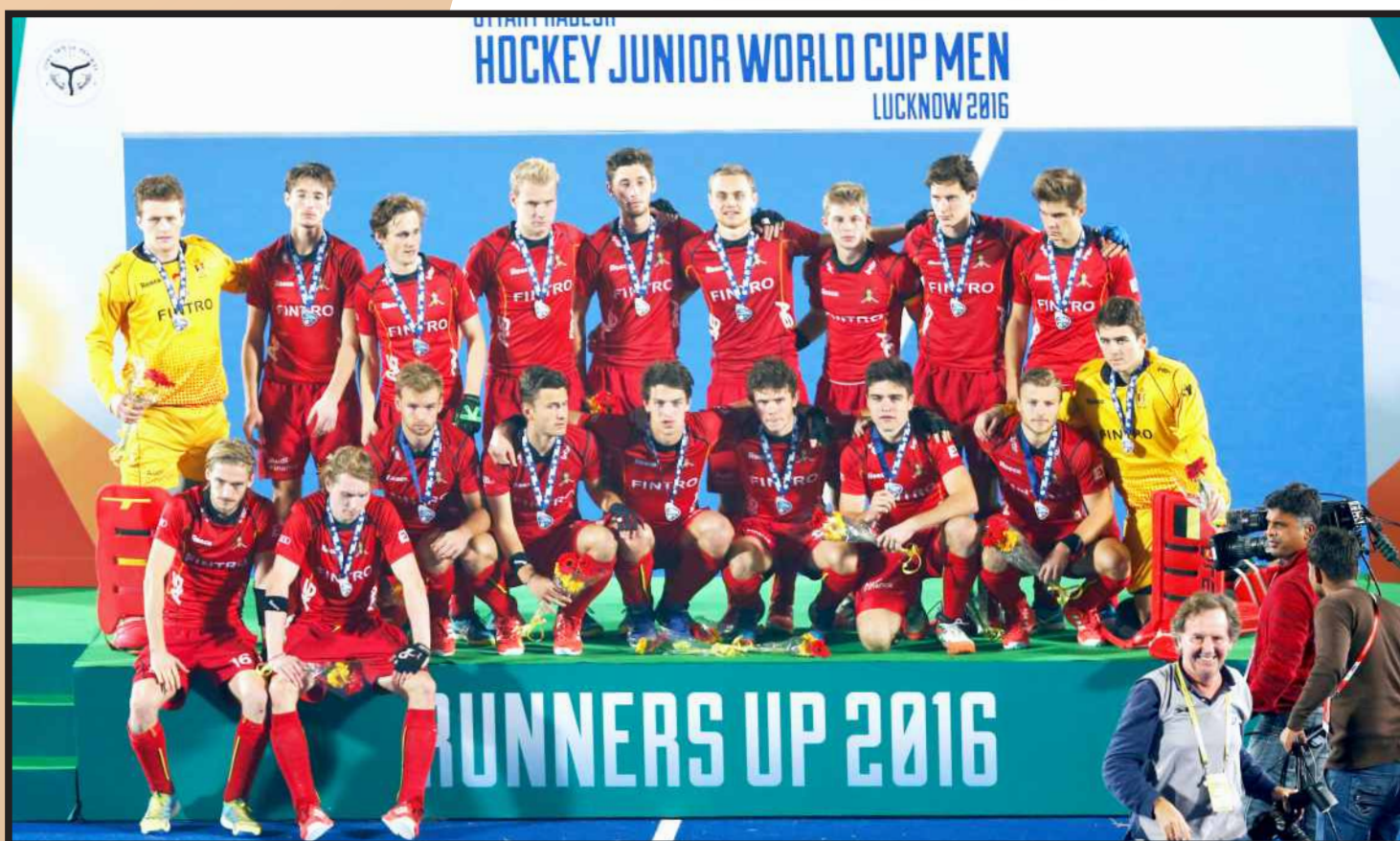


# CHAMPIONS - INDIA





# RUNNERS UP - BELGIUM





# THIRD PLACE - GERMANY





# Uttar Pradesh Hockey Junior World Cup Men Lucknow 2016 Award Winners



**Mr. Enrique Gonzalez (Spain)**  
Receiving the Player of the  
Tournament Award  
of ₹ 5,00,000 from  
**Mr. Ram Sakal Gurjar**  
Hon'ble State Minister  
(Independent Charge) Sports & Youth  
Welfare, Uttar Pradesh Govt.



**Mr. Loic van Doren (Belgium)**  
Receiving the Goalkeeper of the  
Tournament Award  
of ₹ 1,00,000 from  
**Mr. Ram Karan Arya**  
Hon'ble Minister of Sports &  
Youth Welfare, Uttar Pradesh Govt.



**Mr. Timm Herzbruch (Germany)**  
Receiving the Up & Coming U19  
Player of the Tournament Award  
of ₹ 1,00,000 from  
**Dr. Anurag Singh Bhadauria**  
Advisor Sports, Uttar Pradesh Govt.



# Uttar Pradesh Hockey Junior World Cup Men Lucknow 2016 Award Winners



**Team New Zealand**  
**Receiving the Fair Play Award**  
**of ₹ 1,00,000 from**  
**Md. Mushtaque Ahmed**  
**Secretary General, Hockey India**



**Mr. Harmanpreet Singh (India)**  
**Receiving the Fans Choice**  
**Award of ₹ 1,00,000 from**  
**Mr. Tapan Das**  
**Treasurer, Hockey India**



**Mr. Edward Horler (England)**  
**Receiving the Top Scorer of**  
**the Tournament Award of**  
**₹ 1,00,000 from**  
**Mr. Leandro Negre**  
**FIH - President of Honour**



# Uttar Pradesh Hockey Junior World Cup Men Lucknow 2016

## Match Results

## 8-18 Dec 2016

Match #	Description	Date	Time	Teams	Score
1	Pool C	8 Dec	11:30	NZL - JPN	1 - 0 (0 - 0)
2	Pool C		13:30	GER - ESP	2 - 1 (1 - 0)
3	Pool D		15:30	ENG - RSA	4 - 2 (3 - 1)
4	Pool D		18:45	IND - CAN	4 - 0 (1 - 0)
6	Pool A	9 Dec	10:00	ARG - AUT	1 - 1 (0 - 0)
7	Pool B		12:00	BEL - EGY	4 - 0 (2 - 0)
8	Pool C		14:00	ESP - JPN	4 - 1 (3 - 0)
9	Pool C		16:00	NZL - GER	1 - 2 (1 - 1)
10	Pool B		18:00	NED - MAS	7 - 2 (3 - 0)
11	Pool A	10 Dec	12:00	KOR - AUT	2 - 5 (1 - 2)
12	Pool D		14:00	RSA - CAN	3 - 1 (1 - 1)
13	Pool A		16:00	ARG - AUS	1 - 2 (0 - 1)
14	Pool D		18:00	IND - ENG	5 - 3 (2 - 1)
15	Pool C	11 Dec	12:00	GER - JPN	6 - 1 (2 - 0)
16	Pool B		14:00	BEL - NED	3 - 2 (0 - 0)
17	Pool B		16:00	MAS - EGY	2 - 0 (1 - 0)
18	Pool C		18:00	ESP - NZL	3 - 3 (1 - 0)
20	Pool A	12 Dec	10:00	AUS - AUT	4 - 2 (2 - 1)
21	Pool A		12:00	KOR - ARG	1 - 5 (0 - 4)
22	Pool B		14:00	NED - EGY	7 - 0 (3 - 0)
23	Pool B		16:00	MAS - BEL	0 - 3 (0 - 2)
24	Pool D		18:00	RSA - IND	1 - 2 (1 - 1)
19	Pool D	13 Dec	10:00	ENG - CAN	6 - 0 (4 - 0)
5	Pool A		12:00	AUS - KOR	5 - 0 (3 - 0)
32	13 / 16 Place	14 Dec	11:15	EGY - JPN	0 - 1 (0 - 0)
29	9 / 12 Place		13:30	AUT - RSA	2 - 4 (1 - 2)
30	9 / 12 Place		15:45	MAS - NZL	1 - 3 (1 - 1)
31	13 / 16 Place		18:00	KOR - CAN	2 - 1 (2 - 1)
27	Qtr Final	15 Dec	11:15	BEL - ARG	1 - 1 (0 - 0) (4 - 1 SO)
28	Qtr Final		13:30	GER - ENG	4 - 2 (2 - 0)
25	Qtr Final		15:45	AUS - NED	2 - 1 (1 - 0)
26	Qtr Final		18:00	IND - ESP	2 - 1 (0 - 1)
37	15th/16th Place	16 Dec	11:15	EGY - CAN	2 - 1 (0 - 1)
38	13th/14th Place		13:30	JPN - KOR	2 - 1 (0 - 0)
36	Semi Final		15:45	BEL - GER	0 - 0 (4 - 3 SO)
35	Semi Final		18:00	AUS - IND	2 - 2 (1 - 0) (2 - 4 SO)
34	5 / 8 Place	17 Dec	11:15	ARG - ENG	3 - 0 (0 - 0)
33	5 / 8 Place		13:30	NED - ESP	1 - 2 (0 - 2)
39	11th/12th Place		15:45	AUT - MAS	2 - 2 (1 - 2) (1 - 2 SO)
40	9th/10th Place		18:00	RSA - NZL	1 - 4 (0 - 4)
41	7th/8th Place	18 Dec	11:15	ENG - NED	2 - 6 (0 - 1)
42	5th/6th Place		13:30	ARG - ESP	2 - 1 (0 - 0)
43	3rd/4th Place		15:45	GER - AUS	3 - 0 (1 - 0)
44	Final		18:00	BEL - IND	1 - 2 (0 - 2)



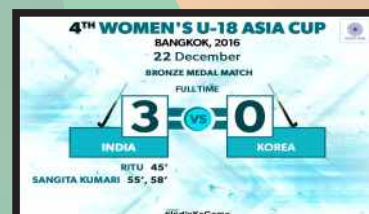
## 4<sup>th</sup> WOMEN U-18 ASIA CUP, BANGKOK

Hockey India announced an 18 member squad for the 4<sup>th</sup> Women U-18 Asia Cup held in Bangkok, Thailand from December 16-22, 2016. The team Captain was Uditia and Salima Tete the Vice-Captain.



### Indian Eves Win Bronze at the 4<sup>th</sup> Girls U-18 Asia Cup

India beat Korea 3-0 at the 4th Women's U-18 Asia Cup 2016 to win the Bronze medal. For their notable performances at the 4th Women's U-18 Asia Cup 2016, Hockey India announced cash rewards of ₹ 1.00 lakh each for players and ₹ 50,000 each for the Support Staff. Additional award of ₹ 1.00 lakh for Divya Thepe for being adjudged the Best Goalkeeper of the Tournament Award.



### Match Results

16-22 Dec 2016

Match	Date	Time	Match	Score
1	Fri 16 Dec 2016	12:30	China v Malaysia	2 - 2
2		14:30	India v Chinese-Taipei	4 - 0
3		16:30	Japan v Singapore	13 - 0
4		18:30	Korea v Thailand	5 - 0
5	Sat 17 Dec 2016	12:30	Malaysia v Chinese-Taipei	7 - 1
6		14:30	India v China	3 - 2
7		16:30	Japan v Korea	1 - 4
8		18:30	Thailand v Singapore	2 - 1
9	Mon 19 Dec 2016	12:30	China v Chinese-Taipei	12 - 2
10		14:30	Malaysia v India	1 - 3
11		16:30	Korea v Singapore	8 - 0
12		18:30	Thailand v Japan	0 - 9
13	Wed 21 Dec 2016	14:00	Chinese-Taipei v Singapore	4 - 1
14		16:15	India v Japan	1 - 1(2 - 4 SO)
15		18:30	Korea v China	1 - 1(2 - 3 SO)
16	Thu 22 Dec 2016	14:00	Malaysia v Thailand	8 - 0
17		16:15	India v Korea	3 - 0
28		18:30	Japan v China	2 - 4



## Hon'ble Union Sports Minister Meets Hockey Junior World Cup Heroes

Hon'ble Minister of State (Independent Charge), Ministry of Youth Affairs And Sports, Mr. Vijay Goel met the junior men's Indian hockey team that recently won the Uttar Pradesh Hockey Junior World Cup Men Lucknow 2016 at his residence in Ashoka Road on 28 Dec 2016 .

The team created history by winning the title after a gap of 15 years. The team had an unbeaten run in the tournament where they got the best of the likes of Australia in the Semi Finals, Spain in the Quarter Finals apart from beating Canada, South Africa and England in the pool stage.

Congratulating the team for their efforts, Goel announced a cash incentive of ₹ 3.70 lakhs per player. "Each one is a gem & I wish them all the very best for future," Goel said.





## Rule Changes Approved by FIH Executive Board

The International Hockey Federation (FIH) Executive Board has agreed a number of changes to the forthcoming Hockey World Cups as well as adopting four quarters of 15 minutes for international hockey matches at all levels. These were the key decisions taken during FIH Executive Board meetings at the Hockey Revolution Part 2 Conference in Dubai in November.

The FIH Competitions Committee recommended changes to the Hockey World Cups, which the FIH Executive Board approved. With the 2018 Hockey World Cup moving to a 16 team event, changes to the format are as follows:

- 4 pools of 4 teams each
- Winners of each pool qualifies for Quarter Finals
- Last placed team in each Pool eliminated
- Crossovers between 2nd and 3rd in each of the Pools to determine the other four Quarter-Final teams
- Losers of crossovers eliminated
- Losers of Quarter Finals eliminated
- Semi-Finals and medal matches then take place
- Ranking of eliminated teams based on their performance at the time of elimination

## Six Hockey Players Appointed as DSP in Punjab Police

The Punjab Government on Monday offered appointment letters to nine eminent international sports persons under the sports quota in a function organised in Chandigarh which was attended by deputy Chief Minister S Sukhbir Singh Badal.

Prolific midfielder Manpreet Singh, forward Akashdeep Singh, Sarvanjit Singh, Ramandeep Singh, Gurwinder Singh Chandi and Dharamvir Singh from the Indian men's hockey team that won the 2014 Asian Games Gold were appointed as Deputy Superintendent of Police. Manpreet Singh and Akashdeep Singh were also part of the team that won the historic Silver medal at the FIH Champions Trophy in London earlier this year apart from representing the country at the 2016 Rio Olympics and also winning the Asian Champions Trophy this year.





# CONGRATULATIONS MESSAGES

**पत्रिका**  
15 साल बाद हम जूनियर हॉकी के वर्ल्ड चैंपियन

**अमर उजाला**  
जगत का जूनियर हॉकी चैंपियन टीम, बेल्जियम को 2-1 से हराया

**जीत लिया जहां**

**दैनिक जागरण**  
साडे नौके बण गए वर्ल्ड चैंपियन

**THE TIMES OF INDIA**  
India Win Hockey Crown  
Junior Team Outclass Belgium To Lift World Cup

**Praful Patel** @praful\_patil  
What a proud moment! #India becomes world champions in #JuniorHockey. Brilliantly played, Congratulations #INDvsBEL #HJWC2016 @TheHockeyIndia

**Narendra Modi** @narendramodi  
Extremely proud of our youngsters! Congratulations to our junior hockey team for winning the #JuniorHockeyWorldCup.

**sachin tendulkar** @sachin\_rt  
Incredible display, incredibly conquered. Kudos to the Indian junior hockey team! Made us proud! #IndvBel #HJWC2016

**Arun Jaitley** @arunjaitley  
Congratulations to Team India 🇮🇳 & supporters as India lifts the #HJWC2016 by beating Belgium in the finals. Well done! @TheHockeyIndia

**Amitabh Bachchan** @SRBachchan  
Baduummbaaa > !! India Juniors win World Championship Hockey .. INDIA IS NUMBER 1 .. the best .. well done boys Congratulations

**Sweta Prasad** @Swetaprasad19  
Itne baazu itne sar, girne dushman dhyen se, harega woh har baazi, jab khelien hum jee jaan se. #JuniorHockeyWorldCup

**BCCI** @BCCI  
CHAMPIONS! Congratulations to @TheHockeyIndia boys on winning the World Cup #HJWC2016 #INDvBEL

**Vijender Singh** @boxervijender  
Congratulations Indian men's hockey team @TheHockeyIndia for winning Junior World Cup by defeating Belgium.

**Rajavardhan Rathore** @RATHOE  
AND INDIA WINS! Well done Team for a stellar performance & convincing victory in #HJWC2016 final. Feeling proud #INDvsBEL @TheHockeyIndia

**Winder Sehag** @WinderSehag  
Enjoy the Belgian Chocolate boys. Fantastic effort to win the #JuniorHockeyWorldCup - Super Proud! #INDvBEL