

My India

This semester marked the beginning of planning and implementation of new projects under two heads – education and employment generation. Recognizing the importance of SHGs, (Self Help Groups), it took up the initiative of promoting this concept in nearby villages and for such purposes



the Rural Technology Club, a new wing of My India, started this semester. A new Gyan Bodh was set up in a nearby village, Raila. During OASIS, a stall was set up to market the products of My India projects. It also assisted a full-fledged NGO, 'Pratham' in conducting an educational survey of the entire Jhunjhunu district.

BOSM 2006

This year too, the BITS Open Sports Meet was held in the month of September and was a huge success. The annual sports fest took place this



year during 14 -17 September. Apart from the usual Gym Grounds being used for various events, this year saw a remarkable change as the newly constructed Students' Activity Centre played venue to the indoor events of TT, Badminton and chess. The festival was also

successful in that it saw a sudden rise in the number of non-BITSian teams taking part.

More than 900 out-station participants from all over the country came to take part in various events.

The festival also saw many accolades being won by the home team and in fact, a highly contested 100m boys' race saw the top three teams go very close to the national record in sprinting.

OASIS 2006

OASIS 2006, the Annual All India Cultural Festival organized by BITS witnessed a large number of colleges visiting the campus and contesting in various events. The inauguration ceremony started off with a CCTV presentation and was followed by inauguration by an eminent filmmaker and BITS alumnus, Mani Shankar, who inspired the audience with his speech. Next were the amazing performances by the Mime and Dance clubs. The rest of the three days were filled with



a gamut of competitions and events. The events in the auditorium were the major crowd-pullers like Blab, Choreo and Razzmatazz witnessing huge audiences. Rocktaves, the annual rock music event, saw a plethora of bands competing with each other for the first place. Three bands, Mrigya, Indian Ocean and Moksha, unleashed their performances in the professional shows in

