

# Work Report, Hostel Council Hostel 13, House of Titans



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## Acknowledgment

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- Initiated the work of putting wi-fi routers on each floor which will be done by the end of August.
- Lift replacement of A wing is completed and the remaining lifts are to be replaced by the end of June.
- Washing Machine and Dryers are running currently at full capacity and regular maintenance is also looked after.
- Revamping of Gym and Cardio room has been done with the inclusion of following items
  - Installed mobile racks and purchased various equipment including treadmills, indoor bikes, Leg press machine, pec fly machines, seated preacher curl machines, and a weighing machine. Changed the gym and yoga room mats.
- Study room is revamped to conference room and TV will be installed soon along with tables and chairs.
- New speakers have been installed in TV and Gym room.
- Projector is also installed in TV room for better viewing on occasion of live sports.
- Biometrics are installed in The Gym, Conference and Cult room.
- All the areas of Biometric access points are put under surveillance so no break-in happens.
- Curtains and the sofa cover in Sky Bridge are already procured. Their installation will be done after the monsoon season.
- Installation of CCTV in the back alleys of each wing are done which will be used in case of theft of Cycles.
- Mess area is also under CCTV surveillance now which will cover the mess serving areas and preparation area in case of any food quality issue.
- All the old Geysers are replaced with the new ones in every washroom.
- Door chains are being installed in all the rooms for the better ventilation and safety.
- Hostel Sign Board has been installed on the C wing- 6<sup>th</sup> Floor.
- We also initiated the temporary cycle shed for the monsoon season.
- Installation of cupboard in security room for safekeeping and easy issuing of sports equipment. Following sports equipment is updated in inventory
  - Two foosball tables, badminton rackets, table tennis rackets and balls, tennis and squash rackets, yoga mats, football goal nets, volleyballs, hockey sticks, and keeping gloves along with four cricket bats.
- Mess digitalisation with Rebate digitalisation

- Special items in both tea parties (Pizza Hut Pizzas and KFC Burgers.)
- Special/gala dinner at festivals and arranged snacks for sports participants.
- Instituted different varieties of non-vegetarian items as extras in lunch/dinner based on regional preferences
- Initiative for keeping salt sprinkler on every table.
- Initiative for utilizing the space near to H13 counter for additional seating arrangements for residents. However, this work is under progress.
- Initiative for quick maintenance and procurement of various kitchen equipment and utensils e.g., stainless steel vegetable storage, new utensils etc.
- We have managed to create a Hostel band '**Titans**' which performed at battle of bands in Cultural GC.
- Regular maintenance of the music room and the common facilities.
- Arranged joint cultural events with Hostel 12 and 14 such as Janmashtami, Holi, etc.
- Organized and maximized participation in intra-hostel competitions for chess, carrom, and table tennis.
- Conducted a carrom tri-series event between hostels 12, 13, and 14, with a strong showing from our hostel.
- Organized a tri-series volleyball competition and cricket matches among hostels 12, 13, and 14.
- Formed teams for various GC events such as cricket, hockey, football, lawn tennis, Crossy 1 and 2, and triathlon, Tug of war etc. and provided refreshments and medical care.
- We would like to congratulate our residents for winning bronze medals in cricket and tug of war.
- We helped hostel residents over phone and email to short out internet issues and visited the residence's room in case of complex issues.

We are grateful for the opportunity and your trust to let us serve the Hostel in our capacity. We want to thank you all for being with us all the time and helping us to represent our hostel well in Institute. We are hopeful towards your extended support in future as well.

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