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JMI wins North Zone Inter-University Basketball (Men) Championship 2017-18

Jamia Millia Islamia (JMI) defeated Punjabi University, Patiala with a score of 72-60 to win the North Zone Inter-University Basketball (Men) Championship, 2017-18 in a scintillating match played last evening, at the Basketball court, of the host university JMI's, MAK Pataudi Sports Complex.

The Chief Guest on the occasion, Prof Talat Ahmad, Vice-Chancellor, JMI along with Registrar, JMI, Mr A. P. Siddiqui gave away the trophies and awards to players of both the teams at a prize distribution function which was attended by faculty, administration and staff members of JMI.

Organisers, Prof Iqtidar Mohammad Khan (Director, Games and Sports, JMI) and Prof N. U. Khan (Dean, Social Sciences and Organising Secretary of the Basketball championship) thanked the over 50 participating universities whose enthusiastic participation had made the tournament a grand success.

Prof Ahmad expressed his happiness that JMI had successfully hosted the major basketball championship in the North Zone and congratulated the semi-finalists and the finalists. He praised the players of JMI team who had brought laurels to the university and wished them every success in the upcoming All-India Inter-University Championship which will begin on the 26th of this month.

Prof N. U. Khan also hailed the contributions of JMI coach for over 3 decades, Mr S.S.Rawat who was presented with a lifetime achievement award for his contributions in raising the standard of sports in JMI in general, and basketball, in particular.

Among those who attended the prize distribution function, included, Dr. A. A. A. Faizi (Controller of Examinations), Prof W. Alvi (Dean, Faculty of Humanities and Languages), Prof Haroon Sajjad (Chief Proctor), Mr Alvi (Security Advisor), Dr. Irshad H. Naqvi (In-charge, Dr M. A. Ansari Health Centre), Prof S M Mahmood (Secretary, Jamia Teachers' Association), Dr Khurram Hafiz and Dr Moazzam Khan (Deputy Directors, Games and Sports) and members of the University's Games and Sports office.

Other participating universities in the championship, included, Delhi University, Aligarh Muslim University, Jammu University, Lucknow University, H.P. University, Shimla, Kumaun University, Nainital, Amity University, Gurgaon, Sharda University, Greater NOIDA, Kurukshetra University, and Ashoka Univ., Haryana.

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