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TRIVIA:

The ancient Romans first played a game like golf using bent wooden sticks and a leather ball stuffed with feathers.

Whan Shin, Rachita emerge fastest

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Dong Whan Shin of TISB set the fastest time in the boys Group I 50M freestyle event to clinch gold in the Inter-school triple meet, organised by the Swimlife Swimming Academy recently. Shin touched pad in 28.41 seconds.

TRIPLE MEET (WINNERS ONLY):

Boys: Group I: 50M freestyle: Dong Whan Shin (TISB, 28.41S). **50M backstroke:** Eeshan (TISB, 36.16S). **50M breaststroke:** Dong Whan Shin (TISB, 33.03). **50M butterfly:** Eeshaan M Patil (TISB, 31.57). **100M freestyle:** Dong Whan Shin (TISB, 1.06.37). **100M individual medley:** Eeshan (TISB, 1.20.12).

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Group II: 50M freestyle: Hemanth R (SAMS, 31.02S). **50M back stroke:** Rohan S (JSS, 36.87S). **50M breast stroke:** Sukesh S (St Johns, 40.88). **50M butterfly:** Prayaag R Katta (SAMS, 36.50S). **100M freestyle:** Manish Sudhan (Kumaran, 1.17.15). **100M individual medley:** Hemanth (SAMS, 1.21.09).

Group III: 50M freestyle: Siddharth N (Shushugraha, 30.94S). **50M back stroke:**



Dong Whan Shin (left), Eeshan M Patil, Siddharth MN, Niharika Aravindan and Maneka Mirchandani won gold medals at the inter-school triple-meet swimming championships over the weekend.

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Siddharth N (Shirsugruha, 35.59S). **50M breast stroke:** Tejas GJ (VVSGC, 42.90S). **100M freestyle:** Siddharth N (Shirsugruha, 1.09.90). **100M individual medley:** R Rakshith (SVBS, 1.29.88). **Group I,II III: 4x50M medley relay:** TISB 'B' (2.24.59). **Group I,II III: 4x50M freestyle relay:** TISB (2.02.91).

Girls: Group I: 50M freestyle: Rachita Pai (BCGS, 43.44S). **50M back stroke:** Maneka Mirchandaney (Mallya, 41.37S). **50M breast stroke:** Maneka Mirchandaney (Mallya Aditya, 42.97S). **50M butterfly:** Archana M (BCGS, 52.85S). **100M freestyle:** Maneka Mirchandaney (Mallya Aditi, 1.16.87). **100M individual medley:** Archana (BCGS, 1.54.91).

Group II: 50M freestyle: Niharika Aravindan (Primus, 37.06S). **50M back stroke:** Sanjana (CCHS, 48.15S). **50M breaststroke:** Niharika Aravindan (Primus, 46.32S). **50M butterfly:** Sanjana (CCHS, 43.44S). **100M freestyle:** Niharika Aravinay (Primus, 1.20.66).

Group III: 50M freestyle: Anika (Shushugraha, 37.44S). **50M back stroke:** Tejaswin Raj (SKCH, 45.15S). **50M breaststroke:** T Naveena (CCS, 45.25S). **50M butterfly:** Vishal Kaushik (BCEHS, 37.53S). **100M freestyle:** Akshatha N Tirumala (JSS, 1.23.00). **100M individual medley:** Vedashree (Prarthana, 1.37.72).

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BSSF school games

Bangalore Schools Sports Foundation will conduct the Bangalore School Games 2010 from January 18-22. Sports persons from ICSE, CBSE, SSLC and international schools from Bengaluru will participate in athletics, archery, basketball, cricket, football, hockey, kabbadi, rugby, swimming, skating, tennis and volleyball.

Jr. Football Nationals

The Karnataka State Football Association has been nominated to host the 46th Junior National Football Championships from December 20 to Jan 10, 2010.

The KSFA in turn has allotted the tournament to Mandya in an effort to popularise the game in the districts and it will be held at the Agriculture Science College Grounds and M Vishveshwaraya Stadium.

The 22-day event will see 30 states, divided into two groups, gunning for the title.

Corporate Chess

A corporate chess championship will be held in the city from December 17-20. Around 200 participants are expected and separate events will be held for teams as well as individuals.

The event will be held at the M. Chinnaswamy stadium.

On the final day of the event, chess ace



St. Mary's High School, Basaveshwaranagar, winners of the State-level throwball tournament in Raichur recently.

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Viswanathan Anand will play simultaneously with the top 20 individual players.

SAIC win thriller

SAIC India scripted a thrilling one-run win over Bangalore Club in the Twenty20 corporate cricket tournament.

BRIEF SCORES:

Cushman & Wakefield: 66/3 16.1 overs (Vishwa 2/14, Shekaran 4/11, Vijay Anand 2/9) **lost to Mind Tree:** 66/6 (Vijay Anand 29) 7 wks
Blue Star: 152/7 in 20 overs (Kishore 24, Saiprajwal 24, Pawan 29, Kannan 3-29) **bt Open Silicon:** 148/4 (Ajay S. 23, Umesh 53) by 4 Runs.
Ravindu Toyota: 148/6 in 20 overs (Manjunath 56, 3-16) **lost to Blue Star:** 149 5 (Diri Prasad 23, Manas

28, Sai 25, Ballal 3-26) by 5 wks
SAIC India: 126/8 in 18.5 overs (Simran 32, Mehol 24, Praveen 3-10, Hriday 2-25) **bt Bangalore Club** 125/5 in 20 overs (Anand Girish 32, Pramod 2-26) by 1 run. **Mind Tree:** 120/5 in 20 overs (Uday 26, Hari 25, Anup Shetty 2/10, Pramith 2/26) **lost to SCB** 122/5 in 12.3 overs (Vishwas Shetty 34, Somshekar 25, Hariprasad 2/12) bt wickets