

Sympulse'25 (5-7 February, 2025)

Theme: Jashn-e-rivaaz

Day 1

Event 1: Academic Summit

Date: January 5, 2025

Time: 10:30 AM – 1:00 PM

Venue: SCMS Pune Auditorium

Guests: Lieutenant General Satish Dua and Professor D. P. Agrawal



The Academic Summit served as a platform for an exchange of wisdom, experience and advice of some of the greatest leaders of the country. Inviting guest speakers Lieutenant General Satish Dua, former Chief of Integrated Defense Staff, India, mastermind behind the 2016 Uri operations and Professor D. P. Agrawal, Former UPSC Chairman, an inspirational leader for the new generation of administrators. The Summit commenced with the lighting of the lamp of Goddess Saraswati by the dias, starting the event with warmth and positivity. The lighting of the lamps was followed by the felicitation of both the guest speakers by Dr. Adya Sharma.

Event 2: Dance pe Chance - Group Dance

Date – 5th February 2025

Timing – 12:30 pm – 3:30 pm

Venue – Stage

Judge - Palak Shettiwar



The *Dance Pe Chance* group dance competition, held as part of *Sympulse '25*, saw an exciting array of performances from seven talented teams. The competition was fierce, and the event was a true celebration of choreography, energy, and teamwork. *Team HH Crew* – Their outstanding performance, filled with impeccable choreography and energy, earned them first place. *Team INSIA* – With their creative routine and strong stage presence, INSIA secured the runner-up spot.

Event 3: Texas Hold 'Em

Date - 5th February, 2025

Venue - SCMS Amphitheatre

Timing - 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm



A card game like no other, Texas Hold 'Em enthralled its participants and audience like no other, with its unique blend of strategy, skill and luck. The excitement lies not only in the cards themselves but also in the decisions made by the players. Cards dealt, coins betted and risks taken, this event was one of the most exhilarating ones to watch and be a part of. The structure of the event was as such that each player was dealt two private cards, known as "hole cards," and five community cards were placed face-up on the table. The game progresses through several betting rounds, allowing players to bet, check, raise, or fold based on their hand and their perception of their opponents' hands.

Event 4: Lights, Camera, Action! – Mono Acting

Date- 5 January 2025

Venue- Online

Timing- 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM

Judge - Mr. Nakshatra Sachdeva



The Mono-Acting event was a unique and engaging competition showcasing eight participants' individual talents. The event conducted online via Google Meet required each participant to submit a 2–3-minute audition video beforehand. During the event, all videos were played one by one in front of the esteemed judge, Mr. Nakshatra Sachdeva, who carefully evaluated each performance based on idea, expression, voice clarity, characterization, and confidence. After a series of compelling performances, Anjali Nair emerged as the winner, impressing the judge with her exceptional skills. The event was a remarkable display of creativity and theatrical talent, making it a memorable experience for both participants and spectators.

Event 5: Jalwa - Fashion Show

Date - 5th February, 2025

Venue - SCMS Auditorium

Timing - 2:30 pm to 4:30 pm



Judge - Kinnary Panchamia

Indian glamour and couture at its very best, Jalwa embodied Indian bridal fashion through beautifully handcrafted and beaded lehengas. From the ramp walk to the question & answer round, Jalwa radiated allure and elegance in every aspect. The detailed embroidery, vibrant colors, and shimmering beads combined to create a visual symphony that was both traditional and contemporary. All of the participants gave extremely enthusiastic performances, exuding grace and energy. Jalwa's flow started with individual ramp walks by all the participants, then one walk as a group and finally an individual question and answer round. After much deliberation, Khyati Pandey was declared the first runner-up and Pranya Chopra was crowned the winner of Jalwa, 2025.

Event 6: Futsal

Date- 5-7 January 2025

Venue- Classroom

Timing- 11:00 AM to 9:00 PM



The much-anticipated futsal tournament, held as part of our college fest, witnessed an intense and thrilling competition over three action-packed days. A total of 37 men's teams and 12 women's teams participated, showcasing exceptional skill, teamwork, and sportsmanship.

In the men's category, **Football Freakers** emerged as champions, defeating **Culers**, who secured the runner-up position. Meanwhile, in the women's category, **Aspire FC** claimed the title with an outstanding performance.

Individual Awards:

Best Goalkeeper (Men's): Nishant (Culers)

Best Player (Men's): Hritik Patil (Football Freakers)

Best Player (Women's): Vaishnavi (Aspire FC)

Best Goalkeeper (Women's): Anjali

The tournament was a resounding success, with electrifying matches and enthusiastic support from the crowd. It provided a great platform for players to exhibit their talent and for students to experience the thrill of competitive futsal.

Event 7: Table Tennis

Date- 5 January 2025

Venue- SLS Lobby

Timing- 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM



The table tennis event was filled with intense rallies and competitive spirit, showcasing impressive talent. Among the 24 boys who participated, Tanmay Kankariya, Hrishit, Rutvik, and Abdul secured their spots in the semifinals, with Tanmay Kankariya being named the MVP for his outstanding performance. In the girls' category, where eight players competed, the tournament concluded with Siya claiming first place, Shivangi securing second, and Urvi finishing third. The event was filled with energy and enthusiasm, making it a memorable experience for both players and spectators.

Event 8: Badminton

Date- 5 January 2025

Venue- Vice Badminton Arena

Timing- 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM



The badminton event was a thrilling showcase of skill and determination, with 25 singles players competing fiercely for a spot in the semifinals. After intense matches, Aahan, Ghanshyam, Kabeer, and Ishaan secured their places in the top four. Aahan displayed dominance, winning all his matches in straight sets, while Ishaan showed great resilience in the quarterfinals, making a comeback to win in the third set after losing the first. The energy and enthusiasm of the players made the event even more exciting, setting the stage for an eagerly awaited semifinal round.

Event 9: Street Cricket

Date- 5 January 2025

Venue- Four Lions

Timing- 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM



Day 1 of the street cricket tournament was an action-packed affair, filled with high-energy performances and intense competition. A total of 18 teams participated, each bringing their best strategies and skills to

secure a place in the next stage. The matches were fiercely contested, with teams displaying remarkable teamwork, powerful batting, and sharp bowling. After a series of thrilling encounters, eight teams emerged victorious, earning their well-deserved spots in the finals. The day was filled with exciting moments, unexpected turnarounds, and nail-biting finishes, keeping both players and spectators engaged throughout. With the finalists now decided, anticipation is at its peak as the tournament heads toward an exhilarating conclusion.

Event 10: Chess

Date - 5th February, 2025

Venue - Classroom

Timing - 11:00 am to 3:00 pm



Chess was truly the battle of wits and intellect, where the participants competed against one another in rounds of chess, moving up in the tournament as they won each game. Pawns knocked out one by one, rooks and bishops strategically placed and the king chased till victory was achieved, this event was one that captivated the minds of the audience. As each game progresses, players aim to outmaneuver their opponents, advancing through the tournament ranks with each victory.

Event 11: Arm Wrestling

Date - 5th February, 2025

Venue - SCMS Amphitheatre Timing

- 2:00 pm to 5:00 pm



The "Arm Wrestling" event, organized by the wing "Sprint" during *Sympulse 2025*, captivated the audience with its fierce competition. Held in a knockout format, participants faced off in intense duels, with the winner advancing to the next round. Matches were divided into weight classes to ensure fair competition, allowing athletes to challenge opponents of similar strength.

The atmosphere was charged with energy as each round tested the competitors' physical strength, technique, and mental focus. The knockout structure heightened the excitement, with every victory pushing participants closer to the final stages.

Event 12: Pickleball

Date - 5th February 2025

Venue – Four Lions

Timing – 5pm – 9 pm



The pickleball tournament had 32 teams battling it out in intense matches. The semi-finals were especially close, with best-of-three sets that kept everyone on edge. The final match was just as thrilling, with Team

Zoru emerging as the winner by a narrow margin of 2 points. The game saw multiple serves changes at fixed points, making for an exciting and unpredictable finish. Overall, it was a highly competitive and energetic event, with great sportsmanship and enthusiasm from all the players.

Event 13: Battle of the Bands

Date - 5th February 2025

Venue - Stage

Timing - 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Judge – **Nemophilis**



The highly anticipated *Battle of the Bands (Advaytham)* took place with a special tribute to Advaitha Verma. The event showcased incredible musical talent, as two bands—*Coalescence* and *Murphys Law*—faced off in an intense competition for the top spot. The competition was judged by the renowned *Nemophilis*, whose expertise and discerning eye (and ear) ensured a fair and constructive evaluation of the performances. Several bands displayed exceptional performances that captivated the audience, but it was *Murphys Law* who ultimately claimed the top prize. The atmosphere was electric, and the crowd thoroughly enjoyed the diverse musical styles presented by both bands.

Event 14: Sufi Nights

Date - 5th February, 2025

Venue - SCMS Amphitheatre

Timing - 7:00 pm to 10:00 pm



The "Sadaa-e-Sufi" event, hosted by Ananya during Sympulse, offered a magical evening filled with soul- stirring music. The event featured the renowned Sufi music band "Mast Maula," with lead singer Sahil Shaikh captivating the audience with his powerful vocals. As the evening unfolded, the band performed enchanting Sufi songs that resonated deeply with the crowd, creating a serene and mesmerizing atmosphere.

The combination of Sahil Shaikh's soulful voice and the band's harmonious melodies left the audience spellbound. The evening setting further enhanced the magic of the music, as the soothing sounds of the Sufi tradition filled the air. Each song took the listeners on a spiritual journey, evoking emotions of peace and reflection. The event proved to be a highlight of *Sympulse 2025*, offering a unique experience that transported everyone into the world of Sufi mysticism, leaving a lasting impression on all who attended