

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE WORKING COMMITTEE OF THE MAYO COLLEGE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION DELHI HELD ON 16TH NOVEMBER 2023 AT 7.00 PM AT BLUE ROOM, DELHI GYMKHANA CLUB, NEW DELHI

Present

1. Mr Harmeet Singh(President)
2. Mr Pankaj Karna(Treasurer)
3. Mr Sanjay Singh
4. Mr Vikramaditya Jaitly(Cooped member)
5. Mr Jai Bhargava (Cooped member)
6. Ms Divija Singh (Member, MCGS Alumni Assn.)
7. Mr Kirit Javali(Secretary)
8. Ms Cini Suresh(Executive Assistant)

Leave of Absence

Mr Sumant Dhamija(Vice President)
Mr Alok Shriram
Dr Jitendra Nath Misra
Mr Vilas Pawar
Mr Sameer Mutreja
Mr Ambarish Raghuvanshi
Mr Dipin Kapur
Mr Rudra Shriram
Ms Jasleen Kochhar

The Committee observed a minute of silence in memory of Mr. Pankaj Rakesh, a MAAD Committee Member who passed away on October 22nd, 2023.

1. **Review of the Minutes of the last Meeting.** The President said that the minutes of the last meeting has been circulated and asked if there were any comments regarding the minutes. As there were no comments, the same was approved. The President recorded his appreciation for Mr Vikramaditya Jaitly for conducting the Football event successfully.
2. **MAAD Hockey 2023.** The President provided an update on the forthcoming MAAD Hockey 2023 event scheduled at Shivaji Stadium on November 26th. Key points discussed:
 - The President urged Ms. Divija Singh to encourage participation from MCGS Alumni in the hockey event.
 - Noted a lack of response to the sponsorship mailer for MAAD Hockey 2023 posted on MAAD social media channels. Emphasized the need to intensify efforts in raising sponsorship for the Hockey Tournament, considering the current lack of support. Highlighted the importance of raising funds for the upcoming Golf tournament to ensure the success of other events.
 - Mr. Vikramaditya Jaitly proposed the creation of an event calendar at the beginning of the year to enhance planning and participation.
 - The President requested committee members to reach out to their respective batches and known Mayoites, encouraging their participation in the hockey match.
 - The President informed that Mr. Akshay had been approached for sponsoring T-shirts (Quantity 50) for the event.
3. **Mayo Alumni Monthly Meeting.** Ms Divija Singh informed the Committee member that the feedback from MCGS Alumni for the last Mayo Alumni Meet at Raasta was positive, but a move to central Delhi was suggested. The Secretary agreed to check the possibility of hosting the next meeting at Claridges.
4. **Mayo Annual Lecture.** It was decided tentatively scheduling for the end of February 2024.
5. **Annual Mayo Summit.** It was decided tentatively scheduling for the First week of April.
6. **Release of Mayo Alumni Directory.** The President expressed appreciation for the Secretary's dedicated efforts in compiling the Mayo Alumni Directory. Additionally, it was

announced that there is a proposal to release the directory during the prize-giving event at Mayo College on December 2nd, 2023.

7. **Annual Jassi Memorial Mayo Golf Tournament and Mayo Annual Dinner.** The President provided the following updates to the Committee members:

- Golf is scheduled on January 20th at Jaypee Greens, Greater Noida.
- The Dinner is scheduled on January 21st, 2024, at Qutab Golf Course.
- Diageo has agreed to sponsor the beverages for the dinner.
- Mr. Vikramaditya Jaitly was tasked with acquiring details for the dinner, including the menu, rates, and beverage options.
- Ms. Divija Singh was requested to approach MCGS Alumni for participation in the Golf Tournament.
- The Treasurer proposed reaching out to Mayoites in the corporate sector via email for event sponsorship, outlining the associated benefits and agreed to draft the mailer for the same.
- The event was identified as an annual fundraiser to support other MAAD events.
- Quarterly invitations for sponsors and batch coordinators were suggested by the President.
- The President suggested publishing a newsletter featuring sponsor advertisements for the Golf. It is suggested to approach Mr. Shivjeet Kullar for designing the Newsletter.
- The President proposed reaching out to Mayoites for Giveaways. The Treasurer recommended Mr Saurabh Garg (Ekaani), who had previously sponsored giveaways for the Mayo Alumni Summit 2023.

8. **Batch Coordinators Meet.** Mr Vikramaditya Singh emphasized the need to organize a batch coordinators meet during the 3rd week of December, with mandatory participation expected from batches 1980 and below.

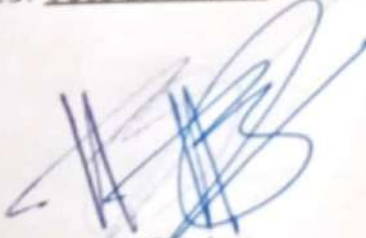
9. **Inter School Basketball Tournament.** The President informed the Committee members that Mr Pradyut Voilet, 2008 batch had approached him, seeking MAAD sponsorship for the tournament, with the sponsorship amount set at Rs 20,000/-, which was unanimously agreed by all present. Further, the President requested Ms Divija Singh to approach MCGS Alumni for participation.

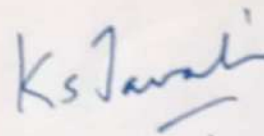
10. **MAAD website and App.** Since Mr Dipin Kapur was not attended, it was decided to discuss in the next meeting.

11. The Secretary proposed organising a Heritage walk along with a Treasurer Hunt, followed by lunch. The tentative date decided for this event is mid-February 2024. Additionally, there was a suggestion to consider organising a Polo match in the year 2025.

12. **Next Meeting.** The next meeting will be held on 9th December 2023

13. **Vote of Thanks.** The meeting concluded with a vote of thanks to the Chair.


Harmeet Singh
(President)


Kirit Javali
(Secretary)