

**The ICFAI University, Jaipur**  
**ICFAI Business School**  
**Student Activities**  
**Dahi Handi Janmashtami 2024**

Event Name: Dahi Handi Janmashtami 2024

Organized by: The Navrang Club, IBS Jaipur

Date: 26th August 2024

Venue: Volleyball Court, ICFAI University, Jaipur

**Introduction:** The Janmashtami Dahi Handi event, organized by the Navrang Club of IBS Jaipur, was a vibrant and culturally rich celebration held on the 26th of August, 2024. The event, which commemorates the birth of Lord Krishna, brought together students, faculty, and staff in a spirit of unity and festivity. The volleyball court of ICFAI University, Jaipur, was transformed into a lively arena, resonating with the sounds of cheers, traditional music, and the breaking of the symbolic Handi.

**Opening Ceremony:** The event began at 2:30 PM with a traditional lamp lighting ceremony, symbolizing the beginning of the auspicious event. The ceremony was graced by Prof. Dr. R Nesamoorthy, Registrar of The ICFAI University, Jaipur, who inaugurated the event with an encouraging address, setting a positive tone for the celebrations.

**Participation and Performances:** A total of 12 teams had registered for the competition, representing various departments and clubs of the university. However, due to unforeseen circumstances, only 6 teams were able to perform in the competition. Despite the reduced number of participants, the enthusiasm and energy of the teams and the audience remained undiminished.

Adding to the festive atmosphere, the MBA Class of 2026 presented three captivating cultural performances. These performances were a blend of traditional and contemporary dance forms, reflecting the diverse cultural heritage of India and keeping the audience engaged and entertained.

**Event Structure:** The Dahi Handi competition was divided into three rounds:

Elimination Round:

The initial round was designed to narrow down the participating teams. Each team was tasked with breaking the pot (Handi) in the least time. The teams that completed the challenge fastest from each department advanced to the next round.

#### Second Round:

The top teams from each department faced off in this stage, further demonstrating their teamwork, agility, and strategy. The competition became more intense as teams vied for a place in the final round.

#### Final Round:

In a show of unity and sportsmanship, all qualifying teams were invited to participate in the final round. The final challenge was not just about speed but also about showcasing the unity of the students across departments. This round was the highlight of the event, drawing loud cheers and applause from the audience.

**Results and Winners:** The Dahi Handi competition concluded with the ICF AI School of Liberal Arts emerging as the champions, demonstrating exceptional teamwork and strategy. They claimed the coveted title of Dahi Handi champions for 2024. The ICF AI Tech School secured the second position, earning the title of Runners-Up.

**Conclusion:** The Dahi Handi Janmashtami 2024 event was a resounding success, reflecting the rich cultural traditions and the vibrant spirit of the ICF AI University, Jaipur. The event concluded with the distribution of Prasad to all attendees, followed by a memorable group photograph capturing the joyous and festive atmosphere. The Navrang Club's efforts in organizing this event were highly appreciated, and the celebration left everyone looking forward to future cultural events at the university.

The event not only celebrated Janmashtami but also reinforced the values of teamwork, cultural pride, and unity among the students and faculty of ICF AI University, Jaipur.

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