

2014-15 HKUST Sports Team Gathering

to celebrate the contribution and achievements of HKUST athletes

The 2014-15 sports competition season kicked-off by President Tony F. CHAN at the HKUST Sports Team Flag Presentation Ceremony ([click for details](#)) on 15 October 2014. This year, 567 HKUST athletes in 46 sports teams contributed their time in year-round trainings and tried their best in representing HKUST at local and international sports competitions. On 5 May 2015, they joined the HKUST Sports Team Gathering to celebrate their contribution, friendship, sportsmanship, teamwork and achievements. All their efforts and achievements definitely echoed HKUST as the “**H**ong **K**ong **U**niversity of **S**portsmanship and **T**eamwork”.



Over 200 athletes and coaches attended the Sports Team Gathering jointly organized by Sports Association, HKUSTSU and Sports and Wellness Team of Student Affairs Office. We were much privileged to have Professor Roger CHENG, Associate Provost (Teaching and Learning) as the Guest of Honor and Mrs. Pandora YUEN, Director of Student Affairs, to officiate the ceremony.

Professor CHENG emphasized that *success in sports is about preparing well, willing to take risks and not being afraid of failures* and shared with us quotes from three legendary sports stars:

“I've missed more than 9,000 shots in my career. I've lost almost 300 games. 26 times, I've been trusted to take the game winning shot and missed. I've failed over and over and over again in my life. And that is why I succeed.”— Michael Jordan

“You miss one hundred percent of the shots you don't take.” — Wayne Gretzky

“The will to win is important, but the will to prepare is vital.”— Joe Paterno



Professor CHENG encouraged the athletes to prepare well, willing to take risks and not afraid of failures.



LAM Kin Fu, President of Sports Association, presented the souvenirs to Professor CHENG and Mrs. YUEN.

Professor CHENG and Mrs. YUEN presented the medals and trophies to the winning athletes and teams. Please click for the list of achievements of sports teams in 2014-15.

Professor CHENG and Mrs. YUEN presented the medals and trophies to 11 Sports Teams in 8 sports.



Archery Teams



Rowing Teams



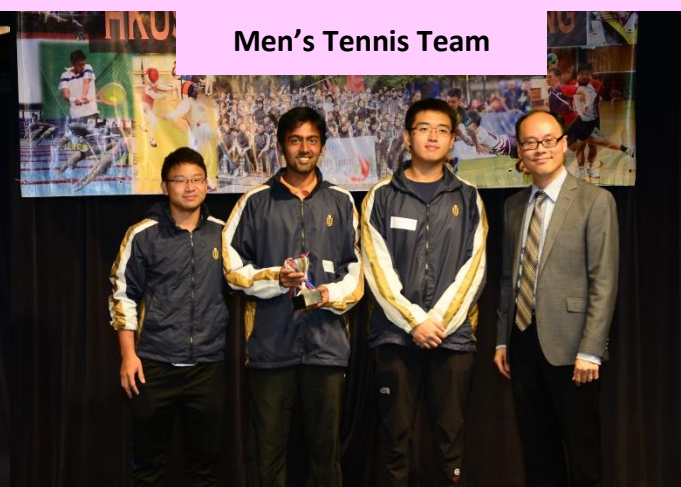
Men's Rugby Team



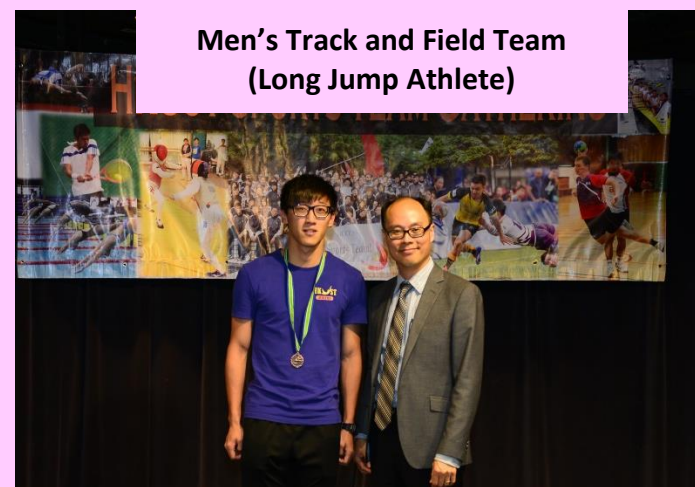
Taekwondo Teams



Men's Tchoukball Team



Men's Tennis Team



Men's Track and Field Team
(Long Jump Athlete)



Men's Volleyball Team

All athletes were happy to receive the souvenir towels from their Team Managers. More than 10 lucky athletes received lucky draw prizes sponsored by a Track and Field Team Alumnus.



Congratulations to the HKUST Sports Community!

For more news and photos of the HKUST Sports Community, please visit sports.ust.hk.

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