

## Inter-school athletic festival held

**UDHAGAMANDALAM:** The sixth edition of the Nilgiris district inter-school athletic festival organized by the Good Shepherd International School (GSIS) at M.Palada, near here, turned out to be a major draw.

The arrangements enabled the participants to bring out their best.

The festival lived up to its objective of promoting good-will and camaraderie among the students of various schools, developing love for sports and games and imbibing sporting qualities, the Principal, P.C.Thomas, told *The Hindu*.



**MAJOR DRAW:** The sixth inter-school athletic festival getting under way at the Good Shepherd International School in M.Palada, near Udhagamandalam.

The event attracted about 350 athletes from schools such as Crescent Castle Matric School, Hebron School, Nazareth Convent, Saint Hilda's School, Saint Joseph's Boys Higher Secondary School, CSI Gell Memorial School, Nilgiri Matriculation Higher Secondary School, Riverside Public School and the host.

The Principal, Crescent Castle Matric School, Umar Farook, inaugurated the festival and said that students should aim high and expressed the confidence that such events would go a long way in fuelling their ambition.