



IMD 2011 – Celebrating International Mountain Day PAKISTAN OPEN CLIMBING COMPETITION – 9-11 December 2011

The Adventure Club – Pakistan has key role in the promotion of Rock / Wall Climbing in Pakistan and exclusively among the females. It has produced some of the finest and extremely talented male and female climbers in past few years. The Club has explored several areas to develop rock climbing routes and keeps on conducting training courses and practice sessions on regular basis. The Club has also developed first exclusive website on Rock Climbing with information and updates about climbing besides a colorful picture gallery.

Recently three climbers of the Club have represented Pakistan in an International Climbing Event held in September 2010, while in 1st. National Climbing Championship held on 9-10 December 2011, all positions in 13 to 19 and 19 plus age categories (girls) were secured the by the climbers of The Adventure Club – Pakistan.



With the following history of organizing climbing competitions at various occasions, the Club has completed 4th. IMD 2011 Climbing Competition to celebrate International Mountain Day 2011 on 11th. December. This competition was fourth consecutive on IMD and 15th organized by the Club since 2007.

- 2007 International Women Day – 1st. Women Climbing Competition
- 2008 International Women Day – 2nd. Women Climbing Competition
- 2008 International Youth Day – Wasif Memorial Climbing Competition
- 2008 International Mountain Day – 1st. IMD Under 19 Climbing Competition
- 2009 International Women Day – (3rd. Women) All Pakistan Climbing Competition
- 2009 International Mountain Day – 2nd. IMD Under 19 Climbing Competition
- 2010 International Women Day – (4th. Women) All Pakistan Climbing Competition
- 2010 Ibex Wall Climbing Competition
- 2010 International Mountain Day – 3rd. IMD Climbing Competition
- 2011 Chenab Rocks Climbing Competition
- 2011 International Women Day – (5th. Women) All Pakistan Climbing Competition
- 2011 Pakistan Day Rock Climbing Competition
- 2011 KPK Kaghan Tourism Festival – Rock Climbing Competition
- 2011 World Tourism Day – WTD Wall Climbing Competition



The competition was jointly organized with Ibex Club – Islamabad, custodian of the first international competition grade climbing wall in Pakistan, under the patronage of Pakistan Tourism Development Corporation (PTDC). The competition started on 9th. December 2011 in Climbing Arena - Ibex Club with a very handsome participation of enthusiasts. It's a matter of pleasure to mention that a 45 members (30 boys and 15 girls) team from Peshawar and a 16 members girls team from Mardan (KPK) also participated in the competition. Several teams from various schools, colleges, universities, clubs and departments also participated in the competition with few important to mention; The City School, Roots International College, Nusrat Inter College, Beacon House, Educators, NUST, Islamic University, Falcon Adventure Club, Multi Adventure Club, Ibex Club, The Adventure Club and SNGPL etc.



The competition started on Friday as per given schedule, while the finals held on Sunday 11 December, the International Mountain Day. The various categories in competition were Under 13, Under 15, Under 18 and 18+, separately for boys and girls.

On Sunday 11 December, the final rounds of competition for various age categories started in a very healthy atmosphere and nicely decorated climbing arena. The participation and enthusiasm of the spectators was remarkable, as the stadium was full of appreciation and encouraging hoots all the day. After completing the various age categories, the final ceremony started in afternoon at the arrival of the Chief Guest, Mir Shahjahan Khetran, Managing Director – PTDC. The dignitaries and the Chief Guest enjoyed watching the final round of boys and girls, senior category i.e. 18+.



The final round was extremely sensational and nail biting as the positions secured with fractions of seconds only. It was an outstanding event, which was highly appreciated by all the participants and spectators and was widely covered by print, digital and electronic media.





At the end of competition, the award ceremony was arranged in which position holders were awarded with prestigious trophies and the winners enjoyed having photographs with the guest of honor. Mr. Tahir Imran Khan, President, The Adventure Club – Pakistan, in his closing remarks said thanks to all participants, their friends and families and honorable dignitaries for their active participation. He also mentioned gratitude for Mr. Esam Khatak on providing such great facility of Wall Climbing, being pioneer in Pakistan. He said that PTDC has been patronizing the Club's events since long, which helps to strengthen the Club's efforts for the promotion of climbing in Pakistan. He extended his thanks to the working committee and support teams who actually made the event smooth and successful. Mr. Tahir Imran Khan further announced:



- 2 Day's Free Advance Climbing Course for position holders with certificates
- Free Club Membership for all position holders for ONE year
- Waiver of One Year Fee, if position holder is already a member of the Club
- Participation Certificate for all participants
- Position Certificate for 4th. position holder
- 50% Membership Fee for 4th. position holders

He concluded his speech with announcement of forthcoming climbing competitions:

1. 30-31 Dec 2011 : Lahore Wall Climbing Competition
2. 11-12 Feb 2012 : Chenab Rocks Climbing Competition
3. 06-08 Mar 2012 : 6th. IWD - Pakistan Open Climbing Competition
4. 23 Mar 2012 : 2012 Pakistan Day Climbing Competition

At the end of the program, the Ibox Club hosted refreshment for guests, organizers and position holders thus a very interesting and successful event ended up blissfully.





Result Card - Girls

Position	Height Gained	Time	Name	From
Under 13				
1	40f - B	00.30.00	Eeman Nadeem	The Adventure Club - Pakistan
2	40f - B	00.32.00	Zohaa Zubair	The Adventure Club - Pakistan
3	40f - B	00.33.22	Zainab Sohail	Oxbridge Intl. Grammar School
Under 15				
1	40f - F	00.41.47	Maira Khan	The Adventure Club - Pakistan
2	40f - F	00.45.97	Tehreem Khan Panni	Multi Adventure Club
3	40f - F	01.27.10	Marya Kamran	The City School – Nowshera
Under 18				
1	40f - F	00.40.50	Hamna Kiran	The Adventure Club – Pakistan
2	40f - F	00.47.50	Aleeza Sana	The Adventure Club - Pakistan
3	40f - F	01.08.00	Palwasha Rodriguez	The Adventure Club – Pakistan
18 + / Open				
1	40f - F	00.22.30	Nazia Parveen	The Adventure Club – Pakistan
2	40f - F	00.31.20	Rabia Parveen	The Adventure Club - Pakistan
3	40f - F	00.35.45	Saqiba Arshad	Islamic International University

Result Card - Boys

Under 13				
1	40f - B	00.50.75	Ammad Khattak	The City School – Peshawar
2	40f - B	00.52.75	Moiz Ali	The City School – Peshawar
3	40f - B	01.02.35	Usama Zafar	Ibex Club
Under 15				
1	60f - F	00.36.00	Haris Altaf	Ibex Club
2	60f - F	00.37.60	Saad Mehmood	Open
3	60f - F	01.24.43	Shahab	The City School – Peshawar
Under 18				
1	40f - F	00.20.40	Haseeb Altaf	Ibex Club
2	40f - F	00.31.03	Umair Saeed	Roots Intl. College – DHA Branch
3	40f - F	00.32.30	Areeb-ul-Hassan	The Adventure Club – Pakistan
18 + / Open				
1	60f - F	00.26.05	Shayyan Korrani	The Adventure Club – Pakistan
2	60f - F	00.26.43	Imran Qamar Junaidi	The Adventure Club - Pakistan
3	60f - F	00.26.65	Sajid Aslam	Falcon Adventure Club

COMPETITION SUPPORT TEAM

Ms. Nazia Parveen - Ms. Esha Iqbal - Ms. Amna Hahmat - Ms. Rabia Parveen
Mr. Usman Tariq - Mr. Shyyan Korrani

