

# Sports Sociology : A Social Phenomena



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### PREFACE

Social phenomenon is a series of social events that arise from observation and experience and form the basis of thought and research. Sports is a global social phenomenon. From the past to the present era, sport have been used as a platform to achieve social goals and also to resolve social issues. The sports provide a wide range of activities for children to old age people ranging from competitive, recreational, adventure, defensive etc. The impact of the sports is reflected in the cultural and political aspects of almost all societies.

The increasing trend of research in the field of physical education and sports has increased the demand for literature related to research work. Keeping this fact in mind, various research papers are being published in the form of books to guide the researchers who are engaged in research work and start research work. The book presented is a compilation of research papers related to the subject of Physical Education and Sports Sociology. As part of this endeavor in the field of publishing, we have compiled research papers written by scholars, researchers and presented in book form. We have full hope and belief that the research papers written by the scholars in this book will be very useful for the teachers, researchers and the students.

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