

Jamshedpur beat NorthEast Utd 2-0, set up semis date with Bagan

Bengaluru FC will take on FC Goa in other semi-final on April 2 & 6

PTI, SHILLONG: Jamshedpur FC defeated NorthEast United FC by 2-0 to enter the semi-finals of the Indian Super League, here, on Sunday.

The Red Miners will face League Shield Winners Mohun Bagan in the two-legged last-four fixtures on April 3 and 7, whereas the Highlanders' run in the campaign ended with this result.

Jamshedpur FC's five away victories so far this season are the best that they have recorded in any ISL campaign.

The visitors grabbed the

lead in their unique style, with Ashutosh Mehta pulling off a long throw-in that found its way to Stephen Eze inside the 18-yard box.

The towering defender made a quick feet adjustment before shooting the ball from a difficult angle on the right to the top left corner in the 29th minute.

Mohammed Sanan built upon this momentum by embracing an effort from distance that had power behind it but missed the target on the right, swerving away from the post eight minutes later.

Jamshedpur FC took the onus to possibly dou-

ble the lead and develop a cushion of advantage late into the game.

In the 83rd minute, Jordan Murray was engaged in a one versus one with Asheer Akhtar on the right flank before he launched in a probing cross for Javi Siverio, which the attacker shot slightly above target to mark a rather disappointing end to their quick counter-attack.

The Red Miners faced a setback after Mobashir Rahman was sent off in the 88th minute following an erratic challenge.

However, they finally got hold of the coveted second

goal in the added time, with Javi Hernandez and Ritwik Das interlinking inside the NorthEast United FC defensive third, as the Spaniard comfortably placed the ball into the middle of the net to guide his team into the semi-finals.

Bengaluru FC will take on FC Goa in the other semi-final on April 2 and April 6, while the summit clash is slated on April 12 the venue for which is yet to be announced.

RESULT

NorthEast United FC 0 Jamshedpur FC 2 (Stephen Eze 29', Javi Hernandez 90+9')

Three Goan windsurfers emerge champions

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The champions along with the dignitaries at the All India Windsurfing and Kitesurfing Championship 2025 at Vithaldas Vaddo, Morjim, on Sunday

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MORJIM: Goa won their three respective categories they participated in, windsurfers in the U-19 category finished with promise for the future and North East India had its first representative as the All India Windsurfing and Kitesurfing Championship 2025 organised by Bord Sailing Association (BSA) and Premier Kiteboarding Association (PKA) at Vithaldas Vaddo, here, came to an end on Sunday.

Siblings Katya and Dayne Coelho once again stamped their class in the iQFoil category for women and men respectively; Keona Rajani proved her decision to switch from windsurfing

to kiteboarding is right; 11-year-old Naavya Kaku showed she is capable of realising her big dreams and Nikhamoni Bora from North East that the mountains cannot deter a windsurfer's determination.

After two days of gusty winds, the winds conditions dropped but that did not blur the enthusiasm of the windsurfers from across India for whom sailing

ALL INDIA WINDSURFING & KITEBOARDING CHAMPIONSHIP

on the Goa coastline was an experience. "Sailing conditions in Goa are the best and therefore coming here is an opportunity to get a feel of sailing conditions abroad," said DP Chennai, who bagged the gold in the Raceboard

men category.

Results: Raceboard U-19 Girls: 1. Naavya Kaku, 2. MK Pragathi, 3. Priyanshi Patil. Raceboard U-19 Boys: 1. K Abhiram, 2. Vinay Kulabkar, 3. Aryan Patidar. Raceboard Women: 1. Nikhamoni Bora. Raceboard men: 1. D P Chennai, 2. Raj Santosh Patil, 3. Kamlapatil. Twin Tip Women: 1. Keona Rajani, 2. Caroline Muillez, 3. Linarani Gangadev. Twin Tip Men: 1. Alexander Ostanin, 2. Murgesan K, 3. N Vamshi. IQFoil girls U-19: 1. Ovie Nair Shaffi. IQFoil Women: 1. Katya Coelho, 2. Vidyanshi Mishra, 3. Debasmita Kar. IQFoil Men: 1. Dayne Coelho, 2. Nandhe Raja Bundela, 3. N S Rawat. FK Women: 1. Rhea Baliwala. FK Men: 1. K Gowtham, 2. Durga Prasad.

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Rosary Higher Secondary School, Navelim, emerged U-19 State football champions for the third consecutive year. In the final played at Santa Cruz ground, Calangute, 4 pm. SCC Cavelosim vs A A de Moira, at Benaulim ground, 4 pm

TODAY'S SPORTS

GFA Division I League (Group A): Candolim SC vs St Savio SC, at Poriat ground, Calangute, 4 pm. SCC Cavelosim vs A A de Moira, at Benaulim ground, 4 pm

17th London Trophy inter-village football (Quarter-final): Betalbatim Sporting Club vs Guardian Angel Sports Club, at Goa Velha Sports Club ground, Goa Velha, 4.30 pm

21st Flame of Unity Veterans football: Calangute Veterans vs Vasco Veterans, at Mabai ground, Per Seraulim, 4.30 pm

All Goa United Trophy football: United Club Verna vs Varca Sporting Club at Rosary Church ground, Navelim, 4.30 pm

Panjim Veterans football: Just Fitness Veterans vs Aldona Veterans, at Taleigao ground, 5 pm

GOA DIARY

Football tournament at Kakoda
RAIA: Team Holy Cross Sports Club, Vodlemoll-Kakoda, in association with Guardian Angel Sports Club, Curchorem, will organise their 27th all-Goa inter-village football tournament 2025 from April 21, at Vodlemoll ground, Kakoda. The final will be played on May 10. The winners will be awarded cash prize of Rs 1,25,000 and a trophy, while the runners-up will receive Rs 80,000 and a trophy. For more details, interested teams should contact Keagan/Clerance.

Football & athletic summer camp at Benaulim
RAIA: Ave Maria Athletic and Walkers Club, Benaulim, will organise a football camp for boys and girls age between 7 and 14 years, from April 25 to May 25, at Benaulim. For details, interested contact Antonio and Liberata.



Margao SC take home 14th Wilred Leisure Soccer Cup

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The champions along with chief guest Curtorim MLA and Goa Industrial Development Corporation Chairman Aleixo Reginaldo Lourenco, Wilred Leisure Sports Club president and committee members and other dignitaries at the DSYA ground, Curtorim

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RAIA: Margao Sports Club crowned champions of 14th Wilred Leisure Soccer Cup 2025 as they blanked Sao Jose de Areal 3-0 in an exciting final played under the floodlights with huge crowd at the DSYA ground, Curtorim, on Saturday.

Margao Sports Club were on fire from the word go and scored three quick goals through Edgar Noronha, Ashley Arauno and Sereino fernandes in the first half of play and later outplayed Sao Jose de Areal to keep the lead till the

INDIVIDUAL HONOURS
Last scorer of semi-finals: Swedon Barbosa (Raia SC), Serino Fernandes (Margao)
Farewell goal of final: Ashley (Margao SC)
Best player of the tournament: Roston Vaz (Shiroda YC)
Man of the final: Myron Fernandes (Margao SC)
First scorer of final: Edgar Noronha (Margao SC)
Best defender: Alfred Noronha (Margao SC)
Best disciplined team: Shiroda YC
Best goalkeeper and last touch of final: Carol Soares (Margao SC)
Best half of the tournament: Cliff Barreto (Margao)

final whistle. Chief guest Curtorim MLA and Goa Industrial Development Corporation Chairman Aleixo Reginaldo Lourenco gave away the prizes in

the presence of Managing Director of Times Leisure Xavier Vas, Finance Director of Times Leisure Raghveer Kuncolekar, Sarpanch, VP Curtorim Alcino D'Silva, Curtorim Zilla Parishad member Michelle Rebelo, Referee South Goa President Costantino Paul, Curtorim Gymkhana President Arnaldo Costa Goa Football Association South Goa Vice-President Anthony Pango Assolna Sports Club President Jackson Fernandes South Central Railway Volleyball Player Stacy Fernandes Sesa Football Academy head coach Charles Dias, Sporting Clube de Goa U-18 Assistant Coach Francisco Savio Vas, Wilred Leisure Sports Club president and committee members and other dignitaries.

Sinquerim SC face Peddem Bomm SC in quarter-finals

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RAIA: Sinquerim Sports Club scored a 7-5 win over hosts Goa Velha Sports Club via tie-breaker in a high scoring match to move into the quarter finals of 17th London Trophy Inter-Village Football Tournament 2025 organised by Goa Velha Sports Club at its ground, Goa Velha, on Sunday.

Arun Palyekar opened the scoring for Sinquerim Sports Club when he tapped home after the Goa Velha goalkeeper Sairaj Chodankar failed to collect clearly a well taken freekick by Sahil Parwar in the 8th minute.

Akash Sanadi missed a chance to equalise for Goa Velha Sports Club when his effort from the left was parried into play by the Sinquerim goalkeeper Aniket Naik in the 10th minute.

Sahil Parwar consolidated the lead for Sinquerim Sports Club to make it 2-0 when his power-packed long ranger sailed into the Goa Velha Sports Club net beating Sairaj Chodankar in the goal in the 16th minute.

Ranjit Tete made it 3-0 in favour of Sinquerim Sports Club in the 27th minute. Sinquerim Sports Club led 3-0 at the break.

Sarjeev Kunkolkar reduced the margin for Goa Velha Sports Club when he headed home beating Aniket Naik in the Sinquerim SC goal off a corner taken by Akash Sanadi in the very 1st minute of the second half.

Akash Sanadi made it 2-3

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Sahil Parwar of Sinquerim Sports Club receives the man-of-the-match award from Omkar Vaigankar, executive committee member of Goa Football Association



Goa Velha Sports Club member Alex Gonsalves presents the man-of-the-match award to Renny Dias of Peddem Bomm Sports Club

when he further reduced the margin for Goa Velha Sports Club when his long range crashed into the Sinquerim SC net.

Sahil Parwar made it 4-1 in favour of Sinquerim SC through a power-packed shot.

Francis Afonso scored for Goa Velha Sports Club to make it 3-4. Goa Velha Sports Club were

lucky to get the equaliser and make it 4-4 when a clearance by Sinquerim SC defender hit Satish Kankonkar and landed into the Sinquerim SC net.

In the ensuing tie-breaker, Sinquerim Sports Club scored through Aryan Salunke, Gopal Gaddi and Krish Naroji. Goa Velha Sports Club managed to score only through Francis

Afonso. Sainath Kankonkar and Sarjeev Kunkolkar shot wide while Krishad Madkaikar saw his effort saved by the Sinquerim SC goalkeeper.

Sinquerim Sports Club will meet Peddem Bomm Sports Club in the quarter-finals on April 3.

Sahil Parwar of Sinquerim Sports Club was awarded the man-of-the-match by Omkar Vaigankar, executive committee member of Goa Football Association.

In the earlier match, Peddem Bomm Sports Club came from behind to register a 3-1 win over Nerul Sports Club and move into the quarter-finals

Nehal Naik put Nerul Sports Club ahead in the 12th minute. Faheez Mohammad scored the equaliser for Peddem Bomm Sports Club in the 23rd minute. Both the teams were tied 1-1 at the lemon break.

In the second half, Nikhil Naik unfortunately put the ball into his own net when he deflected the ball off a Faheez Mohammad cross to put Peddem Bomm Sports Club ahead in the 41st minute. Santosh Bhulan scored the third goal to seal the win in favour of Peddem Bomm Sports Club in the 48th minute.

Anuj Kuttikar of Nerul Sports Club was cautioned by the Referee Shrawan Lamani.

Renny Dias of Peddem Bomm Sports Club was awarded the man-of-the-match by Alex Gonsalves, member of Goa Velha Sports Club.

PY Nuvem move into last eight

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Joywin Costa was awarded the man-of-the-match by Anthony Pires

RAIA: Parish Youth Nuvem scored a solitary goal victory over Raia Sporting Club to move into the quarter-finals of United Trophy organised by United Club Telaulim at Rosary Church ground, Navelim.

The all-important goal came from the boots of Shubert Colaco for PY Nuvem.

UNITED CUP

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Mitra Candolim Veterans win

Mitra Candolim Veterans defeat-

ed Colva Veterans via tie-breaker 4-3 to move into the next round of the 21st Flame of Unity veterans football tournament played at Mabai ground, Per Seraulim.

FLAME OF UNITY

Mitra Candolim Veterans missed a chance to score through Shanka in the very 3rd minute and for Colva Veterans Philip missed a chance to score in the 8th minute.

In the tie-breaker, Mitra Candolim Veterans proved to be the better shooters.