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Jharkhand Gets Bronze Medal in 'Gatka' Championship

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Why in News

Recently **Vinayak Vaibhav of Jharkhand won the bronze medal in the 5th All India Gatka Championship** held at the National College of Physical Education, Patiala, Punjab.

Key Points

- Players from 23 states participated in the **Sikh martial arts style 'Gatka'** competition, out of which Vinayak Vaibhav of Jharkhand won the bronze medal.
- The winners were felicitated by the President of 'Gatka Federation of India' Harcharan Singh Bhullar, General Secretary Baljinder Singh Toor and National Coordinator Dilip Singh.
- On the other hand, the welcome ceremony of Vinayak Vaibhav and the entire team was organized by '**Jharkhand Gatka Association**' at Nanhe Kadam Play School.
- Gatka is a traditional martial art, historically related to Sikh Gurus. Gatka made its presence felt in the sports arena in the year 2008 with the establishment of '**Gatka Federation of India**'. It has also been included in the '**Khelo India Youth Game**' in the year 2021.