

## TOWARDS SPORTING GREATNESS: KASU AT NUGA 2025



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For lasting memories and impact, history has to be retold. In its last outing at the Nigerian Universities Games Association (NUGA) Games held at the University of Jos in November 2025, the Kaduna State University contingent made history and marked significant milestones in the University's sporting history to make KASU proud. And proud, they made the Institution. The contingent won a total of ten (10) medals, marking the first time the university would end the competition with such a huge haul of medals. Four (4) gold medals, four (4) silver medals and two (2) bronze medals later, KASU placed 14<sup>th</sup> in the overall rankings out of ninety one (91) participating higher institutions - bettering four first generation Nigerian universities in the process.

### GOLD MEDAL WINNERS

- Mabel Kanwai Gyeyock & Joy Barau Gideon (Badminton Team Event)
- Elisha Alibura & Destiny Jonathan (Men's Beach Volleyball)
- Peace Lekwot Sonita (Long Jump)
- Mabel Kanwai Gyeyock & Joy Barau Gideon (Women's Badminton Doubles Event)

### SILVER MEDAL WINNERS

- Joy Barau Gideon (Women's Badminton Singles Event)
- Peace Lekwot Sonita (High Jump)
- Richard Irmiya Makoshi (10,000 Metres Race)
- Ramatu Hamza & Diana Clement (Women's Beach Volleyball)

### BRONZE MEDAL WINNERS

- Team KASU (Men's Football)
- Nana Khadeejah Abdullahi (Taekwando - 53kg)

On the back of this great achievement, the university management organised a soiree in honour of student athletes, coaches and support staff who were part of the contingent that travelled to Jos to participate in the games. The soiree held on 7<sup>th</sup> April.

Having set such high standards, the institution has made a strong statement in the Nigerian universities athletic community and one can only see that the future holds much in store for sports development at KASU





