

Suniel Shetty's Speech on Opening Day of World Series Hockey

"Good evening Ladies and Gentleman...Looking at this packed stadium and the interest of fans all over India...I can say – Hockey is on everyone's mind...

Cricket became a household name after IPL...Bridgestone World Series Hockey is going to do it for Hockey...

Just imagine – 34 days of non-stop prime time blockbuster action of this action packed and fast paced sport...We have 200 of the best players from across the world...Players from India, Pakistan, Australia, Spain, Germany, Holland, South Africa, South Korea, New Zealand, Argentina, etc

People often forget Hockey is our national sport...Yet there has never been any promotion or investment in the sport...Today, 29th Feb, 2012 is going to be remembered as a landmark day for Hockey in India...Infact a grand opening like this is the first for Hockey in India...

I am glad to be associated with WSH...Both as a team owner and a brand ambassador...Hockey will always hold a special corner in my mind...It is a man's sport...Its action packed and at the same time showcases some of the most magical moves...

Over the last 2 weeks – Everyone I have met, especially the youth...have said just one thing...This is the best thing to have happened to Sport in India...

So I want to ask everyone in the audience...Hai Dum? Hai Dum....To Ho Jaye Hockey!

I now call upon a power house Punjab Da Puttar...The Singh...The King....Mika Singh!"