



# FUTA NEWS

## **SAAT WINS 2017 VICE-CHANCELLOR'S FOOTBALL COMPETITION**

The best eleven from the School of Agriculture and Agricultural Technology (SAAT) recently showed that their prowess is not only limited to crop cultivation but also extend to the game of soccer when they pipped the School of Earth and Mineral Sciences (SEMS) by one (1) goal to nothing to win the 2017 edition of the Vice Chancellor's Cup. The third place match between the School of Sciences (SOS) and the School of Engineering and Engineering Technology (SEET) ended in a 4-1 goal margin in favour of SOS which saw it clinched third place position. The final between the School of Agriculture and Agricultural Technology (SAAT) and School of Earth and Mineral Science (SEMS) was professionally handled by the Centre referee, Mr. Olaniyi Oladapo. The goal of the match came in the first half from Bakare Pelumi Oluwasogo of Department of Agricultural Extension and Communication (AEC).

The game became more intense in the 2nd half with SEMS trying so hard to level up but the magnetic hands of Abogunde Jonathan of SAAT from the Department of Agricultural Resource and Economics (ARE) denied them the opportunity. The Vice-Chancellor, Professor Joseph Adeola Fuwape lauded the efforts of all the teams that participated and the last four (4) in particular for their display of football artistry and sportsmanship. He also commended the effort of Chairman, FUTA Sport Council, Professor Olushola Agbede and Sports Director, Coach Alayode Ajibua in sustaining sporting activities in the Institution. He said sport and sporting activities makes a man complete because it aids both physical and intellectual development. In a post-match Agbede thanked the Vice-Chancellor and Management for being physically present and congratulated the new champions (SAAT) for a display of football artistry.

Most valuable player of the match went to Bakare Pelumi Oluwasogo and best keeper went to Jonathan Abogunde. The Vice-Chancellor soccer competition is an annual football event that brings together students in various departments and schools to display their prowess outside the classroom.