

## Garvit ends Pune lad Sahil's challenge

PUNE: Delhi lad and seventh seeded Garvit Batra created the upset of the day when he upset fourth seed local lad Sahil Deshmukh 1-6, 6-4, 6-3 to make it to the semi-finals of the Bilcare Asian Under-14 Series tennis tournament organised by Econ Ace Tennis Academy at Balewadi on Wednesday.

Bangalore's Seoli Upadhyay upset seventh seeded Rikeetha Pereira of UAE, the only non-Indian player left in the draw, 6-4, 6-2 to enter the girls singles semi-finals of the event being co sponsored by Punjab National Bank and BVG Group.

Girls' top seed Jasmine Kaur Bajaj overcame a fighting qualifier Mrinalini Alla 4-6, 6-2, 6-0. Dhruvi Venugopal and Sneha Devi Reddy also made it to the last four stage.

### Results

Boys single quarter-finals: S D Prajwal Dev bt M Nasim Dawla 6-3, 6-2; Garvit Batra bt Sahil Deshmukh 1-6, 6-4, 6-3; Pranav Malhotra bt Tejas Kapoor 6-4, 7-6 (7-1); I B Akshay bt Richie Agarwal 6-1, 6-1;

Girls singles quarter-finals: Jasmin Kaur Bajaj bt Mrinalini Alla 4-6, 6-2, 6-0; Dhruvi Venugopal bt Ojaswene Singh 6-3, 6-1; Sneha Devi Reddy bt Nandini Dass 6-0, 6-3; Seulee Upadhyay bt Rikeetha Pereira (UAE) 6-4, 6-2