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Presidents/Secretaries of Member State Archery Associations of the AAI

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Executive Members of the AAI

Dear Sir/Madam,

The Archery Association of India (AAI) is delighted to announce the 3rd NTPC National Ranking Archery Tournament, scheduled to take place in Ernakulam, Kerala from 10th to 19th February 2026. This prestigious event will be hosted under the aegis of the Kerala State Archery Association and will feature competitions in Sub-Junior, Junior and Senior (Recurve & Compound) categories. We encourage all stakeholders to review the below details carefully and ensure timely compliance with the provided guidelines to facilitate seamless participation and coordination.

	Sub-Junior (B&G) (Recurve & Compound)	Junior (M&W) (Recurve & Compound)	Senior (M&W) (Recurve & Compound)												
1. Schedule															
10 th February, 2026 (Tuesday)	Arrival	-	-												
11 th February, 2026 (Wednesday)	Qualification & Eliminational Rounds	-	-												
12 th February, 2026 (Thursday)	Eliminational Rounds & Final Matches	-	-												
13 th February, 2026 (Friday)	Departure before 12:00 Noon	Arrival	-												
14 th February, 2026 (Saturday)	-	Qualification & Eliminational Rounds	-												
15 th February, 2026 (Sunday)	-	Eliminational Rounds & Final Matches	-												
16 th February, 2026 (Monday)	-	Departure before 12:00 Noon	Arrival												
17 th February, 2026 (Tuesday)	-	-	Qualification & Eliminational Rounds												
18 th February, 2026 (Wednesday)	-	-	Eliminational Rounds & Final Matches												
19 th February, 2026 (Thursday)	-	-	Departure before 12:00 Noon												
The final Competition Schedule will be uploaded on the AAI website on 4 th February, 2026															
2. Eligibility															
	Born 1st Jan, 2009 and later	Born 1st Jan, 2006 and later	No Age bar												
a) Eligible to participate at AAI cost (free boarding & lodging)	Top 16 from Elimination Round of 2nd NTPC NRAT to be held at Ambaji, Gujarat.	Top 16 from Elimination Round of 2nd NTPC NRAT to be held at Ambaji, Gujarat.	Top 16 from Elimination Round of 2nd NTPC NRAT to be held at Ambaji, Gujarat.												
b) Eligible to participate in at their own cost	Archers who have met the Min Qualification Score (MQS) in any of the International Championship/Indian Teams' Selection Trials/NRAT/WNRAT/ Khelo India Games/ National Games/ National Championship for Senior/Junior/ Cadet held from January, 2025 to 10 th February, 2026. <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 33%;">Recurve Boys - 660</td> <td style="width: 33%;">Recurve Men - 648</td> <td style="width: 33%;">Recurve Men - 656</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Recurve Girls - 621</td> <td>Recurve Women - 611</td> <td>Recurve Women - 625</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Compound Boys - 684</td> <td>Compound Men - 691</td> <td>Compound Men - 696</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Compound Girls - 668</td> <td>Compound Women - 677</td> <td>Compound Women - 684</td> </tr> </table>			Recurve Boys - 660	Recurve Men - 648	Recurve Men - 656	Recurve Girls - 621	Recurve Women - 611	Recurve Women - 625	Compound Boys - 684	Compound Men - 691	Compound Men - 696	Compound Girls - 668	Compound Women - 677	Compound Women - 684
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	Sub-Junior (B&G) (Recurve & Compound)	Junior (M&W) (Recurve & Compound)	Senior (M&W) (Recurve & Compound)
c) Affiliation through AAI Portal	All the eligible participants including Archers, Coaches, Team officials & Technical Officials for the NRAT are required to be affiliated on the 'Online Affiliation Portal' of the AAI and must carry the Affiliation Card with them. The entry of unaffiliated participants would be restricted at FOP.		
d) Host State	The host state is eligible to enter 3 Archers each in all categories and divisions apart from the qualified participants.		
3. Entry & Timeline			
a) Timeline for Entry & Timeline for Arrival intimation	25 th January, 2026	25 th January, 2026	25 th January, 2026
	Please note that 'No Paper Entry' will be entertained for this event. All State Associations/Associate Members are required to send their entries and arrival/departure schedule through 'Tournament Manager' only.		
4. Boarding & Lodging			
a) B&L for top 16 Archers	<p>Free boarding & lodging facilities will be provided to participants as mentioned in point 2 (a)</p> <p>The local host/AI will not be responsible for accompanying coaches, officials and parents of participating Archers. They will have to make their own arrangement at their own cost without any obligation to the AAI/Local host. Archers eligible for free accommodation are advised to check-in at the hotel directly on their respective arrival date. LOC will share the hotel details with all the Member State Associations soon.</p>		
b) B & L for other participants	The local host will try to help in getting a reasonable hotel to participants other than eligible as mentioned in point 2 (C), nearby competition field on request well in time.		
5. Local Host's Official for Logistics			
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This is issued with the approval of competent Authority.

Best wishes and regards,

Yours sincerely,


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Administrative Officer, AAI