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Member State Archery Associations & Associate Members of Archery Association of India.
Executive Committee Members of the Archery Association of India.

Subject: 8th NTPC Para Archery (Men & Women) National (Para Indian Round, Para Recurve, Para Compound, W1, VI 1 & 2 3 categories) Championship to be held at Kochi, Kerala from 26th to 30th November, 2026.

Dear Sir/Madam

The Archery Association of India (AAI) is pleased to announce the 8th NTPC Para Archery (Men & Women) National (Para Indian Round, Para Recurve, Para Compound, W1, VI 1 & 2 3 categories) Championship will be conducted at Kochi, Kerala from 26th to 30th November, 2026. (inclusive of both arrival and departure days) under the aegis of the Kerala State Archery Association

All the stakeholders are requested to kindly go through the following instructions carefully for your own convenience and to ensure the smooth and successful conduct of the above competitions.

I) Competition fixture and Arrival/Departure of Teams

Para Archery Nationals will be conducted in three phases as per the below-mentioned program:-

Event	Competition
Arrival	26 th November, 2026
Competitions Days	27 th to 29 th November, 2026
Departure	30 th November, 2026

II) Eligibility

- Affiliation through AAI Portal** - All the eligible/selected participants including Archers, Coaches, Team Officials & Technical Officials for the Para National Championship are required to be affiliated on the 'Online Affiliation Portal' of the AAI through the AAI website (www.indianarchery.info). The entry of any unaffiliated person would not be entertained.
- Affiliation Card** - Carrying colored 'Affiliation Card' (in physical form) to be generated after getting a successful affiliation is a mandatory requirement for taking part in the event.
- National/International Classified Archers** - All eligible archers participating in the competition are required to bring their classification cards.

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III) Entry Guidelines

- i) Each participating State member associations/associate member is eligible to field a maximum six archers in each category in the Para Archery National Championship. Maximum three male coach, one female coach, one manager and escorts as per classified categories are allowed with the team. According to the guidelines issued by the Government of India, it is necessary to have a female coach with female athlete.

IV) Entry Procedure & Deadlines

- i) **Para National Championship Entries:** Entries for the championship must be submitted by 05th November 2026 via the Tournament Manager. No paper entries will be accepted.
- ii) **Late Entries:** Entries received between 06th to 10th November 2026 will incur a penalty fee of ₹2,000 per member per category. No entries will be accepted after 10th November 2026. Late entrants must inform AAI in writing, agreeing to the penalty fee. Payment can be made via RTGS to AAI's account or upon arrival.

V) Accommodation and Food

- i) Free boarding and lodging will be provided to all participants for the Para Nationals from 26th November 2026 onwards.
- l) The LOC will not be responsible for additional officials

VI) Flag

The flag of each participating member State Association/Associate Members will be hosted in the competition field and one will be required for March Past. Therefore, all teams are required to carry two sets of standard-size flags (6 ft X 4 ft) while leaving their destinations.

VII) Dress Regulations

All the participants and officials must adhere to the prescribed uniform standards:

- iii) Teams should wear coordinated uniforms (T-shirts, track pants, or winter gear) displaying their name and State/Association name on the back.
- iv) Jeans, baggy, or oversized clothing is not permitted.

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VIII) General

- The Host State Association will send an official invitation to member State Associations/ Associate Members covering more information about stay, connectivity, local transportation, reception, hospitality, safety measures, weather conditions etc. from their end soon.
- All participants are expected to abide by the rules and regulations for the competition, recommended SOPs/practices for safety & health besides general discipline and decorum, on and off the field.

IX) Contact

The participating team may contact the following officials for accommodation, transportation and any further information/details: -

Shri Gokulnath P Secretary-General Kerala State Archery Association +91-9995103698	Shri Vishnu Reji Archery Coach Mob: 9207888357
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Best wishes and regards,

Yours sincerely,


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