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**Presidents/Secretaries of Member State Associations/Associate Members of the AAI
Executive Members of the AAI**

Dear Sir/Madam,

All concerned are requested to please note that there has been a change in the competition schedule of West Zone Khelo India-NTPC Zonal Open Archery Tournaments 2025 whereas the East Zone Khelo India-NTPC Open Archery Tournament has also been finalized.

The revised AAI notification is attached below. All other details remain unchanged.

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Dear Sir/Madam,

The Archery Association of India is continuing to conduct the **Khelo India-NTPC Zonal Open Archery Tournaments** as second consecutive year across five zones, which was commenced in 2024 as part of their fresh initiatives under the NTPC CSR funds and Khelo India flagship. All Member State Associations, as per the below division of States, are invited to compete in these events extending an additional opportunity to the Archers of Sports Boards/ Associate Members from this year onwards with a view to broaden the participation base of these prestigious events: -

North Zone	South Zone	East Zone	West Zone	North East Zone
Chandigarh, Delhi, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Jammu and Kashmir, Ladakh, Punjab, Uttar Pradesh & Uttarakhand	Andaman & Nicobar, Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka, Kerala, Pondicherry, Tamil Nadu & Telangana	Bihar, Chhattisgarh, Jharkhand, Odisha & West Bengal	Daman and Diu, Goa, Gujarat, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra & Rajasthan	Arunachal Pradesh, Assam, Manipur, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland, Sikkim & Tripura.

(*) Sports Boards/Associate members are also eligible to send the entries for the Zonal Tournament. Archers may compete in the zone corresponding to their place of posting/working.

The support extended by NTPC and SAI is invaluable and reflects their commitment to promoting Archery in the country which will not only enhance the quality and scale of Archery tournaments but will also provide a greater competitive edge to our Archers to improve their performance and skills. The AAI is thankful to NTPC and SAI for their unwavering support in taking the sport of Archery to the next stage.

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

Competition fixtures and Arrival/Departure of Teams

The Khelo India-NTPC Zonal Open Archery Tournaments will be conducted in each zone as below mentioned:-

S.No.	Zone	Venue	Arrival	Competition
1	South Zone	Bengaluru, Karnataka	14 February, 2025	15 - 16 February, 2025
2	West Zone	Nadiad, Gujarat	07 March, 2025	08 - 09 March 2025
3	North Zone	Chandigarh	28 February, 2025	01 - 02 March, 2025
4	North East Zone	Guwahati, Assam	28 February, 2025	01 - 02 March, 2025
5	East Zone	Jhalgram, W.B.	10 March, 2025	11 - 12 March, 2025

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Competition Format

Day 1 – Recurve (Men & Women)	
Morning Session (Qualification Round)	2 X 70 m - Recurve Men & Women
Afternoon Session (Individual Elimination Round)	1/16 Elimination Round
	1/8 Elimination Round
	1/4 Elimination Round
	Semi-Finals
	Bronze Medal Matches
Gold Medal Matches	
Afternoon/Evening Session	Prize Distribution Ceremony – Recurve (M&W)
Day 2 – Compound (Men & Women)	
Morning Session	2 X 50 m - Compound Men & Women
Afternoon Session	1/16 Elimination Round
	1/8 Elimination Round
	1/4 Elimination Round
	Semi-Finals
	Bronze Medal Matches
Gold Medal Matches	
Afternoon/Evening Session	Prize Distribution Ceremony – Compound (M&W)

Eligibility

1. Affiliation via AAI Portal

- All eligible participants, including Archers, Coaches and Team Officials, must be affiliated through the 'Online Affiliation Portal' on the AAI website (www.indianarchery.info).
- Entries from unaffiliated individuals will not be accepted.
- It is mandatory for all participants to carry a colored 'Affiliation Card' (in physical form), which can be generated upon successful affiliation, to participate in the event.

2. Entry Guidelines

- State Archery Associations:** Eligible to field a maximum of 12 men and 12 women archers in both Recurve and Compound categories. Max.3 Coaches are allowed to take part.
- Associate Members:** Eligible to field a maximum of 6 men and 6 women archers in both Recurve and Compound categories. Max.2 Coaches are eligible to participate.
- All entries will be accepted through AAI Online portal.**

Boarding, lodging, Travel, and Local Transportation for participants

- Participating Archers and team officials will be responsible for making their own boarding, lodging, travel, and local transport arrangements and for bearing the expenses involved.
- The host will provide lunch and ground facilities to the participants.

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Certificates and Medals

- **Certificates:** All participants and winners will be awarded Participation/Merit certificates by the host at the time of Medal Award Ceremony.
- **Medals:** The top 3 positions in each category will be awarded medals.

Dress Code

All participating teams must wear similar uniform (At least T-Shirt)

Cash Incentives

Cash incentives totaling of ₹2,00,000/- (@ ₹50,000/- per category) will be awarded directly to the top 4 performers in each category. The prize money distribution is as follows:

	Recurve Men	Recurve Women	Compound Men	Compound Women
1 st Rank	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000	₹ 20,000
2 nd Rank	₹ 15,000	₹ 15,000	₹ 15,000	₹ 15,000
3 rd Rank	₹ 10,000	₹ 10,000	₹ 10,000	₹ 10,000
4 th Rank	₹ 5,000	₹ 5,000	₹ 5,000	₹ 5,000
Total	₹ 50,000	₹ 50,000	₹ 50,000	₹ 50,000
Grand Total	₹ 2,00,000			

We look forward to thrilling and successful Zonal Archery Tournaments. This is being issued with the approval of the competent authority

Best wishes and regards,


(GUNJAN ABROL)
Assistant Secretary, AAI