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To,

All Affiliated State Units – AFI

Subject: - 18th National Youth Athletics Championships 2023

Dear Sir,

I am pleased to inform you that **18th National Youth Athletics Championships 2023** is scheduled to be held at Mahatma Gandhi District Stadium, Ajjarkad, Udupi, (Karnataka) from **10-12 March 2023**.

The Championships and events shall be organized in accordance with the Rules of World Athletics- Competition & Technical Rules 2022 & Indian Athletics Manual (updated as on 01.10.2020).

The SOP (Standard Operating Procedure) issued by Govt. of India/MYAS/SAI/AFI & Government of Karnataka shall be followed for hosting this National Athletics Championships.

This Championships will serve as trials for selection of Athletes for 5th Asian Youth Athletics Championships to be held at Tashkent (Uzbekistan) from 27-30 April 2023.

Championships & Eligibility Details:

1. The individuals representing the "Affiliated States/UT Athletics Associations" will enter in the Championships.
2. Each State can enter maximum **THREE Athletes in each event**.
3. An Athlete can enter in **TWO individual events and ONE Relay event**.
4. If both individual events are track events, only one of these events can be longer than 200m.
5. Each team can enter maximum **ONE** Team in each Relay event. **Four Athletes** can enter in each relay event in this Competition. **Any Four Additional Athletes** from among those entered for the Competition, whether for Relay or any other event, may be used in the composition of the Relay Team in any Round but they must have achieved Qualifying Standard in respective individual Event.
6. **Athletes age 16 or 17 years as on 31st December 2023 (born in 2006 and 2007, may compete in any event. No athlete younger than 16 years of age as on 31st December 2023 (born in the year 2008 or later) may be entered.**
7. The entries should be submitted "ONLINE" on AFI Website by the Affiliated States/UT from **17 February to 04 March 2023**. Entries sent by the mode other than "ONLINE" will not be accepted. It should also be noted that athletes with AFI UID can only participate.
8. **The athletes who meet the Entry Standards (enclosed) will only be allowed to enter in the Competition.** The performance must have been achieved either in National Championships/State Championships or AFI recognized Championships where electronic system had been used. The proof of achievement is mandatory to attach during the online entry.

9. Entry Fee of **INR 500/- per event** per athlete will have to be paid online alongwith entry. **The Last date** for receipt of Entries is **04 March 2023**. In no case, entries after the target date will be entertained.
10. Age Verification of the Athletes will be done a day prior to the Competition Day.
11. **You are requested to kindly advise Athletes to prepare the Passport in advance for the selection for 5th Asian Youth Athletics Championships 2023.**

Entry Standard:

Entry Standards is attached with this circular. It is once again advised to send the entry of only those athletes who have achieved the Entry standards fixed by AFI and the proof is must to be attached in online portal, failing which the entry of an Athlete will be rejected.

BIB Numbers:

Bib nos. will be issued to concerned Manager **One day** prior of the start of Championships.

Medals & Certificates:

The medals will be issued during the course of the Competition and participation Certificates will be issued online only to those athletes who achieve the qualification standards set by AFI. **The Merit Certificates will be sent directly to the athlete on the registered address in AFI UID** only after receiving the "Dope Test" report from NADA.

Dope Samples:

Dope Samples will be collected by the officials of National Anti-Doping Agency (NADA).

Boarding & Lodging:

Please be informed that the Boarding, Lodging & Local Transport facilities to participating Athletes will not be provided by the Athletics Federation of India. Athletes will therefore have to make their own arrangements in this regard.

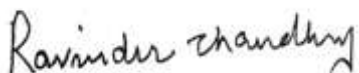
It may please be noted that other guidelines issued by the concerned State Government in connection with Covid-19 Pandemic, shall be strictly followed to ensure that the competition is conducted smoothly. Any Athlete/Official violating the SOP, Guidelines issued with regard to Covid-19 Pandemic will be debarred from participation in this Championships.

Disclaimer:

AFI or Organizing State Unit will not be held responsible directly or indirectly for any loss of life/damage/illness/injury in connection to participation in 18th National Youth Athletics Championships 2023. All Athletes/officials/vendors have to participate on their own risk. You are requested to bring it to the notice of your athletes. Your cooperation in this regard is solicited.

Thanking You,

Yours sincerely,



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LIST OF EVENTS

S.No.	Under 18 Boys	Entry Standard	Under 18 Girls	Entry Standard
1	100m	11.50s	100m	13.25s
2	200m	23.60s	200m	27.20s
3	400m	51.70s	400m	1:03.00s
4	800m	2:00.00s	800m	2:30.00s
5	1500m	4:15.00s	1500m	5:20.00s
6	3000m	9:15.00s	3000m	12:10.00s
7	400m Hurdles (0.838m)	57.50s	400m Hurdles (0.762m)	1:12.00s
8	110m Hurdles (0.914m)	15.40s	100m Hurdles (0.762m)	16.50s
9	2000m SC (0.838m)	6:45.00s	2000m SC (0.762m)	12:30.00s
10	10000m Race Walk (Track)	54.00.00s	5000m Race Walk (Track)	33:30.00s
11	High Jump	1.80m	High Jump	1.45m
12	Pole Vault	3.70m	Pole Vault	2.70m
13	Long Jump	6.50m	Long Jump	5.00m
14	Triple Jump	13.50m	Triple Jump	11.00m
15	Shot Put (5 Kg)	14.50m	Shot Put (3 Kg)	11.50m
16	Hammer Throw (5 Kg)	48.50m	Hammer Throw (3 Kg)	38.00m
17	Discus Throw (1.50 Kg)	46.00m	Discus Throw (1 Kg)	32.50m
18	Javelin Throw (700g)	58.00m	Javelin Throw (500g)	35.00m
19	Decathlon	3900pts	Heptathlon	3000pts
20	Medley Relay	1:56.00s	Medley Relay	2:20.00s