

**U. P. Athletics Association**

Affiliated to U. P. Olympic Association & Athletics Federation of India

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To:

**The Secretaries**

***All affiliated District Athletics Associations & Units***

UP Athletics Association

Dear Sirs,

Greetings from Athletics Uttar Pradesh.

As you are aware, the National Inter District Athletics Championships is an Ambitious & Dream project of Athletics Federation of India. Not only it is one of the largest Athletics activity of World Athletics but also a very important event of Indian Athletics Calendar. The Chairman Planning, Coordination and Implementation Committee **Dr. Lalit K. Bhanot** who was the architect of this model, always tries to bring novel and creative changes in the format so that this project becomes most effective and viable tool to develop Indian Athletes in particular and Overall Athletics in general. It is a great honour for me to intimate you that next edition of this Championships i.e. **18th NATIONAL INTER DISTRICT JUNIOR ATHLETICS MEET 2023,** shall be organised as per following details:

Name of the Championships: **18th NATIONAL INTER DISTRICT JUNIOR ATHLETICS MEET 2023**

Organised by: ***Sports Development Authority-* Government of Bihar**

under the auspices of ***Athletics Federation of India***

Venue: **PATNA (Bihar)**

Dates**: 12th to 14th January 2023.**

Field of Play: **Synthetic Track of 400mts. of 8 Lanes.**

 **One Field of Play for all Field events.**

Groups: **Girls below 14 years / Girls below 16 years.**

**Boys below 14 years / Girls below 16 years**.

Events: List of events is enclosed

Date of reckoning the Age: Last day of the Meet i.e. **14th January 2023**.

Age Brackets: Under **14 years** - Athletes born between **15.01.2009 & 14.01.2011**

 Under **16 years** - Athletes born between **15.01.2007 & 14.01.2009**

Age Verification: \* The **Age verification** of all the athletes will be organized from the Afternoon of **10th January 2023** until 17.00 hrs. of **11th January 2023.**

\* The Athletes are required to produce the Birth Certificate issued by “Birth & Death” Registration office of Municipal Corporation / Nagar Palika / District Administration / 10th standard Examination.

\* The Athletes who will be found Overage will not be allowed to take part in the Championships.

Ceremonies**: Opening Ceremony on 11th January 2023 (Evening)**

Boarding & Lodging**: Boarding & Lodging arrangements have been organized since evening of 11th January 2023 to the night of 14th January 2023**.

Participation: **AFI UID is mandatory for all the Athletes.**

It is mandatory for each Athlete to have individual AFI UID. If they do not have it, they may apply it on the AFI Web-Site. The documents which are required during the registration are **Clear Photograph / Proof of Date of Birth / Proof of Address.** The AFI UID may be obtained through the following link:

https://indianathletics.in/afi\_ors\_test/login.php



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Entries: District Teams may be entered through **On-Line system ONLY** from ***Today until 1st January 2023***. ***Each District shall be provided Login ID & Password for entering in the Championships***. [www.indianathletics.in](http://www.indianathletics.in)

Team Strength: Free Boarding & Lodging to maximum 13 Athletes & 2 Officials.

**Important Information:**

* This National Athletics Championship will be organised in accordance with the Rules & Regulations of ***Athletics Federation of India* (AFI)**{**Indian Athletics Manual – 2020 Edition**} and ***World Athletics*** {**Competition & Technical Rules 2022 Edition}**. In case of any dispute, the decision of the Technical Committee will be final and abiding on all.
* It is important for the District Athletics Associations to organize the District Championships with new set of events. It is mandatory to submit following documents after organizing the District Championships:
1. Results (ii) Press Clippings of the Meet (iii) Event Photographs.
* The ***District Athletics Championships*** must be organized between **24th November 2022 to 20th December 2022**.
* The Undertaking / Declaration in accordance with the attachment is mandatory for all the Athletes which will be submitted by the Parent / Guardian. (Appendix).
* Reimbursement: Rail fare will be reimbursed on verification of Original Rail Tickets and actual participation of Athletes on the Championships. Photo-Copy of the Rail Tickets is required to be submitted along with the Claim Form. The reimbursement of the Rail fare will be only made in the Bank account of the District Athletics Association (***No personal Bank Account of any Official will be accepted*)**.
* Medical facilities to all the participants will be provided by the LOC & AFI.
* Disclaimer: The Athletics Federation of India/Local Organising Committee or Government of Bihar / Bihar Athletics Association / U.P. Athletics Association and District Athletics Associations will not be held responsible, directly or indirectly for any loss of Life / Damage / Illness / Injury during NIDJAM 2023. All the participants (Athletes, Team Officials, Team Coaches, Technical Officials and Volunteers etc.) will participate in NIDJAM on their own risk.
* \* Coordinator – Athletics Federation of India – ***Sri C. S. Rathi***  (Mobile no. 9313167978)

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Please make wider publicity of this NIDJAM2023 in your city for encouraging participation in this event.

For U.P. Athletics Association

Yours Sincerely

**P.K.Srivastava**

Secretary

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