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All Affiliated Units - AFI

Subject: - 6th Open National Race Walking Championships

Dear Sir,

I am pleased to inform you that 6th Edition of Open National Race Walking Championships will be held at Chennai on 16th & 17th February 2019. The Championships will be held in the following age groups:

Men	:	50 KM	}	Open Category
Men (A & B)	:	20 KM		
Women (A & B)	:	20 KM		
Under 20 Boys	:	10 KM	}	For Indian athletes only
Under 20 Girls	:	10 KM		

*20KM (Men & Women) will serve as trial for selection of Race Walkers for participation in Asian Race Walking Championships to be held at Nomi City (Japan) on 17th March 2019. This Championships is also a qualifier event for IAAF World Championships to be held in Doha in September 2019.

*20KM (Men & Women) will be conducted in TWO groups (A & B). The athletes who have achieved the below qualifying mark in any of the AFI / State meet will be allowed to participate in A & B group respectively. The athletes have to submit the copy of result / certificate where he achieved the qualifying standard for participation in 6th Edition of Open National Race Walking Championships during ONLINE entry. However, there is no qualifying restriction for 10km Race walk.

***20KM**

Men's Group A - 1:28:00 and below
Men's Group B - above 1:28:00 and below 1:45:00
Women's Group A - 1:42:00 and below
Women's Group B - above 1:42:00 and below 2:00:00

***50KM Men - 4:50:00 and below**

Reckoning of age Under 20 Boys & Girls

Age Bracket: One should have born between 18th February 1999 and 17th February 2003.

Age Verification

Under 20 Boys & Girls are required to bring original Birth Certificate from Municipality/ Corporation or 10th standard certificate issued by Central / State recognized educational board for verification by the Age Verification Committee / Team of Doctors. Athletes who are drop outs should bring Birth Certificate and school leaving certificate. Those athletes who have not gone to school at all should bring original Birth Certificate. Under-20 Athletes who do not bring the requisite proof of age, will not be allowed to participate.

Fee

There is an Entry fee of INR 1000/- for Men & Women group while INR 250/- to be payable for Under 20 Boys & Girls group.

Entry Form

The entry form is ONLINE through AFI Website www.indianathletics.in. Athletes can visit the website and can fill their entries ONLINE. The last date to submit the entry is 8th February 2019 (midnight). The link will expire after the deadline and no changes/addition/deletion will be allowed after submitting the entry.

Last date for receipt of entries

The last date for receipt of Online entry is 8th February 2019. In no case entries received after the due date, will be accepted. The junior athletes, whose date of birth certificate is not attached in the entry form, will not be allowed to participate.

Accommodation

1. Foreign athletes will be provided accommodation and other facilities from 14th February 2019 to 18th February 2019.
2. Indian athletes will be provided accommodation from 15th February to 18th February 2019 (upto 12:00 Noon).

Under no circumstances, additional stay before or after above mentioned dates and time will be taken care of by organizers.

Your cooperation is solicited.

Thanking you
Yours sincerely-



C.K. VALSON
Secretary, AFI

CC : Secretary,(Sports), MYAS
DG, SAI
Mr. G.S. Randhawa, Chairman, Selection Committee (Seniors)
Chief Coach & Deputy Chief Coach
Mr. S.P. Pillai
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