



# ATHLETICS FEDERATION OF INDIA

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## **ALL THE AFFILIATED UNITS – AFI**

### **Subject :- 1<sup>st</sup> National 400m Open Championships**

Dear Sir,

I am pleased to inform you that the inaugural National 400m Open Championships will be held at Dharamshala (Himachal Pradesh) on 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> September 2018. The various details of the Championships are as under :-

**Organizing Unit :-** Himachal Pradesh Athletics Association  
**Venue :-** Athletics Stadium, Dharamshala  
**Date of Championships :-** 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> September 2018  
**Age Groups :-** **Men & Women**  
**Under 20 Boys & Girls**  
**Under 18 Boys & Girls**  
**Under 16 Boys & Girls**

### **Entry**

The athletes will have to visit AFI Website from 20<sup>th</sup> August 2018 to 31<sup>st</sup> August 2018 and submit "Online" entry by himself/herself. Entry sent otherwise will not be accepted. The entry should be made indicating the following :-

**Name :**  
**Date of Birth :**  
**Performance indicating name of Championships, Venue, date (s)**  
**Complete Postal Address :**  
**Photo :**  
**Mob No. :**  
**Email Id :**  
**Age Proof**

(For athletes below 20 years) - Original Xth Standard Certificate indicating  
DOB/Birth Certificate.

Entry Form to be filled on AFI Website [www.indianathletics.in](http://www.indianathletics.in)

### **Eligibility**

The entry is open to all aspirants/athletes of 400m as per entry standard fixed by AFI for the year 2018.

### **Reckoning of Age for Junior Athletes**

An athlete should be below 20 years, 18 years, 16 years as the case may be, on 9<sup>th</sup> September 2018. The following age groups will facilitate the junior athletes to send the entry in the appropriate age group.

Under 20 Years - Born between 10.09.1998 & 09.09.2000

Under 18 Years - Born between 10.09.2000 & 09.09.2002

Under 16 Years - Born between 10.09.2002 & 09.09.2004

Note :- Athletes below 14 years on 09.09.2018 are not eligible to participate.

**Last date of Entry** :- 02<sup>nd</sup> September 2018

**Entry Fee** :- Rs. 500/- per head to be sent "On Line".

**BIB Number** :- BIB Numbers will be issued to the athletes on 7<sup>th</sup> September 2018 between 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM

**Accommodation**

Accommodation will be provided by the host State from 7<sup>th</sup> September to 9<sup>th</sup> September 2018. However, athletes who fail to qualify for finals will have to vacate the accommodation on 8<sup>th</sup> September 2018 by 7:00 P.M. The athletes are required to reach the venue of accommodation of their own.

The details of accommodation for athletes will be put on AFI website

**Rail/Bus Links from Delhi**

Rail/Bus : – Delhi to Kangra by Rail & from Kangra to Dharamshala by Bus (12 KM)

Bus :– Delhi- Chandigarh-Dharamshala

**Dope**

Dope Samples will be collected by NADA Officials.

**Victory Ceremony**

Medals to winners I, II, III places will be awarded on 9<sup>th</sup> September 2018.

**Merit Certificates**

Merit Certificates will be issued to first eight places in the finals in all age groups after two months of the conclusion of the Championships.

You are requested to bring it to the notice of your athletes.

Thanking You

Yours Sincerely



(C.K. VALSON)

Secretary, AFI

CC :- All Office Bearers –AFI

All Chairmen, AFI Committees