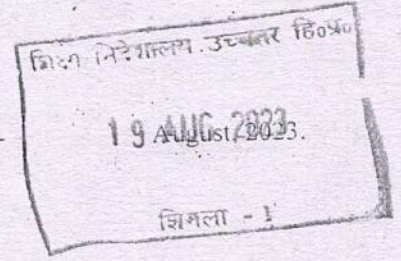


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 Directorate of Higher Education
 Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-171001



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To

All the Dy. Director of Higher Education,
 Himachal Pradesh.

Subject:- **State Level under-19 Tournaments for the Session 2023-24.**

Memo:

The meeting of the General Council of HP School Sports Association was held on 28.07.2023 at Govt. Utkrisht Senior Secondary School Chhota Shimla Distt. Shimla under the Chairmanship of **Dr. Amarjeet Kumar Sharma, Director of Higher Education, Himachal Pradesh-cum-President HSSA.** Schedule for the organization of State level Tournaments for different games, athletics meet and cultural programme for Girls & Boys (below age 19 years born on or after 1-1-2005) of Govt. Sr. Sec Schools/ Govt. High Schools of State for the year 2023-24 was decided as under:-

Sr.No	Tournament	Discipline	Venue	District	Date
1.	Boys -part-I	Volleyball, Kabaddi, Kho-Kho, Badminton.	GBSSS Rohru	Shimla	13 th to 16 th October 2023
2.	Boys -part-II	Handball, Basketball, Chess, Weight lifting.	GBSSS Basdehra	Una	
3.	Boys -part-III	Hockey, Boxing, Taekwondo, Yoga.	GBSSS Bilaspur	Bilaspur	27 th to 30 th October 2023
4.	Boys -part-IV	Football, Judo, Wrestling, Table- Tennis.	GBSSS Chamba	Chamba	

Note: The dates ,venues and allocation of sports discipline/ event of State level Tournament may be changed due to administrative and other reasons. Sports disciplines (allocated) and Cultural Programme in which competition will be held are as under:

5.	Girls-Part-I	Volleyball, Kabaddi, Kho-Kho, Badminton, Chess.	GGSSS Solan	Solan	20 th to 23 th October 2023
6.	Girls-Part-II	Handball, Basketball, Judo, Wrestling, Yoga.	GGSSS Sarkaghat	Mandi	
7.	Girls-Part-III	Hockey, Boxing, Taekwondo, Weightlifting, Table -Tennis.	GSSS Rait	Kangra	
8.	Athletics (Boys/Girls)	100,200,400,800,1500,Mtrs, Long Jump, High Jump, Triple Jump, Shot put, Discus Throw, Javelin Throw,4x100 Mtrs Relay, 4x400 Mtrs Relay Race,4x400 Mtrs Mix Relay Race, 3000Mtrs, Race for Girls and Boys.	GBSSS, GGSSS Hamipur	Hamipur	8 th to 10 th November 2023
9.	Culture Programme (Boys/Girls)	Folk Dance,Group Song,Vocal Solo Classical & Sugam Sangeet, GroupInstrumental,Declamation One act play.	GSSS Nerwa/ Chopal	Shimla	3rd to 06 th November 2023

2 Entry of Teams:- You are requested to send the information regarding participation of your team before one week prior to start of tournament positively to the organizing Secretary.

Affiliation Fees:- The affiliation fees of Rs. 5000/- shall be deposited for part 1 to 5 state level (Boys) Tournament on arrival at the venue to the organizing secretary.

Girls Contingent:- Indispensably, there should be at least one Lady teacher with Girls Contingent as In-charge from each District, who will look after the girls and will have to stay with the girls during the tournament & she will be wholly responsible for girls contingents during their stay.

All the escort teacher / Incharge:- 1. will stay at the School campus/ Venue for the safety and security of players of their District. Any laxity in the matter will be viewed seriously and action will be taken against the defaulters.

2. All the team incharges / DPEs/PETs/ OSD will attend opening/ closing ceremony. The OSD during the matches will be in proper sports uniform while officiating the event.

3. Minor games will be played in league- cum-knockout system.

Reporting Date:- The contingent of your District is expected to reach the venue one day before commencement of the competition.

Identity Card:- All players must have identity Card duly signed/ attested by the Head of the Institution. **Without Identity Card player will not be allowed to participate in the tournament.**

AADHAAR CARD:-As per guidelines of Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports, India & SGFI henceforth online linkage of AADHAAR for each participants of National School Games at the time of online entries is made **MANDATORY**. From session 2022-23 onwards please ensure to accept eligibility form as mentioned alongwith DOB & AADHAAR documents. DOB of the participants on AADHAAR & School certificate should be the same.

Birth Certificate: Separate photocopy of birth certificate of each & every player of the team duly attested by Gazetted Officer is required. Only the birth certificate issued by the Statistic Department of State / UT Govt., Central Govt., Municipal Committee / Corporation Form 5/9 Panchayat shall be acceptable for 10th class & below 10th class students for National School Games as per S. G. F. I. direction. Sports merit and participation certificates will be verified at the venue of State level tournaments. All the ADPEOs are directed to get the Certificates verified at the venue itself.

Eligibility/ Age Certificate: All players should have official entry & eligibility forms in format (SGFI 20 Col.) in full size duly signed/ attested by the Head of the Institution/ Principal & counter signature by the competent authority of District. ADPEO and team manager will be responsible for bringing the eligibility/ birth certificate of the participants, which are to be handed over to the organizing Secretary. In absence of above codal formalities & documents teams/ Players will not be allowed to participate in the Tournament.

NOC/Risk Certificate:- It has been decided in the General Council Meeting of HSSA that henceforth Head of institution will indispensably obtain NOC as to the risk involved while/ participating in the Tournaments from Parents/ Guardian of the Players.

Accommodation: - Arrangements of stay for all the teams shall be made at School / Hostel premises.

Arrangements:- The players and officials must bring with them suitable bedding and other personal daily use articles in view of COVID-19 norms.

Mess Arrangements:- There will be a common mess. Mess Menu will be prepared by the mess committee. Seating arrangement be made in such a way so that each and every player could have their meal comfortably. Principal i.e. organizing secretary of State Level Tournaments are directed to form the purchase committees well in advance for running the mess. All purchases, etc. be made strictly as per prevalent norms and all the codal formalities are required to be observed. Diet money of Rs.150/- per player per day is admissible.

Chief Guest for Opening/ Closing Ceremonies will be finalized with the prior approval of the Director of Higher Education. All the ADPEOs will provide sufficient time to have rehearsals of March-past for Opening & Closing ceremony. Full contingent will take part in March past. All ADPEO are directed to submit a list of DPEs, PETs of their respective Districts game wise and tournament wise for state duty at the earliest in the first week of September 2022.

All the officials deputed with the District Contingent/ OSD will attend the meeting daily and will mark their attendance. In case of any instance of indiscipline, the official will be relieved of forthwith under information to the Director Higher Education for further N/A. The ADPEOs/ senior most DPEs will be appointed as observers in different games and they will be responsible for right selection of players in a transparent manners without favour or prejudice for next National sporting event. The observers will submit selection list of player's game wise to the Directorate of Higher Education within two days of closing of tournament.

You are further directed that number of officials to be deputed with district contingent should in no case be more than Eight officials in part I to IV Boys tournament and in part V- Ten official. For Girls tournament in part I to III Eight officials and in part IV Twelve officials that too if strength of contingent so requires. In case say due to unavoidable circumstances, ADPEO is unable to accompany the Distt. Contingent in that eventuality the senior most DPE of the District be deputed in his/her place. In no case Non technical officers/officials be deputed with the District contingent.

The Contingency for U-19 boys/Girls tournament will be Rs.10000/-and for athletics meet and culture programme will be Rs 25,000/- each, which was approved in General Council Meeting held at Udaipur Distt- Lahul & Spiti on 20-06-2022.

Weight Category for Kabaddi Boys up to -	70kg, Girls up to: - 65 kg
Weight Category for Boxing Boys -	Below 46, 46-49, 49-52, 52-56, 56-60, 60-64, 64-69, 69-75, 75- 81, 81-91Kg + 91 Kg.
Weight Category for Boxing Girls -	Below 45, 45-48, 48-51, 51-54, 54-57, 57-60, 60-64, 64-66, 66- 69, 69-75, 75-+81, +81 Kg.
Weight Category for wrestling Boys -	57, 61, 65, 70, 74, 79, 86, 92, 97, 125kg.
Weight Category for wrestling Girls -	50, 53, 55, 57, 59, 62, 65, 68, 72, 76kg.
Weight Category for judo Boys -	40, 45, 50, 55, 60, 66, 73, 81, 90, +90kg.
Weight Category for judo Girls -	36, 40, 44, 48, 52, 57, 63, 70, 78 +78kg.
Weight Category for Weight lifting Boys -	55, 61, 67, 73, 81, 89, 96, +102kg.
Weight Category for Weight lifting Girls -	45, 49, 55, 59, 64, 71, 76, 81, 87kg.
Weight Category for Taekwondo Boys -	Below 45, 45-48, 48-51, 51-55, 55-59, 59-63, 63-68, 68-
Weight Category for Taekwondo Girls -	Below 40 Kg, 40-42, 42-44, 44-46, 46-49, 49-52, 52-55, 55-59, 59-63, 63-68, + 68Kg.
	66, 67-70-71 above +71 Kg.

Yoga asana Competition will include the following Asanas:-

Group-A:- Paschimotanasana, Sarvangasana, Matsyasana, Dhanurasana, Purna Matsyendrasana, Uttan Padasana.

Group-B:- Chakrasana, Kukkutasana, Grabasana, Bakasana, Bhumasana, Purnashalbhhasana.

Group-C:- Sankhyasana, Vyaghrashana, Urdhvakukutasana, Utithitibhasana, Shirasana, Utithpadhustasana.

The asana of group A to be performed and retained for age group below 19 years for 2:30 minutes. The asans of group B to be performed and retained for 30 seconds and Group C for 20 seconds. A team must consist of a maximum five competitors (including one reserve player). A team consisting of less than four competitors will not be eligible for team championship but their performance will be considered for individual position for championship. Marks of only four players will be counted.

All the players are directed to participate in State Tournaments in proper Kit and proper equipments in the games of Wrestling, Judo, Boxing, Taekwondo, and Weightlifting. Without proper kit & proper equipments they cannot take part in the tournament.

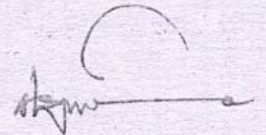
Cultural Programme (under 19 Boys & Girls) for 2023: detail is as under:-

Sr. No.	Name of Item	No. of Participants	Time
1	Vocal Music (Sugam Sangeet)	03	03-04 Minutes
2	Vocal Music (Classical)	03	04-06 Minutes
3	Group Song	12	04-06 Minutes
4	One Act Play	10	15-20 Minutes
5	Declamation	01	05-07 Minutes
6	Instrumental Music	10	05-07 Minutes
7	Folk Dance	18	10-12 Minutes
8	Sanskrit Geetika	03	03-04 Minutes
9	Sanskrit Shloka Ucharan	03	03-04 Minutes

Selection Criteria for District/State and U19 (B & G) Team Chess Event

All the participants of winning team at District/ State level school chess event are eligible for selection criteria for further level chess event. There will be compulsorily a selection Trial which will be an individual event. Only those players will be considered for that selection individual event who fulfill the following criterion:

- I. The players on 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th boards who had played all the rounds and were unbeaten and scored 75percent irrespective of their team standings. For example if a player A has played 5 rounds and scored 4 points by three wins and two draws then that player is unbeaten and his scoring percentage is $4/5 * 100 = 80.0/0$. So the player A will be eligible for the selection event.
- II. The players on 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th boards who had played all the rounds and had scored 75 percent and their team standings fall within top half. For odd number of teams the top half of receding number will be taken. For example a player B has played 5 rounds and scored four wins and one loss so he is not unbeaten and his scoring percentage is $4/5 * 100 = 80.0/0$. Now if Total no. of teams participated were 11 then half of 12 i.e. 6. So the Team standings of player B must be in Top 6.
- III. The players on 5th Board (reserve player) must have played minimum of two rounds and scored 50 percent and their team standings fall within top half. For odd number of teams the top half of receding number will be taken. For example a reserve player C has played 3 rounds and scored one wins and one draw and his scoring percentage is $1.5/3$.
- IV. $100 = 50.00$. Now if Total no. of teams participated were 11 then half of 12 i.e. 6. So the Team standings of player C must be in Top 6.(This is applicable only in case of reserve player & only if plays minimum two rounds).
- V. The selection Trial will be conducted as an individual event with applicable Tie- Breaks for individual Event. Selection Trial will be conducted in Rapid format having minimum 15 minutes to each player and as per the situation suitably decided by the Chief Arbiter/Convener.
- VI. The no. of rounds will be decided on the basis of number of participants who had qualified.
- VII. Up to 8 participants —3 rounds, (Applicable for selection/ trial of player to constitute).
- VIII. 9-16 participants —4 (rounds team and not for team event)
- IX. 17-32 participants 5 rounds
- X. Then selection trial will be organised for those who fulfil above said criterion and top 5 will be selected for next level event.
- XI. The Tie Break Criteria being used and number of rounds, alongwith default time and any other changes must be displayed before the start of selection trial must be displayed on the notice board.
- XII. The aforesaid criteria will be applicable throughout the state.



Director of Higher Education
Himachal Pradesh Shimla-1
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Copy for information and necessary action to:-

1. The Principal Secretary (Education), to the Govt. of Himachal Pradesh.
2. Sr. Private Secretary to Hon'ble Education Minister Govt. of Himachal Pradesh.

3. The Director of Youth Services & Sports, HP, Shimla-2.
4. The Director of Elementary Education, HP.
5. The GM HRTC Shimla-171001.
6. Principal /Organizing Secretary U-19 Boys for State Level Tournaments 2023-24 part I Rohru, part II Una, part II Bilaspur, Part IV Chamba to make necessary arrangements.
7. Principal /Organizing Secretary U-19 Girls for State Level Tournaments 2023-24, part I Solan, part II Sarkaghat ,part III Rait to make necessary arrangements.
8. Principal /Organizing Secretary Athletics U-19 Boys/Girls for State Level Tournaments 2023-24 Boys /Girls Hamirpur to make necessary arrangements.
9. Principal /Organizing Secretary Culture Programme U-19 Boy/Girls 2023-2024 Nerwa/Chopal to make necessary arrangements.
10. The Principal/ In-charge Sports Hostels:Rohroo, Matiana, Jubbal, Distt. Shimla, Mazra Distt. Sirmour,Nadaun Distt. Hamirpur,Sunder Nagar, Sarkaghat Distt. Mandi,Paprola,Distt. Kangra, HP.
11. Administrative Officer STC SAI Bilaspur and Kangra at Dharamshala. DYSSO Una, Bilaspur, Hamirpur,Shimla,Solan,Sirmour,Kallu, Mandi, Kangra, Kinnaur, L&S with the request to send their teams at their own level and expenses for information and participation in the tournaments.
12. All the ADPEOs in HP for information and necessary action.
13. PA Cell, Directorate of Higher Education.
14. Supdt. IT Cell to upload on Deptt. Website.
15. Guard File.

Director of Higher Education
Himachal Pradesh Shimla-I

