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OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

REGISTRATION OF QUALIFIED PAIRS FOR INDIAN SELECTION TRIALS – OPEN/MIXED AND WOMEN CATEGORY

As per the guidelines issued in the National Ranking Policy, in order to prepare for the 16th World Bridge Games to be held in Salsomaggiore Terme, Italy. The Opening Ceremony will be held on Friday 21st August and the Closing Ceremony will be on Friday 4th September.2020. The Coaching cum selection trials for the Men (Open)/Women/Mixed will be held based on completion of the qualifying events in the respective categories.

Final Ranking at each stage to be calculated based on total performance points (60 Points for Main Event, 35 Points for Ranking Points and 5 Points for Conv. Cards + Supplementary Notes)

OPEN TRIALS		
11th February - 12th February	Round Robin of 12 Boards each of 11 rounds (4 Rounds on 11 th Feb, 5 Rounds on 12 th Feb, 2 Rounds on 13 th Feb)	120 boards
<i>Top 6 Pairs to Qualify after performance points weightage allocation (60 Points for Main Event, 35 Points for Ranking Points and 5Points for Conv. Cards + Supplementary Notes)</i> <i>No scores are carried forward to final league</i>		
13th February - 15th February <i>Final league will be completed latest by 6 p.m on last day</i>	Double Round Robin - 14 boards match 13 th Feb – 2 matches, 14 th Feb – 4 matches, 15 th Feb – 4 matches (Scores at end of Round Robin 1 will be carried forward to RR2)	126 boards
<i>Final Ranking calculated after performance points weightage allocation (60 Points for Main Event, 35 Points for Ranking Points and 5 Points for Conv. Cards + Supplementary Notes)</i>		
MIXED TRIALS		
16th February - 17th February	Mixed Trials - Swiss League of 9 rounds of 10 boards each with Last 3 Rounds Danish Draw - (6 Rounds on 16th and 3 Rounds on 17th)	90 boards
<i>Top 8 Pairs to Qualify after performance points weightage allocation (60 Points for Main Event, 35 Points for Ranking Points and 5Points for Conv Cards + Supplementary Notes) No scores are carried forward to final league</i>		
17th February - 19th February <i>Final league will be completed latest by 6 p.m on last day</i>	Double Round Robin - 7 rounds x 10 boards x 2 segments (Scores at end of RR 1 will be carried forward to RR2)	140 boards
<i>Final Ranking calculated after performance points weightage allocation (60 Points for Main Event, 35 Points for Ranking Points and 5 Points for Conv. Cards + Supplementary Notes)</i>		
WOMEN TRIALS		
20th February - 21st February	Double Round Robin - Round Robin 1: - 9 rounds x 10 boards. (6 Rounds on 20th and 3 Rounds on 21st)	90 boards
<i>Top 8 Pairs to Qualify after performance points weightage allocation (60 Points for Main Event, 35 Points for Ranking Points and 5Points for Conv. Cards + Supplementary Notes) No scores are carried forward to final league</i>		
21st February – 22nd February <i>Final league will be completed latest by 7 p.m on last day</i>	Round Robin 2: 7 rounds of 12 boards each (2 Rounds on 21 st and 5 Rounds on 22 nd)	84 boards
<i>Final Ranking calculated after performance points weightage allocation (60 Points for Main Event, 35 Points for Ranking Points and 5 Points for Conv. Cards + Supplementary Notes)</i>		

Performance Points Weightage (PPW) as given in National Ranking Policy will be used in determining the qualifying position at each stage of the selection trials.

Actual Performance at the camp will have the weightage of (55 Points with actual play score + 5Points win against lost rounds ratio)	60 Points
National Raking Performance points weightage:	35 Points
Evaluation of Convention cards and supplementary sheets Will have weightage (announced before the start of evaluation)	05 Points

The mode of calculation for the ranking of pairs at end of each stage is as below:

Maximum Total Performance points allocated to each pair: 100 points

- 55 Performance Points given for the Actual Performance to the Top performer at the Main Selection event with pro rata points given to other pairs as per their respective score compared with the top score **(i.e. $55 \times \text{Each Pair Actual Score Achieved} / \text{Top Actual Score}$)**
- 5 Performance Points given to the **Win/Loss Ratio of the best performing pair**. Other Pairs will be given weightage in comparison with the best performing pair.
- 35 Performance Points given for Annual Ranking Points obtained for the year 2019 to the Top performing pair with pro rata points given to other pairs as per their respective points compared with the top ranked pair's points **(i.e. $35 \times \text{Each Pair Actual Score Achieved} / \text{Top Actual Score}$)**.
- 5 Performance Points given for the **detailed filing of convention card and supplementary notes of each participating pair as per WBF guidelines** to be evaluated by the BFI technical committee.

At the end of each stage of elimination, the following sample table will be maintained for calculation of the actual rankings as per the above scheme:

	Name of the Pair	Actual Result Performance Points at Selection Trials (out of 55 points)	National Ranking Performance Points (out of 35 points)	Win/Loss Ratio Performing Points (out of 5 points)	Convention Card Filing Performance Points (out of 5 points)	Total Performance Points
1	Pair X	55	35	5	5	100

E.g.: Say Pair X is the top ranked pair with a score of 120 VPs at end of Swiss League while Pair Y is the second ranked pair with a score of 115 Vps. Hence, Pair X will get 55 performance points while Pair Y will attain $115/120 \times 55 = 52.71$ points

Venue:

The Orient Club, Opp. Wall Street Building, Near Gujarat College, Ellisbridge, Ahmedabad

Accommodation:

Subject to the Govt.(SAI) approval, accommodation for the qualified registered pairs is provided on double occupancy basis (same gender) at the Venue from 10th February for the Open Event, from 15th February for the Mixed and from 19th February for the Women event. All players need to provide their travel documents as proof of their presence in attending the camp cum selection trials. **Eliminated pairs can stay till completion of their event for training (Check out on last date of respective event at 10 a.m.)**

LIST OF QUALIFIERS: OPEN EVENT

OPEN EVENT							
RANK	Pairs	NAT/ FED TEAM	NAT/ FED PAIRS	WORLD	ZONAL TEAMS	TOTAL	PPW In Trials
1	Rajeshwar Tewari-Keyzad Anklesaria	323.4	32.23	39.6	9.9	405.13	35.00
2	Sandeep Thakral-Jaggy Shivdasani	305.1	16.50		31.9	353.50	30.54
3	Sumit Mukherjee-Debabrata Majumder	297.4	45.93		9.9	353.23	30.52
4	Pritish Kushari-Debasish Ray	335.5				335.50	28.98
5	Dipak Poddar-Jitu Solani	108.2		180.4	9.9	298.50	25.79
6	Kiran Nadar-B Satya	235.4	14.90		9.9	260.20	22.48
7	Dipak Santra-Anirudhh Bhattacharjee	151.8		39.6	28.6	220.00	19.01
8	Sukamal Das-Subrata Saha		38.50	180.4		218.90	18.91
9	Subhash Dhakras - R Sreedharan			180.4		180.40	15.59
10	Kaustabh Nandi-Kaustubh Bendre	148.5	27.50			176.00	15.20
11	Hemant Jalan-Sandip Datta	168.3	7.43			175.73	15.18
11	Sayantan Kushari-Sagnik Roy	168.3	7.43			175.73	15.18
13	Shibhnath Sarkar-Pranab Bardhan	144.5	27.20			171.70	14.83
14	Satyabrata Mukherjee-Abhijit Chakraborty	161.7				161.70	13.97
15	Subhash Gupta-Arun Bapat	125.4			22.0	147.40	12.73
16	Badal Das-Partha Sarthi Mukherjee	134.6	7.43			142.03	12.27

MIXED: (As there are four multiple entries of some players, the provisional list is extended to qualify the actual top 14 ranked pairs)

Rank	Pairs	NAT/ FED TEAM	NAT/ FED PAIRS	WORLD	ZONAL TEAMS	MIXED events	TOTAL	PPW
1	Kiran Nadar-B Satyanarayana	235.4	14.90		9.9	66	326.20	35.00
2	Rajeev Khandelwal-Himani Khandelwal	52.8		44		62.7	159.50	17.11
3	Bindiya Naidoo - Priya Ranjan Sinha	29.7	7.43	44	8.8	25.3	115.23	12.36
4	Arun Jain - Gopika Tandon	69.3				9.9	79.20	8.50
5	Vasanti Shah & Satyabrata Mukherjee					75.9	75.90	8.14
6	Marianne - Sandeep Karmarkar					69.3	69.30	7.44
7	Hema Deora-Vinay Desai	59.4					59.40	6.37
8	Anil Padhye & Kalpana Misra		9.90			37.4	47.30	5.08
9	Bharati Dey-Sujit Basu			44			44.00	4.72
10	Akanksha Vyas-P Sridharan					41.8	41.80	4.48
11	Hema Deora-Gopinath Manna	39.6					39.60	4.25
12	Ambrish Wadera & Devi Bhatnagar					37.4	37.40	4.01
13	Abhijit Chakraborty & Asha Sharma					33	33.00	3.54
14	Akanksha Vyas-R Venkatesh		13.20			17.6	30.80	3.30
15	Somesh & Monica Jajoo				19.8	9.9	29.70	3.19
15	Bharati Dey-Ravi Sabherwal	29.7					29.70	3.19
15	Monica Jajoo - Sumit Mukherjee			29.7			29.70	3.19
15	Subhash Gupta - Puja Batra					29.7	29.70	3.19
15	Hema Deora - Subrata Saha					29.7	29.70	3.19
15	Ravi Dudhane - Lina Mayadas					29.7	29.70	3.19

WOMEN: Top 10 ranked pairs

WOMEN									
Rank	Pairs	NAT/ FED TEAM	NAT/ FED PAIRS	WORLD	ZONAL TEAMS	MIXED events	WOMEN EVENTS	TOTAL	PPW
1	Puja Batra - Asha Sharma			39.6	17.6		9.9	67.10	35.00
2	Feroza Chothia - Aparna Sain						44	44.00	22.95
3	Rupa Bakeri - Alka Khsirsagar			39.6				39.60	20.66
3	Meenal Thakur - Nikita Kamal			39.6				39.60	20.66
3	Bharati Dey & Vasanti Shah						39.6	39.60	20.66
6	Dr.Nikita Kamal & Rita Choksi						33	33.00	17.21
7	Alka Jain & MadhuMalti Jain						31.9	31.90	16.64
8	Satyavati Vasanth - Majorie Texeira						29.7	29.70	15.49
9	Rachel W Joseph - Sujata Puranik						19.8	19.80	10.33
10	Aditi Sahasrabuddhe - Sunanda Ranade						17.6	17.60	9.18
10	Rita Bhagwati & Tara Laroia						17.6	17.60	9.18

LAST DATE OF REGISTRATION: 5TH JANUARY. 2020

REGISTRATION LINK:

<http://bfi.net.in/indian-selection-trials-2020-open-mixed-and-women-category/>

All qualified pairs have to register online at the below link before 5th January 2020. Convention cards should be filed by 15th January to Mr. Srinivasan via email (cardpaker@gmail.com).