

BULLETIN

5th Inter State Challenger National Rowing Championships Dal Lake, Srinagar Jammu & Kashmir

20th June – 26th June 2022

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Competition Information:**1. Date and Place:**

The competitions will be held on the Dal Lake, Srinagar, Kashmir from the 20th to the 26th of June 2022

2. Events:

EVENTS	CHALLENGERS' SPRINT	
	500 M	
	MEN	WOMEN
Single Sculls	CM1X	CW1X
Double Sculls	CM2X	CW2X
Coxless Pairs	CM2-	CW2-
Coxless Fours	CM4-	CW4-

- 2.1 The competition course will be on 4 lanes with fixed start platforms over a distance of 500 meters.
- 2.2 Some events may be run on 2 or 3 lanes, if warranted by the Jury.
- 2.3 "NO DOUBLING" will be allowed.
- 2.4 If there are less than 5 (Five) entries in any event, then the event may be Cancelled.

3. Eligibility:

National Rowing Championships are open to the following:

- 3.1 All Affiliates of RFI
- 3.2 Any Organization or Institution to which the Federation has granted affiliation, as an Associate Member.

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- 3.3 Association, Organization or Institution registered in India as invitees of Rowing Federation of India.
- 3.4 Only 'Nationals of India' - i.e. 'Citizens of India' will be eligible to participate in these Championships. 'National of India' shall mean and include a person as defined in Chapter II of the Constitution of India, who is a full-fledged Citizen of India, holding an Indian Passport.
- 3.5 Explanation of "National of India": Holder of a Foreign Passport, Dual Citizenship will not be considered as a 'National of India'. A 'Person of India Origin' [PIO] or 'Overseas Citizen of India' [OCI] not eligible to participate in Races conducted by / under the aegis of the RFI

4. The eligibility criteria for Challengers:

- 4.1 A Rower ceases to be a Challenger when he achieves any one of the following:
- 4.2 A medal in any Senior National Rowing Championships (Senior/Open/Sprint / Challengers) in any Class i.e. whether in Sweep or Sculling events
- 4.3 Gets selected to represent India in International Championships.
- 4.4 However for a Junior, participation in any International Junior Championships is excluded from this definition
- 4.5 A sub-Junior cannot participate in the Inter State Challenger Sprints.

5. Entries:

- 5.1 Preliminary entry by boat should be received by the Organizing Committee and the RFI Secretariat on or before the 20th of April 2022
- 5.2 Final Entry (Entry by name) must be received by the Organizing Committee and the RFI Secretariat on or before 05th June 2022.
- 5.3 The Final Entry must include the name and date of birth of each rower including substitutes (not more than three - one in scull and two for sweep as reserves (one bow

and one stroke side) and the names of team officials (not more than two-one coach and one manager-for full team). Entries must be in the format provided only.

- 5.4 All entries must be submitted in the official forms attached herewith only with State Secretaries' signature & association stamp. If there are corrections and over writings, the same must be attested with signature & stamp of the secretary concerned.

6. Detailed Procedure for Entry Submission:

- 6.1 Enter all details and names in **CAPITAL LETTERS (Only)**
- 6.2 Attach entry form to email and send it to J&K 'Organizing Secretaries' email id and mark a copy to RFI Secretariat's email id. The form to be duly signed by the Secretary of the state association and stamped.
- 6.3 Take a printout. Secretary of State Association to rubber stamp and sign the form.
- 6.4 Bring this original Entry Form to Championship venue and hand it over personally to J&K Secretary / President of Jury.

Note:

- a) Change of names of rowers will be accepted till 20th June 2022 or before the draws are made by the Jury.
- b) Entries received after the closure date or before the draws, will not be accepted and the concerned crew will not be allowed to participate.

7. Schedule:

Monday 20th June 2022	Arrival of Teams / Accommodation from 0600 hrs /
Tuesday 21st June 2022	Practice /
Wednesday 22nd June 2022	Jury Meeting / Draws / Opening Ceremony /
Thursday 23rd June 2022	Heats / Repechage /
Friday 24th June 2022	Semifinals / Finals
Saturday 25th June 2022	Finals /
Sunday 26th June 2022	Departures /

Note:

- a) The schedule is subject to change. Changes will be notified to all Associations by new version of the bulletin.
- b) official Accommodation will be available only between 0600 hrs on 20th June 2022 and upto 1200 hrs on 26th June 2022, Teams arriving early or leaving late have to make their own arrangements for accommodation for early arrival and late departures in Srinagar.

8. Association Flag:

The teams are requested to bring the Flags of their respective State Associations.

9. Rules and Regulations:

- 9.1 The competition will be conducted in accordance with the RFI Rules of Racing.
- 9.2 All teams must wear their racing uniforms as per the officially approved colors. Teams violating this rule will not be permitted to participate in the races.
- 9.3 "Doubling" IN ANY EVENT IS NOT permitted.

10. Boats and Equipment

- 10.1 Boats will be fixed to the Lane.
- 10.2 All oars and sculls must be painted on both sides in the colors of their respective State Association.
- 10.3 Teams will be responsible for the breakages And damages to the boats and equipment's provided by the organizers. The decision of the Jury will be final in determining The extent of damage and cost to be paid.
- 10.4 No coxless boat will be allowed to start without a rudder. Use of rudder in Fours and Pairs is mandatory as per RFI Rules.

11. Transportation

- 11.1 For attention of all Participants, Officials, Coaches and Managers who are travelling upto / alighting at Jammu by train. On arrival in Jammu, the teams must report to the "CONTROL ROOM / RECEPTION AREA" in the Railway Station.
- 11.2 The Organizers will help arrange a place for freshening up and refreshments, before onward journey to Srinagar, on payment.
- 11.3 All Teams are required to leave Jammu by 12.00 Hrs on 20th to take the bus to Srinagar.
- 11.4 Those who come late or miss this window, have to make own arrangements to come from Jammu to Srinagar.
- 11.5 Transport from Jammu to Srinagar will be arranged by the Organizers in Buses on payment of Rs. 600.00 per person, one way, to bring you to your place of stay in Srinagar.
- 11.6 Pickup from Airport, in Srinagar, if arriving by air, will be arranged by the Organizers.
- 11.7 Daily pick up and drop from place of stay to the venue of the competition and back will be provided by the organizers.

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12. Entry Fee, Participation Fee, Boarding and Lodging

- 12.1 Entry fee of Rs. 500.00 per participant to be paid to RFI, along with entry form.
- 12.2 All Challenger Participants have to pay a facilitation fee of Rs. 800.00 per person per day towards Boarding and Lodging.
- 12.3 Extra Officials / Players / Support Staff / Parents and guardians who accompany the team, have to find your own accommodation in Srinagar.

13. Appeals

All appeals shall be dealt with in accordance with RFI Rules of Racing.

14. Medals and Certificates

Medals and Certificates will be presented to first three winners in each event and Participation Certificates will be issued, as per the qualifying provisions, laid down by the RFI.



M V Sriram
Secretary-General

Enclosed:

1. Preliminary Entry form to be submitted by 20th April 2022.
2. Final Entry Forms to be submitted 05th June 2022
3. Travel Intimidation form to be submitted by 05th June 2022