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LATE RANDHIR VERMA INTER DISTRICT UNDER-19 CRICKET TOURNAMENT **2022-23**

Advisory to District Cricket Associations/Zone Officials/Observers

As per the discussion held with various District Cricket Associations and the subsequent recommendation of the Cricket Tournament Committee, it has been decided to conduct Late. Randhir Verma Inter District Under-19 Tournament from 9th April 2023. The tournament will be played on One Day (50 Overs) and Days format (2/3 Days). In League Phase *38 Districts is divided into 8 Zones named as

1. Angika Zone:- Bhagalpur, Banka, Munger, Jamui, Lakhisarai
2. Mithila Zone:- Darbhanga, Madhubani, Sitamarhi, Supual, Sheohar
3. Patliputra Zone:- Patna, Vaishali, Saran, Arwal
4. Western Zone:- Gopalganj, Siwan, East Champaran, West Champaran
5. Sahabad Zone:- Kaimur, Rohtas, Aurangabad, Bhojpur, Buxar,
6. Seemanchal Zone:- Purnia, Katihar, Araria, Kishanganj, Madhepura
7. Central Zone:- Begusarai, Muzaffarpur, Saharsa, Khagaria, Samastipur
8. Magadh Zone:- Gaya, Nawada, Nalanda, Jehanabad, Sheikhpura

As per the above Six Zones will have 5 Teams and Two Zones will have 4 Teams based on Vicinity and Convenience in travel. All Matches will be played as League (50 Overs/Side) Super League (2 Days) and Semifinal and Final will be of 3 Days.

League Phase

- Every Team of a Zone will play against each other in a 50 Overs a side One-day match.
- The top Team from each zone along with combine team i.e **Rest Of Zone** will be formed from the players of the remaining Teams of the respective zone on the basis of their performances in the League Phase and performance in the BCCI's Domestic Tournament of Season 2022-23.
- The performance of players in the League Phase will be considered only for selection in the rest of the zone team.
- The performance of players in the Super League and onwards will be considered for Selection of 52 players to be consider for the forming the state Under-19 team for BCCI domestic season 2023-24.
- Every District can register a Maximum of 25 Players and a Minimum of 15 Players, by 04 April 2023 and submit the list in the prescribed format along with all documents and must submit the Hard Copy to Manager Cricket Operation – **Mr. AK Chandan** Registration of Players shall be done only once and no further addition will be entertained in any circumstance.



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Super League - Super League will have 16 Teams in 4 groups with 4 Teams in each group.

- Top team of each zone along with one Rest of the Zone team of the respective zone i.e. a total 16 teams will qualify for super league matches. These 16 teams which qualify for super league will be divided in 4 groups of 4 teams each. The Super League Matches will be of 2 Days with a maximum of two Innings for each side.
- Each team can bat for maximum of 100 overs in an inning or it is all-out whichever is earlier.
- For Smooth and Successful conduct of the Tournament, BCA will reimburse the expense of Balls, Transportation, and Lodging & Food of Visiting Team, Umpires, and BCA's appointed Observers, Preparation of Grounds and Field Expenses for the match.
- It's Mandatory for every player to participate in this Tournament and only those who will participate shall be considered for BCCI domestic tournament (under-19) season 2023-24.
- Players not participating in this Tournament shall not be considered for BCCI domestic tournament (Under-19) season 2023-24.
- Only Those Players who will be engaged in BCCI assignments such as Matches/NCA, IPL or others will be exempted from participating in the matches falling during that period.
- Only these shortlisted 52 players will be considered for selection for BCCI domestic tournament (Under-19) matches in Season 2023-24. The composition of 52 players will be following:
 - Batter- 24
 - Spinner- 12
 - Fast Bowler- 12
 - Wicket Keeper- 04

Note - In case the required number of performers/Quality players in any Specialty is not available then Performers/Quality players from other specialty will be considered in the List of 52 Players for Camps.

- **Eligibility Criteria laid down by BCCI for participation in the BCCI under-19 matches will be applicable**
 - Should be born on or after 01.09.2004.
 - Eligibility will be as per the date of birth.
 - If a player enters the system at U-16 level, clears the TW3 bone test and the birth certificate is registered within 2 years of birth, then the player is allowed to play a maximum of 4 years in U-19 age category.
 - If a player enters the system at U-16 level, clears the TW3 bone test and the birth certificate is not registered within 2 years of birth, then the player is allowed to play a maximum of 2 years in U-19 age category.
 - Direct entry at the under-19 level and the birth certificate is registered within 2 years of birth, and then the player is allowed to play a maximum of 2 years in U-19 age category.
 - Direct entry at the under-19 level and the birth certificate is not registered within 2 years of birth, and then the player is only allowed 1 year participation in U-19 age category.
- Note - As per the eligibility criteria laid down by BCCI those players who are not eligible to play in BCCI U/19 Tournament in season 2023-2024 will not be allowed to participate in the BCA domestic U/19 Tournament 2022-2023

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