

**TOURNAMENT GUIDELINES TO ORGANISERS FOR THE YEAR 2026-27****GUIDELINES/RULES/REGULATIONS/INFORMATION FOR ORGANIZERS OF: MULTI-DISTRICT, STATE SELECTION OPEN, MASTERS, ALL INDIA RANKING, INTERNATIONAL RANKING & LEAGUE EVENTS**

To,
The Organizing Secretary,

Date:17-04-2026

Dear Sir / Madam,

The following are the Guidelines / Instructions to be observed during the conduct of the said Tournament.

1. **PROCEDURE FOR APPLICATION OF MULTI-DISTRICT, STATE OPEN, MASTERS, ALL INDIARANKING, INTERNATIONAL RANKING & LEAGUE EVENTS UNDER MBA:**
 - i. The tournament organizers shall make an application to the concerned District Association. If found OK, the District secretary will forward the same to the Hony. Secretary, MBA who will check for availability of dates and give approval for the tournament subject to fulfilling of guidelines. From there it will be the responsibility of the District Secretary regarding the smooth conduction of the tournament as per MBA guidelines. In case if the District Association doesn't exist or is dis- affiliated, then the organizer may approach the Hony. Secretary MBA with their application. Tournament applications must be received by MBA office minimum one month in advance.
 - ii. No direct tournament application by any individual or Event Management companies shall be entertained unless it is sent through the respective District Association.
 - iii. For any application involving Tournament on a League basis, the format of the league auction and all other details must be pre-approved by MBA before the tournament is announced.
 - iv. MBA reserves the right to sanction appropriate number of events as per availability of courts and infrastructure. Under no circumstances will the scheduled last match be beyond 9.00pm. The players can be restricted to play in not more than 3 events.
 - v. MBA ID renewal charges will be Rs/- 200/- per year from 2026-27 will be applicable.
 - vi. NO Objection Certificate for district or state from players will only be considered between January 1st and March 31st each year.

2. **EVENTS TO BE ORGANISED, TOURNAMENT FEES & ENTRY FEES.**

The Tournament organized in the following events and maximum entry fees that could be charged have been mentioned against each of the event. Entry fee will change in case the BAI makes changes in their rules & guidelines.

Events	Age Group	Born on or	Singles	Doubles
	(Years)	after 1st January	(Rs. Per layer)	(Rs. per Pair)
Masters	For Age eligibility refer cut off dates from main menu – documents & Procedures		1000/-	2000/-
Senior Men's / Women's	---	---	1000/-	2000/-
Junior Boys / Girls	U-19 Yrs	2008	1000/-	2000/-
Junior Boys / Girls	U-17 Yrs	2010	1000/-	2000/-
Sub. Junior Boys / Girls	U-15 Yrs	2012	1000/-	2000/-
Sub. Junior Boys / Girls	U-13 Yrs	2014	1000/-	2000/-
Mini Boys / Girls	U-11 Yrs	2016	1000/-	2000/-
Mini Boys / Girls	U-09 Yrs	2018	1000/-	---

Please note that the Under 9 Yrs event is a non-selection event and it is as such NOT MANDATORY to conduct this event for the Organizers therefore its prize money is not mentioned in the Guidelines.

All Players have to registered themselves and acquire MBA ID and the validity of the same will be from 1st Jan to 31st Dec. The MBA ID has to be renewed after paying Rs. 200/- plus convenience charge every year. The district association may collect registration fee of their players.

The following procedure has to be followed for Open State tournament and Open Multi district tournament:

- i) All entries must be submitted online through the MBA portal: www.mbasso.in
- ii) Only Yonex AS2 feathered shuttles shall be used for the tournament.
- iii) Entry fee shall be collected by MBA and the same shall be returned within 2/3 working days from the last date of withdrawal. The organizer has to pay MBA ₹200/- per player per entry and 5 % of total prize money.

3. **ENTRIES**

- i. Entries for Tournaments at all Levels must be routed through MBA Website only. No District Association or organizers can use any other mode of accepting entries except MBA website.
- ii. Entries for Inter District Team Championships must be forwarded on prescribed entry form from District Secretary to Hony. Gen. Secretary, MBA on secretariatemba@gmail.com and officesecretary@mbasso.in on association's Letter Head. This format is enclosed herewith – Annexure 'A', otherwise the entry will not be accepted.
- iii. Please note that no entry will be accepted and forwarded if it is not received in the stipulated time that is mentioned in our online system on www.mbasso.in, In case of exceptions, district secretary must forward late entries/withdrawals to secretariatemba@gmail.com with a copy to officesecretary@mbasso.in. No direct request from players for late entries/withdrawals will be entertained.

For State and All India Tournaments – Last date of entry has mentioned in the circular.
For International Events – Deadline is 10 days before close of last date of entries mentioned in the invitation letter.

4. **BAI PLAYER ID**

Hony. District Secretaries should verify that the BAI player ID forms are completed in all aspects as per the BAI guidelines, along with the Affidavit, Birth Certificate, Aadhar card copies, as applicable etc. & required Demand Draft and send the applications to the Hony. Gen. Secretary address as given in the website.

5. **GENERAL GUIDELINES:**

- i. The Players registered with Railways, Petroleum, civil services other such organizations and Combined Universities can participate in these State Level Open Tournaments and Inter-District Team events only on their birth right or who have domicile status in Maharashtra for a period of at least 6 months prior to the date of Tournament.
- ii. All District selection/Championship tournament shall be conducted through MBA website.
- iii. The district association of the organizing district & MBA shall be kept in picture and their consent should be sought in all organizational matters.
- iv. During the official functions of the tournament the organizing Secretary shall follow the protocol in Consultation with Hony. Secretary MBA. It is advised that minimum 40 % of the seats on the dais shall be provided to the officials of the MBA.

- v. Organizers of the Tournament must provide the following minimum facilities at the Tournament Venue:
- (a) Sound System to be provided at the Referees table during all the Tournament days.
 - (b) Separate dressing rooms for Gents and Ladies, along with clean toilets.
 - (c) Filtered and hygienic Drinking water.
 - (d) One person should exclusively be kept to co-ordinate with media Reporters during the Tournament days
 - (e) A Computer & Printer with Internet facility for using the Tournament Software.
 - (f) A qualified doctor with a basic first aid kit or a Physiotherapist shall be made available all times during the tournament days.
 - (g) Facility for the open draw at venue (Projector, Internet, Laptop, and facility for the live streaming, if available)
- vi. The organizing district applying for conducting of State Multi-District, State Open, Masters, All India Ranking, International Ranking & League Events shall, at the time of application, inform the number of available courts at its disposal to the Hony. Secretary MBA. Allocation of the tournament will be at the sole discretion of the Executive council of MBA as recommended by the Hony. Secretary MBA. These courts should have wooden flooring / Hova Courts (on wooden surface) properly maintained to provide good playing conditions.
- vii. Hony. Secretary, MBA shall send observer to inspect the venue of the tournament which would include badminton court, Lighting system, Arrangement of Changing rooms for Gents & Ladies, Toilets, Canteen facilities, Seating Arrangements and live draw facility etc.
- viii. The organizing Secretary should take efforts to give proper publicity for the tournament in the local Cable TV, Local News Papers etc. Also, organizers should try to arrange sufficient electronic media coverage for the tournament.
- ix. Organizers are requested to issue a suitable circular giving all the details about the Tournament to all the Hony. Secretaries of affiliated District Associations. Same shall be published and distributed to affiliated District Associations 25-30 days prior to the start of the tournament.
- x. The Addresses of the Hony. Secretaries of Affiliated District Associations are as enclosed in Annexure 'H'.
- xi. In Multi-District, State Open, Masters, All India Ranking, International Ranking & League Events the organizing District Association will mandatorily use the brand Yonex AS2 with whom MBA has contract. However, for District level tournaments the District Association's contract will prevail over MBA's contract.
- xii. For any open tournament, if there is an involvement of players from more than one district Association but not the entire state it will be termed as a Multi District Tournament for such tournaments all the rules and guidelines of MBA will be applied.
- xiii. All tournament organizers in Maharashtra are hereby informed to take proper permission for conduction of badminton tournament/Exhibition Matches/Leagues etc. Application must be on the letterhead of the registered institution signed by the authorized person sent through the concerned District.

- xiv. For any application involving Tournament on League basis, the format of the league auction and all other details must be pre-approved by MBA before the tournament is announced.
- xv. Organizers who are organizing Masters tournaments should include disclaimer (non-liability) clause in their circulars about the injuries and/or any other medical issue(s) a participant may have due to any reason while playing the tournament, to safeguard themselves. A fitness certificate by a registered Medical Practitioner to be submitted by the players before playing the first match. The presence of a registered Medical Practitioner is mandatory at all times during the tournament.
- xvi. Rules and Regulations regarding conditions to be followed by organizers with respect to the contract of MBA with M/s. Sunrise Sports (I) Pvt. Ltd., are attached in Annexure 'I'.
- xvii. Only Yonex Brand Feather Shuttles should be used for the tournament.

6. TOURNAMENT COMMITTEE:

- i. The tournament committee shall consist of 5 members from MBA and four to be decided by the organizers. Referee will be the part of tournament committee. Organizers shall call for a Tournament Committee meeting prior to the tournament, in consultation with the Hony. Gen. Secretary, MBA.
- ii. The address of the representatives of MBA on the Tournament Committee has been annexed for your ready reference in Annexure – 'C'
- iii. The members of the Tournament Committee of Maharashtra Badminton Association shall be provided with minimum facilities as under:
 - a) On request of any of the Tournament Committee members, the organizers shall make arrangement for their Lodging and Boarding. The expenses for the same shall be borne by the organizers.
 - b) Travelling to & fro 2nd AC fare shall be given to all committee members along with Rs. 500 as incidental expenses by organizer.

7. DRAWS:

Draws will be taking place at the venue one day before the start date of tournament by Referee, Dy. Referee, match control, tournament organizing secretary, member of tournament committee, member of draw and seeding's committee and observer. In any unavoidable circumstances, the draws will be taking place in MBAs office. Draws shall be made by using Tournament Planner Software, any change of venue of draw will be intimated to the organizers accordingly.

In the draws for seedings, MBA rankings and BAI rankings (25% of BAI ranking points for 1 to 12 BAI rankings, in singles and 1 to 8 in doubles will be added in MBA ranking points) will be considered. For the first selection tournament points of last year's tournament will be considered, for the 2nd selection tournament the ranking points of 1st selection will be considered. And for the 3rd, the ranking points of 1st and 2nd will be

considered.

Preparations of receipt of entries, listing of entries, Draws, Fixtures, Schedule etc. will be done by Referee, Dy. Referee, match control & tournament organizing secretary. The draws shall be displayed by the Organizing Secretary at the Venue as and when received from MBA and also shall be displayed on MBA website.

8. **REFEREES AND UMPIRES:**

- i. MBA Court Officials Committee TOC Chairman, shall nominate Tournament Officials (TOs) for various tournaments in consultation with Hony. Secretary, MBA. MBA shall appoint 50% Umpires from across various districts of Maharashtra and 50% shall be local Umpires.
- ii. On Conclusion of the Tournament, the Referee should send "TP file" on email to Hony. Secretary, MBA and chairman TOC on following address immediately - secretariatemba@gmail.com with a copy officesecretary@mbasso.in
- iii. Organizers are requested to get in touch with the Referee for working out details of conducting the tournament with a copy to MBA.
- iv. The minimum facilities and allowances which should be provided / paid to the Technical Officials are enclosed in Annexure 'B'.
- v. It is desirable to have 2.5 umpires per court.
- vi. Organizers are requested to contact Shri Vishwas Deswandikar Chairman T.O.C. Maharashtra Badminton Association on Mobile No. 9423585736 for providing Umpires for the Tournament.

9. **INVITATIONS TO BE SENT TO WITNESS THE TOURNAMENT / CHAMPIONSHIP:**

- i. Members of the Tournament Committee– as per specific tournament. Addresses as per Annex 'C'.
- ii. Members of the Executive Council of MBA– Addresses as per Annexure 'E'.
- iii. Members of Sub-Committees as per the specific tournament. - Annexure 'K'.

10. **Communications**

All communication regarding any difficulties or clarification required should be addressed to: Mr. Siddharth Patil – Hony. General Secretary, Maharashtra Badminton Association 4th floor, Maker Chambers - 3, Nariman point, Mumbai. Pin: 400021 Contact no.: 8329976461 E mail: secretariatemba@gmail.com

Organizers along with the Referee of the tournament are requested to send a copy of Tournament Circular, Entry Forms, Draw, Fixtures and Final Results along with Tournament Photographs, in case Tournament Software is used then the TP File shall be sent to officesecretary@mbasso.in for hosting the same on the MBA Website.

MBA shall be glad to clarify on any of the above matters and assure you to extend our full support and co-operation in smooth and successful organization of the Tournament.



Siddharth Patil
Hony. General Secretary
M. B. A.

- Encl.: Annexure 'A' - Performa for sending the team entries for Maharashtra state Inter district Badminton Championship
Annexure B – Facilities / allowances to be provided to Umpires/ Referees.
Annexure C – Details of members of Tournament Committee.
Annexure D – Details of members of Selection Committee. Annexure E – Addresses of Members of the Executive Council of M. B. A.
Annexure F – Prize Money Breakup for various tournaments in Maharashtra
Annexure G – Rules/Specifications and Format of Inter-District Tournaments.
Annexure H - List of Affiliated District Associations of Maharashtra Badminton Association.
Annexure I - Terms & Conditions of contract of M. B. A. with M/s. Sunrise Sports (I) Pvt. Ltd. regarding conditions to be fulfilled by organizers.
Annexure J – Procedure for sending entries for all tournaments in Maharashtra
Annexure K -List of members of various Sub. Committees of MBA.
Annexure L - List of past presidents
Annexure M – Selection Criteria

ANNEXURE 'A'TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPPROFORMA FOR SENDING THE TEAM ENTRIES
FOR MAHARASHTRA INTER DISTRICT & STATE BADMINTON CHAMPIONSHIP

Name of Championships: MAHARASHTRA JR / SR INTER- DISTRICT & STATE BADMINTON CHAMPIONSHIPS

TOURNAMENT PERIOD: _____

VENUE OF TOURNAMENT: _____

DISTRICT: _____

Sr.no	Full Name of player	DOB	Standard	School Name
1				
2				
3				
4				
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Sign. Of Hony. Secretary

Seal of District Association

ANNEXURE – 'B'
ALLOWANCES TO Technical Officials
M. B. A. – Honorarium for the Tournament Officials

	(A) CLASS OF TRAVEL	(B) HONORARIUM
Referee International Referee National Referee State Referee	2 nd AC to & fro.	Rs.2300/- per day.
Dy. Referee	2 nd AC to & fro.	Rs.2200/- per day.
Match Control	2 nd AC to & fro.	Rs.2100/- per day.
Table Coordinator/Umpire Control	3 rd AC	1500/- per day
International Umpire	2 nd AC to & fro.	Rs.1900/- per day.
National Grade I Umpire	2 nd AC to & fro.	Rs.1900/- per day.
National Grade II Umpire	2 nd AC to & fro.	Rs.1700/- per day.
State Umpire	3 rd AC to & fro.	Rs.1200/- per day.
District Umpire	3 rd AC to & fro.	Rs.1000/- per day.

C – LODGING & BOARDING

- To be provided with Free AC Accommodation on twin sharing basis. Boarding and local transport also to be provided free of cost.
- In lieu of the above, where there is a municipal corporation Rs.2000/- for lodging (Twin sharing basis) & Rs.1000/-for boarding per day.
- All other cities Rs.1800/- for lodging & Rs. 700/- for boarding and for district umpire honorarium will be Rs.700/-
- Accommodation provided to technical officials committee members officials etc. should be Air-Conditioned with attached toilets and shall be pre-approved by MBA observer and/or Hony. Secretary, MBA.

D – INCIDENTAL CHARGES

Total Incidental allowance Rs. 800/- for outstation TOS (to and from for travel) and for Local TO's Rs. 200/- per day. Honorarium payments shall be made for tournament days plus one day extra.

ANNEXURE 'C'TOURNAMENT COMMITTEES FOR THE YEAR 2022-26

Tournament Committee for Seniors & Masters State / National / International Tournaments	
1.	Mr. Arun Lakhani – President MBA
2.	Mr. Shirish Boralkar (Ch. Sambhaji Nagar)
3.	Mr. Sudhir Gadgil (Sangli)
4.	Mr. Pankaj Thakur (Palghar)
5.	Mr. Mangesh Kashikar (Nagpur)
6.	Mr. Onkar Hajare (Ratnagiri)
7.	Mr. Sachin Bharti (Greater Mumbai)
8.	Mr. Parag Ekande (Nasik)
9.	Mr. Siddharth Patil (Chh. Sambhaji Nagar)
<u>Tournament Committee for Mini / Sub-Junior / Junior State / National / International Tournaments</u>	
1.	Mr. Arun Lakhani – President MBA
2.	Mr. Shirish Boralkar (Chh. Sambhaji Nagar)
3.	Mr. Mangesh Kashikar (Nagpur)
4.	Mr. Mohan Shah (Wardha)
5.	Mr. Pradeep Gabada (Yavatmal)
6.	Mr. Mayur Ghatnekar (Thane)
7.	Mr. Milind Kulkarni (Ahilyanagar)
8.	Mr. Chandrahas Kanhere (Satara)
9.	Mr. Siddharth Patil (Chh. Sambhaji Nagar)

Annexure 'D'**SELECTION COMMITTEE OF MBA FOR THE YEAR 2026-27**

Name	Mobile	Email ID
Mr. Arun Lakhani (Chairman)	9823082032	arun.lakhani@vilindia.com
Mr. Leroy D'sa	9867220634	leroydsa12@gmail.com
Mrs. Asawari Patwardhan	9819284051	asawarisp@yahoo.co.uk
Mr. Rutuparna Kulkarni	9325227776	rutuparnak@yahoo.com
Mrs. Archana Deodhar	9822066740	archanapdeodhar@gmail.com
Mrs. Madhavi Kashikar Hedau	7769020945	madhavigiis@gmail.com
Mrs. Arundhati Pantavne	9989649289	pantawane@yahoo.co.in
Mrs. Krupa Telang Ingole	9422209090	krupaingole@73@gmail.com
Mr. Siddharth Patil (Convener)	8329976461	Siddharthpatil1@gmail.com

ANNEXURE 'E'
LIST OF EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEMBERS OF MAHARASHTRA BADMINTON
ASSOCIATION FOR THE PERIOD 2022 -2026.

Sr.	Name	Designation	District	Postal Address	Mobile No.	E-Mail ID	Occupation
1.	Mr. Arun Lakhani	President	Nagpur	Madhu Madhav Towers, Laxmi, Bhavan Square, Dharampeth, Nagpur -440 010.	9823082032	arun.lakhani@vilindia.com	Business
2.	Mr. Shirish Boralkar	Deputy President	Chatrapati Sambhaji nagar	Renuka Krupa, Vishram bag colony, Padampura, Chatrapati Sambhajnagar -43103	9823177087	boralkars@gmail.com	Business
3	Mr. Mangesh Kashikar	Sr. Vice President	Nagpur	MADHUMALTI, PLOT NO.174 Shankar Nagar, Nagpur – 440010	09373556789	mangesh.kashikar@gmail.com ndbasecretary@gmail.com	Business
4.	Mr. Sudhir Gadgil	Vice President	Sangli	Fl. No. 1,2,3 - Third Floor, Ganraj, Prasad Appt., Rajwada Vasahat, Sangli - 416416	9823159959	mla.gadgil@gmail.com	Business & Social worker.
5.	Mr. Pankaj Thakur	Vice President	Palghar	Thakaur Niwas, Raja Chhatrapati Shivaji Marg, Near Virar Railway Station, Virar, (West) - 401 303	9975999233	thakurpankaj@vivacollege.org	Business
6.	Mr. Pradeep A. Gabada	Vice President	Yavatmal	Gabada Sports & Toys, 10. Sanjay Gandhi, Market, Yavatmal - 445001	9613501350	pradeepgabadalic@yavahoo.co.in	Business
7.	Mr. Mohan Shah	Vice President	Wardha	Opp. Durga Mata Temple, Beside UCO Bank, Malgujaripura, Indira Market, Wardha-442001	9518520626	mohankumarshah@gmail.com	Business
8	Mr. Omkar Hajare	Vice President	Ratnagiri	107, Sagar Darshan Heights, T.V. Center Lane, Opp Thiba Palace, Ratnagiri - 415612	9422429711	hajareom@gmail.com	Business
9	Mr. Jagdish Joshi	Treasurer	Nagpur	"Chaitanya", Plot No 84, Swavalambi, Nagar, Nagpur - 440022	9422101662	jagdishj2009@gmail.com	Business
10	Mr. Siddharth Patil	Secretary	Chatrapati Sambhaji nagar	D.S.A.N. Pvt. Ltd. 9, MayaNagar, N- 2, CIDCO, Chatrapati Sambhajnagar - 431003	8329976461	siddharthpatil1@gmail.com	Business

11	Mr. Jovel Chandekar	Secretary - Coaching	Chandrapur	Christian Colony, Near Jain Talkies, Behind Dr. Zade Clinic, Chandrapur - 440241.	9822201785	jovelchandekar@gmail.com	Retired
12	Mr. Ashish Bajpai	Secretary, Tournament	Latur	Signal Camp, Near Udyog Bhavan, Latur-413512	9422013050	ashishlatur56@gmail.com	Practicing Advocate
13	Mr. Ajinkya Patil	EC Member	Nandubar	Flat. No. 8, Samarth Heights, Navsha Heights, Navsha Ganpati Sector A, Gangapur Road, Nashik-422013	9860422099	ajjupatil26@gmail.com	Business
14	Mr. Nagoji Chilkarwar	EC Member	Jalna	Shrinivas Bhoipura, Behind adv. Dande, Kacheri Road, Old Jalna -431203	9422722618	nagojichilkarwar@gmail.com	Retired
15	Mr. Prasad Gokhale	EC Member	Palghar	Vedant bungalow, Near Agashi Post Office, Chalpeth Road, Virar (W) - 401301	9970300816	prasad8114@gmail.com	Business
16	Mr. Nandkishor Ingole	EC Member	Washim	In front of MSEB office, Karanja road, Mangrul Pir, 444403. District. Washim	8275411845	nandkishor2259@gmail.com	Retired
17	Mr. Nitin Gabhane	EC Member	Bhandara	Shivshakti Sports, Near Vainganga Patsanstha, Beside Indian Gas, Tilak wada,	9422833840	ning1961@gmail.com	Business
18	Mr. Vineet Joshi	EC Member	Jalgaon	Suyog, 144, Navi Peth, Jalgaon - 425001	8275170705	vineetoshi73@gmail.com	Business
19	Mr. Vijay Palaskar	EC Member	Buldhana	Saoji Nagar, Nandura, Malkapur, Dist. Buldhana - 443101	7020971088	vijaypalaskar123@gmail.com	Business
20	Mr. Dinesh Dhoot	EC Member	Akola	J.K. Sales Corporation, Opp. Head Post Office, Pandit J.N. Marg, Akola- 444001	9422863299	jksales.akola@gmail.com	Business
21	Dr. Mahendra Hemane	EC Member	Gondia	Little Flower International School Renbow Residence, Janta Colony .Gondia 441601	9421896111	mahendra.hemane@rediffmail.com	Service
22	Mr. Chandras Kanhere	EC Member	Satara	531/ B camp Front of YC college Satara- 415001	9960554401	kanheremanoj@gmail.com	Service
23	Mr. Milind Kulkarni	EC Member	Ahilyanagar	C/O. Pranav Sports And Equipment 5/6 Neeta Appartment, Opp. Anandrushi ji Hospital Maniknagar, Ahilyanagar 414001	9423162632	kulkarni.milind55@gmail.com	Business

ANNEXURE 'F'
**PRIZE MONEY BREAKUP OF MAHARASHTRA STATE SELECTION AND
STATE BADMINTON CHAMPIONSHIP 2026-2027**

SENIOR INTER DISTRICT & STATE BADMINTON CHAMPIONSHIP – 2026-27				
Inter – District Team Championships.				
Event	Winner	R – Up	S/F	Total (Rs.)
Men's Team Championships Seniors	40,000	25,000	30,000 (15,000 x 2)	95000
Women's Team Championships Seniors	40,000	25,000	30,000 (15,000 x 2)	95,000
Total Rs.	80,000	50,000	60,000	1,90,0000

Senior Individual Championships – 2026-27					
Event	Winner	R – Up	S/F	Q/F	Total (Rs.)
Men's Singles	12500	7500	8000 (4000 x 2)	10000 (2500 x 4)	38000
Women's Singles	12500	7500	8000 (4000 x 2)	10000 (2500 x 4)	38000
Men's Doubles	25000 (12500 x 2)	15000 (7500 x 2)	16000 (4000 x 4)		56000
Women's Doubles	25000 (12500 x 2)	15000 (7500 x 2)	16000 (4000 x 4)		56000
Mixed Doubles	25000 (12500 x 2)	15000 (7500 x 2)	16000 (4000 x 4)		56000
Total (Rs.)	100000	60000	64000	20000	244000

ANNEXURE 'F' Contd.

**PRIZE MONEY BREAKUP OF MAHARASHTRA STATE SELECTION AND STATE
BADMINTON CHAMPIONSHIP 2026-2027**

SUB-JUNIOR – STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS / STATE SELECTION TOURNAMENTS					
Individual Championships – 2026-27					
Event	Winner	R – Up	S/F	Q/F	Total (Rs.)
Boys Singles (U-15)	6000	3000	3000 (1500X2)	4000 (1000X4)	16000
Girls Singles (U-15)	6000	3000	3000 (1500X2)	4000 (1000X4)	16000
Boys Doubles (U-15)	12000 (6000 x 2)	6000 (3000 x 2)	6000 (1500 x 4)	-	24000
Girls Doubles (U-15)	12000 (6000 x 2)	6000 (3000 x 2)	6000 (1500 x 4)	-	24000
Mixed Doubles (U-15)	12000 (6000 x 2)	6000 (3000 x 2)	-	-	18000
(A)-Total Rs.	48000	24000	18000	8000	98000

Boys Singles (U-17)	7500	5000	6000 (3000 x 2)	6000 (1500 x 4)	24500
Girls Singles (U-17)	7500	5000	6000 (3000 x 2)	6000 (1500 x 4)	24500
Boys Doubles (U-17)	15000 (7500 x 2)	10000 (5000 x 2)	12000 (3000 x 4)		37000
Girls Doubles (U-17)	15000 (7500 x 2)	10000 (5000 x 2)	12000 (3000 x 4)		37000
MIXED DOUBLES (U-17)	15000 (7500 x 2)	10000 (5000 x 2)	12000 (3000 x 4)		37000
(B)- Total Rs.	60000	40000	48000	12000	160000
(A) + (B) Total	108000	64000	66000	20000	258000

- Incase U-9 Yrs event is held, then Prizes for U-9 yrs (Mini) Events will be given by the organizers separately either in the form of trophies or in kind.

ANNEXURE 'F' Contd.

PRIZE MONEY BREAKUP OF MAHARASHTRA STATE SELECTION AND STATE BADMINTON CHAMPIONSHIP 2026-2027

JUNIOR INTER DISTRICT & STATE BADMINTON CHAMPIONSHIP – 2026-27			
Inter – District Team Championships. – 2026-27			
Event	winner	R-up	Total (Rs.)
Boys Team Championships (Juniors U-19 Yrs)	30000	20000	50000
Girls Team Championships (Juniors U-19Yrs)	30000	20000	50000
Boys Team Championships (Juniors U-17 Yrs)	25000	15000	40000
Girls Team Championships (Juniors U-17 Yrs)	25000	15000	40000
Total Rs.	110000	70000	180000

<u>State Championships / State Selection - Individual Championships – 2026-27</u>					
Event	Winner	R – Up	S/F	Q/F	Total (Rs.)
Junior Boys Singles (U – 19)	10000	6000	8000 (4000 x 2)	8000 (2000x4)	32000
Junior Girls Singles (U – 19)	10000	6000	8000 (4000 x2)	8000 (2000 x 4)	32000
Junior Boys Doubles (U – 19)	20000 (10000 x2)	12000 (6000 x2)	16000 (4000 x4)		48000
Junior Girls Doubles (U – 19)	20000 (10000 x2)	12000 (6000 x2)	16000 (4000 x2)		48000
Junior Mixed Doubles (U – 19)	20000 (10000 x2)	12000 (6000 x2)			32000
Total (Rs)	80000	48000	48000	16000	192000

MINI - STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS / STATE SELECTION TOURNAMENTS**Individual Championships – 2026-27**

Mini. Boys Singles (U – 11)	5000	2000	2000 (1000 x2)	9000
Mini. Girls Singles (U – 11)	5000	2000	2000 (1000 x2)	9000
Mini. Boys Doubles (U – 11)	8000 (4000 x2)	4000 (2000 x2)	4000 (1000 x4)	16000
Mini. Girls Doubles (U – 11)	8000 (4000 x2)	4000 (2000 x2)	4000 (1000 x4)	16000
TOTAL	26000	12000	12000	50000
Mini. Boys Singles (U – 13)	5500	2500	3000 (1500 x 2)	11000/-
Mini. Girls Singles (U – 13)	5500	2500	3000 (1500 x 2)	11000/-
Mini. Boys Doubles (U – 13)	11000 (5500 X2)	5000 (2500 X2)	6000 (1500 X4)	22000/-
Mini. Girls Doubles (U – 13)	11000 (5500 X2)	5000 (2500 X2)	6000 (1500 X4)	22000/-
TOTAL	33,000	15,000	18,000	66,000

i. Prize Money:

Sr. No.	Name of the Tournament	Organizer' s contribution	MBA's Contribution	Total Amount
A	Mini State Selection Tournament (U11)	25,000	25,000	50,000
	Mini State Championship Tournament (U11)	25,000	25,000	50,000
	Mini State Selection Tournament (U13)	33,000	33,000	66,000
	Mini State Championship Tournament (U13)	33,000	33,000	66,000
	Sub Junior State Selection Tournament (U15)	48,000	50,000	98,000
	Sub Junior State Championship Tournament (U15)	48,000	50,000	98,000
	Sub Junior State Selection Tournament (U17)	80,000	80,000	1,60,000
	Sub Junior State Championship Tournament (U17)	80,000	80,000	1,60,000
	Junior State Selection Tournament (U19)	96,000	96,000	1,92,000
	Junior State Championship Tournament (U19)	96,000	96,000	1,92,000
B.	Sub Junior Team Championships- Boys (U17)	20,000	20,000	40,000
C.	Sub Junior Team Championships Girls (U17)	20,000	20,000	40,000
D.	Junior Team Championships- Boys (U19)	25,000	25,000	50,000
E.	Junior Team Championships- Girls (U19)	25,000	25,000	50,000
F.	Senior Team Championships- Men	40,000	55,000	95,000
G.	Senior Team Championships - Women	40,000	55,000	95,000
H.	Senior State Selection Tournament	1,22,000	1,22,000	2,44,000
I.	Senior State Championships	1,22,000	1,22,000	2,44,000

Annexure 'G'

Rules & Specifications for Inter District Championships

1. Team Championships will be held for the following Categories:
 - a) Seniors Men & Women, Junior Boys & Girls (U19 yrs), Sub-Junior Boys & Girls (U17 yrs) Team Championships.
 - b) Team Championships will be played separately for Men / Boys & Women / Girls Team Championships.
2. The Inter District Championships will be held 2 or 2.5 days prior to the Open events of the concerned State Championships.
3. The permissible number of members of a Team for the Inter District Championships shall be as follows:

Category	Minimum	Maximum
Men	04 nos.	10 nos.
Women	02 nos.	07 nos.
Junior Boys & Girls (U-17 & 19)	02 nos.	07 nos.

Any player can play any two matches in different categories (Singles/Doubles) Each team will have maximum 3 officials.

4. The names of the Captain, Manager and Coach shall be nominated by the concerned District Association for each Team.
5. The Team Championships will be held on the following basis: FORMAT FOR

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CHAMPIONSHIPS-

Best of 5 matches in the following order:

1. 1st Men's Singles
2. 2nd Men's singles
3. 1st Men's Doubles
4. 3rd Men's Singles
5. 2nd Men's Doubles

According to west zone order of play

FOR ALL REMAINING TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS (Women, U17 & U19 Boys & Girls)

Best of 3 matches in the following order:

1. 1st Singles
 2. 1st Doubles
 3. 2nd Singles
6. Entries for Team Championships shall be sent along with entries for State Championships by each District on their letterhead and the same should be submit in original letterhead in managers meeting Entry fees for each Team event will be Rs.3,000/- (separate for Men/Boys & Women/Girls), which will be retained by the Organizing District.
7. The organizers of the Inter District Championships shall make arrangements of staying and food for all the participating teams, however each District Association shall bear its cost. This arrangement will be for number of days of competition plus two days extra.
8. Each District Association should select their own players and should make necessary arrangements for journey to and from place of Venue.

Other rules of team Championships**1. WHO ARE ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE-**

- Players who are either born in Maharashtra or can prove their domicile in Maharashtra by virtue of their Aadhaar card or valid passport will be entitled to play this event subject to approval by Maharashtra Badminton Association through their Respective District association. . The said eligibility will be checked, Verified and approved by the concerned District Association.
2. Rules of BAI will be applied throughout the tournament.
 3. Accepting the entries will be the sole discretion of the Maharashtra Badminton Association only through each concerned District Association.
 4. The bronze medal will be awarded for both the losing semifinalist in the team as well as Individual events.

Once the decisive match is finished the remaining matches in the Team Championships will not be played. Once the tie is decided no further matches will be played in the said Tie.

Annexure "H"MAHARASHTRA BADMINTON ASSOCIATION
AFFILIATED DISTRICT ASSOCIATIONS

AFFILIATED DISTRICT ASSOCIATIONS	Hony. Secretary	Contact No.	Email IDs
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36. Badminton Association Of Mumbai Upanagar	Mr. Sameer Patankar	9769965725	bamu2507@gmail.com

Annexure 'I'Terms & Conditions of contract of M. B. A. with M/s.Sunrise Sports (I) Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi.Regarding conditions to be fulfilled by organizers.

1. All State Level Tournament affiliated/organized /conducted by the Association will be named as "Yonex Sunrise Maharashtra State Level / Championship Tournaments.
2. If any court mats are to be used, they shall be Yonex court mats only. No brand other than YY Yonex shall be allowed on the court mats during the entire duration of events.
3. 10 A-signs per court or 60% of total branding whichever is higher- 2 in front of TV camera, 2 on the secondary baseline in front of TV camera; 2 on side line in a strategic and balance as per SPONSORS discretion (as per schedule 1);
4. 10 flex banners inside the playing arena at best possible view, in camera view. Location of these banners will be decided by SPONSORS;
5. 10 flex banners outside the playing arena or at the stadium entrance. Location of these banners will be decided by SPONSORS.
6. 1 shuttlecock box per court & 4 player boxes per court (as per schedule 1);
7. 2-minute interval board (as per schedule 1);
8. 1 exclusive sales booth for SPONSORS inside the playing arena or the entry foyer to the playing arena and no other booth for the sales and/or promotional activity for any competitors of YONEX/SUNRISE shall be allowed. For the avoidance of doubts, competitors shall mean by manufacturer or reseller or brand names that are involved in or associated with the manufacture, distribution and/or reselling of any badminton racquets, strings, apparel, shoes, shuttlecocks, accessories, court equipment or paraphernalia usually associated with the game of badminton. The SPONSOR's sales booth shall be the sole and exclusive sales booth for racquets, apparel and accessories and the item above at the tournament venue and within 100 meters of the stadium premises.
9. Exclusive YONEX logo on all Service Judges' boxes (as per schedule 1)
10. 1 Yonex color advertisement in the front inside cover of the official event programme; SPONSORS will provide the concepts for same.

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11. 1 YONEX logo on front cover of the official event program, the size of which is to be determined by the Association, and as per the norms and standards and per other main sponsors in a strategic and prominent position.
12. 1 YONEX-SUNRISE logo on the event backdrop;
13. 1 stringing stand in TV camera view;
14. 4 skirting banners in TV camera view (at such locations to be determined by SPONSORS);
15. Both sides of the Umpire Chair on each court to be covered exclusively by the YONEX logo (as per schedule 1);
16. The SPONSORS will have the right to use all event and mascot logos for its marketing and promotional activities;

FOC shuttles will be provided by MBA as follows:

- i. State Selection & State Championships for U11 & U13 – 50 doz. each
- ii For U15- U17 & U19 as well as Senior State Selection tournaments – 60 doz. each
- iii. U15-U17 & U19 Inter-District and Senior State Championships – 75 doz. Each
- iv. Veteran State Championships – 50 doz.

All organizers of tournaments in Maharashtra to note as follows:

1. All the organizers should prepare a proof of Banner material / Hoardings & or Backdrop to be displayed during any MBA Tournament at the venue or elsewhere and also any other publicity material etc. and get it approved by the representative of M/s. Sunrise Sports India Pvt. Ltd. The same should be done one week prior to the actual display of the same.

Contact details of the representative as follows: Shri. Girish Balakrishnan – Mobile:
9323830528

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Terms & Conditions of contract of M. B. A. with M/s.

Sunrise Sports (I) Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi.

Regarding conditions to be fulfilled by organizers.

Shri. Sachin Dixit - Mob: 9769802056

2. Also, organizers of all State Level Open Tournaments are required to use Yonex Shuttles mandatorily.
3. For both the points 1 & 2 above the organizers are entitled to purchase Yonex shuttles for the tournaments at dealers' price from M/s. Sunrise Sports India Pvt. Ltd. Through their representatives. The contact details of their representatives are as follows:

Smt. Neha Mahalwal (Promotions Manager-Sunrise Sports India Pvt. Ltd) Mob- 8860004428, 9811550223.

Email-neham@risesun.co.in

OR

Shri. Sachin Dixit, Mob: 9769802056, Email: sachin@risesun.co.in

Shri. Girish Balakrishnan: 93238 30528

The order should be placed minimum 15 days in advance.

For Free Of Cost shuttles the Organizing Secretary should contact Hony. Secretary MBA regarding delivery of these shuttlecocks to the venue minimum 15 days in advance.

Annexure 'J'

MAHARASHTRA BADMINTON ASSOCIATION
PROCEDURE FOR SENDING ENTRIES FOR ALL TOURNAMENTS IN
MAHARASHTRA.

Deadlines For Tournament

	Days from Start of Tournament	Action
Day	0	Day Tournament Starts
Days before	1	Display of Draw on MBA Website
Days before	1	Draw
Days before	6	Entry with late fees
Days before	7	Withdrawal
Days before	9	Listing of entries on MBA Website
Days before	10	Entries close
Days before	25-30	Publishing / Circulation of Entry Forms

1. All entries except Team Championships should be sent online via www.mbasso.in
2. All online Entries shall be accepted unless blocked online or rejected by district secretary by sending email to secretariatempa@gmail.com
3. All District Secretaries will have to confirm the eligibility of a player from his/her district who is participating in any championship event in a particular age group after verifying his/her date of birth and age proof.
4. All entries sent by District Secretaries for State Championships in Maharashtra shall be in the prescribed format with a covering letter addressed to the Organizing Secretary on their respective District Letter Heads and a copy marked to Siddharth Patil – Hony. General Secretary on email address: secretariatempa@gmail.com and cc to officesecretary@mbasso.in

The entries are to be sent in the following format through e-mail.

FOR INTER-DISTRICT TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS IN MAHARASHTRA (Men's,
Women's, Boy & Girls)

Sr. No.	Full Name of Player	Date of Birth	Standard	School Name
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				
6				
7				
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Players can check under “My Entries” to confirm their tournament entry registration. In case of All India / International tournaments, if the partner is from out of state, it will be the responsibility of the player to ensure the correctness of the details of the partner (partner details will be accepted as they are entered by the registered player). A registered player can send entry with any other registered player of Maharashtra but the player can withdraw only his OWN entry.

For all State Selection, All India Ranking Tournaments and International Events all players shall send their entries online from our website www.mbasso.in. (if you have any queries about this approval procedure please send email to secretariatemba@gmail.com and cc to officesecretary@mbasso.in with your specific questions).

Last Date of Entry for International tournaments are always set to 10 (Ten) clear days before the actual last date of entries mentioned by the organizers.

Last Date of Entry for” All India” tournaments shall be as mentioned in the circular.

Please note that no entry will be accepted and forwarded if it's not received in the stipulated time that is mentioned in our online system on www.mbasso.in

List of entries:

1. The organizers will get the list of entries from entry@mbasso.in after the close of entries.
2. The organizers are responsible for ensuring that no entry is missed out.
3. After the close of entries, there cannot be any changes in the original entries, except withdrawal of entries. The changes include substitution of partner or singles entry.

Listing of Entries:

1. Entries received online can be seen against tournament name in list of participants.
2. When the list is published, the players shall check that their entries are correctly included in the entry list. If there is any mistake or missing of entries, they must immediately contact by emailing us at officesecretary@mbasso.in
3. Once/If the MBA office is convinced about genuineness of the error on the part of organizers /OR MBA, they will make necessary corrections in the Listing of Entries.

Intimation of Withdrawals:

Any withdrawals after the date stipulated, there will be automatic fine of Rs. 500/- and the entry fees will not be refunded. No exemption under any grounds will be allowed in payment of fine.

Draw:

1. The draw for all Maharashtra Tournaments will be done at venue or at any other suitable place of convenience in consultation with Hony. Gen. Secretary through the Tournament Planner software.
2. On completion of the draw, the draw will be published on the MBA website 1 day before the start of the tournament subject to the approval of the Referee of the Tournament.
3. The Referee will confirm technical correctness of the draw.
4. Once the draw is made, the TP file of the Tournament Planner will be forwarded to the Organizers for the use during the event. The draw will be displayed on Maharashtra Badminton Association's website (www.mbasso.in) under the specific Tournament name.

Annexure 'K' MBA - SUB-COMMITTEES FOR THE YEAR 2022-2026

Technical Officials Committee	
1	Mr. Viswas Deswandikar (Chairman)
2	Mr. Milind Deshmukh
3	Mr. Vinay Joshi
4	Mr. Vineet Joshi
5	Mr. Vijay Palaskar
6	Mrs. Sneha Faizpurkar
7	Mr. Aditya Galande
8	Mr. Uday Sane (Convener)
Coaching Committee	
1	Shri. Jovel Chandekar (Chairman) (Chandrapur)
2	Shri. Milind Kulkarni (Ahilyanagar)
3	Shri. Manoj Kanhere (Satara)
4	Shri. Prasad Gokhale (Palghar)
5	Shri. Nagoji Chilkarwar (Jalna)
6	Shri. Nikhil Kanetkar (Pune)
7	Shri. Vijay Palaskar (Buldhana)
8	Shri. Mahesh Wakradkar (Nanded)
9	Shri. Amit Mulye (Ratnagiri)
10	Shri. Ajinkya Patil (Nandurbar)
Draws and Seeding's Committee	
1.	Mr. Siddharth Patil (Chairman)
2.	Mr. Mangesh Kashikar
3.	Mrs. Sneha Faizpurkar
4.	Mr. Sachin Bharti
5.	Mr. Prasad Ghokle
6.	Mr. Vivek Saraf
7.	Mr. Viswas Deswandikar

Finance Committee			
1	Shri. Arun Lakhani - President, MBA		(Chairman)
2	Shri. Shirish Boralkar (Chh. Sambhajinagar)		
3	Shri. Sudhir Gadgil (Sangli)		
4	Shri. Prashant Thakur (Raigad)		
5	Shri. Pankaj Thakur (Palghar)		
School Games Committee			
1	Mr. Manoj Kanehere	5	Dr. Mahendra Hamane
2	Mr. Jowel Chandekar	6	Mr. Nagoji Chilkawar
3	Mr. Sameer Patankar		
4	Mr. Ajinkya Patil		

Annexure 'L'

LIST OF PAST PRESIDENTS OF MBA

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SELECTION CRITERIA FOR THE STATE TEAMS AND ENTRIES FOR OPEN EVENTS IN NATIONALS FOR THE YEAR 2026-2027.

A	General Criteria applicable to all events		
1.	Following points shall be awarded to the player / pair for his performance in the State Selection and State Championships Tournaments.		
	Description	For State Selection	For State Championship
	Winner	600	700
	Runner	500	600
	Semifinalist	400	500
	Quarter-finalist	300	400
	Pre- Quarter Finalist	200	300
	Round of 32	100	200
	Round of 64	50	100
	<p>When there are 2 or more players involved in a tie (equal points tally) in Singles, Doubles or Mixed Doubles events, a player who has beaten other player/s with equal points in Singles, Doubles or Mixed Doubles in Selection or State Championships, then the unbeaten player's entry shall be forwarded to the National Championship. In case of 2 players with equal points a knockout trial will be taken and incase of more than 2 players with equal points a round robin trial will be conducted.</p>		
2.	<p><u>SELECTION CRITERIA FOR WEST ZONE</u></p> <p>As per the revised BAI Competition Regulations, the West Zone Inter-State Badminton Championships (for Junior U-19 and Senior categories only), tentatively scheduled in September 2026, will comprise both Team Championship and Individual Championship events.</p> <p>The Maharashtra Badminton Association (MBA) shall conduct either one or two State Selection Tournaments / State Championships for Seniors and Junior (U-19) players prior to September 2026, depending on the availability of dates as per the BAI calendar. These tournaments will serve as the selection events for choosing the Maharashtra Team for the West Zone Inter-State Badminton Championships. Individual entries will be submitted from among the selected team members.</p> <p>To be eligible for selection to the West Zone Team Championship, a player must participate in at least one State Selection Tournament or State Championship conducted prior to the West Zone Championship.</p> <p>However, if a player is representing India in an international tournament (selected through BAI) during the period of the State Selection Tournament/Championship and is therefore unable to participate, such a case may be considered by the Selection Committee in the best interest of the Maharashtra team, provided the player is available to represent Maharashtra in the West Zone Team Championship.</p>		



The players will be selected by the ranking of the players (MBA ranking and + 25% of the ranking points of BAI ranking 1-12 for singles and 1-8 in doubles) ranking decided from the tournaments of current year before West Zone tournament.

- **FORMAT FOR WEST ZONE INTER STATE TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS:**

- 1st Men's singles
- 2nd Men's singles
- 1st Men's doubles
- 3rd Men's singles
- 2nd Men's doubles
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- West Zone Inter-State Team Championships shall be for a period of 2 or 2 ½ days.
- Each Team shall consist of total not more than 10 Men, 10 Women (For Seniors) and 7 Boys, 7 Girls (For U 19) and 3 team officials who are eligible to participate and for free Hospitality.
- West Zone shall consist of Teams and Players from: Maharashtra, Gujarat, Goa, Madhya Pradesh and Chhattisgarh.

It is mandatory that all teams should participate in Zonal Team and Individual Championships this year onwards. The revised pattern of competition regulations is applicable to all BAI Member Associations with immediate effect.

3. **SELECTION CRITERIA FOR NATIONALS:**

For Seniors and Juniors:

Team Event:

The players for the senior team (Men's and Women's) for the Inter State & Inter Zonal event will be selected based on the points of each player obtained through State selection/Championship provided the team qualifies through west zone. However, the selection Committee in the best interest of the state will select the Maharashtra team.

Individual Event:

In the interest of facilitating higher number of entries from the state for the Nationals, the selection committee will select the players based on the players selected through west Zone (The players who have reached the semifinals in singles and final in doubles in the west zone individual event), below 50 BWF ranking, players who are already ranked in the top 12 in singles and top 6 pairs in doubles of BAI ranking.

While selecting the State Teams for Individual entries, the selection committee shall be guided by the point system. The following numbers of players will be selected:

- For Singles – 02 entries.
- For Doubles and Mixed Double – 01 Entry.

For U 15 & U 17 Individual Entries

In the interest of facilitating higher number of entries from the state for the Nationals, the selection committee will select the players based on the players selected through below 50 BWF ranking, players who are already ranked in the top 16 in singles and top 8 pairs in doubles of BAI ranking.

While selecting the State Teams for Individual entries, the selection committee shall be guided by the point system. The following numbers of players will be selected:

- For Singles – 02 entries.
- For Doubles and Mixed Double – 01 Entry.

For U 13 Individual Entries

In the interest of facilitating higher number of entries from the state for the Nationals, the selection committee will select the players based on the players who are already ranked in the top 16 in singles and top 8 pairs in doubles of BAI ranking.

While selecting the State Teams for Individual entries, the selection committee shall be guided by the point system. The following numbers of players will be selected:

- For Singles – 02 entries.
- For Doubles – 01 Entry.

For U 11 Individual Entries

While selecting the State Teams for Individual entries, the selection committee shall be guided by the point system. The following numbers of players will be selected:

- For Singles – 02 entries.
- For Doubles – 01 Entry.

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Individual Entries for Doubles Events at Nationals:

(Players who wish to partner any Player from other than Maharashtra State): All players who wish to participate in the Doubles/Mixed Doubles Event at the Nationals (for Juniors & Seniors- by virtue of being ranked in top 50 of BWF Ranking List OR being ranked in top 6 of BAI Ranking List) & (for Sub. Juniors U-13yrs, U- 15yrs & U17yrs - by virtue of being ranked in top 8 of BAI Ranking List) & partnering any player other than Maharashtra State will have to procure an NOC (No Objection Certificate) from Maharashtra Badminton Association before the start of 1st State Selection/Championship Tournament BEFORE THE CLOSE OF ENTRY. These players will not be allowed to participate in the Doubles/Mixed Doubles Events of the State Selection/State Championship Tournaments in Maharashtra to protect the interests of the player/s from the State. The player participating in doubles event of tournament (selection/championship) must play with the same partner in nationals if selected.

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MBA has a contract with M/s Sunrise Sports (I) Pvt. Ltd. This contract and its conditions are binding on all registered players of MBA. Players must wear the official kit provided under this contract during all matches of Inter- State (including West-Zone), National Championships. This contract will supersede all other individual contracts, if any, entered into by a player/official for these tournaments. MBA reserves the rights to restrict a player from participating in the matches in the said tournaments, if they do not abide by the MBA's contract.

Each player shall get only 1 kit even though he/she is selected in the Maharashtra Team for Team Championships OR Individual events at 2 different Nationals. Selected Player/s will have to return back to Maharashtra Badminton Association, the kit which is provided to them if he/she does not participate at the Nationals for which they are selected. Managers of Teams empowered to withdraw entries at the Nationals (on the spot) those who breach the contract and will be debarred for 1 year.

TRAVELLING FOR NATIONAL BADMINTON CHAMPIONSHIPS:

MBA has been sending players by Air for the Nationals. One lot of Air booking for those who participate in Inter-State Team Events and after 2 days for players those who play in Individual Events and return tickets on last day of the tournament so that the entire team travels together. MBA doesn't entertain any personal request for travelling separately.



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