

Playing K L Rahul in Asia Cup would be asking for too much from him: Ravi Shastri

CHENNAI, Aug 16: Former India head coach Ravi Shastri would not include K L Rahul in the playing eleven for the Asia Cup as it would be asking for "too much" from a player who has not played competitive cricket for close to four months.

Both Rahul and Shreyas Iyer, who are undergoing injury rehabilitation at the NCA in Bengaluru, are expected to regain full fitness before the Asia Cup starting August 31.

"When you are talking of a player who has not played and is recovering from injury. To think of him in the playing eleven of Asia Cup, you are asking little too much of the player himself."

"And then you are talking keeping when the guy has come from a knee injury, the range of movement, things like (that). That is a no, no straight," Shastri told Star Sports in a panel discussion referring to Rahul.

He also warned against rushing back players from injuries.

"You can't rush players back from injuries. You did that with Jasprit Bumrah, not once, twice but thrice and he has been out for 14 months now."

In place of Rahul, Shastri would like to see rookie batter Tilak Varma in the middle order. He wants to see three left-handers in the top-seven, including Ravindra Jadeja.

"There are three other positions where I think two left-handers have to come in. Now, this is where the selectors' role comes in because they are watching. They know who's the guy who's hot. If Tilak Varma is hot, bring him in. If you think (Yashasvi) Jaiswal is hot, bring him in. (PTI)



Bumrah bowls at India nets after 11 months

DUBLIN, Aug 16: After a hiatus of 11 months, top pacer Jasprit Bumrah returned to India nets on Wednesday and bowled with intensity and skill that made him a fearsome opponent for batsmen.

The 29-year-old last played for India against Australia in T20I match at Hyderabad on September 25, 2022. Since then he was sidelined with a back injury that required him to undergo a surgery.

However, Bumrah made his much-awaited return to India colours when he was named captain of the national side on July 31 for the away T20I series against Ireland starting on Friday in Dublin.

The Indian team made its touchdown in Ireland on Tuesday and wasted little time in hitting the ground a day later. In a video shared by BCCI on X, formerly Twitter, Bumrah was seen bowling at full tilt, a comforting sight ahead of the upcoming Asia Cup and the ODI World Cup.

Bumrah rattled a right-hand batter with a whizzing bouncer, forcing him to duck under the ball. He zoomed in on the toes of a left-handed batsman with a spot-on yorker, eliciting some appreciative nods from others at India nets. The net session could be viewed as a sum total of his recovery process at the NCA, where he gradually increased the workload and followed a designer fitness regime. (PTI)



Pistol shooters to set tone for Indian charge in ISSF World C'ship

BAKU (AZERBAIJAN), Aug 16: Indian men's and women's 10m air pistol shooters will take the first shot at medals and Paris Olympics 2024 quota places when the ISSF World Championship commences here tomorrow.

Sarabjot Singh, Shiva Narwal and Arjun Singh Cheema will take aim in the men's event, while in the women's section Divya TS, Esha Singh and Palak will vie for the honours alongside a galaxy of top shooters who have descend on Azerbaijan's capital for the mega event.

India has so far earned three Paris Olympics quota places and there are huge expectations from the 53-strong contingent -- the biggest among 101 participating countries.

India has so far won Olympic quota places through Rudranksh Patil (men's 10m air rifle), Swapnil Kusale (men's 50m rifle 3-Pos)

and Bhowneesh Mendiratta (men's trap).

The first half of the Championship, which will run till August 24, will see 15 finals in Olympic categories. A total of 12 individual Olympic events carry as many as four Paris Olympics quotas places, besides medals.

Among those competing here include six reigning Olympic champions and several former Olympic and world champions. The reigning champions include France's Jean Quiquampoix (men's 25m rapid-fire pistol), Switzerland's Nina Christen (women's 50m rifle 3-Pos), Iran's Javad Foroughi (men's 10m air pistol), Slovakia's Rehak Stefecekova Zuzana (women's trap), Czech Republic's Jiri Liptak (men's trap) and the USA's Vincent Hancock. Besides them, all the 12 world No. 1s in Olympic events will also be seen in action here. (PTI)

JKP's Pipe, Brass Bands bag first 2 positions; PPS band wins consolation prize

SRINAGAR, Aug 16: Jammu and Kashmir Police's contingents in different categories brought laurels to the organization by securing different positions in all categories during the 77th Independence Day Parade at Bakshi Stadium Srinagar.

Jammu and Kashmir Police's Pipe Band and Brass Band secured top two positions in the bands category while Border Security Force's band got 3rd position. Similarly in March past category Jammu and Kashmir women police contingent was declared the best marching contingent among others while BSF and CRPF secured the 2nd and 3rd position respectively.

Participants in the school category, contingent from Police Public School, Bemina got 3rd position in March past while its band received consolation prize.

Director General of Police J&K, Dilbag Singh appreciated all the winning contingents. He said it's always joyful to watch performances of Pipe Band and Brass Band teams. He congratulated the ladies contingents and contingents from Police Public School (PPS) who secured position in General Parade. He also complimented other contingent of police who participated in the Parade and said winning and losing doesn't matter, what matters is effort and hardwork to do your best.

Jammu and Kashmir Police Pipe Band was led by Head Constable Mohd Yaqoob while Brass Band was led by Sub Inspector, Mushtaq Ahmad. The J&K Police ladies contingent was commanded by Deputy Superintendent of Police, Mamta Sharma.

Djokovic falls in first US match since 2021

MASON (US), Aug 16: Novak Djokovic fell in his first match in the United States since 2021, losing in doubles in the Western & Southern Open.

Djokovic and Nikola Pietrangeli on Tuesday lost 6-4 6-2 to Jamie Murray and Michael Venus in the Serbian star's return to the country after missing events because of COVID-19 vaccine restrictions.

Djokovic was playing his first competitive match since falling to top-ranked Carlos Alcaraz in the Wimbledon final. The winner of a record 23 Grand Slam singles titles, Djokovic is set to open singles play Wednesday night against Alejandro Davidovich Fokina.

Alcaraz beat Australian qualifier Jordan Thompson 7-5 4-6 6-3 in the late match. The defending US Open champion became the first ATP player to reach 50 wins this season. In women's play, former US Open champion Sloane Stephens reached the third round for the first time since 2019 with a 4-6 6-4 6-4 victory over sixth-seeded defending tournament champion Caroline Garcia. (PTI)

Wasim asks PCB to delete commemorative video clip without Imran Khan

COLOMBO, Aug 16: Legendary fast bowler Wasim Akram on Wednesday asked Pakistan Cricket Board (PCB) to delete and apologise to fans for making a commemorative video clip without featuring Imran Khan, the 1992 World Cup winning captain.

On August 14, the PCB shared a video clip celebrating the best moments of Pakistan cricket and the crowning moment was understandably the World Cup victory 31 years ago.

But Imran, who led that team, was not to be seen anywhere in that clip which ran for 2 minutes and 21 seconds. Akram, who played a vital role in that triumph, expressed his dismay over omitting his fast bowling mentor from the video.

"After long flights and hours of transit before reaching Sri Lanka, I got the shock of my life when I watched PCB's short clip on the history of Pakistan cricket minus the great Imran Khan. "Political differences apart but Imran Khan is an icon of world cricket and developed Pakistan into a strong unit in his time and gave us a pathway...PCB should delete the video and apologise," Akram wrote on X, formerly Twitter.

Under Imran, Pakistan made a remarkable charge to the victory from the brink and defeated England in the final at MCG by 22 runs, till date their only 50-over World Cup win. After his playing career, Imran turned to politics and formed the Pakistan Tehreek-e-Insaf party in 1996. (PTI)

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Atharv clears UCMAS exam

Excelsior Correspondent
JAMMU, Aug 16: Atharv Gaur (V-K), a student of Delhi Public School (DPS) Jammu has brought laurels to the school and his parents by passing an International Level UCMAS Mental Arithmetic Proficiency Examination.

The examination was held on 18th December 2022 and the result was declared recently. He passed the examination with Grade 5, 6 (Distinction) and Grade 4 (Credit). UCMAS is a child development program based on Visual Arithmetic and Abacus that boosts brainpower in children aged 4-13 years.

School Management of DPS Jammu, President-RCT, M.K. Ajatsharu Singh, Dr. Kuwarani Ritu Singh and Principal, DPS Jammu, Ruchi Chhabra appreciated him for the achievement.



J&K Speedball Team leaves for Nat'l C'ship

Excelsior Sports Correspondent
JAMMU, Aug 16: Jammu and Kashmir Sports Speedball Association flagged off the team for the national championship here today.

The team was flagged off for the upcoming 11th National Speedball Championship 2023 to be held at New Delhi from August 18 to 20.

A.K. Attri (Chief Advisor J&K Sports Speedball Association) was the chief guest on this occasion while the GRP officers graced the occasion as guests of honour on the directions of SSP Railways Jammu, Mohan Lal Kaith, Albeena Malik, SDPO Railways Jammu, Naresh Sharma, DySP GRP Lines and President of Association, Tarun Uppal were also present on the occasion.

The selection of the team was finalized under the guidelines of Sunny Nanda (General Secretary JKSSB and Chief Co-coordinator SPAA India. SHO GRP Jammu Niaz Ahmed, Inspector Bimal

Indu from GRP lines, Inspector Darshan Singh from GRP lines and Aastha Nanda were present on the occasion.

A.K. Attri appreciated the team and Coaches Renu Devi, Sahil Janua, Anju Devi, Amir Koshal, SDPO, Railways Albeena Malik also distributed speedball kits among the selected players.

The player are Eklayva Mohan Bargartha, Hari Om Sharma, Natanshveer Singh Jamwal, Utkarsh Dev Singh, Shiv Rudhar Pratap, Shivam Chandan, Shaurya Veer Singh, Koushiki Charak, Megha Pathania, Aryana Choudhary, Hitashi Pathania, Aahil Anand, Manvendra Sinh, Sannath Andotra, Lavya Mahajan, Tanshiq Mahajan, Daksh Rasotra, Banshika Rasotra, Sushant Thakur, Kapish Dogra, Ayush Sharma, Shivam Lachiyaale, Rehaan, Prafful Kumar, Tanmay Verma, Ishant Manhotra, Divanshu Tandan, Jaspreet Singh, Sayam Gupta, Mohd.Arshad and Dhruv Choudhary.

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No: EDR/TR/629-32 Dated: 12.08.2023

DATE CORRIGENDUM

Due to **poor response** the last date of Submission of bids for below mentioned e-tenders is hereby extended.

The Tender Documents consisting of terms & conditions, SBD, Bill of Quantities and other details will remain same and can be downloaded from <http://jktenders.gov.in> as per following schedule of dates:

S NO	E-NIT	NAME OF WORKS	LAST DATE UPTO	DATE OF OPENING
1	2023_PDD_220892_1	EDR/20 of 2023-24 Dated 11.07.2023	19-08-2022 1400HRS	21-08-2022 1300HRS

Sd/-
Executive Engineer,
JPDCL Electric Division,
Rajouri.

DIP/J-2314-P
Date: 16-08-2023

UT Government of Jammu and Kashmir

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER KATHUA

Subject:- Procedure for delineation/demarcation of land which do not form part of any water course/source but have been recorded as Gair Mumkin Khad, Gair Mumkin Darya, Gair Mumkin Nallah etc. in revenue records.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to the govt. Order No. 18-JK-(REV) of 2022 dated 04-02-2022 and in compliance to Deputy Commissioner Kathua's Order No. DCK/SQ/2022-23/4803-13 dated 17-06-2022, the Sub Divisional Level Committee Kathua has proposed the land measuring 858 Kanal 10 Marla situated at village Taraf Manjli, Tehsil and District Kathua which is recorded as water body for delineation / Demarcation from Gair Mumkin Khad, Gair Mumkin Darya which at present does not form part of any water course/source to other purpose.

The Khasra wise detail of the said land is available on the official website of Deputy Commissioner, Kathua i.e. Kathua@nic.in

If anybody has objection (s) to the said proposal, he/she may submit objections within 15 days from the publication of this notice or e-mail his/her objections at the e-mail address patodckathua@gmail.com

DIP/J-6964
Dated : 16/8/2023

Sd/-
Assistant Commissioner (Rev)
Kathua

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OFFICE THE EXECUTIVE ENGINEER PWD (R&B) DIVISION REASI

SHORT NOTICE INVITING TENDER

e-NIT No. 55 of 2023-24 Dated 11-08-2023 (Single Cover System)

For and on behalf of the Lt. Governor, UT J&K, e-tenders (In single cover system) are invited on Percentage basis from approved and eligible Contractors registered with J&K Govt., CPWD, Railways and other State/Central Governments for the following works:-

S. No	Name of Work	Adv. Cost (in Lacs)	Cost of doc't (in ₹)	Earnest Money (in Rs. ₹)	Time Allowed for completion	Class of Contractor
1.	Construction of 04Nos of Class Rooms of size 22'-0"x 18'-0" with 7' wide Verandah at Govt. HS Jhandi Zone Chinkah.	103.36	3000/-	206720/-	18 Month	"A"
2.	CONSTRUCTION OF NIABAT BUILDING PYT, THAKRAKOTE W.NO. 1 UNDER ABDP PROGRAMME.	27.93	600/-	55860/-	6 Month	"A'B"
3.	REPAIR / UP-GRADATION OF PHC POUNL.	10.00	600/-	20000/-	6 Month	"B'C'D"
4.	CONSTRUCTION OF SUB CENTRE BUILDING / STAFF QUARTER AT SARHL (BALANCE WORK)	5.96	600/-	11920/-	6 Month	"C'D"
5.	CONSTRUCTION OF BOUNDARY WALL AT GOVT HIGH SCHOOL DHARAN W.NO. 01 UNDER ABDP PROGRAMME.	4.00	600/-	8000/-	6 Month	"C'D"

The Bidding documents Consisting of qualifying information, eligibility criteria, specifications, Drawings, bill of quantities (B.O.Q), Set of terms and conditions of contract and other details can be seen/downloaded from the departmental website <http://jktenders.gov.in> as per below schedule:-

1	Date of Publishing of Tender Notice	11-08-2023
2	Period of downloading of bidding documents	From 11-08-2023 to 19-08-2023, 1600 Hrs
4	Bid submission Start Date	11-08-2023
5	Bid Submission End Date	19-08-2023 up to 1600 Hrs
6	Date & time of opening of Technical Bids (Online)	21-08-2023 on or after 1200 Hrs in the Office of Executive Engineer PWD (R&B) Division, Reasi.
7	Date & time of opening of Financial Bids (Online)	To be notified after technical bid evaluation is completed.

- Bids must be accompanied with cost of Tender document in shape of e-challan through Treasury indicating Treasury Voucher No. & date, e-NIT No. and name of work duly crediting to 0059 (Revenue) favoring Executive Engineer PWD (R&B) Division, Reasi uploading a copy of treasury challan and EMD/Bid Security in the shape of CDR/FDR (The date of Treasury Challan/ Bid Security/Affidavits between date of start of bid submission and bid submission end date) duly pledged to Executive Engineer PWD (R&B) Division, Reasi as mentioned in the bid documents.
- The date and time of opening of bids shall be notified on Web Site www.jktenders.gov.in and conveyed to the bidders automatically through an e-mail message on their e-mail address.
- The bids of Responsive bidders shall be opened online on same Web Site in the Office of Executive Engineer R&B Division, Reasi.
- The earnest money of the unsuccessful bidder shall be released only after submission of Treasury Challan.
- The electronic bidding system would not allow any late submission of bids after due date and time as per server time. Bidders may modify their bids by uploading their request for modification before the deadline for submission of bids. For this, the bidder need not make any additional payment towards the cost of tender document. For bid modification and consequential re-submission, the bidder is not required to withdraw his bid submitted earlier. The last modified bid submitted by the bidder within the bid submission time shall be considered as the bid. For this purpose, modification/withdrawal by other means will not be accepted. In online system of bid submission, the modification and consequential- submission of bids is allowed any number of times. The bidders may withdraw his bid by uploading their request before the deadline for submission of bids; however, if the bid is withdrawn, the re-submission of the bid is not allowed. No bid shall be modified or withdrawn after the deadline of submission of bids.
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Sd/-
(Er. Rajesh Sharma)
Executive Engineer
PWD (R&B) Division
Reasi

DIP/J-6892
Dated : 16/8/2023

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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER KATHUA

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In pursuance to the guidelines issued by Directorate of Skill Development J&K Srinagar's letter No.DSD/401/Trgs./2023/2498-2589 Dated 11-08-2023. It is for the information to all those candidates who have applied for Online admission to different trades in Govt. ITI Nowshera and could not find their names in Selection Lists of 2 rounds due to the lower merit than the cut-off merit of selected candidates as well as those who figured in the selection lists but failed to get admission in prescribed time, can approach to the office of Govt. ITI Nowshera admission on vacant seats. The desirous candidates can contact the Office of Superintendent Govt.ITI Nowshera as per the below mentioned schedule along with all original documents. The candidates shall be admitted in different trades purely on merit basis in the qualifying exam & on the basis of preferences opted by them subject to the availability of vacant seats on first come first serve basis.

S.No.	Range of percentage in 8 th /10 th	Date & Time of Reporting	Date & Time of Admission on merit basis (subject to availability of seats)
1	Candidates who figured in the selection lists of first two rounds but failed to get admission within prescribed time	16.08.2023 (Wednesday) (10:00 AM to 01:00 PM)	16.08.2023 (Wednesday) (10:00 AM to 01:00 PM)
2	From 50% to less than 70%	17.08.2023 (Thursday) (10:00 AM to 01:00 PM)	17.08.2023 (Thursday) (10:00 AM to 01:00 PM)
3	From minimum qualifying pass percentage to less than 50%	18.08.2023 (Friday) (10:00 AM to 01:00 PM)	18.08.2023 (Friday) (10:00 AM to 01:00 PM)

Important Notice:-

- Admission of eligible candidates shall be done on Merit Basis in 10th 8th and as per %age schedule given below.
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- For any information contact office of the superintendent ITI Nowshera on or Phone No. 7006458423, 9419771994, 9682587762.

DIP/J-6861
DATED: 16-08-2023

Sd/-
Superintendent
ITI Nowshera