

Amateur Kabaddi Federation of India



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It is for information to all concerned that AKFI has not permitted any Kabaddi Team to participate and play any Kabaddi match in Pakistan. No such permission / sanction was sought by anybody from AKFI to participate in any Kabaddi match in Pakistan. AKFI does not support any such activity. AKFI had made inquiries from Punjab Kabaddi Association, its affiliated unit to enquire if any team was sent by it to Pakistan to play any Kabaddi match there. The Secretary of the Punjab Kabaddi Association Mr. Amanpreet Singh Malhi by email dated 12.02.2020 informed that no such team has been sent by them. (Copy of the response attached herewith.)

AKFI is not aware as to who has granted permission to any Kabaddi teams; who are the players; who received the invitation to participate and who financed the participation of the players in any such match there. Such matches without sanction or permission from AKFI, Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports and Ministry of Home Affairs are not recognised by AKFI.

Administrator – AKFI

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We got invitation from Pakistan Kabaddi Federation on date 23/10/2019 regarding World kabaddi Championship Men(circle) From 12/01/2020 to 18/01/2020 at the graceful occasion of 550 Parkash Purab of Guru Nanak Dev Ji & opening of Kartarpur Sahib Corridor. They invited us to join in this occasion & send a good Team. We accepted their invitation because this Championship was on the name of Guru Nanak Dev Ji. We told them we would participate in that Championship if we got permissions from AKFI & Indian Govt. But after few days they changed the Championship Rules. They allowed all countries that they could take 4 Indian players in their Teams. But it was against the rules of International Championship. In recognized International Tournaments each team has its own Country players. This is against the basic principles of International Championship. This Championship had become a club level Tournament. So there was no question to participate in that Championship, So we decided not to proceed further. These types of tournaments often organized in many Countries like Pakistan, Canada, America, England, Australia & many other Countries. In These Tournaments a lot of kabaddi Players from Punjab take part. Many times we have no information about them.


General Secretary
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