

SPORTS AUTHORITY OF INDIA
KITD DIVISION

F.No. 01-25008/14/2022-HO - KITD

Date: 23.04.2026


NOTIFICATION

It is hereby notified the Induction of the following athletes of **Kabaddi** discipline into the Khelo India Scheme on the basis of recommendation of the Talent Identification and Development Committee (TIDC). The below mentioned athletes, henceforth, shall be Khelo India Athletes (KIAs) till further notification/circular. All the facilities, entitlements including services extended under Khelo India Scheme shall commence w.e.f. **01.05.2026**.

SN	Name of Athlete	DOB	Gender	Playing Position	State
1	Ravi Bhanwariya	11.12.2010	Male	Right Raider	Rajasthan
2	Janvi	14.06.2011	Female	Right Raider	Haryana

2. The athletes shall also be issued the welcome letters separately. In case of any query, please contact at toll free number 1800-202-515 & 1800-258-5155.

This is issued with the approval of competent authority.


(Krishan Kumar)
Sr. Coach - KITD

To,
The Concerned Athletes.

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1. The Executive Director – Khelo India - 2
 2. The Deputy Director (KITD) – for releasing of OPA
 3. The Deputy Director - IT, for arranging it to publish on website
 4. The President/Secretary General, AKFI
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Date: 30.04.2026

Subject: Selection of Kabaddi Players under Khelo India Athlete Program

The Amateur Kabaddi Federation of India (AKFI) is pleased to announce and proudly acknowledge the selection of two promising Kabaddi players under the prestigious **Khelo India Athlete (KIA) Scheme**, by the Sports Authority of India, Government of India.

As per the official notification dated 23.04.2026, the following athletes have been inducted into the Khelo India Scheme on the recommendation of the Talent Identification and Development Committee (TIDC):

Sr. No.	Name	State	DOB	Gender	Playing Position
1	Ravi Bhanwariya	Rajasthan	11.12.2010	Male	Right Raider
2	Janvi	Haryana	14.06.2011	Female	Right Raider

These young athletes have demonstrated exceptional talent, skill, and dedication in the sport of Kabaddi, earning recognition at the national level and securing their place among the selected Khelo India Athletes.

Their induction into the Khelo India Scheme, effective from 01.05.2026, will provide them with comprehensive support, including training, coaching, and other facilities aimed at nurturing their potential for future national and international excellence.

AKFI extends its heartfelt congratulations to both athletes and wishes them continued success in their sporting journey. Their achievement is a matter of great pride and serves as an inspiration for aspiring Kabaddi players across the country.

Yours sincerely,

(Vibhor Vineet Jain)
President
Amateur Kabaddi Federation of India