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## Bhutan Archery Federation

### Bhutan – India Friendship Archery Event – 16<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> June 2018

For Bhutan and India to reflect and assess the meaningful collaborations in all spheres of socio - economic cooperation between the two countries and underscore the extraordinary achievements of the past 50 years, a Bhutan – India Friendship archery event of two was organised between the archers of Bhutan and India on 16<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> June 2018. A total of 6 compound archers (3 males and 3 females) and 6 recurve archers (3 males and 3 females) from the North East India represented India along with tow coaches and one international judge. One judge from India withdrew at the 11<sup>th</sup> hour due to some unavoidable circumstances. Similarly, there was same number of representation from the Bhutan side too. The two days event was held successfully at Langjophakha, BAF Archery range with fund support from India Bhutan Foundation (IBF).

The opening ceremony of the event was graced by the Ms. Nidhi Dhiman, Third Secretary, Embassy of India. Ms. Nidhi flagged off the event on the morning of 16<sup>th</sup> June 2018.



The competition was organised in the following categories:

1. Recurve Individual (Man & Woman) – Gold, Silver and Bronze
2. Recurve Mixed Team – Gold
3. Recurve Team Winner
4. Compound Individual (Man & Woman) – Gold, Silver and Bronze
5. Compound Mixed Team – Gold
6. Compound Team Winner



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The Bhutanese and Indian contingents are as follows:

## **Bhutanese contingent:**

1. Mr. Tashi Tshering, National Recurve Coach
2. Mr. Kinley Tshering, Recurve Archer
3. Mr. Lam Dorji, Recurve Archer
4. Mr. Nima Wangdi, Recurve Archer
5. Ms. Karma, Recurve Archer
6. Ms. Sonam Deki, Recurve Archer
7. Ms. Sonam Dema, Recurve Archer
8. Mr. Karma Tshering, National Compound Coach
9. Mr. Tandin Dorji, Compound Archer
10. Mr. Tashi Peljor, Compound Archer
11. Mr. Phuntsho Wangdi, Compound Archer
12. Ms. Sherab Zam, Compound Archer
13. Ms. Dorji Dolma, Compound Archer
14. Ms. Dorji Dema, Compound Archer
15. Ms. Yeshe Dema, Grassroot Coach

## **Indian contingent:**

1. Mr. Hunezo Thisa, Coach
2. Mrs. Gunicha Devi Bachaspatimayum, Coach
3. Mr. Kilenmeren, Recurve Archer
4. Mr. Production Borgoyary, Recurve Archer
5. Mr. Henthoiba Leishangthem, Recurve Archer
6. Ms. Thohri Sanai, Recurve Archer
7. Ms. Jashna Brahma, Recurve Archer
8. Ms. Kevikieno Rikha, Recurve Archer
9. Mr. Dinku Singh Pukhrambam, Compound Archer
10. Mr. Welson Meitei Takhellambam, Compound Archer
11. Mr. Sorensangbam Rajendro Singh, Compound Archer
12. Ms. Mutum Rupan Devi, Compound Archer
13. Ms. Suchitra Tourangbam, Compound Archer
14. Ms. Dulina Devi Laishram, Compound Archer
15. Mr. Rupesh Kar, International Judge





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*Bhutanese team with Ms. Nidhi Dhiman, EoI*



*Indian Team with Ms. Nidhi Dhiman*

The first day started with the practice session, elimination round, bronze and silver round competition.



*Archers in practice round*



*Archers in the silver round*

The final day of the event was graced by Thrizin Tashi Dorji, the Honourable Chairperson of National Council as the Chief Guest and the other guests in attendance were Ambassador Kesang Wangdi, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Mr. Ugyen Rinzin, President, BAF, Ms. Nidhi Dhiman, EoI and other guests who came to witness the final event.





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The two days friendship archery event provided a common platform for archers from Bhutan and India to meet and compete which gave both sides the exposure as well as promote a healthy competition between the archers. At the end, it also gave an opportunity for the archers, coaches and the judge to share culture, tradition, skills and experience from the two days events.







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The winners of the two days Bhutan – India Friendship Archery Competition are:

### 1. Recurve Category:

- Individual Man (Gold) - Mr. Kilenmeren (India)
- Individual Man (Silver) - Mr. Henthoiba Leishangthem (India)
- Individual Man (Bronze) - Mr. Kinley Tshering (Bhutan)
- Individual Woman (Gold) - Ms. Thohri Sanai (India)
- Individual Woman (Silver) - Ms. Jashna Brahma (India)
- Individual Woman (Bronze) - Ms. Kevikieno Rikha (India)
- Recurve Mixed Team - Mr. Kilenmeren & Ms. Jashna Brahma (India)
- Recurve Team Winner (Men) - Mr. Kilenmeren, Mr. Henthoiba Leishangthem & Mr. Production Borgoyary (India)
- Recurve Team Winner (Women) - Ms. Jashna Brahma, Ms. Kevikieno Rikha & Ms. Thohri Sanai (India)

### 2. Compound Category

- Individual Man (Gold) - Mr. Tashi Peljor (Bhutan)
- Individual Man (Silver) - Mr. Tandin Dorji (Bhutan)
- Individual Man (Bronze) - Mr. Welson Meitei Takhellambam (India)
- Individual Woman (Gold) - Ms. Mutum Rupan Devi (India)
- Individual Woman (Silver) - Ms. Sherab Zam (Bhutan)
- Individual Woman (Bronze) - Ms. Dorji Dolma (Bhutan)
- Compound Mixed Team - Mr. Tandin Dorji & Ms. Dorji Dolma (Bhutan)
- Compound Team Winner (Men) - Mr. Tandin Dorji, Mr. Tashi Peljor & Mr. Phuntsho Wangdi (Bhutan)
- Compound Team Winner (Women) - Ms. Suchitra Tourangbam, Dulina Devi Laishram & Mutum Rupan Devi (India)