



# ॥ कलामहोत्सव ॥

# About ABVP

**Akhil Bharatiya Vidyarthi Parishad (ABVP), founded on July 9, 1949, is India's largest and most influential student organization. With units across thousands of campuses, ABVP works tirelessly for student welfare, quality education, youth development, national reconstruction, and cultural preservation.**

**Through seminars, cultural events, social initiatives, training camps, and awareness drives, ABVP shapes responsible, confident, and nation-oriented youth. Its volunteer-driven efforts foster leadership, discipline, and active participation, creating a strong community of young changemakers.**



**Kalamahotsav isn't just another college fest—it's a cultural movement that gives today's youth a powerful platform to express their hidden talents and rediscover their identity. It was made by students, for students, and it unites passion, creativity, and heritage on a lively stage, encouraging young people to take the stage, show off their skills, and re-establish a connection with the roots that define who we are.**

## DEPARTMENTS AND EVENT CATEGORIES

**Kalamahotsav is structured under three core departments, each representing a different dimension of talent and expression:**

**1. Performing Arts**

**2. Fine Arts**

**3. Sports**

Sr. No.	Performing Arts	Fine Arts	Sports
1	Dance	Drawing & Painting	Box Cricket
2	Drama/Play	Short Film Making	100m Race
3	Singing	Photography	200m Race
4	Instruments	Rangoli	Relay Race
5	Story Telling	Mehendi	Kabaddi
6	Debate	AI Art	Tug Of War
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# THE HEARTBEAT OF KALAMAHOTSAV — VIBRANT, EXPRESSIVE AND FULL OF YOUTHFUL ENERGY



## PERFORMING ARTS

### DANCE

#### Rounds:

First Round: 4 Jan 2026

Final Round: 22 Jan 2026

#### Categories:

Solo (1)

Group (2–15)

#### Styles:

Classical • Folk • Semi-Classical



#### Time Limit:

Solo: 3–5 mins

Group: 6–10 mins

#### Entry Fee:

Solo/Duet: ₹250

Group: ₹500

#### Requirement:

40% Indian classical/folk or Indian-themed elements



# PERFORMING ARTS

## EKANKIKA (ONE-ACT PLAY)

### Rounds:

First Round – 7 Jan 2026 (at colleges)

Final Round – 22 Jan 2026

### Team Size:

3–12 actors (including director)

### Time Limit:

15–25 minutes

### Entry Fee:

₹500 per team

### Themes:

Indian history • Mythology • Social issues  
• Freedom struggle • Contemporary stories  
with cultural relevance

### Languages:

Hindi • Marathi • English • Regional  
languages

### Technical Requirements:

Minimal props; emphasis on performance  
quality



# PERFORMING ARTS

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## SINGING

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### Rounds:

First Round: 4 Jan 2026

Final Round: 22 Jan 2026

### Categories:

- Solo Vocal (Classical, Semi-Classical, Folk, Devotional, Patriotic)
- Light Music / Film Songs (with Indian cultural essence)

### Time Limit:

5–8 minutes



### Entry Fee:

₹179 per participant

### Requirements:

At least 1 song must be classical, folk, devotional, or patriotic

### Accompaniment:

Pre-recorded track or live accompaniment



# PERFORMING ARTS

## Instrumental Music

**Rounds:**

First Round: 6 Jan 2026 (at respective colleges)

Final Round: 22 Jan 2026

**Categories:**

String Instruments (Sitar, Veena, Violin, Santoor)

Percussion (Tabla, Mridangam, Pakhawaj, Dholak)

Wind Instruments (Flute, Shehnai, Harmonium)

**Time Limit:**

5–8 minutes

**Entry Fee:**

₹300 per participant

**Format:**

Solo or Duet

**Requirement:**

At-least one traditional or classical composition



# PERFORMING ARTS

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## STORY TELLING

- Submission Deadline: 6 Jan 2026
- Prize Distribution: 23 Jan 2026
- Format: Video submission (3–7 minutes)
- Theme: Indian epics, folklore, or original stories with moral values
- Entry Fee: ₹49 per participant
- Language: Any Indian language



## DEBATE

- Event Date: 6 Jan 2026 (at venue)
- Prize Distribution: 23 Jan 2026
- Format: Oxford-style debate
- Topics: Announced one week prior; based on national development, education, culture, youth issues
- Time Limit: 5 mins per speaker + 2-min rebuttal
- Entry Fee: ₹99





# A CANVAS OF STORIES, TRADITIONS, AND TIMELESS INDIAN CREATIVITY.



## FINE ARTS



### DRAWING & PAINTING

- **4–10 Jan College Round**
- **Fee ₹49**
- **Indian culture themes**
- **A3 size**
- **Watercolor/Acrylic/Pencil allowed**
- **No digital/tracing/AI**



# FINE ARTS

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## RANGOLI

- Individual/Team
- 90-minute limit
- Indian cultural theme
- No stencils/cut-outs/grids
- Bring your own colours
- No glitter/paint/artificial decor



## MEHENDI

- College Round + Final Photos
- Fee ₹49
- 3 clear photos
- Hand-drawn only
- No stencils or filters



# FINE ARTS

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## PHOTOGRAPHY

- Individual/Team
- 90-minute limit
- Indian cultural theme
- No stencils/cut-outs/grids
- Bring your own colours
- No glitter/paint/artificial decor



## SHORT FILM

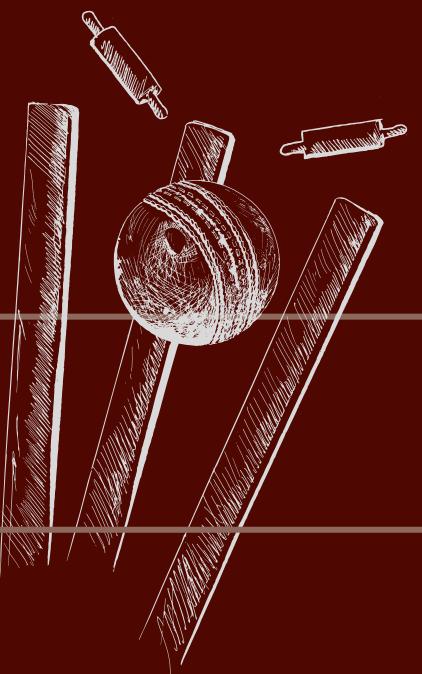
- Film must be shot on 22 January 2026.
- Final edited film must be submitted on 23 January 2026.
- Submit via Drive / YouTube (Unlisted) / WeTransfer.
- Late or non-22-Jan footage → disqualified.





# SPORTS

## BOX CRICKET



### Rounds:

**Will be Conducted 5<sup>th</sup> Jan 2026**

**Prize Distribution: 23 Jan 2026**

### Time Limit:

**Short innings (event-defined)**

### Format:

**Team-based match**

### Rules:

**Played in marked box/turf area**

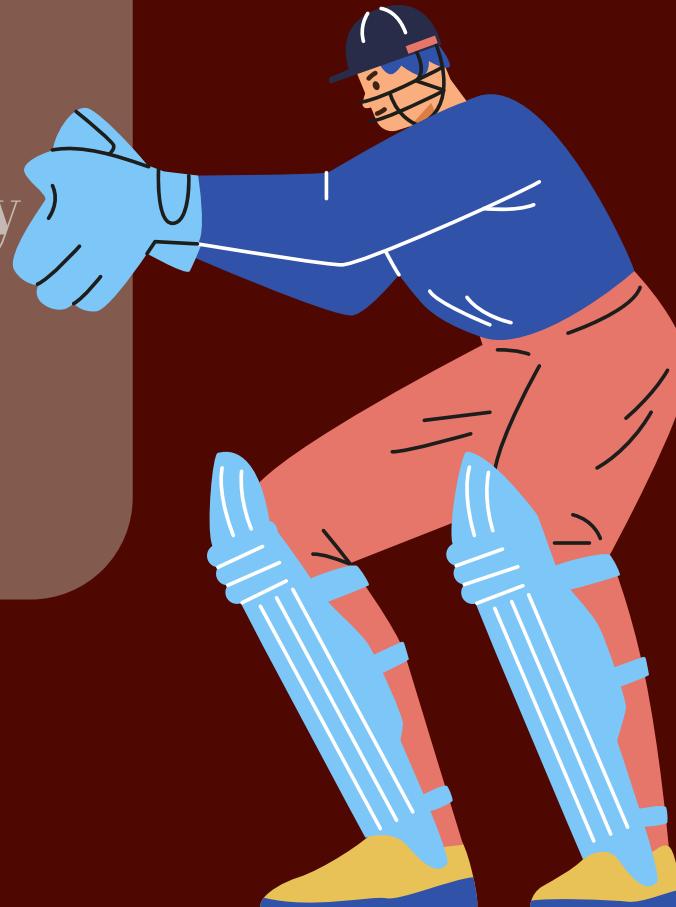
**Fast-paced innings**

**Quick scoring & strategic play**

**Agile fielding required**

### Entry Fee:

**₹500**



# SPORTS

## 100m & 200m RACE

### General Rules:

Will be Conducted 9<sup>th</sup> Jan 2026

Prize Distribution: 23 Jan 2026

Race duration only (timed sprint for both events)

Individual sprint events

Entry Fee: ₹99



### 100m Rules:

Straight track sprint

Focus on explosive start & raw speed

False start → disqualification

Timed finish

### 200m Rules:

Curve + straight finish

Tests speed endurance & technique

Lane discipline mandatory

Timed result



# SPORTS

## RELAY (4×100m)

### Rounds:

Will be Conducted on 9<sup>th</sup> Jan 2026

Prize Distribution: 23 Jan 2026

### Time Limit:

Full relay duration (official timed run)

### Format:

Team of 4 runners



### Rules:

Baton must be exchanged within the exchange zone

Dropped baton → penalty / disqualification

Lane discipline must be maintained

Team performance depends on coordination + sprint speed

### Entry Fee:

₹100



# SPORTS

## KABADDI

Rounds:

Will be Conducted on 9<sup>th</sup> Jan 2026

Prize Distribution: 23 Jan 2026

Time Limit:

Match duration as per standard rules

Format:

Team vs Team



Rules:

- Standard mat/circle Kabaddi rules
- Points awarded for successful raids & tackles
- Bonus line & revival rules a applicable
- Knockout format for progression
- Referee decisions final

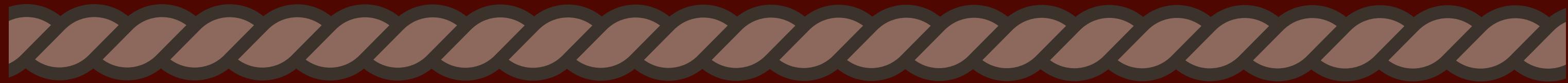
Entry Fee:

₹300



# SPORTS

## TUG OF WAR



### Rounds:

Will be Conducted on 9<sup>th</sup> Jan 2026

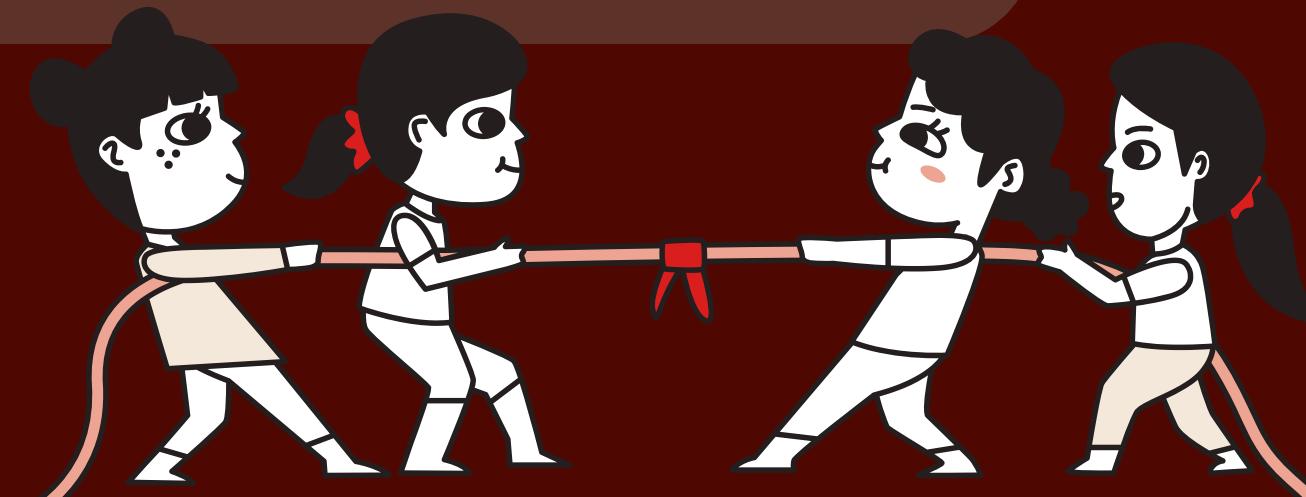
Prize Distribution: 23 Jan 2026

### Time Limit:

Single pull or best-of-three  
(event-defined)

### Format:

Team vs Team



### Rules:

- Rope marking determines the winner
- Strength, rhythm & coordinated pulling essential
- No gloves or metal grips allowed
- Teams must maintain proper stance & footing
- Referee decisions final

### Entry Fee:

₹300

# SPORTS

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## CHESS

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### Rounds:

Will be Conducted on 6<sup>th</sup> Jan 2026

Prize Distribution: 23 Jan 2026

### Time Limit:

Rapid/Blitz time control (event defined)

### Format:

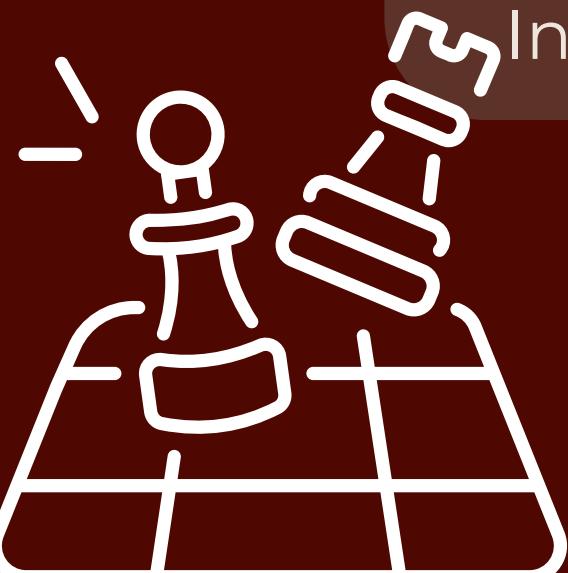
Individual match

### Rules:

- Standard FIDE rules apply
- Win by checkmate, time-out, or resignation
- Illegal move penalties may apply
- Tie-breaks as per event rules

### Entry Fee:

₹100



# SPORTS

## CARROM

### Rounds:

Will be Conducted on 6<sup>th</sup> Jan 2026

Prize Distribution: 23 Jan 2026

### Time Limit:

Match duration as defined by event rules

### Format:

Singles event

### Rules:

- Standard queen, cover & scoring rules
- Striker must be flicked, not pushed
- Fouls may lead to penalties
- Umpire/Referee decisions final

### Entry Fee:

₹100

