

NOMINATION AND TRIALS NOTIFICATION
21st ASIAN JUNIOR TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS

8th -12th February 2023

Venue:
Indian Squash Academy, Chennai, India

1. **Purpose:** To select the players for the 21st Asian Junior Team Championship 2023 scheduled to be conducted from 8th to 12th February 2023 in Chennai, India
2. **Format of Championship:** Current ASF Championship Regulations shall apply and can be viewed on the ASF official website (<http://www.asiansquash.org>)
3. **Age Cut Off Date:**
12 February 2023 (last day of the championships)
4. **Number of Entries:**
Each team is entitled to a maximum of 4 players.
5. **Selection Criteria: Based on followings;**
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 - a. Selected the players as per the Latest SLS Ranking List (as at 1st Dec 2022) of U19/ U17.
 - b. Seeding will be done by considering the latest ranking list as at 1st Dec 2022 and also mainly focusing on the current form of particular player by analyzing past performance of tournaments conducted in year 2022, selection trials (Junior/ Open) and performance shown during last two international tournaments in year 2020/21.

Note: General Selection Criteria is published in the Sri Lanka Squash official Web site <https://srilankasquash.lk/sri-lanka-squash-slsselection-criteria-for-participation-in-international-tournaments/>

6. **Nominations - Calling for Trials:**

a. Email was circulated by the Secretary SLS on 22nd/23rd November 2022 for eligible players listed below in view of obtaining the willingness to participate for the trials.

	Boy's players		Girls's players
1	EA Nevindu Lakman	1	VS Chanithma Sinely
2	DH Thinura Randina	2	Anargi Perera
3	Seniya Jayatilleke	3	Shenaya Dinethri Siriwardena
4	Sehath Perera	4	Ranliya Irundinithi Wood
5	Pramuditha Mathishka Thalagala	5	Ashendri Nethanya Mendis
6	Akila Athapathu	6	Themini Praba Palliyaguru
7	Yevin Silva	7	Adhithi Gunasekera
8	Roviyndu Wijenayake		
9	Aakash Wijesekara		
10	Januka Sehandu Prematilleke		
11	Matheesha Wijesekara		
12	Mohammad Rilwan		

b. As per the replies received from initial nominees listed in para 6.a, following players expressed their willingness to participate for the trails.

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7	Januka Sehandu Prematilleke	7	Adhithi Gunasekera
8	Matheesha Wijesekara		

7. **Selected Players with seeding for Trials:**

a. **Junior Boys Squad**

S/N	Name of Player	SLS Ranking as at 1 st Dec 2022	Overall Seeding (for trials)
1	EA Nevindu Lakman	1 st U 19	1
2	DH Thinura Randina	2 nd U 19	2
3	Seniya Jayatilleke	3 rd U 19	3
4	Sehath Perera	4 th U 19	4
5	Pramuditha Thalagala	5 th U 19	5
6	Roviyndu Wijenayake	8 th U 19	6
7	Januka Prematilleke	9 th U 19	7
8	Matheesha Wijesekara	1 st U 17	8

b. Junior Girls Squad

S/N	Name of Player	SLS Ranking as at 1 st Dec 2022	Overall Seeding (for trials)
1	Chanithma Sinaly	2 nd U 19 / 2 nd Open	1
2	Anargi Ovishka Perera	1 st U 19 / 10 th Open	2
3	Shenaya Dinethri Siriwardena	3 rd U 19 / 7 th Open	3
4	Themini Praba Palliyaguru	6 th U 19 / 9 th Open	4
5	Ashendri Nethanya Mendis	5 th U 19 / 11 th Open	5
6	Adhithi Gunasekera	7 th U 19 / 12 th Open	6
7	Ranliya Irundinithi Wood	4 th U 19	7

Note :

- a. Only **top ranked players** are selected for trials from mainly from U 19 Girls/ Boys respectively, however consideration has been extended to U 17 Boys who perform well in recent Junior / International events. Further, players who obtained minimum 10 points against his/her name (U 19 Category) are considered for the eligibility for trials as per the latest SLS Ranking List (1st Dec 2023) in his/her age category or in a higher age category.
- b. Top four (4) players will be selected as finalists according to the condition mentioned in Para 4.
- c. Seeding was done considering all the results of the above mentioned performance.

8. Trials Schedule:

- a. Dates - 1st to 3rd December 2022
- b. Time - Weekends/ Holiday : 8AM to 6PM
Weekday : 3PM to 7PM
- c. Venue - SSC, Colombo 7
- d. Stand by venue- Air Force Squash Court Complex, Ratmalana

9. **The guidelines and instruction to be followed;**

a. Standard SLS point system will be followed. (Attached to this email)

Note: SLS Point system is published in the Sri Lanka Squash official Web site <https://srilankasquash.lk/sri-lanka-squash-slselection-criteria-for-participation-in-international-tournaments/>

b. Matches will be played according to the Round Robin system follows

c. **All players** should be report to Venue (SSC, Colombo 7) at **3 PM hrs on 1st December 2022** for the draw/ respective initial matches.

d. Please note that player needs to play 2/3 trails matches per day.

e. Single Referee system will be followed.

f. No postponement of matches will be allowed.

g. Players are required to be present 30 minutes before the scheduled time of the match.

j. Any dispute/observation/complaint pertaining to the draw, matched played etc (within 2 hours from the incident) should be forwarded in writing to the Chairman Tournament Committee (mobile no. 0714164236 / 0772229343).

k. On completion of the final trails, 04 players will be selected from Girls/ Boys team as per the final point table.

10. It will be mandatory for the players selected for the final team to attend for the practice sessions arranged by SLS until completion of the said championship. As such, all players are required to provide written consent before commencing the trials on 5th December 2022, stating willingness to attend for the pool practices until completion of the championships.

11. **Tour Funding –**

a. It is hereby stated that the financial assistant **is not guaranteed** by Ministry of Sports / SLS for tour and players will have to secure sponsorships if financial assistance could not be obtained from Ministry of sports for same.

b. All trial participating player's parent/ guardian are required to provide a written statement before commencement of the trial regarding the possibility and willingness to securing sponsorship on players own in the case of financial assistance for the tour will be denied by the Ministry of Sports. SLS will support and work with the player in providing any support in documentation regarding this.

c. Kindly note that individual cost for player is **approximately Rs. 300,000/** (Entry Fees, Visa and Air ticket, Food & Accommodation) at current estimates.

12. Team order and related decisions will be taken by the team manager/coach appointed by SLS in line with ASF guidelines and best interest of Sri Lanka Squash.

Any further information/clarification or appeal in this regard can be forwarded to Secretary SLS Mr. Eranga Alwis, Email: eranga88alwis@gmail.com , Mobile : 0773664668 or Vice President Group Captain Eranda Geeganage Email : erandagee@yahoo.com, Mobile : 0714164236 / 0772229343 with a copy to Sri Lanka Squash squashsrilanka@yahoo.com **on or before 26th November 2022**

Thanking You,
Yours in Squash,

Group Captain Eranda Geeganage
Vice President /Chairman Tournament Committee
Sri Lanka Squash
23 November 2022

Certified by;

Eranga Alwis
Secretary
Sri Lanka Squash
23 November 2022