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Wrestling Federation of India
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Sub: Selection Trials for Senior Commonwealth Wrestling Championship – South Africa

The 2026 Senior Commonwealth Free Style, Greco Roman Style & Women Wrestling Championships, scheduled to be held in Polokwane [South Africa] from 4th to 6th December 2026. To ensure the selection of the best wrestlers to represent the country in this prestigious event, the Wrestling Federation of India (WFI) will conduct Selection Trials at as per the following schedule:

Selection Trials Schedule & Venue:

- On **13th November 2026** at **1000 hrs.** at IG Stadium, New Delhi for Women Wrestling Teams
- On **13th November 2026** at **1000 hrs.** at RC, SAI, Lucknow for FS & GR Style Wrestling Teams.

Eligibility criteria for participation in the Selection Trials:

- All medal winners of 2025 Senior National Wrestling Championship held at Ahmedabad (Gujarat) from 12th to 14th December 2025.
- Only those medal winners of the 2026 Federation Cup who have been selected for an international wrestling competition in the current year.
- Only those medal winners of the 2026 Senior Open Ranking Tournament who have been selected for an international wrestling competition in the current year.
- All medal winners of the 2026 U23 National Championship held at Rohtak (Haryana) from 10th to 12th July 2026.
- All medal winners of the Under-20 National Wrestling Championship held in Bhilai (Chhattisgarh) from 10th to 12th April 2026.
- **Wrestlers who have opted to participate in the U20 Age Group selection trials shall not be eligible to participate in the aforementioned trials.**
- The weigh-in shall be conducted at 0700 hrs. on the same day as the trial.
- As suggested by the Chief Coaches, weight tolerance of 1 kg will be allowed for the first five weight categories and 2 kg for the upper five weight categories, across all styles.
- The Selection Trial will be supervised by the highly qualified Technical Officials.
- Past performance will not be considered.
- All participants must carry their passport and recent photographs. Entry to the trials will be denied without these documents.

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