

## CHAPTER 7. SPORTS AWARDS

Q1. Complete the sentence and rewrite by filling the appropriate word.

1. Shiv Chhatrapati State Sports Award (Player) is directly awarded after receiving Arjuna award from the Central Government.
2. Shiv Chhatrapati Sports Lifetime Award is given by Maharashtra government.
3. Bharatratna award is the highest civilian award of our country.
4. Adventurous persons from Maharashtra State with special outstanding performance are felicitated by shivchartapati state adventure sports award.
5. Women Sports Coach who strive to raise the level of players at the national and international level and help to increase the honour of the state are felicitated by giving jijamata award.

'A' Group    Answers    'B' Group

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| 1. Award given to persons in various  | d) Padma Award       |
| 2. Award given to Adventurous persons | c) Shiv Chhatrapati  |
| 3. Highest civilian award             | a) Bharat Ratna      |
| 4. Award given to coaches             | b) Dronacharya Award |

Q3. Write whether True or False

1. Players under eighteen years are felicitated by giving Shiv Chhatrapati State Adventure Sports Award.- False
2. Rajiv Gandhi Khel Ratna Award is an award given by the Central Government - True
3. 'Padma Awards' are highest civilian awards given for outstanding performance in various fields. - True
4. National Sports Motivation Award is given to players for the excellent performance at the national level.- False.
5. Player who has given outstanding performance at the international level is felicitated by 'Arjun' award.- True

Q4. Answer in short

- i) Which are the various awards in the sports field given by Maharashtra Government?

Ans :-Shiv Chhatrapati State Lifetime Sports Achievement Award

1. Shiv Chhatrapati State Sports Award (Best Sports Coach) and Jijamata Award (Women Sports Coach)
2. Shiv Chhatrapati State Sports Award (Player)
3. Shiv Chhatrapati State Adventure Sports Award
4. Shiv Chhatrapati State Sports Award (Specially Abled Player)

2. Which are the various awards in the sports field given by Central Government?

1. Dhyan Chand Lifetime Achievement Award
2. Rajiv Gandhi Khel Ratna Award
3. Arjuna Award
4. Dronacharya Award

5. National Sports Motivation Award

6. Padma Award

7. Bharat Ratna Award

3. What is the objective of the Shiv Chhatrapati State Sports Life Time Achievement Award?

1. Shiv Chhatrapati State Lifetime Sports Achievement Award Objective of the Award

The objective of this award is to appreciate Sports Maharshi's like Senior Sportsmen, Sports Coach, Sports Organizer, activists and persons related to sports field who have offered everything for sports throughout their sports life for Maharashtra and achieved an incomparable place and have made a remarkable effect of their personality and sports working capability.

4. Who is awarded the Dhyanchand Life Time Achievement Award?

To motivate a player who has contributed to the sports field and who has been promoting the sports even after his retirement and has spent his entire life for the development of sports and those who have made a remarkable progress in the sports field for their country are felicitated by this award.

5. Write the nature of the Shiv Chhatrapati State Sports Award given to the players.

The nature of this award is a memento, certificate, blazer and cash of Rupees One lakh.

Q 6. Write your own view

1. Competitions organized by District Sports Office.

District Level School football Tournament ( U-14 Yrs & 17 yrs ) Boys and Girls.

b) Khelo India District Level Sports Competition.

c) District Level Indigenous Games festival.

d) Women Sports Competition.

e) CM's Cup Tea Tribes Football Tournament.

2. Performance of Indian athletes in Olympics.

The nation first sent a team to the Summer Olympic Games in 1920, and has participated in every Summer Games since then. India has also competed at several Winter Olympic Games beginning in 1964.

Indian athletes have won 28 medals, all at the Summer Games. For a period of



time, India national field hockey team was dominant in Olympic competition, winning eleven medals in twelve Olympics between 1920 and 1980. The run included 8 gold medals total and six successive gold medals from 1928–1956.

### 3. Facilities given by government for Olympians.

#### Shooting:

The committee sanctioned the proposal of shooters to procure ammunition so that they can train at their own home ranges due to the ongoing coronavirus pandemic. The committee also sanctioned the proposals of Anjum Moudgil and Mairaj Ahmad Khan for their equipment and training requirements.

#### Boxing:

The committee ratified the three month overseas training programme (effective from September 7) of Vikas Krishan along with his personal coach Ron Simms Jr. in the USA.

#### Badminton:

The committee sanctioned the participation of three players Kidambi Srikanth, Saina Nehwal and Lakshya Sen in the Danish Open Super 750. Further it also sanctioned Sen's training in Denmark and participation in the SaarLorLux Open.

#### Para-Sport:

The committee sanctioned the coaching fees of Sharad Kumar's coach Yevhen Nikitin till the Tokyo Paralympics for a period of one year.

#### Hockey:

The committee has sanctioned the proposal of the Indian men's hockey team to appoint a physiotherapist RB Kannan for an initial period of three months after the departure of the foreign physio.

The Committee also discussed the measures being taken to protect all athletes who are under training at SAI centres, against COVID 19. The medical experts on the committee reiterated the necessity to strictly follow the quarantine process formulated by the experts, and the SAI and State SOPs to prevent any inadvertent transmission of the virus.