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ASSAM RIFLES MERITORIOUS SPORTSPERSONS RECRUITMENT RALLY 2025
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Last date of receipt of applications from eligible candidates for Assam Rifles Meritorious Sportspersons Quota Recruitment Rally 2025 is 15 Sep 2025. Applications received thereafter will not be entertained. Applications will be accepted through online mode only. The online application SERVER will start functioning from 16 Aug 2025.

The Recruitment Rally will be held at location mentioned in Para 1 (a) to (k) below. The Recruitment Rally will be tentatively conducted between Oct 2025 to Dec 2025, the exact date of reporting at rally site will be mentioned in call letters.

1. Online applications are invited from eligible male and female Indian citizens for filling up 69 vacancies Male/Female allotted in following sports disciplines for the post of Rifleman / Riflewoman (General Duty) under Sports Quota recruitment in Assam Rifles for the year 2025, Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India:-

Sl. No.	Discipline	Category	Vacancies Allotted		Total Vacs	Location for Conduct of Recruitment
			Male	Female		
(a)	Boxing	60 Kg (Welter)	01	01	02	Assam Rifles Training Centre and School Sukhovi Dimapur, (Nagaland)
		70 Kg (Lt Middle)	01	01	02	
		75 Kg (Middle)	01	01	02	
		Total	03	03	06	
(b)	Football	Striker	03	02	05	
		Defender	02	02	04	
		Total	05	04	09	
(c)	Shooting (Sports)		02	02	04	
(d)	Taekwondo (Kyorugi)	57 Kg	0	01	01	
		62 Kg	0	01	01	
		67 Kg	0	01	01	
		58 Kg	01	0	01	
		68 Kg	01	0	01	
		74 Kg	01	0	01	
		Total	04	04	08	
(e)	Karate	67 Kg	01	0	01	
		55 Kg	0	01	01	
		61 Kg	0	01	01	
		Team Kata	01	02	03	
		Team Kumite	02	02	04	
Total	04	06	10			
(f)	Sepaktakraw	Service	01	0	01	
		Setter	01	0	01	
		Total	02	0	02	
(g)	Fencing	Foil	01	02	03	
		Epee	0	02	02	
		Total	01	04	05	
(h)	Badminton		02	02	04	
(j)	Pencak Silat	45 Kg	02	02	04	
		50 Kg	01	02	03	
		55 Kg	0	01	01	
		60 Kg	0	02	02	
		Total	03	07	10	
(k)	Athletics	100 Mtr & 200 Mtrs	02	03	05	
		400 Mtr & 800 Mtrs	02	04	06	
		Total	04	07	11	
G/Total			30	39	69	HQ IGAR (North) Kohima (Nagaland)

Assam Rifles Training Centre and School Sukhovi Dimapur, (Nagaland)

HQ IGAR (North) Kohima (Nagaland)

the candidature of such applicants will be rejected. The candidates will also produce the printed copy of online Application Form duly completed and a copy of Call Letter downloaded from the website, failing which the candidature of the applicants may be rejected. The online applications portal will be functioning from the day of publication of the advertisement to the last date of receipt of the applications as prescribed in the advertisement.

6. All further information regarding conduct of various events of the recruitment rally will be intimated to the candidates through notification on website, email and SMS only. Hence, providing functional/ in use Email ID and mobile phone number in Online Application Form by the applicants is mandatory. The mobile phone number so provided should not be DND activated. The candidates will be responsible themselves for non-receipt of information regarding recruitment process due to providing of wrong Email ID and mobile phone numbers in Online Application Form by them. Such information will also be made available on official website of the Assam Rifles www.assamrifles.gov.in from time to time.

7. Application Fee: Fee structure and other details are as follows:-

(a) Fee Structure: The General and OBC category candidates will pay a non-refundable fee of ₹ 100/- (Rupees one hundred only).

(b) The fee will be deposited online by the candidates into SBI Current Account No. 37088046712 in favour of Recruitment Branch, HQ DGAR, Shillong - 793010 payable at SBI HQ DGAR Laitkor Branch, IFSC Code - SBIN0013883.

(c) No Fee is charged from candidates belonging to Schedule Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Female candidates.

8. Eligibility Conditions and Authorities Competent to Award Sports Certificates on Eligibility for the Post.

(a) Eligibility Conditions.

Name of Post	Age	Essential Education Qualification	Sports Qualifications
Rifleman/ Rifle-women (General Duty)	18 to 23 years (upper age relaxation for Gen/OBC is Five years and SC/ST is Ten years respectively)	Matriculation from a recognised Board.	Players who have participated in any International Competition/ National Competitions/ Inter-University Tournaments/National Sports/ Games for Schools/ Khelo India University Games/ Khelo India Youth Games/ Khelo India Winter Games

(b) Competent Authorities to Award Certificates for the various Sports Competition.

Ser No	Competition	Authority Awarding Certificate
(i)	International Competition.	Secretary of the National Federation of the Game concerned.
(ii)	National Competition	Secretary of the National Federation or Secretary of the State Association of the Game concerned.
(iii)	Inter-University Tournaments	Dean of Sports or other officer in overall charge of sports of the University concerned.
(iv)	National Sports/Games for Schools	Director or Additional/ Joint or Deputy Director in overall charge of sports/ games for Schools in the Directorate of Public Instructions/ Education of the State.
(v)	Khelo India University Games/ Khelo India Youth Games/Khelo India Winter Games	Officer designated/ Officer in Charge from Sports Authority of India (SAI) for Khelo India University/ Khelo India Youth Games/ Khelo India Winter Games

Notes:-

(a) Age Limit. (i) For Gen & OBC candidates: 18-28 years as on 01 Aug 2025. Candidates should have not been born earlier than 01 Aug 1997 and later than 01 Aug 2007. (ii) For SC & ST candidates: 18-33 years as on 01 Aug 2025. Candidates should have not been born earlier than 01 Aug 1992 and later than 01 Aug 2007.

(b) Only Matriculation Certificate or Higher Secondary School Certificate will be accepted as a proof for establishing age of the candidates.

(c) The candidates must fulfil all eligibility conditions and should be in possession of all sports and education certificates at the time of joining.

(d) All educational certificates other than Central Board/State Boards should be accompanied with Government notifications declaring the equivalence of such qualification for service under Central Government.

(e) The candidates seeking relaxation under SC / ST / OBC category should submit the certificate as per prescribe format. In the event of non-enclosure of the certificate, the candidate will be considered under General (UR) category. Any applicant who does not fulfil the prescribed eligibility conditions, his/her application/candidature will be summarily rejected.

9. Order of Preference.

(a) First preference may be given to those candidates who have represented the country in an International Competition with the clearance of the Department of Youth Affairs and Sports.

(b) Next preference may be given to those who have represented a State / UT in the Senior or Junior level national Championships organized by the National Sports Federations recognized by Department of Youth Affairs & Sports or National Games organized by Indian Olympics Association and have won medals or positions up to 3rd place. Between the candidates participating in Senior and Junior National Championships / Games, the candidates having participated and won medal in Senior National Championship should be given preference.

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(c) Next preference may be given to those, who have represented a University in an Inter University competition conducted by Association of Indian Universities / Inter University Sports Board and have won medals or positions up to 3rd place in finals.
 (d) Next preference may be given to those who represented a State/ Union Territory / University / State Schools Teams but could not win a medal or position, in the same order of preference.
 (e) Next preference may be given to those who have represented the State Schools in the National sports / games for Schools conducted by the All India School Games Federation and have won medals or positions up to 3rd place.
 (f) Next preference may be given to those, who have been awarded National Award in physical efficiency under National Physical Efficiency Drive.
 (g) Irrespective of levels of participation and medal won, Motor Ability Test and Field Trial in respective sports will be taken before final selection.

10. Selection Process.

(a) **Candidate Verification:** The candidates in possession of valid call letters and photo ID proof like Voter ID, ... enter in the recruitment rally site.

(b) **Initial Documentation:** All candidates will have to undergo documentation, in which candidates will have to produce all original documents / certificates pertaining to age, education, caste (in case of availing age relaxation), sports and domicile/Permanent Resident Certificate (PRC).

(c) The candidates found correct in initial verification and documentation will only be permitted to undergo Physical Standard Test and Field Trial.

(d) **Physical Standard Test (PST):** PST of candidates will be carried out by using Radio Frequency Identification Devices (RFID). PST standard will be as under:-

Sl No	Categories/States regions	Height		Chest for Male only	
		Male	Female	Normal	Minimum Expansion
i	For all Categories / All over India.	170 cms	157 cms	80 cms	5 cms
Relaxation:					
ii	For all candidates belonging to Scheduled Tribes.	162.5 cms	150 cms	76 cms	5 cms
iii	All Schedule Tribe candidates of North-Eastern States (NE States).	157 cms	147.5 cms	76 cms	5 cms
iv	All Schedule Tribe candidates of Left Wing Extremism affected Districts.	160 cms	147.5 cms	76 cms	5 cms
v	Candidates falling in the categories of Garhwalis, Kumaonis, Dogras, Marathas and candidates belonging to the States/ UTs of Assam, Himachal Pradesh, Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh.	165 cms	155 cms	78 cms	5 cms
vi	Candidates hailing from the North-Eastern States of Arunachal Pradesh, Manipur, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland, Sikkim & Tripura.	162.5 cms	152.5 cms	77 cms	5 cms
vii	Candidates hailing from Gorkha Territorial Administration (GTA) comprising of the three Sub-Divisions of Darjeeling District namely Darjeeling Kalimpong and Kurseong and includes the following "Mouzas" Sub-Division of these Districts:- (1) Lohagarh Tea Garden (2) Lohagarh Forest (3) Rangmohan (4) Barachenga (5) Panighata (6) Chota Adalpur (7) Paharu (8) Sukna Forest (9) Sukna Part-I (10) Pantapati Forest (11) Mahanadi Forest (12) Champasan Forest (13) Salbari Chhatpart-II (14) Sitong Forest (15) Sivoke Hill Forest (16) Sivoke Forest (17) Chhota Chenga (18) Nipania.	157 cms	152.5 cms	77 cms	5 cms

Notes:- (aa) Chest measurement not applicable to female candidates. However, it will be ascertained that the chest is well developed. (ab) Candidates seeking relaxation in height and chest will require to submit the certificate regarding their community from concerned District Authorities. On non-enclosing of the relevant certificate, their claim for relaxation in height and chest will not be entertained and such candidates will be considered as general category candidates.

(e) **Weight:** Proportionate to height and age as per the existing medical standards as applicable to males/females.

(f) Candidates who are found eligible in PST will undergo Motor Ability Test (MAT) and Field Trial.

(g) **Conduct of Motor Ability Test (MAT):** The MAT in all sports disciplines will be conducted by a Board of Officers at rally site as per norms of Lakshmbal National College of Physical Education (LNCPE) manual of Sports Authority of India (SAI).

(h) **Conduct of Field Trial:** The Field Trial in all disciplines will be conducted by a Board of Officers at Rally site.

(i) Candidates should be in possession of personal sports dress/gear, kit, equipment and tools which are requisite for Field Trial in the sports discipline he/ she applied for. No dress and kits will be provided by the Recruiting Agency. (ii) Marks will be awarded to candidates as per their performance in the Field Trial. Merit list will be prepared based on performance in Field Trial. In case of a tie, preference will be given as per paragraph 9. (iii) Pregnancy at the time of PST and Field Trial will be considered a disqualification and pregnant female candidates shall be rejected at this stage. An undertaking of not being pregnant will be taken from all female candidates before PST, MAT and Field Trial. (iv) Rejection slip will be issued to the candidates who are not qualified in PST, Motor Ability Test (MAT) and Field Trial.

(j) **Appeal against Physical Standard Test (PST):** Candidates declared disqualified in Physical Standard Test can prefer an appeal to the Appellate Authority for re-measurement of Height and Chest only. The appeals of the candidates shall be disposed off on the same day by the Appellate Authority.

(k) **Detailed Medical Examination (DME):** The candidates who qualify in Field Trial in respective sports discipline will undergo Detailed Medical Examination (DME). The Medical

(i) **Eye Sight:** Visual standards are as under:-

Visual Acuity unaided (Near Vision)		Uncorrected Visual Acuity (Distant Vision)		Refraction	Colour Vision	Remarks
Better Eye	Worse Eye	Better Eye	Worse Eye			
N6	N9	6/6	6/9	Visual correction of any kind is not permitted even by glasses.	CP III BY ISIHARA	Binocular vision is required

(ii) The candidates must not have knock-knee, flat foot, varicose veins, squint in eyes and they should possess high colour vision. The candidates will be tested for colour vision by ISIHARA's test as well as Edridge Green Lantern test.

(iii) Must be in good mental and bodily healthy and free from any physical defect likely to interfere with the efficient performance of their duties.

(iv) **Criteria to Determine Permissibility of Tattoo:** The practice to engraving/ tattooing in India is prevalent since time immemorial, but has been limited to depict the name or a religious figure, invariably on inner aspect of forearm and usually on left side. On the other hand the present young generation is considerably under the influence of western culture and thus the number of potential recruits bearing skin art had grown enormously over the year, which is not only distasteful but distract from good order and discipline in the force.

(aa) **Content:** Being a secular country, the religious sentiments of our countrymen are to be respected and thus tattoos depicting religious symbol or figure and the name as followed in Indian army, are to be permitted.

(ab) **Location:** Tattoos marked on traditional sites of the body like inner aspect of forearm, but only LEFT forearm being non saluting limb or dorsum of the hands are to be allowed.

(ac) **Size:** Size must be less than 1/4 of the particular part (Elbow or Hand) of the body.

Note:- The candidates will be examined as per the Revised Medical Guidelines May 2015 issued by ADG (Medical) CAPF, NSG & AR and Revised Uniform Guidelines for RME in CAPFs & AR for GOs & NGOs dated 31 May 2021.

(i) **Appeal against Findings of Detailed Medical Examination:** If a candidate is declared UNFIT in the Detailed Medical Examination (DME), the grounds for rejection will be communicated to him/ her by the Presiding Officer. If the rejected candidate is not satisfied with the findings of the Medical Officer, he/ she will be allowed to undergo Review Medical Examination (RME) provided they give their written consent by appending their signature on the intimation indicating the reasons for being UNFIT. Review Medical Examination (RME) will be conducted in continuation of Detailed Medical Examination (DME) preferably on the next day of DME.

(m) The consent for Review Medical Examination duly signed by the candidate should be submitted within 24 hours after he/ she is informed of his/ her unfitness in Detailed Medical Examination.

(n) The decision of the Review Medical Examination Board will be final and second appeal will not be entertained as per instructions of the Government and no reply of the correspondence / second appeal will be given / entertained.

Note:- Being declared FIT in Medical Examination will not guarantee any legal claim or right to any candidate for final appointment in Government service.

11. **Final Selection/ Entry in Service:** Final selection will be done on the basis of achievements and performance in Field Trials and level of participation. Please note that merely qualifying in all tests does not guarantee the Final Selection into the Assam Rifles. The Final Selection will only be made on the basis of position of the candidates in Merit List in accordance with the availability of vacancies in the respective sports discipline. In the eventuality of non availability of suitable candidates against any particular weight category/sports discipline, the vacancies of such sports disciplines may be diverted to other weight category/sports disciplines in which suitable candidates are available, after the due approval of competent authority. After final selection in merit list, entry in service will be made only after successful completion of training by the candidates.

12. **Merit List and Issue of Provisional Appointment Letter:** The candidates who qualify in all respects i.e. Level of participation/ achievements, Physical Standard Test (PST), performance in Motor Ability Test, Field Trial and Medical Examination Test will be placed in Merit List. Provisional appointment letter will be issued to the Meritorious candidates.

13. **Rejection of Applications:** In case the information furnished by the candidates in the Application Form is found to be false or the applicant is found engaging/ engaged in unethical practices either in tests or otherwise at any stage of the Recruitment Rally and even at later stages, the candidature of such candidates will be summarily rejected without any notice. Appropriate action will also be taken against such candidates as per the provisions of law by registering an FIR with the Police.

14. The candidates will not be considered for recruitment if involved/ convicted/ arrested in any criminal case under IPC or any other Act of the Central Government or State Government.

15. Candidate belonging to the physically handicapped category is not eligible to apply for this recruitment.

16. **MOBILES AND OTHER ELECTRONIC GADGETS ARE BANNED WITHIN THE PREMISES OF RECRUITMENT RALLY SITES/ TRIAL CENTRES.**

17. Assam Rifles authorities are not responsible for any type of arrangement of accommodation / food / transportation for the candidates during the recruitment process.

18. Assam Rifles authorities will not be held responsible for any damage/ injury/ death/ loss to the individual, if any, sustained during the entire recruitment process including the Motor Ability Test, Field Trials and transit.

19. Compassionate ground appointment scheme is not applicable to this Recruitment Rally.

20. The first phase of the recruitment may take 40 to 60 days to complete.

21. No TA / DA is admissible.

22. Assam Rifles reserves the right to make any changes in the advertisement or cancel it without assigning any reasons.

23. The candidates those who are not in possession of requisite documents will not be permitted to attend the Recruitment Rally.

24. **Overcrowding:** To avoid over-crowding, only candidates will be permitted to enter Recruitment Rally Site; Parents / friends are advised not to accompany candidates. Candidates will not be permitted to attend the recruitment rally on any other date except the one mentioned on the call letter.

25. Candidates Provisionally Selected will be covered under New Pension Scheme (NPS).

26. **Pay Scale:** Pay scale and other allowance will be as admissible to Assam Rifles personnel as per 7th CPC.

27. In case of any query, the following help line numbers/ email may be contacted from 0900 hours to 1730 hours on any working day:-
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