



National Games 2025

Why in News?

Uttarakhand hosted the [38th edition of the National Games](#), with participation from 28 states, eight union territories, and the Services Sports Control Board (SSCB).

Key Points

▪ Current Medal Standings:

- The SSCB holds the top position with 120 medals, including:
 - 67 Gold
 - 26 Silver
 - 27 Bronze
- Maharashtra in Second Place, secured a total of 195 medals.
 - 53 Gold
 - 70 Silver
 - 72 Bronze
- Haryana in Third Position earned 150 medals, consisting of:
 - 46 Gold
 - 46 Silver
 - 58 Bronze

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- **About:**
 - The National Games of India is an **Olympic-style multi-sport event** where athletes from **states and Union Territories** compete for medals.
 - The **38th edition of the National Games** will take place from **28th January to 14th February 2025** in **Uttarakhand**.
- **Competition Structure:**
 - The National Games will feature **32 sporting disciplines** for competitive events.
 - In addition, **four demonstration sports** will be included i.e., **Kalaripayattu, Yogasana, Mallakhambh, and Rafting**.
- **Theme and Tagline:**
 - The mascot of the games is **Mouli**, inspired by **Uttarakhand's state bird, the Monal**, reflecting the region's natural beauty and cultural diversity.
 - The tagline for the games is **"Sankalp Se Shikhar Tak" (from resolution to zenith)**.



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