

Tricycle Race

(Online & Offline mode)

1. Introduction and Global Recognition

Tricycle racing is a popular recreational and competitive event involving three-wheeled cycles, designed for balance and control. Though often associated with children, the sport has gained global popularity among all age groups, including persons with disabilities, owing to its inclusiveness and fun-driven competitiveness.

The game is known by different names across countries:

- Russia: “Трёхколёсные гонки” (Trekhkolyosnye gonki)
- USA & UK: Trike Race
- Germany: Dreiradrennen
- France: Course de tricycle
- Japan: 三輪車レース (Sanrinsha Rēsu)
- India: Tricycle Daud / त्रि-साइकिल दौड़

As part of the Modern Pythian Games, this event embodies the spirit of accessible sports and cultural joy across borders.

2. Vision of the Event

- To promote physical and recreational engagement for all, including the differently-abled.
- To foster equality, creativity, and competitive spirit in traditional and modern sports.
- To recognize excellence and inclusive participation with Gold, Silver, and Bronze Medals across categories.

3. Game Description

Tricycle Race is a timed or lap-based competition in which participants ride a three-wheeled cycle along a fixed track or guided virtual simulation. It focuses on speed, control, strategy, and fun.

4. Categories of Competition

The event will be held in two formats: Offline (Physical) and Online (Virtual Submission)

Each format will have the following categories:

1. General Participants

- Kids (5–10 years)
- Teens (11–17 years)
- Adults (18–40 years)
- Seniors (41+ years)

2. Participants with Disabilities (Para Categories)

- Children with mobility challenges
- Adults with physical disabilities
- Seniors with assisted mobility needs

Separate medals will be awarded in each category to ensure fair and inclusive recognition.

5. How It Is Played

a. Offline Mode (Physical Event)

- Participants will race on a designated track (indoor/outdoor) with clear start and finish lines.
- Tracks may include curves, gentle slopes, and light obstacles (optional in para categories).
- Race is timed, and winners are decided based on best completion time or heat-based knockout rounds.

b. Online Mode (Virtual Participation)

- Participants record their performance in a local, safe environment.
- A defined track length (e.g., 100m or time-based) will be announced.
- The video must clearly show:
 - Start and end of race
 - Participant, tricycle, and surroundings
 - Timestamp and measurement tools (stopwatch, distance markers)
- Submission through official platform with consent and verification form.

6. Registration Process

- Online Registration via the official Modern Pythian Games portal.
- Participants must submit:
 - Full name, category, age proof
 - Disability certificate (if applicable)
 - Consent form (guardian consent for minors)
 - Video submission guidelines for online entries
- Registration fee (if applicable) must be paid before the deadline.
- A unique participation ID will be generated upon confirmation.

7. Eligibility Criteria

- Open to all nationalities.
- Minimum age: 5 years
- Participants must use approved tricycles (manual or adaptive for para categories).
- No motorized assistance allowed (except in special para sub-category if announced).
- For online mode: video must be clear, authentic, and unedited.

8. Dress Code

- Comfortable sportswear or traditional attire suited for movement.
- Closed shoes or sports footwear required.
- Safety gear: Helmets are mandatory in all physical races.
- Gloves and knee pads recommended.

9. Jury Panel and Qualification

- Jury to include:
 - Sports event referees
 - Representatives from para sports organizations
 - Certified physical trainers or mobility experts
 - Cultural or arts representative (symbolic of Pythian Games integration)

Qualifications:

- Minimum 3 years of experience in community/para sports or recreational events
- Familiarity with inclusive judging standards
- Must sign ethical code of conduct for unbiased judgment

10. Scoring & Winning Criteria

a.Offline Races:

- Speed: Fastest time wins (chronometers used)
- Control: Penalization for off-track moves or missed checkpoints
- Style & Safety: Deductions for unsafe riding

b.Online Submissions:

- Authenticity: Verified environment and continuous footage
- Time Accuracy: Verified stopwatch or digital marker
- Control: Smooth handling and following of course instructions
- Clarity: Proper visibility of participant and route

Final Rankings based on cumulative jury marks and timing.

11. Other Rules & Regulations

• **Transparent Competition Ethics:**

- No tampering or editing of video submissions.
- All physical events monitored by neutral referees.
- Appeal mechanism for scoring disputes (within 48 hours of result announcement).

• **Disqualification Causes:**

- Use of motorized or assisted tricycles without approval.
- Unsporting behavior or misconduct.
- False documentation or identity fraud.

• **Accessibility Measures:**

- Offline venues to be disability-friendly.
- Volunteers/staff trained in assisting differently-abled participants.

• **Medical & Safety:**

- On-site first aid teams for physical events.
- Online entries must be submitted under adult supervision for minors.

• **Cultural Sensitivity:**

- Participants may represent their regional or cultural identity through dress or team names.
- Inclusivity encouraged across all backgrounds.

12. Awards and Recognition

- Gold, Silver, and Bronze Medals for each category
- Certificates of Participation for all valid entries
- Special recognition awards:
 - Best Inclusive Spirit
 - Creative Track Design (Online)