

# 4th Asian Beach Games

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The Fourth Asian Beach Games held in Phuket, Thailand from 14th to 23rd November, 2014. It was the seventh time for Thailand to host an Asian level sports event after four Asian Games (1966, 1970, 1978 and 1998), one Asian Indoor Games (2005) and one Asian Martial Arts Games (2009) held at Bangkok.

## **Ceremony**

On 14th November, 2014 the opening ceremony of 4th Asian Beach Games took place at the Saphan Hin Public Park, near Phuket Town, the celebration filled the venue with memorable atmosphere, boasting five extravagant performances. Spectacular fireworks display temporarily painted the skies over the Andaman Sea with magnificent sights and sounds as the international multi-sport event was declared open. Privy Councillor and the Royal Representative, General Surayud Chulanont, presided over the ceremony. Olympic Council of Asia President, Sheikh Ahmad Al-Fahad Al-Sabah, and Thailand's Minister of Tourism and Sports, H.E. Kobkarn Wattanavrangkul, delivered speeches. The traditional parade of athletes was represented by delegations from 43 National Olympic Committees, which altogether sent 2,400 athletes to compete in 26 sports and 163 events.

**Participating Nation:** 43

**Participant:** Approximately 2400

**Sports/Disciplines:** 26 sports and 163 events

Air Sports (Paragliding, Powered Paragliding), Aquatics (Beach Water Polo, Marathon Swimming), Beach Athletics, Beach Basketball, Beach Flag Football, Beach Handball, Beach Kabaddi, Beach Modern Pentathlon, Beach Sepaktakraw, Beach Soccer, Beach Volleyball, Beach Woodball, Beach Wrestling, Bodybuilding, Extreme Sports (Inline Skate, Skateboard, BMX FreeStyle, Sports Climbing), Footvolley, Jet Ski, Kurash, Muay, Petanque, Sailing (Sailing, Windsurfing), Sambo, Squash, Triathlon and Waterskiing (Wakeboard, Wakeskate).

**Winner:** The top three winners were Thailand, China and South Korea

## **Pakistan's Participation in 4th Asian Beach Games**

A 67-member Pakistan Contingent participated in the 4d Asian Beach Games held at Phukat, Thailand from 4th to 23rd November, 2014.

**The following were the members of Pakistan Contingent**

<b>Contingent Officials</b>		
1.	Syed Muhammad Abid Qadri	Chef-de-Mission
2.	Mr. Khalid Mahmood	HQ Official
3.	Dr. Muhammad Akhtar Nawaz Ganjera	HQ Official
4.	Mr. Faisal Nisar Chaudhry	HQ Official
5.	Ch. Muhammad Asghar	HQ Official
6.	Mr. Waqar Ahmed	Medical Personnel
7.	Malik Iftikhar Ahmed	POA Official
<b>Bodybuilding</b>		
8.	Mr. Shah Zeb	Player
<b>Handball</b>		
9.	Mr. Dabeer Hussain	Official
10.	Mr. Javed Iqbal	Official
11.	Mr. Khalid Rashid	Official
12.	Mr. Naseer Ahmed	Player
13.	Mr. Asif Ali	-do-
14.	Mr. Tahir Ali	-do-
15.	Mr. Muhammad Uzair Atif	-do-
16.	Mr. Ghulam Ali Baloch	-do-
17.	Mr. Hazrat Hussain	-do-
18.	Mr. Zohaib Jabbar	-do-
19.	Mr. Imran Khan	-do-
20.	Mr. Muhammad Shahid Pervaiz	-do-
21.	Mr. Khawar Yasin	-do-
<b>Ju-Jitsu</b>		
22.	Mr. Amir Mukhtar Awan	Official
23.	Mr. Tariq Ali	Official
24.	Mr. Khalil Ahmed Khan	Official
25.	Mr. Saeed Anwar	Player
26.	Mr. Abu Hurrara	-do-
27.	Mr. Javed Khan	-do-
28.	Mr. Waheed-ud-Din	-do-
29.	Mr. Farhan Anjum	-do-
30.	Mr. Karamat Butt	-do-
31.	Mr. Ahmad Butt	-do-
32.	Mr. Muhammad Ammar	-do-
33.	Mr. Shahzeb Nawaz Janjua	-do-
34.	Miss Humaira Ashiq	-do-
35.	Miss Maryam	-do-
36.	Miss Beenish Khan	-do-

37.	Miss Ambreen Masih	-do-
38.	Miss Sundus Salam Khan	-do-
<b>Kabaddi</b>		
39.	Mr. Muhammad Ramzan Ghumman	Official
40.	Mr. Nabeel Ahmed Rana	Official
41.	Mr. Nasir Ali	Player
42.	Mr. Akhlaq Hussain	-do-
43.	Mr. Ibrar Hussain	-do-
44.	Mr. Wasim Sajjad	-do-
45.	Mr. Muhammad Tariq	-do-
46.	Mr. Usman Zada	-do-
<b>Kurash</b>		
47.	Mr. Waris Ali	Player
<b>Sailing</b>		
48.	Commodore Khalid Pervaiz	Official
49.	Mr. Najeeb Ullah Khan	Player
50.	Mr. Muhammad Tanveer	-do-
51.	Mr. Muhammad Abdullah	-do-
52.	Mr. Muhammad Azeem	-do-
<b>Windsurfing</b>		
53.	Mr. Muhammad Akram Tari	Official
54.	Mr. Khalid Hussain	Player
55.	Raja Qasim Abbas Rathore	-do-
<b>Squash</b>		
56.	Mr. Sher Ali Kakar	Official
57.	Mr. Muhammad Asim Khan	Player
58.	Mr. Abbas Shaukat	-do-
59.	Miss Sammer Anjum	-do-
60.	Miss Riffat Khan	-do-
<b>Volleyball</b>		
61.	Mr. Mubashir Raza	Player
62.	Mr. Muhammad Razzaq	-do-
<b>Wrestling</b>		
63.	Mr. Abdul Qayum Shinwari	Official
64.	Mr. Hashim Ali	Official
65.	Mr. Ghulam Haider	Player
66.	Mr. Muhammad Asad	-do-
67.	Mr. Muhammad Inam	-do-

## Medal Tally of 4th Asian Beach Games

Rank.	Nation	Medals			
		Gold	Silver	Bronze	Total
1	Thailand (THA)	56	37	33	126
2	China (CHN)	16	11	21	48
3	South Korea (KOR)	9	14	14	37
4	Iran (IRI)	9	14	8	31
5	Vietnam (VIE)	8	11	20	40
6	Kazakhstan (KAZ)	8	9	10	27
7	Indonesia (INA)	7	7	14	28
8	Japan (JPN)	7	5	7	19
9	Mongolia (MGL)	6	0	4	10
10	Bahrain (BRN)	5	2	0	7
11	United Arab Emirates (UAE)	4	3	5	12
12	Uzbekistan (UZB)	4	0	6	10
13	Chinese Taipei (TPE)	3	8	6	17
14	Hong Kong (HKG)	3	2	7	12
	Philippines (PHI)	3	2	7	12
16	Pakistan (PAK)	2	4	4	10
17	Lebanon (LIB)	2	3	3	8
18	Laos (LAO)	2	2	8	12
	Qatar (QAT)	2	2	8	12
20	India (IND)	2	1	7	10
21	Singapore (SIN)	2	0	2	4
22	Kuwait (KUW)	1	4	6	11
23	Turkmenistan (TKM)	1	3	7	11
24	Syria (SYR)	1	1	6	8
25	Tajikistan (TJK)	1	0	2	3
26	Brunei (BRU)	1	0	0	1
27	Malaysia (MAS)	0	8	8	16
28	Kyrgyzstan (KGZ)	0	3	3	6
29	Iraq (IRQ)	0	2	3	5
30	Afghanistan (AFG)	0	2	2	4
31	Myanmar (MYA)	0	1	2	3
32	Macau (MAC)	0	1	0	1
	Oman (OMA)	0	1	0	1
	Yemen (YEM)	0	1	0	1
35	Sri Lanka (SRI)	0	0	2	2
36	Cambodia (CAM)	0	0	1	1

	Jordan (JOR)	0	0	1	1
	Nepal (NEP)	0	0	1	1
<b>Total</b>		<b>165</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>238</b>	<b>238</b>

### Pakistan Medal Tally in 4th Asian Beach Games

S.No.	Discipline	Medals			
		Gold	Silver	Bronze	Total
1.	Ju-Jitsu	2	3	–	5
2.	Kabaddi	–	1	–	1
3.	Wrestling	–	–	2	2
4.	Squash	–	–	1	1
5.	Handball	–	–	1	1
<b>Total</b>		<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>10</b>

S.No.	Player	Name of Event	Medal
<b>Ju-Jitsu</b>			
1.	Mr. Ahmad Butt	Men + 90 Kg	Gold
2.	Mr. Muhammad Ammer Mr. Abbu Hurrara	Men Duo	Gold
3.	Mr. Waheed-ud-Din Mr. Shahzeb Nawaz Janjua	Men Duo	Silver
4.	Miss.Maryam Miss Sundus Salam Khan	Women Duo	Silver
5.	Mr. Muhammad Ammar Miss Sundus Salam Khan	Duo Mixed	Silver
<b>Kabaddi</b>			
1.	Mr. Nasir Ali, Player	Kabaddi (Men)	Silver
	Mr. Akhlaq Hussain, Player		
	Mr. Ibrar Hussain, Player		
	Mr. Wasim Sajjad, Player		
	Mr. Muhammad Tariq, Player		

	Mr. Usman Zada, Player		
<b>Wrestling</b>			
1.	Mr. Muhammad Asad	Men's Free Style – 80 Kg	Bronze
2.	Mr. Muhammad Inam	Men's Free Style + 80 Kg	Bronze
<b>Squash</b>			
1.	Mr. Muhammad Asim Khan	Men's Singles	Bronze
<b>Handball</b>			
1.	Mr. Naseer Ahmed, Player	Handball (Men)	Bronze
	Mr. Asif Ali, Player		
	Mr. Tahir Ali, Player		
	Mr. Muhammad Uzair Atif, Player		
	Mr. Ghulam Ali Baloch, Player		
	Mr. Hazrat Hussain, Player		
	Mr. Zohaib Jabbar, Player		
	Mr. Imran Khan, Player		
	Mr. Muhammad Shahid Pervaiz, Player		
	Mr. Khawar Yasin, Player		