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**Netball included on the sports programme for the
Commonwealth Games Amdavad 2030.**

Commonwealth Sport (CS) has today announced Amdavad, India (also known as Ahmedabad) as the hosts of the Commonwealth Games 2030, with netball included on the list of eight initial sports.

Netball, which is also on the programme for Glasgow 2026 next summer, has been an integral part of the Commonwealth Games since Malaysia 1998, and has continued to attract a significant global audience to the Games over the last seven editions, with over 150,000 tickets sold for the netball competition at Birmingham 2022 and a further 34.5 million tuning in to watch on linear TV across netball's core markets.

The other seven initial sports for Amdavad 2030, alongside netball, are athletics and para athletics, swimming and para swimming, table tennis and para table tennis, bowls and para bowls, weightlifting and para powerlifting, artistic gymnastics, and boxing.

Speaking on the announcement, World Netball (WN) President Dame Liz Nicholl DBE said: "We are thrilled that netball has been named on the sports programme for another Commonwealth Games.

"As we look to build our new Global Events Strategy, showcasing the very best of our sport to more people more often, the Commonwealth Games remains a key part of the World Netball international calendar.

“It is fantastic that another cohort of players will get the opportunity to play in this world-class multi-sport event.”

A selection process will now follow to determine the remainder of the Amdavad 2030 sport programme, with 15 to 17 sports expected to feature in the final programme which will be confirmed in 2026.

Dates for the event are also still to be confirmed.

Don't forget tickets to watch netball at the Glasgow 2026 Commonwealth Games are on sale now and can be purchased [here](#).

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World Netball is the sole, internationally recognised, governing body for netball affiliated to the Association of Recognised International Sports Federations (ARISF), receiving funding from the International Olympic Committee.

World Netball creates a better world through netball, inspiring netballers to embrace opportunities and achieve their potential. Netball is played in more than 100 countries around the world with 77 National Netball Associations affiliated to World Netball. The associations are grouped into five Regions – Africa Netball, Americas Netball, Asia Netball, Europe Netball and Oceania Netball – each with a respective Regional Federation. Regional Federations are an integral part of the global governance structure and assist in the implementation of World Netball policies and the development of the sport in their respective regions.

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