

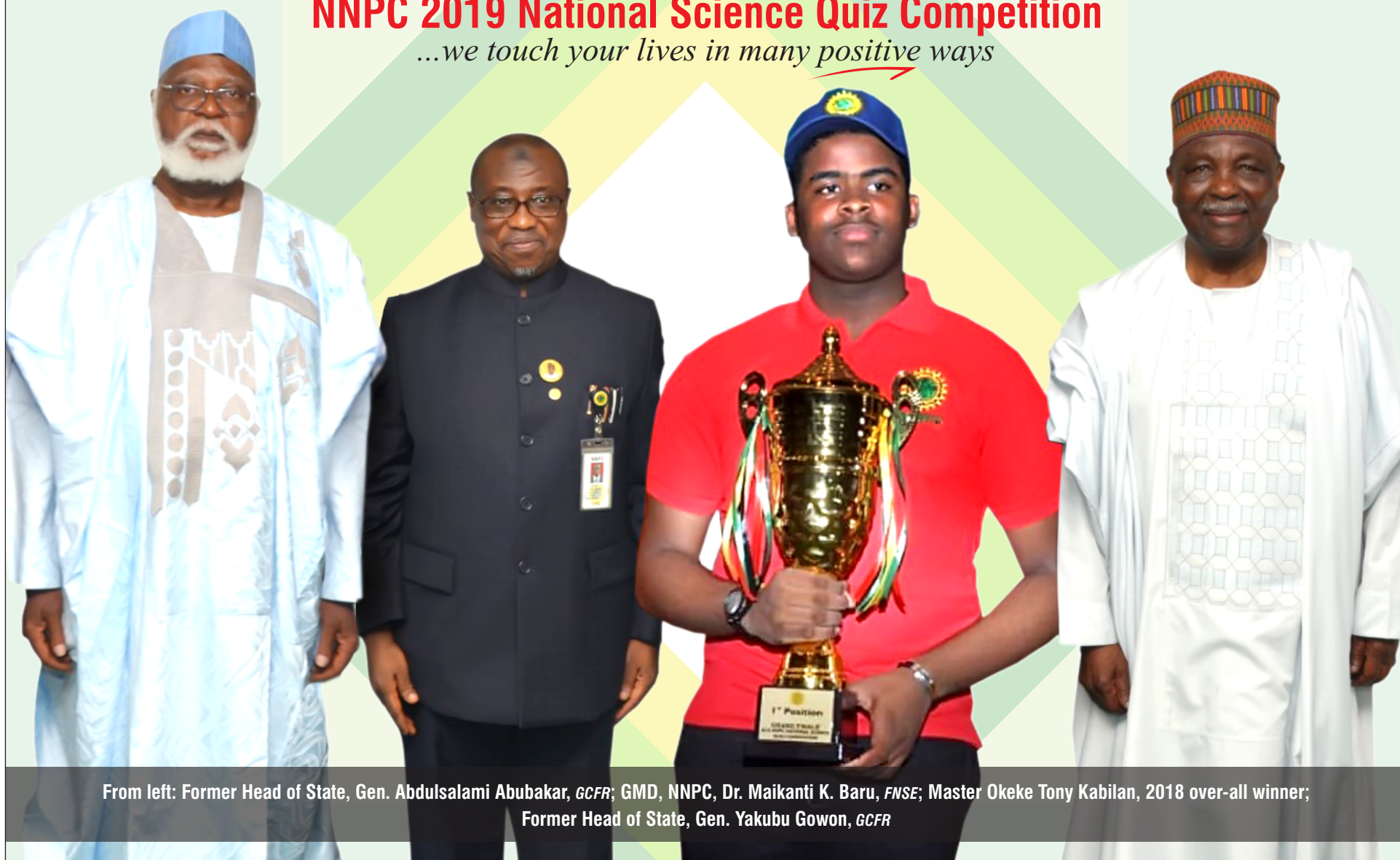


NIGERIAN NATIONAL PETROLEUM CORPORATION (NNPC)

Announces

NNPC 2019 National Science Quiz Competition

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From left: Former Head of State, Gen. Abdulsalami Abubakar, *GCFR*; GMD, NNPC, Dr. Maikanti K. Baru, *FNSE*; Master Okeke Tony Kabilan, 2018 over-all winner; Former Head of State, Gen. Yakubu Gowon, *GCFR*

BACKGROUND

The NNPC National Science Quiz Competition, designed mainly for students in the Nation's secondary schools, was inaugurated in 2000 and limited to participants from the Niger Delta, but went national in 2001. This year's event is the 17th edition of the competition.

The main objectives of the quiz competition include the followings:

- To implement a core element of NNPC Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) package
- To promote Science education in the country
- To encourage students in the study of Science and Technology related subjects
- To prepare students in English and General Studies
- To prepare students for promotional and qualifying examinations
- To build friendship amongst the participating students
- To develop students' competitive spirit
- To break down long-held stereotypes and engendering a better sense of national being in participating students, through the cross-cultural interactions that the contest offers
- To provide a platform for enlightening the students and the public on the activities of NNPC.

Close to two decades of establishing the programme, the horizon of the competition soars.

SCHEDULE

LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREAS (LGAs)	DATE	VENUE
LGAs Across the Country	Thursday, June 20, 2019	LGA Headquarters
STATE	DATE	VENUE
States Across the country	Wednesday, June 26, 2019	State Capitals
ZONE	DATE	VENUE
South-South Zone	Monday, July 1, 2019	Uyo
South-East Zone	Wednesday, July 3, 2019	Owerri
South-West Zone	Friday, July 5, 2019	Oshogbo
North-Central Zone	Monday, July 8, 2019	Minna
North-West Zone	Wednesday, July 10, 2019	Katsina
North-East Zone	Friday, July 12, 2019	Bauchi

The National Finals/Grand Finale are scheduled for September 16 and 17, 2019 at the NNPC Towers, Abuja.

Note: Timelines subject to adjustments where necessary.

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