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Archana clinches splendid treble

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Bengaluru: Bengaluru paddler **Archana Kamath (in pic)** successfully defended three titles at the South Asian junior table tennis championships in Maldives over the weekend. The teenager won gold in the junior girls' singles, doubles and team events.

TABLE TENNIS

In the team event, Indian junior girls' team comprising Archana, Yashini Shivasankar, Prapti Sen and Selena Deepthi Selvakumar, emerged champions after identical 3-0 wins over Maldives and Sri Lanka.

In the junior girls' doubles event, Archana, pairing with Selena Deepthi, defeated the Sri Lankan pair 3-0 in a lop-



sided final. Archana clinched her third gold medal by defeating her compatriot Yashini Shivasankar 3-2 (6-11, 11-7, 11-8, 6-11, 11-9).