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Nupur to face Swetha in final

Karnataka's Nupur Umashankar entered the finals of AITA Talent Series after a stunning victory against P Srivani Rao of Andhra Pradesh on Thursday. Nupur trounced Srivani 6-2 6-1 while Swetha Samuel outclassed Kavya N Kumar 7-6 7-6 to enter the girls' under-14 final. In the boys' u-14 category, Kishen S of Karnataka will take on state mate Andrew K Jose in the final.

Results: Girls (Semifinal): U-14:

Nupur Umashankar (Kar) bt P Srivani Rao (AP) 6-2 6-1; Swetha Samuel (Kar) bt Kavya N Kumar (Kar) 7-6 7-6. **U-12:** Prerana Kalwar (Kar) bt Dhawani Kumar (Kar) 6-2 6-3; P Srivani Rao (AP) bt Tanmayee Pattnaik (Orisa) 6-3 6-4.

Boys (Semifinal): U-14:

Kishen S (Kar) bt Prateik R (Kar) 6-0 6-1; Andrew K Jose (Kar) bt Kavin George (Ker) 6-3 7-5. **U-12:** Hemanth (Kar) bt Dhruv Sunish (Mah) 6-4 7-6 7-6; Apuroop Reddy (AP) bt Pranash (TN) 7-6 6-2