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19TH
AUGUST, 2018
53RD ICA
MONTHLY
CHESS
TOURNAMENT

UKCA Event Code – UKCA/Go32/18

**Venue: Silicon
City Academy of
Secondary
Education.
Bangalore's most
popular Chess
promoting School.**

**Chief Arbiters:
Vasanth B H &
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**Open, Under 7,
U9, U11 and U16
Categories**

Innovators Chess Academy

www.icachess.com

Event Details

Bangalore's most popular Chess promoting School, Silicon City Academy of Secondary Education, will host the 53rd ICA Monthly Chess Tournament on August 19, 2018 at its premises. The Event will be organized by Innovators Chess Academy.

The Tournament will be conducted in the Open, Under 7, U9, U11 and U16 Categories.

Last Date for sending entries is August 17, 2018. Any entries sent post this date can be accepted at the discretion of the Organizers only.

All age Categories will have 5 Trophies for Boys and 5 Trophies for Girls. In case we receive 100 or more entries in any age Category, then we will be giving away a total of 10 Trophies for Boys and Girls respectively. A player will forfeit the prize if he/she is absent from the Prize Distribution.

Strictly, no refunds or carry forward of entry fees is allowed.

Innovation for the month – Chess Quiz and Problem-Solving Competition – Only for Players born on or after 01-Jan-2002

- We will have the Chess Quiz and Problem-Solving Competition at 4 pm. A maximum of 100 Players will be allowed.
- All the registered players will be divided into Teams of 4 players by us. All Teams will be equally distributed with at least one top seeded player. If we have players registering at the last minute, then they have to make do with the lowest number of players in their Team.
- Teams can discuss and answer each question within the stipulated time frame.
- Each answer to a Question in the Quiz carries 10 points. If a Team fails to answer the question, then it will pass to the subsequent Teams. The value of the answer doubles to 20 if the same question returns to the Team where the question originated from.
- We will be having 5 Rounds of Quiz questions.
- Problem solving follows the completion of 5 Rounds of Quiz. Teams should score 20 or above to qualify into Problem solving.

- There will be three difficult problems which would be given in problem solving. Each of these difficult problems will carry 50 points each. If a Team gets the problem wrong but gets the first move correct, then they stand to gain 10 points. All the rest of the problems will carry 10 points each.
- While solving the three difficult problems, the Teams can arrange the positions on the Chess Board. However, moving of pieces is NOT permitted. A Team may stand disqualified if they are found to be moving pieces while solving problems. Teams have to bring their own note books and they have to write down the answer to each problem.

Penalty – Teams have to be very careful while submitting the answer. Any Team submitting scratched out answers will lose half the points of the value of the problem. It is therefore important NOT to provide any scratched-out answers.

Prizes – All the members of the top three teams at the end of Problem Solving will be awarded Trophies. If in case of a tie, then an additional problem will be given to decide the winner.

Entry Fee

Entry Fee to Open Category is Rs 750 for UKCA players and Rs 800 for non UKCA players. Entry Fee to Quiz and Problem Solving is Rs 600. Entry fee for the Age Categories is Rs 550 for UKCA players and Rs 600 for non UKCA players. Players can take part in both, Open and Age Category. Time given will be 15 minutes + 3 seconds increment.

Special rules for the Under 16 Category

From the 52nd till the 61st Editions of the ICA Monthly Chess Tournaments held at Silicon City Academy of Secondary Education, you will be awarded points for your placings that is secured in each Edition as below:

First Place: 100 points
 Second Place: 80 points
 Third Place: 60 points
 Fourth Place: 50 points
 Fifth Place: 40 points

We have kept the following prizes based on the corresponding accumulation of points in the ten Editions of our upcoming Tournaments:

1000 Points = A Cash Prize of Rs 1 lac + a Laptop.

900 Points = A Cash Prize of Rs 50,000 + a Laptop.

800 Points = A Cash Prize of Rs 25,000 + a Laptop.

700 Points = A Cash Prize of Rs 10,000 + a Laptop.

600 Points = A Laptop

500 Points = A Tablet.

100 Points can be redeemed as a free entry to any of our Monthly Chess Tournaments before December 2019.

The Points Standings will be updated on our website www.icachess.com

Open Category details:

The Open Category will be divided into groups of 32 Players each. Each group will have a prize fund of Rs 20,000/-. The division will be based on the rating of the players. The highest rated players will be slotted into Group A. If Group B (or the last group) has 20 or lesser players, then there will be a total of 5 prizes awarded. Players can request to be put into the stronger group.

Submission of Entries

Entry Fees can be paid on <http://paychessentry.com>

Round Schedule

All age Categories including Open starts at 9 am. The rest of the round Schedule for the Event will be published prior to Round 1 at the Tournament venue.

Open Category Prize fund

1st Place	Rs 3,500
2nd Place	Rs 3,000
3rd Place	Rs 2,500
4th Place	Rs 2,000
5th Place	Rs 2,000
6th Place	Rs 2,000
7th Place	Rs 1,500
8th Place	Rs 1,500
9th Place	Rs 1,000
10th Place	Rs 1,000

Eligibility criteria for Age Categories

Under 7	Born in 2011 or later
Under 9	Born in 2009 or later
Under 11	Born in 2007 or later
Under 16	Born in 2002 or later

Chess Sets will be provided to Under 9, U11, U16 and Open Categories. Under 7 Category players have to bring their own Chess Sets. Chess Clocks will be kept on all tables at the start of the Round.

Prize Money transfer

All Open Category Players are required to either provide their UPI ID or their Bank Account details for an online transfer of the prize money.

Directions to the Tournament Venue

Kumar Nursery,
New Bank Colony,
Off Kanakapura Road
Konanakunte, Bangalore – 560 062

Silicon City Academy of Secondary Education is located around 15 Kms from Majestic Bus Stop/ Bangalore City Railway Station. From these places Bus No. 215 J, 215 U, 215 N can be boarded from Platform No. 12 (Bus Station). Name of the bus stop to get down is Soudhamini Bus Stop. School is located just 100 metres. from Soudhamini Bus stop. For other directions, please visit www.icachess.com

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