

Karnataka State Women Chess Championship 2016: Manasa K bags title

Manasa K of Mangalore won the Karnataka State Women Chess Championship with a score of 7 points out of maximum 9 rounds. She was tied with 3 others for the top place but due to better tie-break score Manasa was declared as the champion. The event was organized by Mandya Chess Academy under the auspices of UKCA from 13th to 15th May 2016 at Gandhi Bhavan, Mandya.

Runner-up place was clinched by WCM Isha Sharma of Puttur, while Manasa H R from Mysore & Ananya Suresh secured 3rd & 4th places respectively.

68 players from all over Karnataka took participate in this championship out of them 27 were International (FIDE) rated players. Manasa K of Dakshina Kannada was the top seed with an elo of 1916, followed by Shruthi K of Shimoga (elo 1907) & Ananya Suresh (1902 elo pts of Kodagu).

Before the final round Ananya Suresh & Shruthi were in joint lead with 6.5 points, but Ananya went on to draw with Iyengar Sharanya in the last round to push herself to 4th position while Shruthi lost the top board to Isha Sharma. Manasa K won against Kruthi G & Manasa H R defeated Mahima Sherigar in the final round.



9th Round Results:

Bo.	Name	Rtg	Dist	Pts	Res.	Pts	Name	Rtg	Dist
1	Isha Sharma	1883	DK	6	1 - 0	6½	Shruthi K.	1907	SMG
2	Iyengar Sharanya	1488	BLR	6	½ - ½	6½	Ananya Suresh	1902	KDG
3	Kruti G	1197	BLR	6	0 - 1	6	Manasa K.	1916	DK
4	Mahima Sherigar	1373	UDP	6	0 - 1	6	Manasa H R	1669	MYS
5	Nisha N. Patkar	1686	SMG	5½	1 - 0	5½	Shefali A N	1111	MDY
6	Dhanyashree P	1026	HSN	5½	0 - 1	5½	Shalon Joanne Pais	1679	DK
7	Meghana S	1022	MDY	5½	1 - 0	5	Madhuri N	1554	MDY
8	Prasiddhi Bhat	1019	MYS	5	0 - 1	5	Supraja Mahadevaswamy	1266	MYS
9	Ananya Arumbakkam	1231	BLR	5	1 - 0	5	Anamika Menon C T	0	MYS
10	Hemadri Sathish	0	MYS	5	0 - 1	5	Bhagyashree G Patil	1188	BLR

Main Prizes:

Top 10:-

Rank		Name	Rtg	Club	Type	Pts	Res.	Vict	BH.	BH.	SB
1		Manasa K.	1916	DK		7	0	6	51	55½	42.75
2	WCM	Isha Sharma	1883	DK		7	0	6	50	55	41.50
3		Manasa H R	1669	MYS		7	0	6	46½	49½	35.75
4	WCM	Ananya Suresh	1902	KDG		7	0	5	52½	55	41.50
5		Shalon Joanne Pais	1679	DK		6½	0	6	50	54	36.50
6		Nisha N. Patkar	1686	SMG		6½	0	6	47	51	34.25
7		Meghana S	1022	MDY	F12	6½	0	6	40	43	27.75
8		Shruthi K.	1907	SMG		6½	0	5	51	54½	37.00
9	WCM	Iyengar Sharanya	1488	BLR	F15	6½	0	5	48½	51½	34.25
10		Mahima Sherigar	1373	UDP		6	0	6	48	52	31.50

Category Prizes:-

Under 15:-

1	Kruti G	1197	BLR	6	0	5	42½	45	27.50
2	Supraja Mahadevaswamy	1266	MYS	6	0	4	44	48	28.75

Under 12:-

1	Bhagyashree G Patil	1188	BLR	6	0	6	45	49½	29.50
2	Ananya Arumbakkam	1231	BLR	6	0	5	44	47	29.00

Under 09:-

1	WCM	Shefali A N	1111	MDY	5½	0	5	39½	41	21.25
2		Valety Swetha	1033	BLR	5	0	5	38	41	20.50

Under 06:-

1	Tanishka Jain	MDY	3	0	3	28½	30½	7.00
2	Deeksha K	MYS	3	0	2	29	30½	6.50

Best Mandya Player (Above 15):-

Madhuri N

Pooja Khicha C

Best Mandya Player (Under 15):-

Sneha Haridas

Best Mandya Player (Under 12):-

Pranitha S R

Best Mandya Player (Under 09):-

Yashaswi S Kiran

Best Mandya Player (Under 06):-

Yadvithi M H