

# OPEN & AGE CATEGORY CHESS TOURNAMENTS

Organised by  
Erin Foundation

Co-organised by  
Black Knight Chess Center  
(BKCC)

In Association with  
William D. Pichamuthu  
Inclusive Chess Committee

KSCA Event Code- KSCA/G115/2425

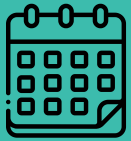


**Rs 69000 Cash Prize & 115 trophies**



**Venue:**

**Dr M.H.Mari Gowda Hall, Double Road Gate, Lalbagh Botanical Garden**



**29th and 30th March 2025  
(Saturday & Sunday)**



**Reporting time- 8.30 AM  
Inauguration Ceremony- 9 AM**

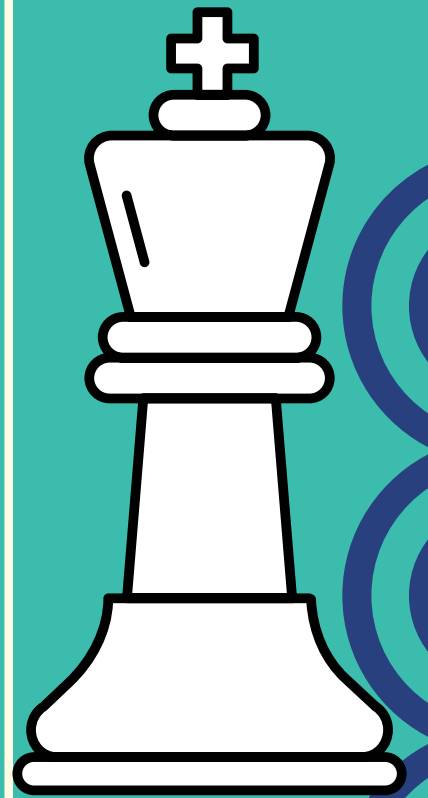


**Time Control: 30 mins + 30 secs  
increment for each move**

**Total Rounds: 7**

**Categories: Open, age category (U08, U10, U12 and U16) & Veterans (above 55)**

**Chief Arbiter: FA Shripad K V**



## ENTRY FEE:

**OPEN GROUP RS 750**

**AGE CATEGORY - RS 650(GOVERNMENT & AIDED SCHOOL CHILDREN - RS 250)**

**ENTRY CLOSING ON 27TH MARCH 3PM**

**KSCA Registration is compulsory for all the  
Karnataka State players**



**Contact for queries:**

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**Click/Scan for registration**

# SCHEDULE

29th March	
8.30 AM	Reporting
9 AM	Players Meet
9:30 AM	Round 1
11:30 AM	Round 2
2 PM	Round 3
4:30 PM	Round 4

30th March	
12.00 PM	Round 5
2:30 PM	Round 6
4:30PM	Round 7
6:30 PM	Prize Distribution



## Tournament Committee-

### Patrons-

**Mr Arvind Sastry**

**Mr David Pichamuthu**

**Mr Shashidhar Kote**

### Members-

**Prasanna Pichamuthu**

**Shivanna K**

**Suresh Babu M.H**

**Upendra K**

**Somnath K**

**Shashidhar B. Rai**

**Srihari S**

**Parthasarathy A.G**

**Shripad C Hegde**

**Siddaraju L. G.**

**Partha S. Satapathy**

**V. Varralakshmi**

**Sunil Gomes**

**K.Sai Prakash**

# CASH PRIZE & TROPHIES LIST

## Open Category

Rank	Prizes
1	10000+Trophy
2	7000+Trophy
3	5500+Trophy
4	4000+Trophy
5	3000+Trophy
6	2800+Trophy
7	2500+Trophy
8	2500+Trophy
9	2000+Trophy
10	1500+Trophy
11	1400
12	1400
13	1300
14	1300
15	1200
16	1200
17	1100
18	1100
19	1000
20	1000
21	900
22	900
23	900
24	900
25	900

## Best Veteran(Above 55)

### \* Open Category

Rank	Prizes
1	2000+Trophy
2	1500+Trophy
3	1000+Trophy
4 & 5	Trophy

## Best Women

### \* Open Category

Rank	Prizes
1	2000+Trophy
2	1500+Trophy
3	1000+Trophy
4 & 5	Trophy

## Specially Abled(Open)

Rank	Prizes
1	1500+Trophy
2	1200+Trophy
3	Trophy

**Youngest Boy & Girl  
Trophy**

**Age Category  
Trophies for Top 10 Boys & Girls  
in Each Category**

**Best School (Boys & Girls)  
1 Trophy for each Age  
Category  
(Sum of the scores of top  
two players from a  
school)**

**"Every chess master was once a  
beginner."  
– Irving Chernev**

# **TOURNAMENT REGULATIONS**

- Entry fee is Non-Refundable and Non-Transferable
- Classical Time format: 30 mins + 30 secs, 7 Rounds, Swiss System
- Matches will be within their respective categories
- Latest System of play: The latest FIDE rules in force shall apply and the SWISS system will be followed
- Tie Break- Buchholz tie Break system will be applied. In case of tie, prizes will not be shared
- Default time is 15 mins. Players reaching post-default time for any round will forfeit points for that round.
- Organizers/ Chief Arbiter can ask for proof of category to players. Please bring relevant documents.
- Organizers have the exclusive right to disqualify any player at any stage of the tournament
- Protests if any against decision of the Chief Arbiter shall be made in writing with a protest fee of Rupees 500 within 10 Minutes of the occurrence of the incident to the Appeal's Committee. The protest fee will be refunded if the appeal is upheld.
- Withdrawals: A player can withdraw at any stage of the event after informing the Chief Arbiter in writing
- Appeals Committee: Three members Appeals Committee shall be formed. No member of the Committee can vote or dispute in which a player himself is involved and in such cases, the reserves can take his place in the Committee
- Players qualified for more than one prize will be considered only for one higher prize
- Spot entries are not entertained to ensure round starts on time. Entry closes on 27th March 3pm.
- Personal chess sets and clocks are not allowed
- Chess sets and clocks will be provided to all players
- Players will forfeit the prize if he/she is not present during prize distribution
- E-certificate will be issued to all players
- Water will be provided. Please bring your own water bottles