



1st

The NEST School
International
FIDE RATED
RAPID CHESS
TOURNAMENT



TOTAL PRIZE MONEY
₹ 2,00,000/-
★ ★ ★

ORGANISED BY TEN TEN CHESS ACADEMY

ENTRY FEE
₹1000/-
Free Entry For - GMs,IMs,WGMs,WIMs





FIDE
RATED
RAPID EVENT



OPEN FOR ALL
PLAYERS



10 Min + 5 Sec
Per Move

1 st	₹ 25,000+	
2 nd	₹ 15,000+	
3 rd	₹ 12,000+	



Up to
12 Oct 2026
**EARLY BIRD
OFFER**



TOURNAMENT DATE
01st November 2026
Sunday



Venue
Meenakshi Sundararajan
Engineering College, Kodambakkam
MSC Hall (Fully Air-Conditioned Playing Hall)
363G+RHC, 363, Arcot Road, Puliur 1st Main Rd, Subedar Colony,
Kodambakkam, Chennai, TN 600024

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

DATE	ROUND	TIME	ROUND	TIME	9.00am Players Meeting & Reporting Time Prize Distribution 06.30pm
 01 NOV 2026 Sunday	1st Round	09.30am	6th Round	02.30pm	
	2nd Round	10.30am	7th Round	03.30pm	
	3rd Round	11.30am	8th Round	04.30pm	
	4th Round	12.30pm	9th Round	05.30pm	
	5th Round	01.30pm	Prize Distribution	06.30pm	



Mr. Amarnath SJ
+91 8438 22 1095
Tournament Director

Organised By
TEN TEN CHESS ACADEMY
 msecofficial_chennai24  ten_ten_chess_academy



Mr. Varun T
+91 95 000 44 703



Ms. Mohana (For Hindi)
+91 95 000 44 703

RULES & REGULATIONS



System Of play

The Latest FIDE Rules in force shall apply and the Swiss system will be followed.



Mode of Tournament

Total 9 rounds shall be played.



Time Control

10 minutes each + 05 seconds increment per move from move no.1



Default time

Default time 10Minutes from the start of the game. Players who arrive at their boards after the default time shall lose their game.



Tie break

Buchholz tie-break system will be applied. In case of tie, prizes will not be shared.



AICF player registration

AICF player registration - AICF player registration is compulsory for Indian players. AICF Player Registration fee is Rs. 300/- for the year 2026-2027. As per latest AICF regulation dated 31.07.2017, it is informed that from 01st September, 2017 all AICF registrations will be accepted only through online. Players / Arbiters registration should be done well before the start of event (Tournament). New entrants to the field of chess are informed that AICF players registration is mandatory and it should be done well before participating in any tournament. For renewing AICF registration of existing players, please click <http://aicf.in/players/>
For fresh AICF registration please click <http://aicf.in/online-player-registration/> For fresh AICF registration, players are requested to keep their scanned passport size photograph and birth certificate and a valid email address (unique) not used by any other person/ player for AICF, ready before the registration process.
Note: Only passport size (less than 1MB) photographs in jpeg format should be uploaded.



TNSCA Player Registration

TNSCA Player Registration TNSCA player registration is compulsory for all Tamil Nadu players. TNSCA Player Registration fee is Rs.150/- for the year 2026-2027. Players / Arbiters registration should be done well before the start of event (Tournament). New entrants to the field of chess are informed that TNSCA players registration is mandatory and it should be done well before participating in any tournament. For renewing TNSCA player registration of existing players, please click <https://registration.tamilchess.com/>
For fresh TNSCA registration please click <https://registration.tamilchess.com/new-register/>
For fresh TNSCA registration, players are requested to keep their scanned passport size photograph and birth certificate and a valid email address ready before the registration process.
Note: Only passport size (less than 1 MB) photographs in jpeg format should be uploaded.



Chennai District Player Registration

Chennai DCA Registration fee is Rs.75/- for the year 2026 – 2027 (for Chennai district players only)



Protests

Protests if any, against the decision of the Chief Arbiter shall be made in writing with protest fee of Rs.1000/- within 15 minutes of the occurrence of the incident to the appeals committee. The protest fee will be refunded if the appeal is upheld.



Appeals Committee

Before the commencement of the Tournament, appeals committee will be formed from the senior participants present at the players meeting. The appeals committee decisions will be final and binding on all players concerned.



Withdrawals A player may withdraw at any stage of the event, after informing the chief arbiter in writing



Last Date Entries close at 6.00 P.M on 30-10-2026 | NO SPOT ENTRY



Rights of admission

The AICF/ TNSCA/ CDCA/ Ten Ten Chess Academy reserve the rights of admission to the venue.



Chief arbiter IA Kanimozhi S



Wrist watches

As per AICF regulations the wrist watches are restricted inside the playing hall in all FIDE Rated events. Players are instructed not to wear any kind of wrist watches while playing.



Accommodation - Players have to make their own accommodation



For further interpretations of the rule(s), and deciding any aspect not covered by the said tournament prospectus, the decision of the Tournament Director shall be final and binding on all the participants. The Tournament Director has every right to make any addition/deletion/amendment to these rules. However, such changes shall be displayed on the notice board with the prior approval from AICF & TNSCA.



Prizes Winner of any prize should collect it at the venue only, during the Prize Distribution Function, Otherwise, Prize will be forfeited. No Substitute or third person will be permitted to collect the prize. Concern player must receive their own prize.



Certificates - E-Certificates Will be provided to all participants



Eligibility - Players are eligible to claim a prize only in the higher category.



Institutional Leadership

Dr. S.V. Saravanan, Principal, Meenakshi Sundararajan Engineering College

Mr. Richard Hillebrand, Director, The NEST School

Mr. Shanmugam Paramasivam, Head of School, The NEST School



Organizing Committee

Ten Ten Chess Academy

Mr. SR. Janakiraman, President

Mr. S.J. Amarnath, Secretary, Tournament Director

Mrs. KS. Gomathy, Joint Secretary

Mrs. R. Viji, Treasurer



Department of Physical Education

Mr. Sivabaskaran V, Department of Physical Education, Meenakshi Sundararajan Engineering College

Mr. Vijay B, Department of Physical Education, Meenakshi Sundararajan Engineering College

Mr. Prabu Kumar V, Head of Sports, The NEST School

Mr. Abilash J, Physical Education Facilitator, The NEST School



Advisory Committee

Mr. M. A. Velayudham, Secretary, CDCA

Mr. K. Krishnamoorthy, Secretary, CGDCA



Age Category Eligibility(Boys & Girls)

Under 07 Those who born on or after 01-Jan-2019

Under 09 Those who born on or after 01-Jan-2017

Under 11 Those who born on or after 01-Jan-2015

Under 13 Those who born on or after 01-Jan-2013

Under 15 Those who born on or after 01-Jan-2011

Age Category Prizes

Separate Trophies for Boys & Girls

Under - 07, 09, 11, 13, 15

1st Trophy

2nd Trophy

3rd Trophy

4th, 5th Trophy

6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th } Medal



Youngest Player
1 Trophy

Combined Prize For

Chengalpattu District Players

Under - 07, 09, 11, 13, 15

1st Trophy

2nd Trophy

3rd Medal

4th Medal

5th Medal

Combined Prize For

Chennai District Players

Under - 07, 09, 11, 13, 15

1st Trophy

2nd Trophy

3rd Medal

4th Medal

5th Medal



Payment Details

Entries should be sent on or before 30.10.2026 (6.00 p.m.) along with a Demand Draft (DD) drawn in favour of "Ten Ten Chess Academy", payable at Adambakkam, Chennai.

OR

BY NEFT / BANK DEPOSIT TO THE FOLLOWING ACCOUNT:



Name: Ten Ten Chess Academy



Bank Name: State Bank of India



Branch: Chennai: Adambakkam



Account No: 41479300639



IFSC Code: SBIN0060342

ENTRY FEE CAN BE PAID THROUGH

www.easypaychess.com

www.chessentry.com

www.chessfee.com

www.signinchess.com

www.bookmyfee.com

www.circlechess.com

www.chessmii.com



Players who have paid through bank transfer or online payment must WhatsApp or email the scanned copy of the bank receipt / challan to +91 84382 21095. Email - tentenchessacademy@gmail.com



**TEN TEN
CHESS ACADEMY**

tentenchessacademy@gmail.com
www.tentenchess.com



FOR FURTHER DETAILS CONTACT

Mr. Amarnath SJ - +91 8438221095

Mr. Varun - +91 9500044703

Ms. Kanimozhi (Chief arbiter) - +91 96000 11319

Ms. Mohana - +91 73388 07250 (For Hindi)

Mr. Ramanan - +91 80151 37226



Canteen Facilities available



Bike parking available



Car parking available



Hotel Bookings
Umesh - +91 8870340946



PRIZE STRUCTURE



OPEN	UNRATED	1400 to 1499	1501 to 1600	1601 to 1700	1701 to 1800	1801 to 1900
1st ₹ 25,000+ Trophy & Medal	1st ₹ 3,000+ Trophy	1st ₹ 3,000+ Trophy	1st ₹ 3,000+ Trophy	1st ₹ 3,000+ Trophy	1st ₹ 3,000+ Trophy	1st ₹ 3,000+ Trophy
2nd ₹ 15,000+ Trophy & Medal	2nd ₹ 2,000	2nd ₹ 2,000	2nd ₹ 2,000	2nd ₹ 2,000	2nd ₹ 2,000	2nd ₹ 2,000
3rd ₹ 12,000+ Trophy & Medal	3rd ₹ 1,500	3rd ₹ 1,500	3rd ₹ 1,500	3rd ₹ 1,500	3rd ₹ 1,500	3rd ₹ 1,500
4th ₹ 8,000	4th ₹ 1,300	4th ₹ 1,300	4th ₹ 1,300	4th ₹ 1,300	4th ₹ 1,300	4th ₹ 1,300
5th ₹ 6,000	5th ₹ 1,200	5th ₹ 1,200	5th ₹ 1,200	5th ₹ 1,200	5th ₹ 1,200	5th ₹ 1,200
6th ₹ 5,200	6th ₹ 1,000	6th ₹ 1,000	6th ₹ 1,000	6th ₹ 1,000	6th ₹ 1,000	6th ₹ 1,000
7th ₹ 4,200	7th ₹ 1,000	7th ₹ 1,000	7th ₹ 1,000	7th ₹ 1,000	7th ₹ 1,000	7th ₹ 1,000
8th ₹ 3,000	8th ₹ 1,000	8th ₹ 1,000	8th ₹ 1,000	8th ₹ 1,000	8th ₹ 1,000	8th ₹ 1,000
9th ₹ 2,750	9th ₹ 1,000	9th ₹ 1,000	9th ₹ 1,000	9th ₹ 1,000	9th ₹ 1,000	9th ₹ 1,000
10th ₹ 2,500	10th ₹ 1,000	10th ₹ 1,000	10th ₹ 1,000	10th ₹ 1,000	10th ₹ 1,000	10th ₹ 1,000
11th ₹ 2,250						
12th ₹ 2,000						
13th ₹ 1,750						
14th ₹ 1,600						
15th ₹ 1,500						
16th ₹ 1,500						
17th ₹ 1,500						
18th ₹ 1,500						
19th ₹ 1,500						
20th ₹ 1,500						
21st ₹ 1,250						
22nd ₹ 1,250						
23rd ₹ 1,250						
24th ₹ 1,250						
25th ₹ 1,250						
26th ₹ 1,000						
27th ₹ 1,000						
28th ₹ 1,000						
29th ₹ 1,000						
30th ₹ 1,000						

★ Best Veteran 55 +

1st ₹ 1,250 + Medal

2nd ₹ 1,000 + Medal

3rd Medal

BEST VETERAN

“

Every Game
Is a New
Challenge,
Every Move
a New
Opportunity

Tournament Updates

SCAN TO FOLLOW OUR
WHATSAPP CHANNEL

★ Best Women 18 +

1st ₹ 1,250 + Medal

2nd ₹ 1,000 + Medal

3rd Medal

BEST WOMEN



363, Arcot Rd, Subedar Colony,
Kodambakkam, Chennai,
TN 600024



MEENAKSHI SUNDARARAJAN ENGINEERING COLLEGE
363G+RHC, 363, ARCOT ROAD, PULIYUR 1ST MAIN RD,
SUBEDAR COLONY, KODAMBAKKAM,
CHENNAI, TN 600024

