



1st Tirupattur Open Rapid FIDE Rating Chess Tournament-2023

(AICF Event Code: 305696/TN(R)/2022 & TNSCA Approval No: RFR-16/TPT/22-23)

Organized by:

Tirupattur District Chess Association

Date: 19-02-2023, Sunday (One day only)

Venue: Sri Amrita Hr. Sec. School, Tirupattur, Tamilnadu.

Total Cash Prizes: Rs. 2,00,000/- (Rupees Two Lakhs)

Main Prizes: (All Trophies 16")

Rating Slab Prizes (3 Prizes Each)

0-1100, 1101-1200, 1201-1300, 1301-1400, 1401-1500, 1501-1600, 1601-1700, 1701-1800, 1801-1900, 1901-2000, 2001-2100

1st	Rs.15,000/- + Trophy	11th	Rs.1,600/- + Trophy
2nd	Rs.13,000/- + Trophy	12th	Rs.1,600/- + Trophy
3rd	Rs.11,000/- + Trophy	13th	Rs.1,600/- + Trophy
4th	Rs.9,000/- + Trophy	14th	Rs.1,600/- + Trophy
5th	Rs.7,500/- + Trophy	15th	Rs.1,600/- + Trophy
6th	Rs.6,000/- + Trophy	16th	Rs.1,600/- + Trophy
7th	Rs.5,000/- + Trophy	17th	Rs.1,600/- + Trophy
8th	Rs.3,500/- + Trophy	18th	Rs.1,600/- + Trophy
9th	Rs.2,500/- + Trophy	19th	Rs.1,600/- + Trophy
10th	Rs.2,000/- + Trophy	20th	Rs.1,600/- + Trophy

1st	Rs.1,500/- + Trophy
2nd	Rs.1,300/- + Trophy
3rd	Rs.1,100/- + Trophy

Physically Challenged (All Disabilities)

1st	Rs.2,500/- + Trophy
2nd	Rs.2,000/- + Trophy
3rd	Rs.1,500/- + Trophy

Category Prizes (Age as on 01.01.2023)

Best Veteran (55+)

Under 07: Boys 5 + Girls 5		Under 08: Boys 5 + Girls 5	
Under 09: Boys 5 + Girls 5		Under 10: Boys 5 + Girls 5	
Under 11: Boys 5 + Girls 5		Under 12: Boys 5 + Girls 5	
Under 13: Boys 5 + Girls 5		Under 14: Boys 5 + Girls 5	
1st	Rs.1,000/- + Trophy	1st	Rs.1,000/- + Trophy
2nd	Rs.1,000/- + Trophy	2nd	Rs.1,000/- + Trophy
3rd	Rs.1,000/- + Trophy	3rd	Rs.1,000/- + Trophy
4th	Trophy	4th	Trophy
5th	Trophy	5th	Trophy

1st	Rs.1,500/- + Trophy
2nd	Rs.1,250/- + Trophy
3rd	Rs.1,000/- + Trophy

Best Tirupattur (Boy - 1)

1st	Rs.1,000/- + Trophy
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Best Tirupattur (Girl - 1)

1st	Rs.1,000/- + Trophy
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Youngest (Boy - 1, Girl - 1)

1st	Rs.1,000/- + Trophy
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Participation Certificates will be given to ALL PLAYERS.

Tournament Reporting Time: 08:00 A.M. Rounds: 09 (Nine)

Entry Fees:

(For all type of Players)

Rs. 1,000/- each

(Rupees One thousand only)

No request towards waiver of entry fee will be entertained.

Last date of entry:

16-02-2023; 05:00 P.M.

Schedule

19-02-2023	Sunday	08:30 A.M.	Inauguration
19-02-2023	Sunday	09:00 A.M.	Round 1
19-02-2023	Sunday	10:00 A.M.	Round 2
19-02-2023	Sunday	11:00 A.M.	Round 3
19-02-2023	Sunday	12:00 P.M.	Round 4
19-02-2023	Sunday	01:30 P.M.	Round 5
19-02-2023	Sunday	02:20 P.M.	Round 6
19-02-2023	Sunday	03:30 P.M.	Round 7
19-02-2023	Sunday	04:30 P.M.	Round 8
19-02-2023	Sunday	05:30 P.M.	Round 9
19-02-2023	Sunday	07:00 P.M.	PD Ceremony

Time Control: 15 minutes each + 5 seconds increment per move from move no.1

Players can pay entry fees directly through the official website of Tirupattur District Chess Association

<https://tptchess.com/>

Players can also pay entry fees through the following websites

<https://www.signinchess.com/>

<https://www.chessfee.com/>

<https://www.easypaychess.com/>

PAID ENTRIES only from the above portals will be accepted.

Entries through SMS, WhatsApp, E-mail or Fund Transfer will NOT AT ALL be accepted

**Chief Arbiter:
Prof. Rathinam Anantharam,
International Arbiter**



Tournament Organising Committee Contact Details

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*Please **AVOID PHONE CALLS**. Contact only through Email & WhatsApp chat.*

Tirupattur District Chess Association respects **PRIVACY** of Players. Hence, in order to avoid exposing contact numbers of players, we will share **Important Tournament Updates** through **WhatsApp Broadcast Message**. You would receive the updates only if the official mobile number of Tirupattur District Chess Association **+919488824711** is saved in your mobile. Hence, Please **SAVE** the number.

Rules and 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	15 minutes each + 5 seconds increment per move from move number 1
Tie break	1) Buchholz Cut 1, 2) Buchholz, 3) Sonneborn- Berger, 4) Direct Encounter, 5) Greater number of wins including forfeit games, 6) Number of wins with black pieces. In case of tie, prizes will not be shared.
AICF Player Registration	AICF registration is compulsory for Indian players. AICF Player Registration fee is Rs. 250/- for the year 2022-2023. 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. 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.

Protests	Protests if any, against the decision of the Chief Arbiter shall be made in writing with protest fee of Rs.500/- 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 5.00 P.M on 16.02.2023
Rights of admission	The AICF / TNSCA / Tirupattur DCA reserve the rights of admission to the venue.
Chief Arbiter	Mr. Rathinam Anantharam, <i>International Arbiter.</i>
Wrist watches	AICF has banned the wrist watches while playing in FIDE Rated events. Players are instructed not to wear wrist watches while playing. Players may keep the mobile phones in switch off mode and kept in a separate bag, which shall not be taken outside during the games. Players violating this rule and also who wear watches during the game will be declared lost. Electronic devices are not allowed inside the tournament hall.
Covid Protocol	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. All players are required to adhere the Covid Protocol issued by Government of India/Government of Tamil Nadu at the time of tournament, as much as possible. 2. Any symptomatic players will be removed from the tournament as a precaution. All players are obliged to obey this rule and no protest can be made against this decision of organizing committee on this. 3. Players are obliged to undergo random RT PCR/Antigen Test conducted by the organizing committee. 4. All the players should be compulsorily vaccinated before the tournament. 5. All officials and arbiters will be fully vaccinated. 6. Sanitization of chess board and chess pieces will be carried out at regular intervals. 7. Parents and accompanying persons are not allowed inside the tournament hall at all times. 8. Due to any unforeseen scenario, if the event needs to be cancelled, then Tirupattur DCA's obligation is limited to refunding the entry fee paid by the players. 9. By enrolling for the events, the players abide by all the terms and conditions of the tournament for participation.
Accommodation	No Accommodation will be provided.

TIRUPATTUR DISTRICT CHESS ASSOCIATION

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Email : tptdtchess@gmail.com, info@tptchess.com

Facebook : <https://www.facebook.com/tirupatturchess/>

Venue : <https://goo.gl/maps/v6mHALEV55bt3P2Z6>

Nearest Transport Available from the Venue:

[Tirupattur Bus Stand](#) : 3.2 kms

[Tirupattur Railway Station](#) : 2.3 kms

[Jolarpet Railway Station](#) : 11 kms

Important Notice:

- **Venue will be opened on 19-02-2023, Sunday @ 6 AM only. Hence players are requested to plan accordingly.**
- **Canteen facility is available inside the campus. Zomato food delivery is also available in the city.**
- **Prize Distribution will be started after 30 minutes of completion of last round. Prizes and Certificates will not be given in advance.**
- **Players are requested to book their return tickets after 09.30 pm.**



**ALL ARE
WELCOME**