



# 28th SRI NARAYANA GURU TROPHY

## Open & Age Category Rapid Chess Tournament-2026



Organised By

**SRI NARAYANA GURU**

**SCHOOL OF CHESS, KAPU, UDUPI**

Managed by

Sri Narayana Guru Sports & Education Trust, Kapu

In Association with

**Udupi District Chess Association ® Udupi**

In Cooperation with

**Sri Hale Mariyamamma Temple, Kapu**

KSCA Event Code: KSCA/G155/2526 | UDCA Event Code: 25006/UDP/2025

**Venue : Sri Hale Mariyamamma Sabha Graha, Kapu**

Date

**Sunday, 04-01-2026**

**@8.30 am**

Time Control

**15 Min. + 05 Sec. Increment**

Total Prize Fund (Cash Prize)

**Rs. 25,500/-**

Total Prizes

**115**

**Entry Fee:**

**OPEN:**

**Rs.700/-**

**Age Category:**

**Rs.600/-**

**Entry Fee can be paid at**

**[www.chessfee.com](http://www.chessfee.com)**

**Last Date for Registration : 31-12-2025**

**Chief Arbiter :**

**Mr. Sakshath U K, Fide Arbiter**

**\* KSCA Registration mandatory for all Karnataka Players**

## Top 15 Prizes in Open Category

I	Rs. 5000/- + 
II	Rs. 4000/- + 
III	Rs. 3000/- + 
IV	Rs. 2000/-
V	Rs. 1500/-
VI	Rs. 900/-
VII	Rs. 900/-
VIII	Rs. 900/-

IX	Rs. 900/-
X	Rs. 900/-
XI	Rs. 800/-
XII	Rs. 800/-
XIII	Rs. 800/-
XIV	Rs. 800/-
XV	Rs. 800/-

## Age Category Prizes (U-7, U-9, U-11, U-13, U-17)

Top 10 - Trophies for Boys  
Top 7 - Trophies for Girls  
in Each Category

**Best Youngest Player  
Boy & Girl :  
Trophy Only**

All participants of  
**Under 7** will receive  
a **Token of Appreciation**

**Best Veteran Player**  
I Prize : Rs. 750/- + Trophy  
II - V Prizes : Trophy only

**Best Female Player**  
I Prize : Rs. 750/- + Trophy  
II - V Prizes : Trophy only

**Best School**  
I - III Prizes : Trophy only

**Inauguration @ 9 AM**  
**First Round Starts @ 10.30 AM**  
**Prize Distribution @ 5.30 PM**

## RULES & REGULATIONS

- \* The Tournament will be conducted as per latest Fide Law & Swiss system.
- \* Time Control will be 15min+05sec.
- \* Number of rounds will be decided in the player's meeting, depending upon entries
- \* Chief Arbiter & Organizer decision is final.
- \* Date of Birth proof is mandatory.
- \* Player should be present in Prize Distribution function.
- \* Entry Fees non- refundable nor transferable.
- \* Late Entry Fee will be accepted till 9pm on 03 January 2026.

**Late Fee:**  
from 01 Jan. 2026

**OPEN:**  
**Rs.800/-**

**Age Category:**  
**Rs.700/-**

**FREE BREAKFAST, LUNCH and SNACKS**  
will be provided for all the players and accompanying Person

## FEW PHOTOGRAPHS OF SRI NARAYANA GURU SCHOOL OF CHESS TOURNAMENTS



**Welcome You All**

**Mr. Umanatha K**

President, UDCA &  
SNG Sports and Education Trust, Kapu

**Mr. Sakshath U K**

Founder & Coach  
SNGSC Kapu, Udupi

**Mrs. Soundarya U K**

Director & Coach  
SNGSC Kapu, Udupi

**Mr. Prasad Shenoy**

Managing Trustee  
Sri Hale Mariyamma Temple, Kapu

**Dr. Rajagopal Shenoy**

Hon. President, UDCA

**Mr. Lakshminarayan Acharya**

Tournament Advisor in Chief

**Parents and Students**

Sri Narayana Guru School of Chess Kapu-Udupi

**For More Details Contact:**

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# ABOUT SRI NARAYANA GURU SCHOOL OF CHESS KAPU, UDUPI

Sri Umanatha Kapu is the President of SNGSC and also President of Udupi District Chess Association. Mr. Sakshath U K and Mrs. Soundarya U K, Fide Arbiters and Chess Coach are the Founder and Director of SNGSC.

SNGSC has conducted lot of District, Inter District, State Championship and All India Fide Rating Tournaments successfully. The conducted tournaments are well known for punctuality and systematic organization which are very well appraised by players and their parents.

A grand tournament was conducted in a phenomenal way on Tornelo with over 333 players during Covid Pandemic period over 12 Arbiters Supervised the tournament with the best Anti cheating measures.

Recently in June 2024 All India Open Fide Rated Rapid Chess Tournament was conducted at Kapu which is remembered as historic till today by the chess players, their parents and chess lovers.

Many chess players especially the talented students of Udupi District have been benefitted by this tournament and have improved their game skills. These players have emerged as the best chess players of Udupi District by securing Fide rating and also prizes at State and National level.

## TEAM OF ARBITER

Mrs. Soundarya U K, FA  
Mr. Nayana Kumar, SNA

Mr. Babu J Poojary, SNA  
Mr. Vidwath N Karanth, SNA

## TOURNAMENT ADVISOR

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