



# DARKLIGHT CHESS ACADEMY

## 1st State level Chess Tournament

TNSCA Approval No.: CO-229/CBE/25-266

Under the aegis of Coimbatore District Chess Association

Organised by: **DARK LIGHT CHESS ACADEMY**



**08 FEBRUARY** **9.30 AM**

**ENTRY FEE  
RS. 400/-**

### CATEGORIES :

**UNDER 8, 11, 14 & OPEN**

Venue

Nehru College of Aeronautics and Applied Sciences, Kuniyamuthur, Coimbatore



**CONTACT US**

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Mr. T. Nisar Ahamed

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**Total :**

**140 Prizes +  
Rs. 30,000/-  
(30 Cash  
Prize Prizes)**

**Chief Arbiter**

**Sri. V. Vijayaraghavan IA**



# Prize Details



Place	Category (Structure)
1st Prize	⌚ Smart Watch + 🏆 Trophy
2nd Prize	🏆 Trophy
3rd Prize	🏆 Trophy
4th – 10th	🏆 Trophies
11th – 15th	🏆 Trophies
All Participants	📜 Participation Certificate + Medal

## Category Prizes



Boys



Girls

Under - 08

15 trophies + 10 Medals

10 trophies + 5 Medals

Under - 11

15 trophies + 10 Medals

10 trophies + 5 Medals

Under - 14

15 trophies + 10 Medals

10 trophies + 5 Medals

## Coimbatore District Players

Under - 08 , 11 & 14

Boys

Girls

5 trophies

3 Trophies



Top 3 Academies with the most number of entries will be honored with special trophies as a token of appreciation for their outstanding support and participation.

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# Cash Prize

Cash Prizes (for OPEN)

Rs. 25000/-

Place	Amount
1	6000+ 
2	4000
3	3000
4	2000

Place	Amount
5	1500
6	1200
7	1000
8	800

Place	Amount
9 to 12	700
13 to 18	500
19 to 25	400
Total	30,000

## VETERAN PRIZES



1200

1000

800

## SPECIALLY-ABLED PRIZES

1200

1000

## Rules & Regulations

- The tournament is open to Tamil Nadu Players only.
- The latest FIDE rules in force shall apply and the SWISS system will be followed.
- Time Control: 15 Min. + 5 Sec increment per move from move no.1.
- Default Time 15 Min.
- The first round will commence at **09.30 AM on 08-02-2026**. The number of rounds and the round-wise schedule will be announced at the tournament venue.
- Players are requested to bring the own international chess sets and chess clock if any.
- Tie-break: Buchholz cut1, Buchholz, Sonneborn Berger, Direct encounter. Number of wins (including forfeit points),
- The Chief Arbiter's decision shall be final and binding on all players concerned.
- Age proof certificate must be produced for age category prizes.
- Strictly NO Spot Entries.
- Entries close at 06.00P.M on **06-02-2026**. No entry will be entertained after 6 P.M on **06-02-2026**
- In case of tie, Prizes will not be shared
- Participation certificate will be awarded to all participants.
- Prizes and Certificates will not be given in advance.

### TNSCA player registration

- TNSCA player registration is compulsory for all Tamil Nadu players. TNSCA Player Registration fee is Rs.150/- for the year 2025 – 2026. Players / Arbiters registration should be done well before the start of event (Tournament). New entrants to the field of chess are informed that TNSCA player's 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..

- CDCA Reg. fee is Rs.75/- for the year 2025 – 2026 is compulsory for all Coimbatore district players only)
- The TNSCA / Coimbatore DCA / Dark Light Chess Academy reserve the rights of admission to the venue.
- Age limit:

**Under-08 – Born on or after 01-01-2018. Under-10 – Born on or after 01-01-2016.**

**Under-13 – Born on or after 01-01-2013.**



### Tournament committee:

Prof Rathinam Anantharam, Vice President TNSCA,  
Mr. K. Dhanasekar FI FA, Secretary, CDCA  
Dr. S. Ramesh, Joint Secretary, TNSCA  
Sri. N. Arun, B.Tech., M.B.A(UK), Jt. Secretary, TNSCA  
Mr. V. Vijayaraghavan IA, Vice President, TNSCA  
Dr. A. Murali Dharan, Director Nehru Groups

WITH BEST WISHES FROM OFFICE BEARERS,  
AFFILIATED CLUBS & ACADEMIES of  
COIMBATORE DISTRICT CHESS ASSOCIATION

### Payment Method

**SIGNINCHESS.COM, EASYPAYCHES ,CHESSFEE.COM  
HTTPS://WWW.CDCACHESS.COM (FOR COIMBATORE PLAYERS)  
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### Organizing committee:

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### **SPECIAL THANKS TO THE:**

**Dr. A. Murali Dharan, Director  
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## ***Nehru College of Aeronautics and Applied Sciences Coimbatore***



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