



DKCA event code: 2025/DKCA/1610

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# SDM RCC ROTI-LAWYERS INTERNATIONAL FIDE RATED CHESS CUP IS BACK!!!

Experience 2 days of chess in the scenic town of Belthangady!

## RAPID CUP

10 rounds | Time Control: 10min + 5 sec

## BLITZ CUP

13 rounds | Time Control: 3min + 2 sec

Total Cash Prize

**RS. 2,50,000**

Date: 31<sup>st</sup> Jan & 1<sup>st</sup> Feb 2026

**TOTAL PRIZES: 187**

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Under the aegis of



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AICF event code: 450235/KA(R)/2026

DATE: 31<sup>ST</sup> JAN & 1<sup>ST</sup> FEB 2026

10 rounds | Time Control: 10min + 5 sec

Venue: SDM Kala Bhavana, Samaja Mandir Rd,  
Belthangady, Karnataka 574214

Reporting time: 9.30am

Total Prize Fund

**RS. 1,50,000**

Scan for registration:



Entry fee: Rs. 750  
Before Dec 29th

[chessfee](#)



[circlechess](#)

[easypaychess](#)

# MAIN PRIZES

Rating Category  
Unrated, 1550, 1700, 1850

1. ₹ 35000



2. ₹ 20000



3. ₹ 15000



4. ₹ 10000

5. ₹ 7000

6. ₹ 5000

7. ₹ 4500

8. ₹ 4000

9. ₹ 3500

10. ₹ 3000

11<sup>th</sup> - 15<sup>th</sup>  
₹ 2500

16<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup>  
₹ 2000

BEST D.K PLAYER



₹1000

BEST FEMALE (17+)



₹1500

Best Veteran (60+)



₹2000

Best Academy  
Award



1. ₹ 1600



2. ₹ 1400

3. ₹ 1000



TROPHIES FOR 1<sup>ST</sup> - 7<sup>TH</sup>  
FOR ALL AGE  
CATEGORIES U7, U9, U11,  
U13 AND U16 BOYS AND  
GIRLS SEPARATE



Best youngest boy & girl  
will be awarded trophies



Note: 1. Cash prizes will not be shared. In case of tie, the latest FIDE  
rules will be applied.

2. One player will be given the higher prize only.

## **RAPID TOURNAMENT RULES AND REGULATIONS:**

- System of Play : The Tournament will be played under FIDE's Laws of Chess and the Swiss system. A total of 10 rounds shall be played.
- Time Control : The rate of play shall be 10 minutes with an increment of 5 seconds per move from move number one
- Appeals Committee : Before the commencement of the tournament, a five member appeals committee shall be formed.
- Protest, if any, shall be made in writing with a protest fee of Rs. 1000/- within 15 minutes of the occurrence of the incident. The protest fee will be refunded if the appeal is upheld.
- The Chief Arbiter's decision on all matters related to play shall be final and binding.
- Electronic Devices: All electronic items including wrist watches (all type of watches) are not allowed in the tournament hall.
- Latest FIDE tie-break rules will be used.
- Prizes will not be shared, one player is eligible for one higher prize only.
- Registration to this event is an automatic consent given by the player for recording or capturing his/her games or pictures during the round.
- No refunds will be processed in case of cancellation of entry.
- The organisers have the right to reject any entry without assigning a reason.
- The organisers reserve the right to modify the tournament schedule (round timings, pairing announcements, etc.) in case of unforeseen circumstances.
- Misconduct or indecent behaviour towards arbiters, players, or officials will lead to immediate expulsion without refund and blacklisted from future events.
- Participants and accompanying persons are not required to buy food or beverages from the organisers and may bring their own if they wish.
- The organisers' decisions regarding facilities and general arrangements shall be final and binding.

Wall of Fame:

<https://raoschesscorner.com/index.php/wall-of-fame/>



## REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Entry Fees: Rs. 750

(Late entry fees Rs. 1000 after December 29<sup>th</sup> and Rs. 1200 after January 19<sup>th</sup>)

Entries will be collected only through the following platforms:



[chessfee](#)



[circlechess](#)

[easy paychess](#)

Free entry for GMs, IMs, WGMs, WIMs

Do note that Rao's Chess Corner will NOT be taking any entries directly.

AICF and KSCA registration for 2025-26 is mandatory for eligible players.

	DAY 1:	DAY 2:
1.	10:00	9:30
2.	10:45	10:15
3.	11:30	
4.	12:15	
5.	13:00	PD.
6.	14:30	17:00
7.	15:15	
8.	16:00	

Free lunch will be provided to all players and participants by local sponsors

# SDM RCC ROTO-LAWYERS INTERNATIONAL FIDE RATED BLITZ CHESS CUP

UNDER THE AEGIS OF



DKCA event code: 2025/DKCA/1710

KSCA event code: KSCA/GI48/2526

AICF event code: 450236/KA(B)/2026

Date: 1<sup>st</sup> February 2026

13 ROUNDS | TIME CONTROL: 3MIN + 2 SEC

Venue: SDM Kala Bhavana, Samaja Mandir

Rd, Belthangady, Karnataka 574214

FIRST ROUND STARTS AT 11.30AM

TOTAL PRIZE FUND

Rs. 1,00,000

SCAN FOR REGISTRATION:

ENTRY FEE: RS. 500  
BEFORE DEC 29TH



CHESSFEE



CIRCLECHESS

EASYPAYCHESS

## MAIN PRIZES

1. ₹ 25000



2. ₹ 15000



3. ₹ 10000



4. ₹ 8000

5. ₹ 7000

6. ₹ 5000

7. ₹ 4000

8. ₹ 3000

9. ₹ 2000

10. ₹ 1500

## RATING CATEGORY

UNRATED, 1550, 1700, 1850

1.

₹ 1600



2.

₹ 1400

3.

₹ 1000



TROPHIES FOR 1<sup>ST</sup> - 5<sup>TH</sup> FOR  
ALL AGE CATEGORIES U7, U9,  
U11, U13 AND U16 BOYS AND  
GIRLS SEPARATE



Best Veteran (60+)



2000



BEST FEMALE (17+)



1500



BEST YOUNGEST BOY & GIRL  
WILL BE GIVEN TROPHIES



NOTE: 1. CASH PRIZES WILL NOT BE SHARED. IN CASE OF  
TIE, THE LATEST FIDE RULES WILL BE APPLIED.  
2. ONE PLAYER WILL BE GIVEN THE HIGHER PRIZE ONLY.

## **BLITZ TOURNAMENT RULES AND REGULATIONS:**

- 1. System of Play :** The Tournament will be played under FIDE's Laws of Chess and the Swiss system. A total of 13 rounds shall be played.
- 2. Time Control :** The rate of play shall be 3 minutes with an increment of 2 seconds per move from move number one
- 3. Appeals Committee :** Before the commencement of the tournament, a five member appeals committee shall be formed.
- 4. Protest, if any, shall be made in writing with a protest fee of Rs. 1000/- within 15 minutes of the occurrence of the incident. The protest fee will be refunded if the appeal is upheld.**
- 5. The Chief Arbiter's decision on all matters related to play shall be final and binding.**
- 6. Electronic Devices:** All electronic items including wrist watches (all type of watches) are not allowed in the tournament hall.
- 7. Latest FIDE tie-break rules will be used.**
- 8. Prizes will not be shared, one player is eligible for one higher prize only.**
- 9. Registration to this event is an automatic consent given by the player for recording or capturing his/her games or pictures during the round.**
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## **CONTACT AND REGISTRATION INFORMATION**

**Entry Fees: Rs. 500**

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and Rs. 900 after January 19<sup>th</sup>)

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through the following platforms:



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1<sup>ST</sup> ROUND AT 11.15AM  
PRIZE DISTRIBUTION AT 5PM

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## CONTACT INFORMATION

Rao's Chess Corner Customer Care:  
Whatsapp: 8197859289

Chief Arbiter:  
FA Sakshath U K  
WhatsApp: 8748029018

Organizers:  
SDM Society

Rao's Chess Corner  
Rotary Club, Belthagady  
Bar Assosiation, Blethangady

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### **REGARDING THE VENUE**

The venue is situated in the Thaluk head quarters in Belthangady, Dakshina Kannada District, Karnataka about 15 K.Ms from Dharmasthala a famous pilgrimage centre. In order to reach the venue one can commute through state owned buses from Mangalore. There are plenty of buses plying from Mangalore towards Dharmasthala, Kadur, Chickmagalore. The venue is situated at a distance of about 59 K.Ms from Mangalore. Mangalore is the district head quarters which is connected to other parts of our country through air as well as through railways.

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## THE SCENIC/ PILGRIMAGE PLACES SITUATED NEAR THE VENUE

1. Shree Kshetra Dharmasthala: The holy shrine of Lord Manjunatha is situated in Shri Kshetra Dharmasthala which is situated at a distance of about 12kms from the venue. This place is also abode of lord Bahubali whose giant monolith sculpture in granite stone can be cherished amongst other scenic places situated here.
2. Jamalabad Fort: This fort is situated at a distance of about 7kms from the venue. the fort was built by the famous king of Mysore Tippu Sultan in 18<sup>th</sup> century. This fort is situated atop a big hillrock named Jamalagada ( locally known as Gadai Kallu)
3. Kukke Subrahmanya Temple: The famous “Naga” shrine of Kukke Subrahmanya is situated at a distance of about 60kms from the venue. This holy shrine is nestled at the foothills of Kumara Parvatha beside the bank of river Kumaradhara.
4. Udupi Shri Krishna Temple: The holy shrine of Lord Krishna is situated in a place called Udupi at a distance of about 65kms from the venue. The shrine is famous as it is established and anointed by the famous Yathi of our country “His holiness Madhwacharya”
5. Thousand pillar temple, Moodabidri: This world famous monument is situated at a distance of about 30kms from the venue.

Hotels in and near Belthangady		Phone Numbers
1	<u><a href="#">Soumya Residency</a></u>	<b>+91 94496 39159</b>
2	<u><a href="#">Hotel Rays</a></u>	<b>+91 63669 51126</b>
3	<u><a href="#">Vel view</a></u>	<b>+91 82966 00774</b>
4	<u><a href="#">Sri ram residency</a></u>	<b>+91 88613 58177</b>
5	<u><a href="#">Arva residency</a></u>	<b>+91 80885 82168</b>

Hotels in and near Belthangady		Phone Numbers
6	<u><a href="#">Palguni Lodge</a></u>	<b>+91 99022 54870</b>
7	<u><a href="#">Hotel Panchami</a></u>	<b>+91 82562 37688</b>
8	<u><a href="#">Supreme Lodge</a></u>	<b>+91 98457 71610</b>
9	<u><a href="#">MSS Lodge</a></u>	<b>+91 82562 37245</b>
10	<u><a href="#">Aripaddy Mutt Lodge</a></u>	<b>+91 78920 52156</b>
11	<u><a href="#">Balaji Comforde</a></u>	<b>+91 99453 75259</b>

