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Maharaja Institutions

17th TN State Under-25 FIDE Rated Chess Championship for the ANNAPRAGADA Trophy and

14th TN State Under-25 Women FIDE Rated Chess Championship for the NIVARTHI Trophy (TNSCA Approval No: S10/15-16)

(AICF Approval No. : 116230 / 116231 / TN / 2015)

Organised by: Coimbatore District Chess Association

at

Maharaja College Campus, Arasur, Coimbatore

From 15th July to 19th July 2015

Cash Prizes

Under 25 : Rs. 22,000/-

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th
Rs. 5000/-	Rs. 4000/-	Rs. 3000/-	Rs. 2000/-	Rs. 1000/-	Rs. 900/-
7th	8th	9th	10th	11th to 15th	16th to 20th
Rs. 800/-	Rs. 700/-	Rs. 600/-	Rs. 500/-	Rs. 400/- each	Rs. 300/- each

Women Under 25: Rs. 12,500/-

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th to 15th
Rs. 3000	Rs. 2000	Rs. 1500	Rs. 1000	Rs. 800	Rs. 700	Rs. 600	Rs. 500	Rs. 500	Rs. 400	Rs. 300 each

The Best Game Award: The TENNETI VENUGOPAL RAO ROLLING TROPHY along with a Cash Prize of **Rs. 500/-** will be awarded to the best game of the tournament.

Special Prizes : 5 Prizes for Boys & 3 Prizes for Girls in Under 9, 12 & 15 categories

Championship Schedule

Wednesday	15 th July	Managers' Meeting	9.00 A.M	
	15 th July	Round 1	10.00 A.M	- 2.00 P.M
		Round 2	3.30 P.M	- 7.30 P.M
Thursday	16 th July	Round 3	9.00 A.M	- 1.00 P.M
		Round 4	2.30 P.M	- 6.30 P.M
Friday	17 th July	Round 5	9.00 A.M	- 1.00 P.M
		Round 6	2.30 P.M	- 6.30 P.M
Saturday	18 th July	Round 7	9.00 A.M	- 1.00 P.M
		Round 8	2.30 P.M	- 6.30 P.M
Sunday	19 th July	Round 9	9.00 A.M	- 1.00 P.M
		Prize Distribution	3.30 P.M	

**** Please note that only players who take part in this State Championship will be permitted to represent Tamil Nadu as selected / special entries in the forth coming National Youth (U-25) Chess Championship for Boys and Girls. Hence Participation in this State Championship is COMPULSORY.**

Note to District Chess Associations: Hence advise all your U-25 players to take part in this State Championship.

Last date for receipt of entries: 11th July 2015 Strictly Entries will not be accepted after the last date(11th July 2015)

Rules and Regulations:

Age Eligibility	Those born on or after 1.1.1990 are eligible to participate. Age proof is required. Certificate should be from the Panchayat/Municipality or corporation obtained soon after birth. Players without the date of birth certificate will not be allowed to participate. As per the rules of AICF, only players whose dates of birth are registered within one year of their birth are permitted to take part in respective age group state/nationals. Other country passport holders shall not be allowed to participate in the State Chess Championship.
Lodging:	Free dormitory type of lodging will be provided to seeded/selected players plus one team manager (nominated by the District Chess Association) from 15 th July to 19 th July 2015 and those who want to avail the lodging are requested to intimate the organizer on or before 8 th July 2015. Please bring your own beddings. All special entries and accompanying persons have to arrange accommodation of their own.
Registration of Players with AICF:	All the participants of 17 th TN State Under-25 and 14 th TN State U-25 Girls Chess Championship must be registered players of All India Chess Federation. Those who are already registered with AICF must produce proof thereof. The AICF registration fee for the year 2015-2016 is Rs. 250/- . Entries without AICF registration fee will be rejected.
Registration of Participants with TNSCA:	Participants at all TN State Championships are required to register themselves with TNSCA by paying Rs. 100/- as registration fee for the year 2015-2016, the players have to submit their Date of Birth Certificate copy and one passport size photo along with the duly signed 'TN players' Registration Form.
Zero Tolerance:	The "Zero Tolerance" rules will be followed. i.e: "Any player who arrives at the chess board after the start of the session shall lose the game. Thus the default time is Zero minutes".
Rules:	FIDE rules in force shall apply.
System of play:	The Tournament shall be conducted on a Nine rounds Swiss System.
Time Control:	90 minutes each plus 30 seconds increment from the move one.
Tie-break	Buchholz tie-break rules will be applied. In case of tie, prizes will not be shared.
Chess Clocks:	Each Association is requested to provide at least two chess clocks for every four players.
Appeals Committee:	An Appeals Committee comprising of five members plus two reserves will be formed at the managers meeting. All the members and reserves shall be from different districts. No member of committee can vote on dispute in which a player from his own district/states is involved and in such case(s), the reserve member takes his place. The decision of the appeals committee is final and binding on all players concerned.
Tournament Committee:	The tournament committee consisting of the General Secretary, TNSCA or his representative, and representative from another district to be nominated by the TNSCA shall decide on all emergency matters.
Protest:	Protest, if any against the decision of the Chief arbiter shall be made in writing with a protest fee of Rs.300/- within 15 minutes of the incident. The decisions of the appeals committee shall be final and binding on all concerned. The protest fee is refundable one if the protest is upheld.
Withdrawals:	A player may withdraw from the tournament at any stage after informing the Chief Arbiter in writing.
Arrears:	The players belonging to Districts which are in arrears to TNSCA will not be allowed to take part. The first round pairing will not be delayed to solve the problem of arrears.
Rights of Admission:	The AICF/ TNSCA /organizer Coimbatore DCA / reserve the right to admit / reject any entry without assigning any reason thereof. The AICF/ TNSCA/ organizer Coimbatore DCA reserve the rights of admission to the venue and lodging place.
Silence in the Tournament Hall	Strict silence must be observed in the Tournament Hall. Players who have finished their games shall not remain in the tournament hall. Players shall not analyze the game in the tournament hall.
Age Limit:	Complaints against suspected over-aged players could be made with a fee of Rs.1000/- to the organizers before the end of the second round who shall medically verify the players concerned. Only the Manager deputed by participating district chess association can lodge such complaints.

Instruction to the District Chess Associations:	As per the rules of AICF, only players whose dates of birth are registered within one year of their birth are permitted to take part in respective age group nationals. Hence, district associations are hereby directed to forward the names of players whose birth registrations have been done within a year of their births for this TN State U-25 Championship. Wherever discrepancies exist, the matter may be taken up with AICF through TNSCA. This will avoid the inconvenience caused to such players when they appear in National U-25 Championship.
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Entry Fee: Open: Ordinary : Rs. 700/- Special : Rs. 1000/-
Women: Ordinary : Rs.600/- Special : Rs. 800/-

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Subject to Age Limit the following are eligible to play:

1	Only Indian National are eligible to participate.
2	Two players in each category from the affiliated District Chess Assn / Special Units.
3	The top four from 2014 TN State U-25 Open & Girls Chess Championships can take part in respective categories subject to age stipulation. Open: 1. Pranav Vijay (Che), 2. A S J Akil (Mdu), 3. Bavankumar (Che), 4. C Sai Vishwesh (Che) Girls: 1.WFM J Saranya (Che) 2. P. Bala Kannamma (Che), 3. R Divyalakshmi (Che), 4. R Bhuvaneshwari (Trichy)
4	The top four from 2014 TN State FIDE Rated Chess Championship held at Chennai and the top four from TN State FIDE Rated Women Chess Championship in respective categories. Men: 1. P Saravana Krishnan (Kan), 2. B Kumaran (Che), 3.M Dusthageer Ibrahim (Mdu) Women: 1.WFM Srija Seshadri (NLC), 2. V Varshini (Che), 3. R Divyalakshmi (Che), 4. S Harini (Che),
5	The top four from 2014 TN State Junior Boys & Girls Chess Championships can take part in respective categories. Boys: 1.Gireman Ja (Cbe), 2. S Yogit (Che), 3.A Ra Harikrishna (Che), 4. S Prasannaa (Kan), Girls: 1. V Varshini (Che), 2. WFM Srija Seshadri (NLC), 3. R Divyalakshmi (Che), 4. Y Saranya (Tvlr),
6	The winners from 2014 TN State Under-17 Boys & Girls Chess Championships can take part in respective categories. Boys: 1. M.Vaisnav (Tpr), Girls: 1. WFM Srija Seshadri (NLC),
7	The top two rankers from 2014 TN state U-19 & U-25 Girls can opt to play in open category.
8	Any player who has qualified to represent India in World /Asian Chess Championship. Subject to age stipulation
9	Any player who remits the prescribed special entry fee: Open: Rs. 1000/-, Girls: Rs.800/-.
10	TNSCA General Secretary can nominate one entry in each category.
11	Two players in each category approved by TNSCA will be permitted from areas where no district association exists.
12	The host Coimbatore DCA is eligible to field one additional entry in each category.
13	In the event of an odd entry Coimbatore DCA is entitled to add one more player in each category to take the total number even.
15	In addition to the above, the following districts are eligible to field additional entries by virtue of their players' finishing in the top four in the previous TN State U-25 Chess Championships held in 2014 at Chennai. Open: Chennai-3; Madurai-1, Girls: Chennai-3; Trichy-1;
16	All GMs, WGMs, IMs & WIMs are eligible to play as seeded subject to age limit.

E-Mail id: All unrated players without fide id and playing in a rating tournament for the first time, must compulsorily furnish their e-mail id during registration. Otherwise, their entry will be rejected.

Note: While sending the entries, District Chess Associations should certify that the players have been selected from the selection / District Chess Championship. If such a certificate is not sent, all their entries will be treated as special entries.

**Entries should be sent by Demand Draft/ Cheque favoring "Coimbatore District Chess Association" payable at Coimbatore to "Coimbatore District Chess Association, 17/2, Mariammal Koil Street, Peelamedu Pudur, Coimbatore -641004. E-mail: cdcachess@gmail.com
Ph: V. Vijayaraghavan 94881 66077.**

1. Account Name :	The Coimbatore District Chess Association
2. Bank	Indian Bank, Pappanaickenpalayam Branch
3. Branch:	Pb No.6313, 1087-b, Avinashi Road, ,Cbe-37
4. Account No:	470910025
5. Account Type:	Saving A/c
6. IFS Code:	IDIB000P018

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| 1. N Sakthivel | - Physical Director, MIT | - 98946 09203 |
| 2. A Pushpavathy | - Physical Director, MASC | - 99940 15681 |
| 3. M Arulmurugan | - MIT | - 96591 82128 |
| 4. I Sasikumar | - MASC | - 87603 77439 |
| 5. Tamilarasi | - Hostel Warden | - 98422 51990 |
| 6. K Krishnakumar | - EC Member | - 88076 71575 |
| 7. V Maruthasalamoorthy | - EC Member CDCA | - 93608 13130 |
| 8. M Vinodh Kumar | - Jt Secretary, CDCA | - 98844 03988 |

PREVIOUS WINNERS

TN STATE UNDER 25 MEN				TN STATE UNDER 25 WOMEN			
01	1994	Chromepet	B.T. Murali Krishnan	01	2002	Thirunindravur	M.R. Sangeetha
02	1997	Madurai	R.B. Ramesh	02	2003	Chennai	H .Nilavoli
03	2000	Chennai	G. Dinesh Kumar	03	2004	Chennai	J.E. Kavitha
04	2002	Thirunindravur	Syed Anwar Shahzuli	04	2005	Chennai	P. Sivasankari
05	2003	Chennai	C.J. Arvind	05	2006	Chennai	S. Harini
06	2004	Chennai	Ram S. Krishnan	06	2007	Chennai	P. Sivasankari
07	2005	Chennai	S.P. Sethuraman	07	2008	Chennai	R. Preethi
08	2006	Chennai	S.P. Sethuraman	08	2009	Chennai	P. Michelle Catherina
09	2007	Chennai	R.R. Laxman	09	2010	Chennai	P.K. Jayashree
10	2008	Chennai	P. Shyam Nikhil	10	2011	Chennai	Pon N Krithika
11	2009	Chennai	G. Akash	11	2012	Chennai	V. Shvetha
12	2010	Chennai	G. Akash	12	2013	Chennai	P. Bala Kannamma
13	2011	Chennai	P. Saravanakrishnan	13	2014	Chennai	J. Saranya
14	2012	Chennai	M. Dusthageer Ibrahim	14	2015	Coimbatore	???
15	2013	Chennai	V. Haribalu				
16	2014	Chennai	Pranav Vijay				
17	2015	Coimbatore	???				

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ENTRY FORM

Name of the Player :

FIDE ID :

FIDE Rating :

AICF Registration No : (2015-16) : Paid at

TNSCA Registration No: (2015-16) : Paid at

Date of Birth :

Address :
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Mobile No :

Email ID :

Fee Details :

 Entry Fee : Normal / Donor

 AICF Registration Fee :

 TNSCA Registration Fee :

 Late Fee :

 Total :

By Cash / By Draft / By Cheque

Cheque / Draft No. Dated: Drawn on:

Date:

Signature of the Player