



11TH CHANDIGARH CHESS ACADEMY OPEN & CHILDREN PRIZE MONEY CHESS FESTIVAL 2024

(On 20th and 21st January 2024)

Organised by

CHANDIGARH CHESS ACADEMY

(<https://chandigarhchess.com>)

Venue Partner



(<https://www.learningpaths.in/>)

30
PRIZES
TO BE
WON

TOTAL PRIZE FUND RS. 51,000/-

VENUE

Air-conditioned Hall

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Plot No 3, NH 5, Behind Nipper, Sector 67, Mohali, Punjab 160062



PRIZES					
OPEN CATEGORY			U-13 OPEN CATEGORY		
1 st Prize	₹ 4,100.00	Trophy	1 st Prize	₹ 4,100.00	Trophy
2 nd Prize	₹ 3,100.00	Trophy	2 nd Prize	₹ 3,100.00	Trophy
3 rd Prize	₹ 2,100.00	Trophy	3 rd Prize	₹ 2,100.00	Trophy
4 th Prize	₹ 1,500.00	Trophy	4 th Prize	₹ 1,500.00	Trophy
5 th Prize	₹ 1,000.00	Trophy	5 th Prize	₹ 1,000.00	Trophy
6 th Prize	₹ 1,000.00	Trophy	6 th Prize	₹ 1,000.00	Trophy
7 th Prize	₹ 1,000.00	Trophy	7 th Prize	₹ 1,000.00	Trophy
8 th Prize	₹ 1,000.00	Trophy	8 th Prize	₹ 1,000.00	Trophy
CATEGORY PRIZES					
Best Women	₹ 1,200.00	Trophy	Best U-13 Girl	₹ 1,200.00	Trophy

U-09 OPEN		
1 st Prize	₹ 4,100.00	Trophy
2 nd Prize	₹ 3,100.00	Trophy
3 rd Prize	₹ 2,100.00	Trophy
4 th Prize	₹ 1,500.00	Trophy
5 th Prize	₹ 1,000.00	Trophy
6 th Prize	₹ 1,000.00	Trophy
7 th Prize	₹ 1,000.00	Trophy
8 th Prize	₹ 1,000.00	Trophy
CATEGORY PRIZES		
1 st Best U-09 Girl	₹ 1,200.00	Trophy
UNDER 7 CATEGORY PRIZES		
1 st Best Under 7 Boy	₹ 1100.00	Trophy
2 nd Best Under 7 Boy	₹ 1000.00	Trophy
Best Under 7 Girl	₹ 1000.00	Trophy



ENTRY FEE

Rs. 1000/- (pay online through www.chandigarhchess.com)

The entry fee should be sent along with a self-attested copy of the original date of birth certificate to the following email: nbansal99@yahoo.com

ENTRY LAST DATE

17th January 2024,
With a late fee of Rs. 200/- up to 18th January 2024
(No spot entry will be entertained)

ELIGIBILITY

Open to all States

AGE LIMIT

For Open Anyone can participate.
For Under-13 Born on and After 1-1-2011.
For Under-09 Born on and After 1-1-2015.

TENTATIVE TIMINGS

Reporting Time (20/01/2024) Day 1	09:00 AM
Opening Ceremony (20/01/2024) Day 1	09:45 AM
1 st Round (20/01/2024) Day 1	10:00 - 12:00 PM
2 nd Round (20/01/2024) Day 1	12:15 - 02:15 PM
Lunch Time	02:15 - 03:00 PM
3 rd Round (20/01/2024) Day 1	03:00 - 05:00 PM
4 th Round (21/01/2024) Day 2	09:00 - 11:00 AM
5 th Round (21/01/2024) Day 2	11:15 - 01:15 PM
Lunch Time	01:15 - 02:00 PM
6 th Round (21/01/2024) Day 2	02:00 - 04:00 PM
Closing Ceremony (21/01/2024) Day 2	04:30 PM

GENERAL

1. The reporting time is **09.00 AM on 20 January 2024**.
2. All participants will be given certificates.
3. One player will be given one Prize only.
4. The organising committee reserves its right to accept/reject any entry received after the due date.
5. Mere entry submission does not confirm a participant's eligibility.
6. Prize Money will not be shared on the same points.
7. **Entry, once paid, is non-refundable.**
8. **Outstation players have to arrange their own accommodation.**
9. **Parents are requested to bring the Date of Birth proof certificate of their wards.**

Important: *The player must mention his correct Fide ID and Fide rating. If any of the information is found to be incorrect; organisers have the right to penalise or disqualify the player and no appeal against it will be entertained.*

RULES & REGULATIONS

1. The tournament will be played under the Swiss System.
2. The total number of rounds will be 6.
3. Time control will be of 45 Min + 15 Sec Increment.
4. Walk-over time will be 15 Min.
5. If a player is absent in any round without informing, his withdrawal from the tournament will be assumed automatically.
6. **TIE-BREAK:**

Following is the order of tie-break:
 - a) Buchholz Cut 1
 - b) Buchholz
 - c) Sonneborn Berger
 - d) Direct encounter
 - e) The greater number of wins (forfeit included)
 - f) The greater number of wins by black
7. The organising committee reserves its right to change or alter the rules, if necessary, without prior intimation.
8. In all cases of disputes and/or Interpretation of the rules the decision of the organising committee will be final and binding on all players. Protest, if any, against the decision of the organising committee shall be made in writing with a protest fee of Rs. 1000/- within 15 Min of the occurrence of the incident. The amount shall be refunded if the appeal is upheld by the committee.
9. All participants are expected to maintain silence and discipline in Tournament Hall.
10. The organising committee can introduce the chess clock (A minimum of 10 minutes each will be given) at any stage of any game and no appeal against it will be entertained.
11. No friendly games or analysis of games is allowed inside the tournament hall.
13. International Chess Sets will be used.
14. Chess clocks on the top eight tables in each category will be provided by the organisers. Chess clocks on other tables may also be provided, if available. It is better if players bring their own chess clocks if they have one.

CONTACTS FOR MORE DETAILS

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