



16th DELHI INTERNATIONAL OPEN GRANDMASTERS CHESS TOURNAMENT

New Delhi, 09-16 January 2018

**Venue : Indira Gandhi Indoor Stadium, New Delhi
(INDIA)**

AICF EVENT CODE

154104/154105/154106/ DEL / 2017

Total Cash Prize Fund:

Rs. 77, 77, 777/-

Category:

A

Tournament Schedule

Arrival 8th January 2018 at 1200 hrs.

Rounds

09.1.2018	14.00 hrs.	Round 1
10.1.2018	09.30 hrs.	Round 2
10.1.2018	16.00 hrs.	Round 3
11.1.2018	10.00 hrs.	Round 4
12.1.2018	09.30 hrs.	Round 5
12.1.2018	16.00 hrs.	Round 6
13.1.2018	10.00 hrs.	Round 7
14.1.2018	10.00 hrs..	Round 8
15.1.2018	10.00 hrs.	Round 9
16.1.2018	10.00 hrs.	Round 10
16.1.2018	18.00 hrs.	PD Function

Prizes : Total Cash Prizes: Rs. 27,77,777/-

1st	Rs. 5,00,077/-	2nd	Rs. 4,00,077/-
3rd	Rs. 3,00,077/-	4th	Rs. 2,50,077/-
5th	Rs. 2,00,077/-	6th	Rs. 1,50,077/-
7 th	Rs. 1,00,077/-	8 th	Rs. 75,077/-
9 th	Rs. 60,077/-	10 th	Rs. 50,077/-
11 th	Rs. 40,007/-	12 th	Rs. 30,000/-
13 th to 15 th	Rs. 25,000/- each	16 th to 25 th	Rs. 20,000/- each
26 th to 30 th	Rs. 15,000/- each	31 st to 40 th	Rs. 10,000/- each

3 Best Female Player :- Rs. 15000, Rs. 12000 & Rs. 10000

3 Best 2399 Below Players :- Rs. 15000, Rs. 12000 & Rs. 8000

3 Best 2299 Below Players :- Rs. 15000, Rs. 12000 & Rs. 8000

3 Best 2199 Below Players :- Rs. 15000, Rs. 12000 & Rs. 8000

3 Best 2099 Below Players :- Rs. 15000, Rs. 12000 & Rs. 8000

3 Best Delhi Players :- Rs. 15000, Rs. 12000 & Rs. 8000

Indian Income Tax Act and Rules will be applicable

Please note that one player will be given one (higher) prize only.

Eligibility

Only Rated Players.

Entry Fee

For GMs, IMs, WGMs, WIMs :	Free
Rated above 2300	Rs. 6000/-
Rated above 2000-2299	Rs. 7000/-
Rated below 2000	Rs. 12,000/-

No request towards waiver of entry fee will be entertained.

The last date of entry: 25th Dec 2017
Entries with late fee of Rs. 500 upto 07th Jan 2018

Please note that this entry fee structure is valid only until 25th December 2017. Thereafter till 7th January 2018 the participants will have to pay Rs. 500/- extra. Entries will also be accepted at the venue till 20:00 Hrs. on 8th January 2018 with a late fee of Rs. 1,000/-. No request towards waiver of entry fee or waiver of late fee will be entertained.

Tournament Rules:

System of Play:

The tournament will be conducted as per FIDE Laws of Chess and FIDE Swiss System with 10 rounds.

Time Control :

90 Minutes plus 30 second increment from move 1 for entire game.

Tie Break:

In case of a tie, the latest FIDE Rules shall come in to effect.

The Cash prizes however will not be shared.

Accommodation:

All GMs will be provided free hotel* accommodation on double sharing basis.

All IMs/WGMs/WIMs/Players above 2200 rating will be provided free hotel accommodation on double sharing basis.

All other participants will be provided free accommodation on triple sharing basis/dormitory accommodation for entire duration of the event. (If a player require double sharing accommodation, Rs. 1000/- to be paid for entire duration of the tournament)

(For players 1999 & Below)

Tournament Schedule

Arrival 08th January 2018 at 1000 hrs.
Rounds 09th January 2018 to 12th January 2018

Rounds

09.1.2018	0930 hrs.	Round 1
09.1.2018	1400 hrs.	Round 2
09.1.2018	1730 hrs.	Round 3
10.1.2018	0930 hrs.	Round 4
10.1.2018	1330 hrs.	Round 5
10.1.2018	1730 hrs.	Round 6
11.1.2018	0930 hrs.	Round 7
11.1.2018	1330 hrs.	Round 8
11.1.2018	1730 hrs.	Round 9
12.1.2018	0900 hrs.	Round 10
12.1.2018	1300 hrs.	Prize Distribution Ceremony

Category:

B

Prizes : Total Cash Prizes: Rs. 25,00,000/-

1 st	Rs. 2,51,000/-	2 nd	Rs. 2,00,000/-
3 rd	Rs. 1,51,000/-	4 th	Rs. 1,00,000/-
5 th	Rs. 75,000/-	6 th	Rs. 60,000/-
7 th	Rs. 50,000/-	8 th	Rs. 40,000/-
9 th	Rs. 30,000/-	10 th to 30 th	Rs. 20,000/- each
31 st to 40 th	Rs. 15,000/- each	41 st to 75 th	Rs. 10,000/- each
76 th to 80 th	Rs. 8,000/- each	81 st to 100 th	Rs. 6000/- each

Best Unrated	: 1 st Rs. 12,000/-	2 nd Rs. 10000/-	3 rd Rs. 7000/-
Best Female	: 1 st Rs. 12000/-	2 nd Rs. 10000/-	3 rd Rs. 7000/-
Best Under-15	: 1 st Rs. 12000/-	2 nd Rs. 10000/-	3 rd Rs. 7000/-
Best Under-12	: 1 st Rs. 12000/-	2 nd Rs. 10000/-	3 rd Rs. 7000/-
Best Under-9	: 1 st Rs. 12000/-	2 nd Rs. 10000/-	3 rd Rs. 7000/-
Best Delhi Player	: 1 st Rs. 12000/-	2 nd Rs. 10000/-	3 rd Rs. 7000/-
Best Delhi Female	: 1 st Rs. 12000/-	2 nd Rs. 10000/-	3 rd Rs. 7000/-
Best Below Elo 1800	: 1 st Rs. 12000/-	2 nd Rs. 10000/-	3 rd Rs. 7000/-
Best Below Elo 1600	: 1 st Rs. 12000/-	2 nd Rs. 10000/-	3 rd Rs. 7000/-
Best Below Elo 1400	: 1 st Rs. 12000/-	2 nd Rs. 10000/-	3 rd Rs. 7000/-
Best Below Elo 1300	: 1 st Rs. 12000/-	2 nd Rs. 10000/-	3 rd Rs. 7000/-
Best Below Elo 1200	: 1 st Rs. 12000/-	2 nd Rs. 10000/-	3 rd Rs. 7000/-
Best Below Elo 1100	: 1 st Rs. 12000/-	2 nd Rs. 10000/-	3 rd Rs. 7000/-
Best Veteran (+60)	: 1 st Rs. 12000/-	2 nd Rs. 10000/-	3 rd Rs. 7000/-
Best NE and Andaman	: 1 st Rs. 12000/-	2 nd Rs. 10000/-	3 rd Rs. 7000/-
Best Armed Forces/Police	: 1 st Rs. 12000/-	2 nd Rs. 10000/-	3 rd Rs. 7000/-

Indian Income Tax Act and Rules will be applicable

Please note that one player will be given one (higher) prize only.

Eligibility

Players having the career FIDE rating of 1999 & below for the last three years are only allowed to participate in this event.

Entry Fee

All Players Rs. 5500/- (Including lodging for five nights on dormitory/triple sharing basis)

Entry for Delhi players Rs. 5000/- (No lodging will be provided)

(Note: - Those Players who are registered with Delhi State Chess Association on or before 30.11.2017 will be considered as Delhi Players)

No request towards waiver of entry fee will be entertained.

The last date of entry: 25th Dec 2017

Entries with late fee of Rs. 500 upto 07th Jan 2018

Please note that this entry fee structure is valid only until 25th December 2017. Thereafter till 7th January 2018 the participants will have to pay Rs. 500/- extra. Entries will also be accepted at the venue till 20:00 Hrs. on 8th January 2018 with a late fee of Rs. 1,000/-. No request towards waiver of entry fee or waiver of late fee will be entertained.

Tournament Rules:

System of Play:

The tournament will be conducted as per FIDE Laws of Chess and FIDE Swiss System with 10 rounds .

Time Control :

60 Minutes plus 30 second increment from move 1.

Tie Break:

In case of a tie, the latest FIDE Rules shall come in to effect.

The Cash prizes however will not be shared.

Accommodation:

Lodging will be provided for participants of this event for five nights on triple sharing/dormitory basis. (If a player require double sharing accommodation, Rs. 500/- to be paid for entire duration of the tournament)

(For Players 1599 & Below)

Tournament Schedule

Arrival 12th January 2018 at 1000 hrs.
Rounds 13th January 2018 to 16th January 2018

Rounds

13.1.2018	1300 hrs.	Round 1
13.1.2018	1730 hrs.	Round 2
14.1.2018	0930 hrs.	Round 3
14.1.2018	1330 hrs.	Round 4
14.1.2018	1730 hrs.	Round 5
15.1.2018	0930 hrs.	Round 6
15.1.2018	1330 hrs.	Round 7
15.1.2018	1730 hrs.	Round 8
16.1.2018	0900 hrs.	Round 9
16.1.2018	1300 hrs.	Round 10
16.1.2018	1800 hrs.	Prize Distribution Ceremony

Category:

C

Prizes : Total Cash Prizes: Rs. 25,00,000/-

1 st	Rs. 2,51,000/-	2 nd	Rs. 2,00,000/-
3 rd	Rs. 1,51,000/-	4 th	Rs. 1,00,000/-
5 th	Rs. 75,000/-	6 th	Rs. 60,000/-
7 th	Rs. 50,000/-	8 th	Rs. 40,000/-
9 th	Rs. 30,000/-	10 th to 30 th	Rs. 20,000/- each
31 st to 40 th	Rs. 15,000/- each	41 st to 75 th	Rs. 10,000/- each
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Best Female	: 1 st Rs. 12000/-	2 nd Rs. 10000/-	3 rd Rs. 7000/-
Best Under-15	: 1 st Rs. 12000/-	2 nd Rs. 10000/-	3 rd Rs. 7000/-
Best Under-11	: 1 st Rs. 12000/-	2 nd Rs. 10000/-	3 rd Rs. 7000/-
Best Under-9	: 1 st Rs. 12000/-	2 nd Rs. 10000/-	3 rd Rs. 7000/-
Best Under-7	: 1 st Rs. 12000/-	2 nd Rs. 10000/-	3 rd Rs. 7000/-
Best Delhi Player	: 1 st Rs. 12000/-	2 nd Rs. 10000/-	3 rd Rs. 7000/-
Best Delhi Female	: 1 st Rs. 12000/-	2 nd Rs. 10000/-	3 rd Rs. 7000/-
Best Below Elo 1500	: 1 st Rs. 12000/-	2 nd Rs. 10000/-	3 rd Rs. 7000/-
Best Below Elo 1400	: 1 st Rs. 12000/-	2 nd Rs. 10000/-	3 rd Rs. 7000/-
Best Below Elo 1300	: 1 st Rs. 12000/-	2 nd Rs. 10000/-	3 rd Rs. 7000/-
Best Below Elo 1200	: 1 st Rs. 12000/-	2 nd Rs. 10000/-	3 rd Rs. 7000/-
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Eligibility

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Entry Fee

Entry fee for all players : Rs. 5500/- (Including lodging for five nights on dormitory/triple sharing basis)

Maximum entry for Delhi players : Rs. 5000/-

(Note: - Those Players who are registered with Delhi State Chess Association on or before 30.11.2017 will be considered as Delhi Players)

No request towards waiver of entry fee will be entertained.

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GENERAL INFORMATION

Entry Registration

All the entries to be forwarded along with entry form and entry fee by DD (Delhi Cheques will also be accepted) favoring **Delhi Chess Association**, payable at **Delhi**. Address for sending the entries is the **Secretary, Delhi Chess Association, C/O Hotel KC PLAZA, 5588, Basant Lane, Pharganj, New Delhi-110055**.

Players can also pay the entry fee and submit the entries through Delhi Chess Association online payment portal available at www.delhichess.com

Players can also pay the entry fee directly to the following account through NEFT and forward the entry form along with transaction receipt. Please note that cash deposit in account will not be entertained.

Bank : CANARA BANK
Bank Account No : 2416101014661
Type of Acct : SB
Bank Address : HSS Kings way camp, Delhi INDIA (DP 2416)
Account NAME : Delhi Chess Association
IFSC Code : CNRB0002416
Swift Code : CNRBINBDFM

Discount

Players of all Categories will get Rs. 500 discount in entry fee, if they pay the entry fee before 30th November 2017.

Players of Category 'C' will get Rs. 1000 discount in entry fee, if they opt to play Category 'B' also. This discount is available only upto 30th November 2017.

A discount of 50% in entry fee will be granted to all Military/Para Military/Police Personnel and Veterans above the age of 60.

Entry Form

It is mandatory to forward the entry form in the given format for accepting the entries along with prescribed entry fee. The organizing Committee has the right to accept or reject any entry without assigning any reason.

AICF Registration:

All Indian players must be registered with AICF for the year 2017-18 before the registration deadline to participate in the tournament. All players are to forward proof of registration along with entry. Those who not registered with AICF, are to forward their duly filled AICF Registration form with fee need to be send along with tournament registration form.

Weather:

The Weather in Delhi during January is expected to be cold.
The minimum / maximum temperature will be around 10/25 Degree Celsius.

Reporting & Venue :

Players who require accommodation are to report at Hotel KC Plaza, 5588, Basant Lane, Paharganj, New Delhi (Opposite to New Delhi Railway Station and Near Karnail Singh Stadium) as per arrival schedule.

FOR ASSISTANCE PLEASE CONTACT :

IM Vishal Sareen (Foreign Players) delhiinternationalchess2014@gmail.com

The above mail is valid only to foreign players and title holders wishing to take part in the CATEGORY "A" tournament only. Other players please use the other mail id mentioned below.

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Mr. MS Gopakumar, IA (Technical Matters)	+91-9986883449
Mr. AK Verma (Organising Secretary)	+91-9891468906
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Web site: www.delhichess.com

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Entry Form

Name	:	
Fathers' Name	:	
Address	:	
DOB	:	
FIDE ID	:	
FIDE Rating	:	
Telephone no	:	
Mobile no	:	
Email id	:	
AICF Registration	:	Attach Proof of your registration or duly filled registration form along with fee.
Category of Tournament opted	:	A / B / C
Accommodation Requirement	:	
Payment Details	:	

Declaration

I declare that I didn't participated in any of unauthorized event listed by the All India Chess Federation.

Place:

Date:

Signature

Receipt

Received with thanks from Mr/Ms. _____ of _____ to participate in the 16th Delhi International Open Grandmasters Chess Tournament, New Delhi from 9th to 16th January, 2018.

Authorized Signatory