



**31th NATIONAL UNDER-13 BOYS & GIRLS
CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP-2017**

21st to 29 June 2017

**Organized by
JALANDHAR CHESS ASSOCIATION (Regd.)**



Affiliated to Punjab State Chess Association (Regd.)

**Under the aegis of
ALL INDIA CHESS FEDERATION**

AICF Event Code : 160895 / 160896 / PUN / 2017

:Venue:

**Cambridge International School for Girls, Urban Estate
Phase II, Jalandhar, Punjab 144002**



Web link: [http:// www.cisgirls](http://www.cisgirls)

1.TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

Arrival	WEDNESDAY	21 June 17	After 8:00 hrs
Managers Meetings	WEDNESDAY	21 June 17	12:00 hrs
Inauguration	WEDNESDAY	21 June 17	13:00 hrs
Round 1	WEDNESDAY	21 June 17	14:00 hrs
Round 2	THURSDAY	22 June 17	09:30 hrs
Round 3	THURSDAY	22 June 17	15:30 hrs
Round 4	FRIDAY	23 June 17	10:00 hrs
Round 5	SATURDAY	24 June 17	09:30 hrs
Round 6	SATURDAY	24 June 17	15:30 hrs
Round 7	SUNDAY	25 June 17	10:00 hrs
Round 8	MONDAY	26 June 17	10:00 hrs
Round 9	TUESDAY	27 June 17	10:00 hrs
Round 10	WEDNESDAY	28 June 17	10:00 hrs
Round 11	THURSDAY	29 June 17	10:00 hrs
Prize Distribution Ceremony	THURSDAY	29 June 17	15:00 hrs

2.Cash Prizes:

Total Prize fund	Rs.1,12,500/=	Rs.1,12,500/=
PRIZE	BOYS	GIRLS
1st	25,700/-	25,700/-
2nd	19,300/-	19,300/-
3rd	15,400/-	15,400/-
4th	12,800/-	12,800/-
5th	9,600/-	9,600/-
6th	6,400/-	6,400/-
7th	5,100/-	5,100/-
8th to 10th	2,600/- each	2,600/- each
11th to 18th	1,300/- each	1,300/- each

3.Dress Code: As per AICF regulations on Dress Code for players participating in all the National Championships, all State Associations should send their players including Special / Donor entry players with proper uniform (As regards special/donor entry players, the respective state chess associations may collect the cost of the uniform from the players). Players should at least wear uniform T Shirts / formal shirts (same colour and brand with the name of the State printed prominently at the back and the state chess emblem in the front left side). The name / logo of the sponsors can be permitted. Girls / Women to be also given appropriate uniform dress. The above rule will also be applicable to Special units. Players without proper uniform will not be permitted to take part in the championship. This will be strictly enforced.

4.Age Limit: Players should be born on or after 1.1.2004

Age Proof: Each participant must produce a valid certificate to prove his/her age.

Certificates from School are not valid. Certificates should preferably be from the Panchayat, Municipality or Corporation obtained soon after birth. Players without date of birth certificates will not be allowed to participate.

**** The date of birth certificates registered within one year of the birth of the child alone will be recognized and allowed to participate. No state association shall recommend any player who doesn't come under the above criteria.**

If any doubt arises about the claimed age of a player, the Tournament Committee has the right to refer the player during the championship for a due evaluation of age by competent medical experts. A player if declared over-age by such experts shall not continue in the championship and the matter shall be reported to AICF. Protest about the age of players may be made to the Chief Arbiter in writing along with a fee of Rs.5,000/- per player. This will not be refunded.

No Protest about over age of a player will be entertained after 2nd round of the championship.

Only the Coach or Manager deputed by participating State Chess Association can lodge such protests. The Tournament Committee has the right to decide the day, time and place for such medical evaluation of age. Players refusing to take the test as decided by the Tournament Committee shall be deemed to have failed the test and shall be disqualified from the Championship.

5. Eligibility: Subject to age limit the following players can participate:

1. Two players in each category from every affiliated State Association of AICF. If any Association fails to send its quota, the vacancies so caused will not be filled.
2. Top four players from 2016 National Under-13 (Boys & Girls) Chess Championships are eligible to participate as seeded players in their respective categories subject to age stipulation.
3. The top two players from 2016 National U-11 Boys and Girls Championship are eligible to participate as seeded players in their respective categories.
4. The Champions from 2016 National Under 9 (Open & Girls) chess championship are eligible to participate as seeded player in their respective category.
5. Current World Champion in any category subject to age stipulation.
6. 2016 World No.2 & 3 Under 12 & 14 category.
7. 2016 Asian U-14 top three rankers subject to age stipulation.
8. 2016 Asian Under-12 Champion.
9. The AICF Secretary has a discretionary seat in each category in this Championship.
10. Any other player who remits the prescribed Special Entry Fee of Rs.5,000/-
11. Host Punjab State Chess Association is entitled to fill one additional player in each category.
12. Current National Champion in any higher category subject to age stipulation.
13. Two players in each category approved by AICF will be permitted from areas where no State Association exists.
14. The winner and runner up of 2016 National U-13 girls are eligible to play in open section subject to age stipulation.
15. The winner of 2016 National Under-11 Girls is eligible to play in open section.
16. If the number of participants at the start of the championship is an odd number in a category, the host association can add one entry to make it even.
17. In addition to the above, the following state can fill additional seats, as their players had won Gold, Silver and Bronze medals in the previous National Under- 13 Chess Championship. Open: Telengana (Gold) 3, West Bengal (Silver) 2 and Madhya Pradesh (Bronze 1); Girls: Andhra Pradesh (Gold) 3, Odisha (Silver) 2 and Tamil Nadu (Bronze) 1.
18. Only Indian Nationals are eligible to participate in the championships.

6.Entry Fee:

Ordinary Entry Rs.1,000/- (Rupees One thousand only)

Special Entry Rs.5,000/- (Rupees five thousand only)

There is a 50% concession in the entry fee for participants from North Eastern States and Andaman & Nicobar Islands.

All entries including Special entries should come through the concerned State Association. However, the AICF will have the right to accept or reject any entry without assigning any reason. The entry form should be sent together with the attested copy of original date of birth certificate (Birth Certificates from Panchayat /Municipality/Corporation only) and the entry fee by a crossed Demand Draft drawn in favour of **JALANDHAR CHESS ASSOCIATION** payable at **JALANDHAR (Please add Rs.50/- as transaction charges) may be deposited in Account of JALANDHAR CHESS ASSOCIATION.**

Entry sent via Demand Draft should be sent by speed post only at:-

Muneesh Thapar (**Hon. Secretary** Jalandhar Chess association)

C-104 HAMILTON TOWER NAKODAR ROAD NEAR WADALA CHOWK
JALANDHAR PUNJAB 144014.

Email: jalandharchess@gmail.com OR you can transfer entry fee directly to our bank account. Details of bank account are as under:

Account Name	Jalandhar Chess Association
Bank	Central Bank of India
Branch	Mandi Road Jalandhar
Saving A/c. No.	1192055407
RTGS/NEFT/IFSC	CBIN0280355

Late Fee: Entries received after 9.6.2017 will be subject to a late fee of Rs.250/- per player. However no entry will be entertained after 3 p.m. on 18.6.2017.

7.System of Play: The Championship will be played under FIDE's Laws of Chess and the Swiss system. Totally eleven rounds shall be played.

Players from the same state should not be paired against each other in the last round of a National championship, except National Premier and Women Premier. However, they may be paired if there is no compatible opponent with the same point group or score group with a maximum difference of 1 point.

8.Default: Default time for arriving to the chess board is 15 minutes.

9.Time Control: The rate of play shall be 90 minutes with an increment of 30 seconds per move from move number one.

10.Chess Clocks: Each participating State Chess Association must provide at least one clock in working order for every two players entered into the Championship.

11.Tie Break: Following is the order of tie-break:

- 1) Direct encounter
- 2) Buchholz Cut 1
- 3) Buchholz
- 4) Sonneborn Berger
- 5) The greater number of wins (forfeits included)

In case of tie, cash prizes will not be shared.

12.Tournament Committee: The organisers will form a tournament committee for the smooth conduct of the National Championship.

13.Protest: Protest, if any, against the decision of the Chief Arbiter shall be made in writing with a protest fee of Rs.1,000/- within 1 hour of the occurrence of the incident. The protest fee will be refunded if the appeal is upheld.

14.Appeals Committee: Before the commencement of the tournament, a five member appeals committee shall be formed by the AICF/Organizers. All the members and reserves shall be from different states. No member of the Committee can vote on a dispute in which a player from his own State is involved and in such case(s) the reserve member(s) shall take his place in the committee.

15.Withdrawal: If any player withdraws from the last two rounds in any National Championship on medical grounds, he/she should undergo treatment by a Doctor recommended and supervised by the tournament committee.

16.Disqualification: No participant will leave the venue before the Prize Distribution function without the permission of the Chief Arbiter. The participants disregarding this rule will be suspended for one year.

17.Interpretation: For interpretation of the rule(s) and deciding any point not covered by the above rules of the tournament, the decision of the Tournament Committee shall be final and binding on all. The Tournament Committee has every right to make any addition or amendment to these rules, without **prior** notice.

However, such changes should be approved by the AICF. Such changes will, however, be displayed in the tournament hall.

18.Registration of Players: All participants in the National Championship should be registered with AICF for the year 2017-18. Application forms are available at the website **www.aicf.in**. Those who have already obtained registration cards from AICF Website for 2017-18 should send photo copy of the same. Those who have paid the AICF Registration fee but are yet to receive the AICF Registration card should send a photo copy acknowledgement for having paid the fee to organizers of earlier tournaments or to their association. Those who have not registered with AICF for the year 2017-18 should send an amount of Rs.250/- towards AICF registration fee along with the duly filled and signed AICF player's registration form plus one passport size photo.

19.Arrears: All arrears of affiliation fee/tournament fee including those of current year must be cleared by the Affiliated Association at the time of submitting the entries; otherwise the entries are liable to be rejected.

20.Lodging: Free Dormitory accommodation will be provided to seeded/selected players (normal entries) and one accompanying official (Manager or Coach) nominated by the concerned State Chess Association for each State.

Special entries and other accompanying persons should make their own arrangement for their stay.

Accommodation could also be arranged by our travel partner i.e **OYO Rooms**.



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22.Boarding: A lump sum of Rs.1000/- (Rupees One Thousand only) will be paid by the AICF through the organizers towards the boarding expenses only to the affiliated state chess associations' players who play this championship under normal entry (qualified and seeded players).

For More Detail:-

Email Us :- jalandharchess@gmail.com

Visit Our Website :- jcachess.com

For Registration and Entry Fee :-

Muneesh Thapar (Hony. Secretary Jalandhar Chess Association)

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JALANDHAR PUNJAB 144014. Mobile :- 8146729999

President Punjab State Chess Association :- Prof. Bikramjit Singh (9501010382)

President Jalandhar Chess Association :- Dr. J.S. Cheema (9988225256)

Sectary Punjab State Chess Association :- Mr. Rajinder Sharma (9888012271)

Treasurer Jalandhar Chess Association :- Mr. Kirti Sharma (9872274817)

Co-ordinator Cambridge International School:- Mr. Anurag Bhardwaj (9814972260)

General Enquiry :- Mr. Dinesh Gera (9815562501)

31th National U-13 Chess Championship -2017 (Boys and Girls)
Entry Form

To
The Secretary,
Jalandhar Chess Association
Dear Sir,

Sub: Entries for 31th National U-13 (Boys & Girls) Chess Championship - 2017

Kindly enroll the entry of our players for the 31th National U-13 (Boys and Girls) Chess Championship – 2017. Entry fee has been paid by DD favoring “**Jalandhar Chess Association**”, payable at Jalandhar. We understand that the Championship is held only for All India Chess Federation (AICF) registered players. All the team members will abide by the Rules and Regulations of AICF.

Sr. No	Name of player	FIDE rating	Date of Birth	Ordinary / Special Entry Rs. DD no/ online receipt no.	AICF Reg. Amt. in Rs.250/- & DD No.	Mobile/ Resident No.
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With this form, please send following documents:

- 1) Xerox copy of birth certificate and passport.
- 2) Entry fee demand draft.
- 3) A.I.C.F. registration form with registration amount Rs.250/- demand draft in favor of “Jalandhar Chess Association” payable at Jalandhar. If player is already registered then kindly get the receipt of the details of A.I.C.F. registration for the year 2017-18.

Place:
Date: (Name of the Unit)
Affiliate of All India Chess Federation

State Chess Association

Secretary

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To:
The Divisional/ Commercial /Area Superintendent,
.....Railway.....

Dear Sir,

Sub: Rail Concession

This is to certify that the following players and officials are bona-fide participants of the 31th National U-13 (Boys and Girls) Chess Championship - 2017 to be organized by us on behalf of All India Chess Federation at Jalandhar from 21st to 29th June, 2017. This is a recognized event of the All India Chess Federation.

Sr. No.	Name of the Player	Date of Birth
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We therefore, request the Rail Concession order may please be issued to them to travel from _____ to Jalandhar and back. The game of Chess is recognized for Rail Concession by the Railway Board by their letter no TC/1112035/76, dated 5th April 1971.

Thanking you.

Yours faithfully,

(Mr.Rajinder Sharma)
Hon. Secretary
Punjab State Chess Association