



AIM INTERNATIONAL FIDE RATING CHESS TOURNAMENT - 2025

AICF Event Code:420013/TN/2025 TNSCA APPROVAL No. RO-09/NAM/25-26

Organised by

Spiro Prime Public School

Under the aegis of

All India Chess Federation, Tamil Nadu State Chess Association
and Namakkal District Chess Foundation



DATE
13-08-2025
TO
17-08-2025

Venue : Spiro Prime Public School
Erode Road, Namakkal

TOTAL CASH PRIZE Rs.

4000001



(109 CASH PRIZES & 205 CUPS)



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Entry fee

Rs. 2000/-

**Free for GMs, IMs,
WGMs, WIMs**





FREE
Accommodation
for
ALL Players
& Parents

Chief Arbiter
P. Palaniappan IA

Deputy Chief Arbiter
R. Sivarama Krishnan

Entry fee can be paid through
signinchess.com,
chessfee.com,
chessentry.in,
easypaychess.com,
bookmyfee.com,
circlechess.com.

Prize Details

Main Prizes	
No.	Amount
1	40,001+
2	30,000+ 
3	20,000+ 
4	14000 
5	10000
6	8000
7	8000
8	7000
9	7000
10	6000
11	4000
12	4000
13 to 20	3000
21 to 30	2000
Best Young Boy	1000+ 
Best Young Girl	1000+ 

CATEGORY PRIZES							
Below 1900		Below 1700		Below 1500		Best Unrated	
No.	Amount	No.	Amount	No.	Amount	No.	Amount
1	10000	1	10000	1	10000	1	10000
2	6000	2	6000	2	6000	2	6000
3	4000	3	4000	3	4000	3	4000
4 & 5	3000	4 & 5	3000	4 & 5	3000	4 & 5	3000
6 to 10	2000	6 to 10	2000	6 to 10	2000	6 to 10	2000
Physically challenged		Best Veteran (Above 55 years)		Best Women		Childrens Category	
No.	Amount	No.	Amount	No.	Amount	Under- 7,9,11,13 15 Boys & Girls	
1	3000	1	3000	1	3000	1	1000+ 
2	2500	2	2500	2	2500	2 to 10	
3	2000	3	2000	3	2000		
Namakkal District Prizes	Namakkal Men		Namakkal Women		Namakkal Childrtens Prizes		
	No.	Amount	No.	Amount	Under- 7,9,11,13 15 Boys & Girls		
	1	3000	1	3000	1	1000+ 	
	2	2500	2	2500			
	3	2000	3	2000	2 to 10		
	4 & 5	1500					

Tournament Schedule								
13/08/2025 (Wednesday) Arrival/Reporting: 08.30AM Inaugural Function: 09.00 AM								
Round	Date	Time	Round	Date	Time	Round	Date	Time
1	13-08-2025	10.30 AM	4	14-08-2025	03.00 PM	7	16-08-2025	10.00 AM
2	13-08-2025	03.30 PM	5	15-08-2025	10.00 AM	8	16-08-2025	03.00 PM
3	14-08-2025	10.00 AM	6	15-08-2025	03.00 PM	9	17-08-2025	10.00 AM

RULES & REGULATIONS

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 move number one.

Default Time: Default time is 15 minutes. Players have to be at the boards within 15 minutes from the start of the round.

Tie-break:

Buchholz Cut 1, Buchholz, Sonneborn Berger, Direct Encounter, number of wins (forfeit included) and greater number of wins by black tie-break rules will be applied. In case of tie, prizes will not be shared.

Accommodation: Free Accommodation for all Players & Parents

AICF Player Registration

AICF player registration is compulsory for all players. AICF player registration fee is Rs.300/- for the year 2025-2026. AICF player registrations will be accepted only through online. Players' registration should be done well before the start of the event (Championship).

For renewing AICF registration of existing players, please click <http://aicf.in/players/> and click extend membership.

For (new) fresh AICF registration, please click <http://aicf.in/online-player-registration/>

For fresh AICF registration, players are requested to keep their scanned passport size photograph and birth certificate and a valid email address (unique) not used by any other person/player for AICF, ready before the registration process.

Note: Only passport size (less than 1 MB) photographs in jpeg format should be uploaded.

TNSCA Player registration

TNSCA player registration is compulsory for all Tamil Nadu players. TNSCA player registration fee is Rs.150/- for the year 2025-2026. Player registration should be done well before the start of event (Tournament). New entrants to the field of chess are informed that TNSCA player registration is mandatory and it should be done well before participating in any tournament.

For renewing TNSCA player registration of existing players, please click <https://registration.tamilchess.com/>

For fresh TNSCA registration, please click <https://registration.tamilchess.com/new-register/>

For fresh TNSCA registration, players are requested to keep their scanned passport size photograph and birth certificate and a valid email address ready before the registration process.

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Namakkal DCF player registration

Namakkal District Chess Foundation player registration is compulsory for Namakkal district players only. The fee for the year 2025-2026 is Rs.75/- only

Appeals Committee

Before the commencement of the Tournament, appeals committee will be formed from the senior participants present at the players meeting. The appeals committee decisions will be final and binding on all players concerned

Protest

Protest, if any against the decision of the Chief arbiter shall be made in writing with a protest fee of Rs.1000/- within 15 minutes of the completion of the game. The decisions of the appeals committee shall be final and binding on all concerned. The protest fee is refundable only if the protest is upheld.

Draw Offer: Players shall not agree for a draw before 30th Move of Black

Withdrawals: A player may withdraw from the tournament at any stage after informing the Chief Arbiter in writing.

Right of admission: The AICF/TNSCA /NDCF/ Organizer AIM Chess Academy reserves the rights of admission.

Wrist watches Mobile: As per AICF regulation, wrist watches and any other electronic devices like mobiles are strictly prohibited inside the playing hall in FIDE rated events

Silence in the 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.

Cash Prize: Prize Money will be distributed by CASH only

Note: Birth Certificate is necessary for Category Prize. 'Smoking' Strictly Prohibited inside the School Campus

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Namakkal District Chess Foundation

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Tournament Director

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